LAKE ZURICH REVIEW.

Suburban Building Takes Slump: Only $200,700 in November

A 55 per cent gain in September over the preceding month, a 27 per cent gain in October over September and in November a complete throw back with a loss of 66 per cent—this is the riddle of the Chicago suburban building survey, comprising 54 communities.

There were losses in June and July—seasonal losses perhaps—but the gains in September and October were so encouraging, with October showing even a striking increase over the same month of 1932, that it is hard to "take the count" now.

The amount of new building permits issued in the month of November, 1933, missed by only $2000 being the smallest ever recorded. The total of March of 1933 was $198,824. The November total was $200,700.

Looking at November in relation to the entire year one sees that its total is only about one-third of that of the best month, October, roughly about the same as January and March and one-half to two-thirds of the totals of the remaining months. About the only comfort to be found in the situation lies in the fact that much of the building begun in the fall, particularly the important building, is still in process and some of this building will continue throughout the winter. There is, therefore, some building going on. It is the almost total lack of new construction of any consequence initiated in November that is so disturbing. Thirty-eight of the Blyfiore communities report no new building at all or less than $5000 worth. Forty-seven indicate on their return less than $10,000. In fact, only seven cities, excluding Chicago, in this vast metropolitan region of four million people can muster up $10,000 worth of new building for the better housing of their citizens and business.

Cary

The first meeting of the Cary Garden club in 1934 will be held at the home of Mrs. A. Synek, Monday afternoon, Jan. 8.

Mr. and Mrs. Al. Kosinski visited relatives in Chicago Saturday.

Miss Kathryn Kulek of Chicago was a guest of the A. Kirsch and J. Fitzgerald families over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. V. P. Devlin of Wauconda were guests Sunday at the home of Harry Graham.

The church school will give a Christmas program at 2 p.m. Saturday.

Miss Eleanor Dahl spent the week-end in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kohs of Algonquin were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Exner Saturday.

Miss Gladys Schmidt has accepted a position in Barrington.

Raymond Cox of Dundee spent Saturday evening with Leonard Tubbs.

Mrs. Albert Krier visited her mother, who is very ill, at Dundee Sunday.

Mrs. C. Gerke of Palatine was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Willard, Friday.

Mrs. Albert Jurs of Barrington spent Wednesday and Thursday with Mrs. George Willard.

Ruth Hertzel, who has been visiting in Chicago for the past two weeks returned Sunday.

Mrs. M. Carlson of Chicago was a week-end visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Puddine.

Mrs. Anna Newkirk, who has been helping care for her mother in Palatine, came home Tuesday and returned Thursday. Her mother's condition remains the same.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hansen of Barrington was a guest of Mrs. Gus Hansen Wednesday and assisted with the supper given by the Lutheran ladies in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Aggerbeck of Crystal Lake were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Surfleet, Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Hennick, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Meyers of Palatine, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Dahlman and sons Robert and Paul of Barrington were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hubert.

Mrs. Gus Hansen will entertain the Lutheran Ladies Aid at her home December 27.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Kamholtz, Mr. and Mrs. Al Buchman, Mrs. Fred Krens and daughter Hannah and Olive, Mrs. George Krenz and daughter Margaret, drove to Barrington Sunday evening and attended the program at the Lutheran church.

The chicken supper given by the Lutheran Ladies Aid Wednesday night was a success, netting $66.35.

A surprise party in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Max Schikram was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Greiner Saturday evening in celebration of the Schikram's wooden anniversary. The evening was spent in playing games, dancing and singing. Prizes, all in wooden ware were given and a delicious lunch was served.

Mrs. Richard Cloe of Crystal Lake visited Mrs. A. Kosinski Thursday.

Mrs. Earl Beatty and sister Mrs. Charles Storm of Elmhurst called on Mrs. E. P. Jecks and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Frey of St. Charles spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Stinek.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Blaisdell of Norwood Park spent Thursday with Mrs. Dora Jecks.

Robert Kvidera of Lyons came home to spend the holidays with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kvidera.

Canada's Lawmakers

Only one Canadian province has two legislative houses. This is Quebec.

