ABBOTT, ANNA A.
Present: Misses Colony, Billingsley, Derby, French, Lawrence, Palmer, Best, Nieder, Givens, and Dr. Brewster.

Prayer: Ruth Lawrence

FOR THE RECORD

In Memoriam:
Arna Agnes Abbott, India, May 1, 1960--retired
100 Delegates Due to At

Junior Woman’s Club Will Meet

Dr. Edward P. McManamon will speak on “Different Stages of Dentistry” as a feature of the meeting of the Junior Woman’s club tomorrow evening. The session will be held at 7:30 o’clock at the Bay County building.

The program is to include study of correct table appointments following the address. Geraldine Kerr will offer a group of xylophone solos, accompanied by Jack Anderson, and Glenda Kerr will offer a group of dances, including toe and acrobatic numbers.

Rosebush-Evans Vows Exchanged

Couple Wed At St. Joseph’s Rectory, Yesterday

Miss Evelyn Evans, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Evans, of Leng street, became the bride of William Rosebush, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. William Rosebush of Second street, in quiet nuptials read at the rectory of St. Joseph’s church at 10 o’clock yesterday morning. The Rev. Fr. James Parent officiated at the ceremony in which the couple were attended by Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Andrews.

Buda-Lochinski Vows Are Spoken

St. Hyacinth’s church was scene of a simple but pretty wedding recently when Miss Irene Lochinski and Conrad Buda spoke their vows before the Rev. Fr. Joseph Lewandowski and 100 relatives and close friends.

The bride was lovely in a bridal satin gown cut on simple princess lines, her double veil fell from a wreath of orange carnations. She carried a bouquet of Johanna Hill roses and sweet peas. The maid of honor, Miss Virginia Herrick, wore pink organza. The two bridesmaids, Misses Geraldine Andrzejewski, in peach lawn, and Miss Carolin Andrzejewski, in apron lace, carried bouquets of carnations, Johanna Hill roses and sweet peas.

Walter Lochinski, of Detroit, brother of the bride, was best man.

Following the ceremony breakfast was served to about 25 guests at the Lochinski home. A reception was held in the evening.

Out-of-town guests included Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Derlo, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Janiszak, Sr. and Mrs. Walter Janiszak, Sylvestre and Adolph Dolney, all of Detroit, Edward Lochinski, of Saginaw, and Mr. and Mrs. William Tucholski, of Standish.

Mr. Buda is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stephan Lochinski, and Mr. Buda the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Buda, of South Van Buren.

Vision From Far East

Miss Agnes Abbott, featured here of Poona, India, who has spent the past 25 years in the Far East as the guest of Mrs. L. B. Richardson, a son of West Midland street. Miss Abbott has been the guest speaker at several meetings in Saginaw valley this past week.

Indian Women Advance * * *

American Woman Tells of Life In India

BY ALICE HYATT

Choosing books suitable for translation and reading by children in the far east is the life work of Miss Anna Agnes Abbott of Poona, India, who for the past week has been the guest of Mrs. L. B. Richardson at her home on West Midland street.

Miss Abbott who went to India on her first trip in 1901 to teach in a Bible school at Madura, returned to this country as an orphanage collector at the close of a famine. At present she has charge of the translation, publication and distribution of Christian literature for the All-India Literature committee of the Women’s Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal church.

Miss Abbott now is talking about Poona, where the temperature never reaches 100,000 and is really a college town. There are agriculture, law, medical, and arts colleges for both men and women there. The young people, especially the young men, have a great desire for knowledge, she said.

“They are not as advanced as they were yesterday but more and more are going to school each year. Education is compulsory in many districts for the grade schools and there is 500,000 and is really a college town. There are agriculture, law, medical, and arts colleges for both men and women there. The young people, especially the young men, have a great desire for knowledge, she said.”

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(b) 100,000
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Miss Abbott is enthusiastic about Poona, where the temperature never goes above 110 or below 40 degrees above.

"We have three seasons," she said. "The cold weather is in November, December, January, and February, which is followed by the hot season, April, May and June, when come the rains, which are heavy but with few severe storms. We are outside of the earthquake zone too."

"Poona has a population of about 15,000 people. The young men and women there. The young people, especially the young men, have a great desire for knowledge," she said.

"The girls are not as advanced but more and more are going to school each year. Education is compulsory in many districts for the grade schools and there is a great general movement toward removal of illiteracy and toward adult education."

One difficulty is lack of a universal language although most school classes are in English. English however will never become the language of the country she said. "There is a trend toward Hindi a derivative of sanskrit because a greater number of people speak that language. However because of the difference of religions, the Moslem and Hindus each wish in their own language, the problem is still unsettled."

