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The interior view of our beautiful Clara Elizabeth Knudson Gloria Dei Chapel

Sixty-eighth School Year Gets Under Way

September fourth was the opening day of school at the Institute and the Monday and Tuesday preceding that date were busy days for the staff of the school as well as for parents bringing their children here. For parents enrolling their little ones for the first time they were anxious days filled with mothers' sorrowful thoughts of the first parting from their beloved children. A visit to the playground in our beautiful grove proved that most all the newcomers were contented as very few tears were evident and anxious mothers' fears were soon quieted when their little Johnny or Mary became engrossed in the sand box where other little ones were busy. Within a very few days all were happy and contented in their new home. Several mothers came back during the first week for a glimpse of their children and a peep into the kindergarten room showed the babies

busy washing doll clothes, playing with the big train and getting acquainted with their teacher.

For the regular pupils September fourth was a grand reunion day when last year's friendships were renewed and summer's activities were discussed. Our two California pupils are with us again, Dorothy Ohlberg traveling all the way from Fresno and Sheilla Riddell, who comes from Pasadena. The enrolment at present is 92, which tops last year's by 3 pupils.

God has truly blessed our Institute for the Deaf, and we pray for His continued guidance during this coming year.

SUMMER VISITORS

Since our new buildings have been completed we have had many hundreds of visitors. During the vacation months alone more than three hundred friends from fifteen

different states and the District of Columbia dropped in to see our new Institute which they with their gifts helped to erect. We were proud to show them through our beautiful home and school, and justly so. Among those who came the longest distances to visit the school were Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Tomko, Missouri; Mrs. Wallace Willoughby, Arkansas; Mrs. Elsie Behrens, California; Rev. Victor Teifel, Colorado; Mr. William J. H. Goetz, California; Rev. Walter Sommerfeld, Pennsylvania; Louise Hayer, Kentucky; Rev. J. A. Beyer, Minnesota; Mrs. Charles O'Connor, Florida; R. Eichmann, Crystal Eichmann and Martha Lingertot, Pennsylvania; Arthur Schoeck, Connecticut; Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Koch, Iowa; Rev. Herman Frincke, New York; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Heine, Nebraska; Ben M. Schone, Gaulladet College, Washington, D. C., and Rev. G. Smukal, California.

Our doors are always open to visitors. During the vacation months we lodged some of our friends over night. Our sleeping quarters are most comfortable and are never crowded during these months. While passing through Detroit next summer, why not plan your overnight stay at your Institute?

New Arrivals

Thirteen new pupils—and our enrolment leaps to ninety-two! We are happy to welcome to our fast-growing family seven little girls and six boys, representing six states!

One of our potential football heroes, little Melvin Maudlin, from Sturgis, South Dakota, traveled over a thousand miles to come to our school. Donald Scheiderer, another of our little fellows, comes from our neighboring state, Ohio. His home is in Marysville. Our Michigan boys are Master Albert Hill, a "live-wire" from Center Line, and little Donald Webster of Hazel Park. These little fellows—

ranging from three years old to the ripe old age of five-and-a-half, are in our kindergarten room learning many new and interesting things about how to "Make Friends and Influence Teachers."

Paul Gunther is a fine youngster from Chicago. He's already found a niche for himself in our lively gang of boys.

We welcome to our "sugar'n spice" department six little three- and four-year-olds. From Michigan, dark-eyed Roberta Clawson of Ferndale, wee Rose Marie Emerick from Detroit, elfin Patricia Lou Fountain, Pontiac, and golden-haired Zelona Hotchkiss from Howell. From St. Paul, Minnesota, comes La Donne Herfert, a little girl with dark eyes and sweet smile, and the littlest one of all is doll-like Monica Gable, whose home is in Fort Wayne, Indiana. All these babies have made early adjustments to their new life here at school and are so contented that their parents would be happy to see how nicely they are getting along away from home.

A great deal of credit is due Deaconess Marie Bliefnick, who so tirelessly attends the needs of the majority of these tiny tots while they are in the dormitory and on the playground.

Our Growing Staff

Our enrolment has reached an all-time high. As a result, it was necessary to increase our household and teaching staff. Now we have 10 teachers and 6 deaconesses, as compared to 3 teachers and 1 deaconess seven years ago.