Local and Personal

Holiday Plans

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bergborn and family and Mr. and Mrs. Rolle Bergborn will go to Long Grove as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hershberger Jr. for Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Rockenbach and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Whitney Rockenbach and family and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Herbeck and son will be guests Christmas Eve of Mr. and Mrs. William Brandenburg of Irving Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hillman and Fred Thies and daughter Ruth will be guests of Mrs. Louisa Thies of Gilmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Eide and daughter will spend the Christmas vacation with relatives at Sheridan.

Mrs. C. Kohl and daughter Maybelle and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Porter and family will be guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. Wesner of Lake Geneva.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Snetsinger and sons and James Snetsinger and son will be guests of Mrs. Emma Mills at Diamond Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Landwer and family will go to Dundee as guests of Mrs. Maud Suffin.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Meyer will have as guests Sunday Mrs. Mary Fritz of Chicago and Mrs. George Freeman of Dundee.

Masonic Installation

Ray Loomis, P.M. installed officers for Zurich lodge A.F. and A.M. Friday night. He was assisted by Leo Buhr P.M., installing chaplain, and Al Prehn, P.M., installing marshal. Clarence Snetsinger was installed as master; August Buesching, S.W.; Edward Ernst, J.W.; Al R. Picke, secretary; Carl Ernst, treasurer; Harold Hans, chaplain; Otto Frank, S.D.; John Weber, J.W.; William Washo, S.S.; Edward Young, J.S.; William Tonne, marshal and Roy Loomis, tyler. The installation was followed by refreshments and smoker.

Christmas Gatherings

Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Simons will have 16 guests for dinner Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rudzinski will have a family dinner including their sons Elmer and Milton and their families and the children at home.

Mr. and Mrs. August Lohman will have their children and their families.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Walhaum will have Mr. and Mrs. Ed Walhaum and Mr. and Mrs. William Schumacher.

Honor Roll

The Ela high school honor roll for the past six weeks is as follows: Senior: Pauline Fisher and Marjorie Soderberg; Juniors: Jessie Reidel and Dorothy Morse; Sophomores: Ella Buesching; Freshmen: Velma Heidemann and Helen Wickersheim.

Mrs. Charles Kohl has returned from a week's visit with her daughter, Mrs. Walter Wesner of Lake Geneva, Wis.

Mrs. William Tonne attended the Amy Berry conductress club luncheon at the Standard club Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Stoike and son of Hanson visited Mr. and Mrs. William Luersson Sunday.

Walter Carlsen of Chicago spent Saturday with Alfred Giese.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Davis of Wauconda called on Mrs. George Meyer Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Drinkard are spending the holidays at Nashville, Tenn.

Mrs. Milton Rudzinski is reported on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. John Elkins of Long Beach, Calif. announce the birth of Monte Lee Thursday, Dec. 7. Mrs. John Elkins will be remembered as Marie Ward, a 1928 graduate of the Ela high school.

Mrs. A. L. Payton received word of the death of her brother, Alfred Bernard, at Bruce, Wis., Friday. The funeral was held Monday.

Door Plate Tax

Doctors, lawyers, and other professional men in Subotista, Jugoslavia, must pay a tax of $16 on every door plate.

Egyptian Language

Egyptian, a language of the time of the pyramids, but unspoken for the last 900 years, is giving up its secrets.

Jewel Tea Co., Inc., Reports 6.87 Per Cent Sales Increase in December

The Jewel Tea Co., reports that its sales for the four weeks ending December 2, 1933 were $828,545.27 as compared with $776,853.28 for parallel weeks in 1932, an increase of 6.87 per cent. The average number of sales routes for parallel weeks was 1372 in 1933, and 1338 in 1932.

Sales for the first 48 weeks of 1933 were $9,460,836.20 as compared with $10,200,598.48 for a like period in 1932, a decrease of 7.10 per cent. For these weeks the average number of routes was 1352 in 1933 and 1336 in 1932.

Sales of the 84 stores of Jewel Food Stores, Inc., a subsidiary of the Jewel Tea Co., Inc., for the 4 weeks ending December 2, 1933, were $319,578.48. Sales of the Jewel Food Stores, Inc. for the 48 weeks ending December 2, 1933 with an average of 83 stores were $3,030,335.12.