Enforced widowhood.

"Enforced widowhood is still the law. Because of an ancient belief that a wife is responsible for the health of her husband, she is not allowed to remarry after his death. It might have been some sin in her life or even in a previous incarnation but the belief is still strong, even in the cases of child marriages when a girl has never lived with her husband."

"A widow if she has no children has no social position in the family. She is never allowed to wear jewelry or gaily colored clothes. If she has children one is a little better off because the mother is given a high place in the family."

"Women however are getting out of their homes more and although they do not go into business they are studying to be teachers, nurses and even doctors. With the new constitution which went into effect this month women were given the vote. One of the qualifications for voters, both men and women, is that they must be able to read and write."

At a meeting of the Bay City Woman's club Friday afternoon Miss Abbott spoke briefly on the work being done by Women's conferences in India.

"Women are discussing the type of education to be given girls," she said. They want girls to learn how to make homes and to care for their children. They have also raised the marriage age for girls to 21 years and boys 28, however when the bill went in an amendment was added making the parents pay a fine if they permitted early marriages, which of course failed to stop it.

"The women are also doing much for the reconstruction in the villages, to improve general living conditions."

Miss Abbott who will return to India soon, has only one more year before her retirement when she plans to return to the states to make her home in California.

TO MARRY MAY 15.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy E. Versy, 515 River, announce the engagement of their daughter, Anna Belle M., to Melvin R. Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wilson of North Van Buren street. The ceremony will take place May 15. Dr. S.

DR. S.

Dr. S. will return to his home among the members of his family for the wedding of his son.

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**Kappa Zeta Party Slated For May 21**

**Will Meet**

**A. A. W. Session Set**

**Senior Hadassah To Meet Tuesday**

Dr. S. Franklin Horowitz will be speaker.

Dr. S. Franklin Horowitz will address members of the Senior Hadassah at a meeting for which Mrs. Harry Alpert is opening her home at 305 Lafayette avenue, at 8 o'clock Tuesday evening. Dr. Horowitz's subject will be "At Home With the Newt." A social period will follow the address.

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NEW NEVINS CLUB

Members of the Nevins P.T.A. organized a new saving club in a meeting held last week. The organization will hold its first meeting at the school at 8 o'clock Tuesday evening, and will meet monthly thereafter to sew for the school.

Helen Ruth is chairman.

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MISSIONARY BLANK: REPORT OF FURLoughed Missionaries

**NAME:** Anna June Clifford

**Address:** 740 E. Rush street, Chicago (permanent)

**Date of Birth:** Year: 1873, Month: April, Day: 2, Date: 21

This report is primarily intended to cover the period since the last furlough. In case there has been no previous report the entire period of missionary service should be covered.

Describe fully all physical impairments—past or present. "Yes" or "No" does not describe.

**PERIOD covered by this health report:** 1901 - 1935

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1. **GENERAL:**
   1. Have you been your stations of work during this period and the time in each?
   2. Have you experienced any marked loss or gain in weight during this period?
   3. What habits have you followed as an exercise?
   4. What has been your custom as to sleep?
   5. Please give in detail your custom each year as to vacation, residence in some sanatorium, or health center. (State the places, time spent in each, and the results—amount of benefit derived.)

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8. Are you single, married, or widowed? If you have children, please give ages.

9. Has there been any severe illness, other than your own, or any death in your family during the past five years? If so, give details.

10. Have your living quarters been sanitary and satisfactory from a health standpoint? If not, explain why. Have they been partially or completely screen ed against flies and mosquitoes?

11. Approximately how much total disability have you suffered during this period, and what were the causes?

12. How much partial disability and causes?

13. According to your own judgment, what health disabilities have you at present?

II. NERVOUS SYSTEM:

1. Have you, during this period, suffered from nervousness? If so, give symptoms with severity and duration.

2. How much have you suffered from headaches, sleeplessness, dependency, irritability, weakness of memory, or of unusual mental force? If so, describe.

3. What protection from the sun and heat have you habitually observed?

4. During this period have you at any time been partially or completely overcome by heat? Describe.

8. Single

9. None

10. Yes

11. Fourth year, six months. Overwork due to head cold.


13. Answered in X - 3
III. HEART:
1. During this period have you had any signs of heart weakness? If so, give details.
2. At what altitudes above sea level have you lived? Describe any effect altitude has upon you.

IV. LUNGS:
1. During this period have you suffered from any definite infection of the throat or lungs?
2. Have you had a protruded cough, asthma, or hay fever? If so, give severity and duration.