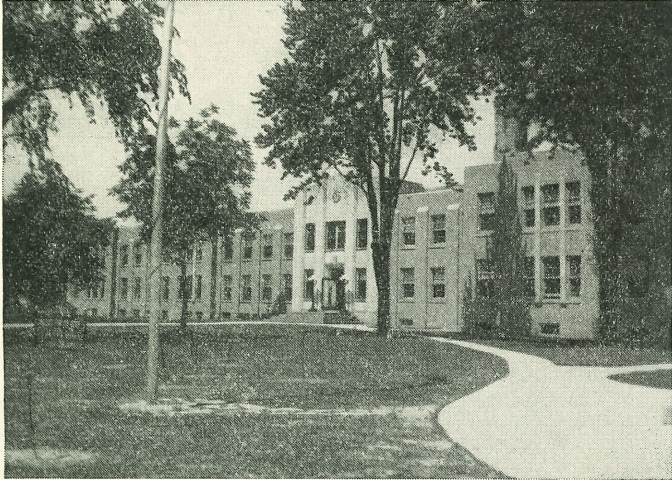
Miss Cora Gade, our new teacher, took the place of Mrs. Johnson, who was compelled to resign last spring due to ill health. Miss Gade received her training at Valparaiso and Wisconsin State Teachers' College in Milwaukee. She is the daughter of the sainted Rev. F. Gade, former missionary to the Deaf in Wisconsin. This is

Miss Gade's first teaching experience.

Our new deaconess is Miss Margaret Fish, who was called to us from the Lutheran Children's Home at Addison, Ill., where she served last year. Deaconess Fish,

she served Bethesda Lutheran Home for 5 years in the same capacity.

Loretta Kling, one of our 1940 graduates, has been retained to fill the vacancy left by Miss Edna Klitzing of Illinois.



A Visitor's Snapshot of Our Institute

having worked with a child specialist in Texas, is quite capable with young children. She is a 1939 graduate of our deaconess' training school in Fort Wayne. She also attended Eastern State Normal at Madison, S. D.

Miss Tessmann, our new cook, came to us from the household personnel of Northwestern College, Watertown, Wisconsin. Previously

Ruth Kahler from Richmond, Michigan, and Miss Caroline Kruse of Carrollton, Missouri, are also new members of the household. They oversee the dining room and laundry, respectively.

All of our teaching and household staff are members of our Lutheran Church. We welcome these new members and wish them God's blessings.

DR. E. A. MAYER

A True Friend of Our School Passes

On Sunday, August 25, the Rev. E. A. Mayer, D.D., associate pastor of St. Lorenz Ev. Lutheran Church at Frankenmuth, Michigan, fell asleep in Jesus, our Savior. His mortal remains were laid to rest in the same acre of God in which he had sown the bodies of many parishioners into their resting-chambers during a brilliant ministry of almost forty-seven years in Frankenmuth. He was permitted to serve the Lord of the Church in the holy ministry for sixty years. He rendered invaluable services in particular to the Michigan District of the Missouri Synod as chairman of boards, Visitor, Vice-president, and President. God had given him most unusual gifts, coupled and crowned with great humility and kindness, and these he employed in the service of His Lord and Church.

But we cannot but call attention to his interest and activity for our Institute for the Deaf. He was one of our best friends. He always had a kind word for our institution. He worked for it in his congregation and beyond. He put forth every effort to support our maintenance fund. He promoted the cause of our recent building project, and we received a very fine collection from St. Lorenz Church at Frankenmuth. He assisted in the cornerstone-laying of our new buildings. One can seldom pick up our "Advocate" without finding some memorial wreaths from Frankenmuth for our school.

Indeed, we have lost a real and true friend, a worthy and esteemed sponsor of our cause, and we shall always keep him in fond remembrance as such a friend and sponsor. The Lord will reward him for his love and service. And may He grant our Church and our Institute many such friends as our sainted, venerable, beloved Dr. E. A. Mayer.

G. M. KRACH

A VACUUM

Mr. Thomas Edison needed a vacuum to complete his invention of the incandescent lamp. But we have a vacuum which needs to be filled for the winter in order to be of any value to us. Our vacuum is in our so-called "Thumb Room." It is the room in which we store our vegetables and potatoes. It is called the "Thumb Room" because for years it has been filled every fall by our good congregations as far north as the Thumb District of Michigan. We are confident that before long this empty room will again be filled by our good friends in the Thumb.

PEACHES, PEARS AND MELONS

During the past week we received twenty-two bushels of fine pears and bushels of sugar melons from Mrs. Wm. Knudsen. These fruits were raised on Mr. Knudsen's summer estate on Grosse Ile near Detroit.

From the Rev. E. C. Knorr we received 45 bushels of peaches from the Knorr orchards at Rochester, Mich.