Wauconda

Mrs. A. Martin Dead

Friends of the Dr. Albert Martin family, who have a summer home on the east shore of the lake, were grieved to hear that Mrs. Martin had died at her Chicago home Monday evening following a heart attack. She is survived by two sons and two grandchildren. Funeral services were held from the Second Baptist church in Chicago Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. James Carr entertained several friends at bridge last Wednesday evening.

Several from here attended the golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Douglass Wait at Round Lake Wednesday: Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stroker, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Boehmer, Mrs. Natalie Stroup, Mrs. Glenway Dorwin, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dickson, Dr. and Mrs. John Ross and Mrs. Grace Harris.

The chicken supper given by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Federated church netted the church $125. The social given at the Roselle school the same evening netted $75.

Mrs. Lizzie Carr entertained at a turkey dinner Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. L. E. Golding of Libertyville called on relatives here Sunday.

Lewis Coppen is numbered with the sick.

Members of the 500 club were entertained at the home of Mrs. Herbert Schroeder Wednesday evening, honors being awarded to Mrs. Hobart Lageschulte and Mrs. Grantham.

Dr. John Ross, Andrew Sorenson and Edwin Drom attended the London-Steele wrestling match in Chicago.

Miss Ellyn Johnson will be hostess to the Partnightly club at the home of Mrs. Paul Broncheon Tuesday evening. Christmas gifts will be exchanged.

Marshall Smith of Elgin visited relatives here Saturday.

Christmas exercises will be held at the church Christmas eve.

Mrs. Andrew Steiner, who underwent an operation at the Libertyville hospital in the fall, entertained the nurses from the hospital Saturday.

Miss Ruth Rement, who recently underwent an operation at the Condell Memorial hospital, returned home Saturday.

Members of the Tuesday evening club spent an enjoyable evening at the home of Mrs. Blanch Meather at Libertyville Tuesday.

Mrs. Edith Peck and Mrs. Herbert Schroeder and son visited at the Albert Leonard home, Lake Zurich, on Saturday.

Miss Martha Hughes, teacher at North Chicago spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Myron Hughes Sr.

Pawnshops

Pawnshops, like novels, are cross-sections of humanity. Into them come the count and the pauper, the artist and the mechanic, the gold-digger and the innocent victim, the spoiled children of the wealthy and the beggars who have never known anything but the life of the hobo.

Youthful Marriages

Marriage records show that girls as young as twelve, thirteen and fourteen, marry in New York city.

Cuba Township

Goes in Ditch

Leo Riley narrowly escaped death at about four o'clock Tuesday morning on his way home from work. Going at a fair rate of speed past the Magee farm near the North Western tracks and lost in thought, he was unable to make the sharp turn, and he ran into the ditch. The car was somewhat damaged and Mr. Riley received minor bruises.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kelsey motored to Norwood Park Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Finn and son Donald of Elgin were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Fitts of Shady Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Platt and children Robert and Phyllis of Des Plaines and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wollar and children Vendella and Burnell were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kelsey.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mavis and baby of Algonquin were Tuesday evening callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lageschulte.

Mr. and Mrs. George Duke of Chicago and Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Zelsdorf and children Bernard Jr. and Helen were guests Sunday of Mrs. Charlotte McGraw.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Jacobs and family of Union called on Mr. and Mrs. Jay Riley Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Fitts and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kelsey motored to Woodstock Saturday.

Mrs. Frank Rasmussen and Mrs. Elmer Pieben and daughter Shirley of Cary were callers Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lageschulte.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Landwer, Mrs. Mary Lagueschulte and Mina Henderson were callers Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lageschulte.

Members of the Mothers' bunco and card club met at the home of Mrs. Frank Kirby with Mrs. M. Mitchell as the assisting hostess Thursday. Six tables were in play.

The husbands and friends of the Mothers' club gathered at the Kelsey school for an evening of fun Friday. There were eleven tables of cards and bunco. Grocery packages were raffled off, bringing a neat sum.

The Cuba Home Bureau unit met at the home of Mrs. John Miller for a Christmas party Wednesday.

