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FOURTH OF JULY CELEBRATION COMMITTEE 1916 SUB-COMMITTEES

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To the Residents of Forest Hills Garden:

May we not look for your loyal and hearty co-operation, as well as your financial assistance in making the community Fourth of July celebration this year a great success.

Remember that it is intended to provide a full day and night of sport, amusement and entertainment for your families and your guests.

In view of the magnitude of the intended program may we not look for as quick and as liberal a response as possible when any of the members of the Finance Committee call upon you for such assistance.

CAST FOR "THE ROMANCERS."

The long looked for announcement for the cast that is to present the Gardens Players premier production has been made. Miss Constance S. Patton, Mrs. E. W. McCabe, Harvey T. Warren, Norman Baker, Walter Hartwig and Edward H. Moir have been selected. Homer Croy is to be concealed about the premises with the prompter's book.

The date set is Friday, June 9th, but, mindful of uncertain weather, it has been arranged to postpone till the Monday following if uncertain weather should interfere on Friday. A capacity audience is assured by the advance sale of tickets. Admittance \$1.00. Tickets at the Inn and at the Chemist Shop.

MUSICAL FESTIVAL.

The concert which the Musical Art Society is giving Tuesday evening, June 6th, will be held in the Church-in-the-Gardens, instead of the Tea Garden of the Inn. The artists to appear are Anna Park Angell, cornetist; Everett Stanton Shaw, baritone; Everett Butterfield, in Recitations. The Forest Hills Chorus will be assisted by that of Garden City, and it is hoped that everyone will be out to welcome them. There was a large attendance at last Friday's concert at Garden City, when the two chorals made their first appearance together.

Tickets for the concert on June 6th can be obtained from the Chemist Shop or from members. Admittance \$1.00.

BOY SCOUTS.

The Official Fourth of July Celebration Committee has invited the Boy Scouts to take part in the ceremonies on that day.

The two scout cameras which J. F. Gallagher kindly presented to Troop 2, to be contested for by the two patrols, were awarded by the Scoutmaster to the two scouts having the best Merit Record at the end of May. The boys were not aware of the contest. The cameras were won by Fred Small, of the Eagle Patrol, and his twin brother, John, of the Wolf Patrol. The boys are invited to work for two cameras during June. This generous offer of Mr. Gallagher is very much appreciated.

The Girl Scouts unofficially announced that they expect to outdo the Boy Scouts in the march to Richmond Hill in the Sunday School anniversary parade.

The Memorial Day hike to College Point was a dandy.

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PLAYGROUND NOTES.

ALIDA LATTIMORE.

Twenty-one women of the community have agreed to act as chaperones on the playground, from 2:30 to 5:30 on days when there is no play leader.

The Women's Club does not assume responsibility for happenings on the playground outside of playground hours.

Reports of disorderly conduct on the playground should be made in writing to any member of the committee, who will bring the matter to the attention of the proper authorities.

The rules in force on the playground were made by the children themselves. The officers are elected by the children and are chosen from among those who have proved efficient in helping everybody have a good time.

The cost of the play leader is \$1.80 for an afternoon. The number of days attendance depends upon the amount of money at our disposal. We now have \$64. The leader will be in attendance on Fridays for the present.

NEEDS.

Money for play leader and incidentals; sand for sand box; games, such as croquet, tether ball, quoits, basket ball, bean bags, volley ball set. Checks may be made payable to Dr. Julia Wygant Perry.

PLAY DEMONSTRATION.

Miss Madeline Stevens, of the Parks and Playgrounds Association, will conduct a grown people's play evening at the Sales Office on Wednesday, June 7th. Everybody is urged to come and play and start something in the way of family play spirit in Forest Hills.

The officers selected by the Women's Club are: Chairman, Miss Alida Lattimore; Treasurer, Dr. Julia Wygant Perry and Mrs. Edwin Arden, Miss Lillian Deghuae, Mrs. Homer Croy.

MOVIES.

The success of the moving picture entertainment at the Inn on Wednesday the 24th, probably assures this as a regular weekly feature.

GARDENS CLUB PEP.
PEP VOBISCUM.