V. STOMACH AND BOWELS:
1. Have you suffered any definite or marked symptoms of indigestion during this period? Describe.
2. Have you constantly been accustomed to one or more free evacuations of the bowels daily?
3. Have you at any time during this period suffered from diarrhea? If so, give date, severity and duration.
4. Have you had any disease involving the stomach or bowels? If so, describe.

VI. VISION, HEARING, ETC.:
1. Is your vision satisfactory? Are you using glasses? If so, when were they last fitted and are you planning to have them refitted soon?
2. Is there any defect of hearing or disease of the ears which you wish to have considered?

VII. KIDNEYS:
1. Have you had any kidney or urinary disturbance during this period? If so, describe.

VIII. MENSTRUAL:
1. During this period have your menses been the same as before?
2. Has there been any increase or diminution in the symptoms? If so, describe.
IX. SKIN:
1. Have you suffered from any skin disease or rash during the period? If so, describe.

2. Have you varicose veins?

3. Have you had any swellings or glandular enlargements?

X. MISCELLANEOUS:
1. During this period have you suffered from small pox, rheumatism, malaria, or influenza? If so, give date, severity and duration.

2. Have you, during this period, had any diseases not included in the preceding questions?

3. Have you had any operations? If so, when, for what, and by whom?

4. Have you had any injury or accident during this period? If so, describe.

5. Please give a summary of your health condition, as you see it.
IN MEMORIAM

Anna Agnes Abbott

Miss Anna Agnes Abbott, age 86, retired missionary to India, passed away May 4, 1960 at Kingsley Manor, a Methodist Home in Los Angeles, California.

Born in Payson, Illinois, August 21, 1873, she was graduated from the Lucy Rider Meyer Deaconess Training School in Chicago in 1899, attended Chicago University and Biblical Seminary, receiving her A.B. degree from Albion College in 1920.

Prior to leaving for the mission field Miss Abbott taught school for two years, and served as a deaconess in Chicago for five and one half years. She sailed for India in 1900 under the auspices of the Northwestern Branch of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society, serving in Mittra, Godhra, Bombay, Basin, Puntamba, and Poona. During her years of service her work was varied and included both educational and evangelistic work. Her physical resources gave way at one time and she was invalided home and spent practically five years in Clifton Springs Hospital. She returned to India and took up her work again. Because of the difficulty of finding someone able to carry on her work, she remained on the field until she was 74 years of age. She officially retired in September 1949, making her home in California.

Probably her greatest contribution on the field was the preparation, producing, and distributing of Marathi literature. She published a comprehensive bibliography of reading material, and translated and published more books to
supply the lack of certain subject materials, as she had discovered the need
in her contacts with schools and the people of the churches. She was a valuable
member of the All India Literature Committee, sharing her knowledge of needs
with members of other language areas.

During her retirement Miss Abbott maintained her devotion to the
work which had occupied her mind and heart for a long life of service to the
church in India.

In Laura Austin's words - "The good she did lives after her."
IN MEMORIAM

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Miss Abbott during her retirement had continued her interest in the church at home and overseas.
in that Miss Abbott did much in the way of translating and publishing for other groups also.

Because of the difficulty of finding someone able to carry on this particular work, Miss Abbott remained on the field a longer period of time, leaving in June 1917, after a final term of ten years. She was 74 years of age at the time of her departure. Her official retirement was September 1, 1917. At the time of retirement she had served the church, including her work as a Deaconess in Chicago, for fifty-four years.

Never one to relax, Miss Abbott has continued to work and be interested in the church at home and overseas. Since retiring, she has made her home in California and since the fall of 1941 has been a resident of Pacific Home in Los Angeles.
MISS ANNA AGNES ABBOTT

Miss Anna Agnes Abbott was born in Payson, Illinois, August 21, 1873.

She graduated from the Chicago Training School having attended in 1895-1896 and 1896-1897. In 1900 she studied at Chicago University, returning there again for one term in 1926. For two and one-half years she attended Biblical Seminary, 1915-1916. She received her A.B. degree from Elgin College where she studied in 1919-1920. In 1922 she spent one semester at Boston University during her tour.

Before leaving for the mission field she taught school for two years and served as a co-secretary in Chicago for five and one-half years.

She went to India in 1906 under the auspices of the Northwestern branch of the Society for the Foreign Missionary Society. She began her work as co-secretary in 1901. During her years of service her work was varied and included both educational and evangelistic work, serving as Conference Treasurer, and literature work. The latter consisted not only in preparing and producing Zeraihi literature but in distributing it as well. It was interdenominational in character.
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