Civic Opera House to Open; Announce Programs Dec. 26-31

Five widely acclaimed artists new to Chicago opera patrons are to pique the interest of newly recruited audiences at the Civic Opera house when that long dark temple of lyric drama opens the day after Christmas for a five weeks' season, thanks to the sponsorship of a representative group of citizens formed by the late George Lyton and George Woodruff and expertly aided by Paul Longone, director general of the new enterprise.

Maria Jeritza is to have the distinction of re-dedicating the magnificent Wacker Drive house, appearing in the title role of "La Tosca." Further brilliance will be added to the occasion by the introduction of Dino Borgioli, a Tuscan tenor, who, after extensive tours of continental Europe, South America and Australia, invaded America at its western borders and for the past two seasons has been the idol of San Francisco opera goers.

Marie Chamlee, heard hereabouts in opera only at Ravinia Park, sings for the first time in the Civic Opera house on Wednesday night in "Traviata," with Marion Claire and John Charles Thomas to complete a refulgent trio of artists.

Grace Moore makes her first appearance before a Chicago audience at the first matinee of the season Saturday, Dec. 31, as Mimi in "La Boheme," with Borgioli as Rodolfo and another newcomer, Claudio Frigerio, as Marcello.

None of the newcomers during the season is apt to attract greater attention than Marion Talley, Kansas farm girl who stormed the citadel of fame known as the Metropolitan after an audition at 15 and a course of study in New York and Italy financed by public subscription in Kansas City, where she sang as church soloist at 12. After a retirement of four years, Miss Talley reappears as the operatic horizon as a member of the Chicago Grand Opera company, singing Gilda, the role in which she made her Metropolitan debut, opposite the Rigoletto of John Charles Thomas and the Duke of Borgioli.

Of favorites of past civic seasons who return, perhaps none will be more welcome than Rosa Raisa, who returns in "Aida" on Saturday night, Dec. 30.

New artists to be heard in the initial week of the season include Hilda Ohlin, who came to Chicago only two years ago from Denver to win two scholarships and other honors; Wilfred Engelman, a Detroit baritone who won the Atwater-Kent scholarship of 1928 and sang two seasons with the Detroit Civic Opera association after study in Italy; Marie Matyas, born in Hungary but reared in Chicago, of German parentage, who is a mezzo soprano and had experience in concert and a sporadic opera venture; Norman Cordon, basso, heard with Fortune Gallo's forces recently at the auditorium; Dorothy Herman, also a Gallo nonpliate; Marjorie Montello, Hazel Sanborn and others.

Repertoire and principals for the first week are: Tuesday, Dec. 26, "La Tosca" with Maria Jeritza, Dino Borgioli, Joseph Royer, Norman Cordon and Vittorio Trevisan. Wednesday, Dec. 27, "Traviata" with Marion Claire, Hazel Sanborn, Mario Chamlee, John Charles Thomas and Giuseppe Cavadore. Saturday matinee, Dec. 30, "La Boheme" with Grace Moore, Dino Borgioli, Claudio Frigerio, Chase Boromeo, Desire Defrere, Vittorio Trevisan and Giuseppe Cavadore. Saturday night, Dec. 30, "Aida" with Norman Cordon, Coe Glade, John Pane-Gasser, Rosa Raisa, Chase Boromeo, Claudio Frigerio, Hildo Ohlin and Giuseppe Cavadore. Sunday night, Dec. 31, "Rigoletto" with Dino Borgioli, John Charles Thomas, Marion Talley, Hazel Sanborn, Chase Boromeo and Norman Foster.—Adv.

The Word "Chime"

The word "chime" is derived from the Latin "cymbalum," a cymbal. The old English form "cymbal" appears in many medieval documents. The term was originally applied to bells and the machinery which operated them, but in recent times the music produced by the bells is also known as a chime.

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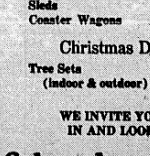

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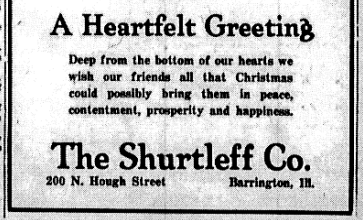

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THE STORY

CHAPTER I.—A pretty young woman finds herself in a taxicab in New York with a strange man who addresses her endearingly and addresses "an awful shock." When he leaves her for a moment at a bar she drives on. For she fears him. She sleeps at the Ritz, still wondering who she is. Her memory is gone. From the evidence of her clothing and wedding ring, inscribed "E. to Jo-E. May 19, 1933," she concludes she is married to a wealthy man. At the Ritz she finds the nameless girl meets a young woman who speaks of her desire to go to Reno for a divorce, if she can get the money. The woman vanishes with the nameless girl's purse, and $300.