Last Saturday the annual newcomers festival was a gala day on Metropolitan Avenue. Even the arrival of rain and chill in the afternoon couldn't dampen the ardor of the enthusiasts who were rooting for "Warder's Peps" to win from the strong 7th Regiment baseball nine, and everyone present wore that smile, "I told you so," when the score resulted in a 9 to 2 victory for the "Peps."

One event after another crowded the afternoon and evening. The finals of the ladies' tennis tournament leaves Mrs. Austin Hanks at the top of the heap. Now that the ladies have a rating board there will be some real court battles.

It is proud we are of our athletes since they have shown their ability to orate as well as "play the game."

Mr. Seward officiated at the prize distribution and demanded a speech in return from each winner. Ernest McCabe, Harvey Warren, Charles Close, Julian Warder, Stanley Hillman were the proud recipients of tennis balls and cigars.

The May 27th reception and dance will go down as an historical event in the annals of the Gardens Club and it will make our Club dearer to every member. After a get together dance, President H. W. Hillman called a regular meeting, and with some stirring words placed the proposition of the election of Rev. and Mrs. Robert J. Kent to the first honorary memberships in the Gardens Club. The election was unanimous and Dr. Kent responded most admirably, and everyone who was fortunate enough to hear what Dr. Kent had to say could not help feeling impressed with the wonderful opportunity the Gardens Club offers for good-fellowship, good will and good sportsmanship. Our WELCOME to Dr. and Mrs. Kent is spelled with all capitals.

WHY PREPAREDNESS.

The "Why Preparedness?" meeting, to be held on June 12th, at 8 o'clock, will take place at the Inn instead of at the Sales Office. It is going to be a lively affair, with speeches by John Haynes Holmes, who is one of the most dynamic social forces in New York City, and Ellis O. Jones, who is a serious humorist. Discussion will follow the addresses. Everybody and everybody's opinions are welcome.

The Homes Company has sold the west end house in the stone group on Bow Street to Mr. Eugene Christian, F. S. D., the well known food specialist and manufacturer of foods, author of "How to Live a Hundred Years," "Encyclopaedia of Diet," etc.

The centre house in the brick group on Ascan Avenue has also been sold to Mrs. Anne L. Owens of 119 Waverly Place, N. Y. City.

Mrs. Warde Johnston, from Chicago, is staying with Mrs. Walter Mayer on Continental Avenue.

Mrs. John McGahie, of First Place, Brooklyn, spent several days last week with her son, Louis P. McGahie, on Burns Street.

A Union Protestant Church has been organized at Kew Gardens. A church edifice will probably be erected in the near future.

Mrs. M. S. LeBlanc, of Jersey City, who has been visiting her son, Geo. C. LeBlanc, on Puritan Avenue, returned to her home yesterday.

F. D. McCulloch, of Harwood, Ontario, with his wife and daughter, Dorothy, spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. W. P. McCulloch, Rockrose Place.

The Saturday night informal dances at the Inn are popular with the guests and their friends. A Decoration Day dance was thrown in for good measure this week.

The circle, at Middlemay Place and the Greenways, in previous years a flower garden, is being fitted up with attractive benches, around which shade trees will be planted.

Cottontail rabbits have been devastating gardens in the south side of the development, and this within the city limits of New York City. Sounds more like an item from Kansas.

The Puritan Avenue group of houses near Ingram Street is well supplied with autos. The Hines, Fay and Cherrington families have new cars in addition to that of the Kendrick's mentioned in the last issue.

On July 1st the price of gas will be reduced by the Newtown Gas Company from \$1.00 to 85c per 100 cubic feet. The plant and other properties of the company is valued at \$1,600,000, and the new rate allows for a liberal margin of profit thereon.

The annual "experience" meeting of the Audubon Society will be held on June 13th. Birds and gardens go together. Everybody in the Gardens ought to belong to the Society but even if they do not the meeting will be interesting and all are invited. Postals will be sent out as soon as the date is settled upon.

The old story of the cat and the bird lying down in peace together with the cat the only one to be about for business the next day has been brought to the attention of many of our bird lovers recently. Unfortunately for the birds we are trying so hard to cultivate, there doesn't seem to be any police regulation requiring muzzles for cats.

THE INN

F. B. Woodbury, of Puritan Avenue, Forest Hills, is making the Inn his home while his family is away.

Miss M. L. Shanks, of Salem, Va., is living at the Inn.