Our children enjoyed eating much of this good fresh fruit. However, most of it was canned for future use. Since this work was more than our hard working kitchen staff could do, good friends from Messiah, Bethel and St. Paul's Ladies' Aid Societies came at different times and helped to conserve the valuable gifts.

To all, Mrs. Knudsen, the Rev. Edw. Knorr, and the willing helpers goes our sincere "Thank You" and a hearty "God Bless You."

RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES

Since the opening of school this fall, our playground is again occupied by content and happy deaf youngsters. It is needless to say that all are enjoying their play hours, using the many facilities offered them. Sand box, swings, slides, merry-go-round, parallel bars, teeter-toters, etc., are all in use. Games such as baseball, volleyball, football, and soccer appeal to the older boys and girls. Paraphernalia and space is also provided for these activities. This equipment is all very necessary for our children's physical and mental well being and growth.

When the wet and cold weather sets in, an ample recreational program is ready for both boys and girls in their respective basement

play rooms. Shuffle board, kick-ball, box hockey and gymnastics are then in season. One teacher and one deaconess supervise the play periods at all times. So whether it rains or whether it shines the "play" ball is kept rolling day after day.

Previous to this fall the bathing facilities for the boys were somewhat limited, especially after a hard and fast game of football or some other game. They certainly need a quick bath at such a time. The boy's building is now equipped with the necessary showers to remedy this condition. And how the boys enjoy this treat after hard play!

We wish all our readers could see for themselves how happy and contented our fine group of deaf children are. The continued help and contributions of our many friends have made all these possible.

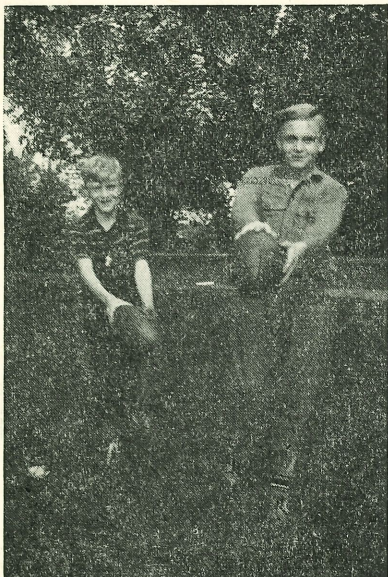
A WORD TO OUR DEAF CHILDREN'S FRIENDS

During the latter part of October or the beginning of November you will all receive a letter from us. Since we are writing to so many of you and since we must always be concerned about the spending of our pennies, our letter will reach you with a 1½ cent stamp on it. You will recognize the letter by the beautiful picture of our little Beverly on the face of the envelope. When it reaches you,



A Kindergarten Trio

please, do not throw it into the waste basket thinking that it is unimportant because of the 1½ cent stamp. But kindly open it and read our message to you. We have not come to you with this sort of



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message since the fall of 1937. Many of you have never gotten one. Therefore, we again say, please, open the letter and read our message and then let your heart dictate your actions.

DR. HOERMANN, OUR FRIEND

During the past few years Dr. Rudolph Hoermann of 2200 N. Third St., Milwaukee, Wis., has kept us supplied with his Whooping Cough remedy, Prescription 99. This medicine has given our children great relief during two threatened whooping cough epidemics. We are grateful to Dr. Hoermann for his gifts and since our supply is completely exhausted, we hope that he will read this item and again restock our shelf.

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\$1.08; St. Thomas, Det., 50c; Immanuel, Grand Rapids, \$25.00; St. Matthew, Det., \$11.00; Jackson, \$4.00; Adrian, \$5.00, Sterling, 50c; Tabor, Det., \$2.50; Arcadia, \$12.32; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Starke, \$5.00; Trinity, Det., \$1.00; Holy Cross, Saginaw, \$2.00; Gethsemane, Det., \$13.00; Neighborhood Club, Frankenthuth, \$9.45; N. N., \$2.00; Nazareth, Det., \$2.00; St. Thomas, Det., \$2.00; Bethlehem, E. S., Det., \$20.00; Allen Pk., \$15.00; Bethlehem, Saginaw, \$2.00; Trinity, Saginaw, 65c; Immanuel, Bay City, \$5.00; N. N., Caledonia, \$5.00; R. Mueller and B. Rodammer Wedding, Richville, \$10.00; S. S., Waldenburg, \$8.23; Ella Lehman and Meta Claebusch, \$2.00; Mich. Dist., \$880.13; St. Andrews, Det., \$35.50; Mrs. Melvin Britz, \$1.00.

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