CHAPTER II.—An elderly woman, Mrs. Oscar Du Val, cordially greets the nameless girl, addressing her as "Doris," wife of her son. Du Val's son, Rocky, Ricky is abroad, and Doris, still bewildered, is taken to the home of Mrs. Du Val and her sculptor, Jerry Donovan. Doris falls in love with Rocky's photograph, but cannot remember having married him.

CHAPTER III.—Doris, discovering a trademark in her clothing, visits a New York store, and is amazed when a saleswoman insists she hide from observation. She goes back to Mrs. Du Val's, more mystified than ever. Rocky returns, to discover the deception.

CHAPTER IV.—He demands to know who she is and why his wife sent her to his home to masquerade as "Doris." Mrs. Du Val's parents she cannot tell him. He assumes she is some form of gold digger. They agree, for the sake of his parents, to pretend for the time being they are husband and wife.

TENTH INSTALLMENT

CHAPTER V

DORIS had a heavy sense of guilt. Now that she had found that she did not belong there, where should she go? She thought confusedly of Rocky—Rocky as he was, Rocky as she had imagined him—of Mrs. Du Val and her kindness of the past few weeks, of Mrs. Du Val when she learned the truth. At last she slept.

When she woke, the sun was shining. The birds were singing. Rocky's picture was still arranged so that she could see it from her bed. "He's too wonderful," she thought. "Handsomer than the picture, and more desirable—but—he despises me."

Doris meditated. The situation between Rocky and his wife seemed very odd. Why was it that he did not want to expose his false position to his family or to her? Why was he not more worried about the whereabouts of the real Doris?

She opened her eyes. Rocky stood at the foot of her bed. How long had he been there? She went hot all over.

"Well?"

"My sweet, beautiful wife!"

She pulled the comforter up to her chin. She tried to glare boldly back at him but the color flew to her cheeks. "I don't think that's very funny!"

"Funny? Gosh, it's no joke. I've just been with Mother and listened for one solid hour to the 'epic centuried' Lucky Rocky's Beautiful Wife. My sweet beautiful wife." He sighed, smiled with patient disillusionment. "The old poise of wounded virtue, eh? I suppose you're not accustomed to having gentlemen callers in your boudoir?

"No, I'm not."

"Not a husband is different?"

Doris was a bit startled by his resident manner. She watched him stoop to flick a bit of ashes that had dropped to the coverlet. Her foot under the quilts drew sharply away.

Rocky, still bending, looked up at this movement. "So timid." He shook his head. "Doris pulled a subtle one on me this time. For a minute I thought you actually were afraid of me."

Doris eyed him disgustedly as he sauntered across the room. "Afraid of you? Certainly not—but if you were to get out, I might get up," she said.

"Why, we're going to have a cozy little breakfast here together." He picked up a pretty slipper and began slapping it in his palms.

"I wouldn't want to be separated from my wife at breakfast. Besides Mother's having it sent up to us. It seems that you're in too delicate a condition."

Doris scowled but she felt her cheeks growing red. "I'm feeling quite well."

"Yes, Mother's been telling me that at such a time—" he discovered the slipper—"what a fluent liar you turned out to be."

Doris felt hot all over. "I didn't make up that story. You did."

"No, Doris dear. I fooled me. At least I think so now."

"You mean the real Doris told you she was going to have a baby?"

He nodded.

"And she's somewhere now having it? And you don't even care enough about her to look her up. You ought to be with her this minute instead of sitting here talking to me."

He smiled hazily. "But I'm so crazy about you."

Doris bit her lip angrily.

He rose. "Here's breakfast. I'll help you, Estelle." He took the tray from the maid and placed it at Doris' bed.

"I'd like to get up and get my