Mrs. W. B. Rice and maid, Misses Stevens and Ball and maid, of New York City, after a short visit at the Inn during the past week, left for Bar Harbor, Me., for the summer.

Miss Frances R. Scott, of New York City, spent the week end at the Inn with her friends, Miss Cuthill.

Ensign Berry, U. S. N., spent the week end at the Inn with his parents, Admiral and Mrs. Berry.

Mrs. Wm. M. Shaw, of Chicago, Ills., spent the week end at the Inn, the guest of her friend, Miss Sally H. Pierce.

Mrs. T. W. Spence, who makes her home at the Inn, has gone away for the summer.

Mrs. C. B. Lawrence, of Plainfield, N. J., spent Monday at the Inn, the guest of her sister, Mrs. M. W. Ross.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Todd, of New York City, have come to the Inn to live.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Hupp and family, of Grosse Point Shores, Mich., are located at the Inn.

Mrs. Holman, Baroness Moncheur, and maid, of Baltimore, Md., are at the Inn for an extended stay.

Miss Martha Williams has returned from a trip to Washington, D. C., and Atlantic City.

Mrs. Perin March, of Cincinnati, O., and Mrs. S. F. B. Morse, of New York City, spent a day at the Inn last week.

Miss Gerning and Miss Smith, of New York City, are at the Inn for a short stay.

Mrs. Chadwick and Miss Nan, who have been away for a couple of weeks, have returned to the Inn.

Don't forget the Moving Picture Show at the Inn each week—Wednesday evening. The first performance was very popular.

NEW ARRIVALS.

Loretta Gertrude, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Dostal, 47 Ingram Street, on Tuesday, May 30th (her father's birthday).

William Roswell, Jr., at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hulbert, 52 Deepdene Road, on Saturday, April 8th. He is to be baptized in St. Luke's Episcopal Chapel on Sunday next (June 4th).

Jeanne, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Renaud, 336 Burns Street, on Thursday, May 25th.

INSECT ENEMIES.

C. W. DEPUE.

From time to time, as the seasons progress, the Bulletin will contain short notes about the prevalent garden and tree insect pests and the best methods of treating them. These are not intended to be in the least bit scientific, but written with the sole idea of their being of practical value to our laymen friends and neighbors. Just now there are the large triangular webs in the forks of the willow, apple and some others of our trees, filled with black caterpillars. These caterpillars feed on the leaves of the trees and will eventually strip the branches. If you can get them before they leave the web, hold a lighted cloth, soaked in kerosene, under them. A little heat will suffice to kill them. If they are already scattered over the tree, spray the leaves immediately with arsenate of lead or some compound thereof. On your rose bushes the little green aphid is beginning to appear at the very tips of the new growths. Frequent sprayings, at intervals of a week or so, with whale oil soap or nicotine poisons will hold them in check.

COMING EVENTS.

To make this column as complete as possible, we desire the co-operation of all organizations of the community. Kindly send all communications to the office of the Homes Company, addressed to the "Bulletin."

Saturday, June 3rd, Station Square. Open air suffrage meeting. Addresses by Mrs. Beatrice Forbes-Robertson Hale and Mrs. Henry Laidlaw. Music by Boy Scouts. Public cordially invited.

Friday, June 6th, 8.30 P. M. Church-in-the-Gardens. Concert by Forest Hills Musical Art Society, assisted by Garden City Musical Art Society. Admittance \$1.00.

Wednesday, June 7th, 8.15 P. M. Sales Office. Grown people's play evening and demonstration of games suitable for family use, by Miss Madeline Stevens, of the New York Parks and Playgrounds Association. Admittance free. Public cordially invited.

Friday, June 9th, 8.15 P. M. Tea Garden of the Inn. Open air production of Rostands "The Romancers" by the Gardens Players. Admittance \$1.00.

Sunday, June 11th, Church-in-the-Gardens. Children's Day Service.

Monday June 12th, 8 P. M. Inn. Address, "The Truth about Preparedness," by Dr. John Haynes Holmes. Admittance free. Public cordially invited.

BASEBALL GAMES.

Saturday, June 3rd, 3:30 p. m. Montclair Athletic Club vs. Forest Hills.

Saturday, June 17th, 3:30 p. m. Englewood F. C. vs. Forest Hills.

June 10th, the local team goes to Bay Ridge to play the Crescent Athletic Club.

SATURDAY'S GAME.

Forest Hills						
	A. B.	R.	B. H.	P. O.	A.	E.
Warden, c.	5	2	4	7	2	0
Rollins, 3b.	4	0	1	1	1	1
Kinney, s. s.	5	0	1	3	4	0
Mecabe, 1b.	5	2	2	12	0	0
Arnold, c. f.	4	2	2	1	0	0
B. Thoms, l. f.	2	0	0	0	0	0
Hillman, 2b.	4	1	1	2	3	0
Ryan, r. f., l. f.	4	2	2	1	0	0
Wright, p.	3	0	1	0	4	0
Worth, r. f.	2	0	1	0	0	0
	38	9	15	27	14	1

Seventh Regiment						
	A. B.	R.	B. H.	P. O.	A.	E.
Ralli, 2b.	4	0	2	2	2	0
Cunningham, 3b.	4	0	0	1	2	0
Roselle, s. s.	4	0	3	0	2	1
Acker, c. f.	4	0	0	1	0	0
Flynn, 1b.	3	1	0	13	0	0
Irwin, l. f.	5	0	0	1	0	0
Von Kline, r. f.	2	0	0	1	1	1
Wiman, c.	2	0	0	4	1	3
Hegeman, p.	3	0	0	0	6	0
O'Donnell, r. f.	1	1	0	1	0	0
	31	2	5	24	14	5

Two-base hits—Mecabe, 2; Ralli, Roselle; Three-base hits, Rollins; Struck-out by Wright 7; by Hegeman 6; Bases on balls—Off Wright 2; Double plays—Kinney to Hillman to Mecabe; Roselle to Ralli to Flynn; Passed balls—Wiman 2.

CHURCH SERVICES.

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

St. Luke's Episcopal—Sunday mornings. Holy Communion at 8 o'clock. Sermon at 11 o'clock. St. Luke's Chapel. Greenway South, near Ascan Avenue.

Church-in-the-Gardens—Sunday mornings. Sunday School at 10 o'clock. Preaching service at 11 o'clock. Prayer meeting Thursdays at 8 P. M. Greenway North and Ascan Avenue.

Church of Forest Hills (undenominational) — Regular preaching services each Sunday at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Sunday School at 10 A. M. Prayer meeting Wednesdays at 8 P. M. Seminole Avenue and Gown Street, North Side.

CHURCH-IN-THE-GARDENS.

Communion the first Sunday of June. A cordial welcome to all who wish to come.

The Union Church of Richmond Hill has given an invitation to our Sunday school to join with its school in the anniversary parade, Saturday, June 10th. As last year, automobiles will be provided to take the children over and bring them back. Refreshments will be served in our Social Room when they return.

Children's Day will be the second Sunday of June. The morning service will be a union service of Church and School. It is the day for parents to show their interest in the children and the work of our Sunday school.

It is likely that after Children's Day the Church will hold its regular service of worship in the Social Room for several Sundays while the new organ is being installed.

Those who attended the party of the Cradle Roll and Primary Department will be interested to learn that the contents of the mite-boxes amounted to \$25. The party was enjoyed by children and parents, about one hundred attending. Nine names were advanced from the Cradle Roll to the roll of the Primary Department, leaving the Cradle Roll at present 48. If any of the children have not their mite-boxes for the new year a word to Miss Barden, personally or by postal, will bring them.

Robert Lloyd, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Luneborg, was baptized in the Church-in-the-Gardens on Saturday afternoon, May 20th.

The women's Guild will hold its June meeting on Friday afternoon, the 9th, in the Social Room. The Social Committee will serve as hostesses and "Our Next Program" will be presented for consideration. A social and literary afternoon from 3 to 5 is being planned for Tuesday the 13th, in the Social Room. Admission 25 cents.

CLASS IN ENGLISH.

Members of the Women's Club interested in the formation of a study class in contemporary English literature are asked to meet at Mrs. John Brewer's, 229 Greenway South, on Tuesday, June 6th, at 2:30 o'clock.