

Regional Meeting of the Children's Concert Committee was held there on February 13th, at which time Mrs Woodhouse of the R.F. School of Design spoke on the relation of art and music before the teachers of those subjects in our local schools.

The celebration of Children's Book Week last November was the occasion of a talk on Louisa May Alcott given by Mrs Marjorie Gifford of Duxbury. During National Library Week in April, Mrs Dexter, our Librarian, arranged several book exhibits in nearby schools; and a lecture on Russia was given at the Library by Mrs John H. Wells of Providence, on which occasion Mr. Wells showed a series of exceptional pictures taken during their travels in Russia last summer. It is pleasant to note that Mrs Gifford's fee for her lecture was largely covered by the gift of \$40.00 from an anonymous donor, and that Mr. and Mrs Wells graciously refused to accept any fee at all.

Mrs Dexter, under the auspices of our Executive Committee, has completed two semesters in the library science extension course given by the University of Rhode Island - one of which semesters was taught by Mr. Moore, our President. In order to cover library hours during Mrs Dexter's attendance at these courses the hours from 6 to 8 on Wednesday evening were taken over by Mrs Charles A. Scott, Jr. and other volunteers during the first semester and by Mrs Carlton Calderara and Mrs Wight Wright during the second.

Meanwhile, the cataloguing of the Library's fiction undertaken by Mr. Moore has been completed by him with the assistance of Mrs Baker, Mrs Cronhimer, and other volunteers. The analytical cataloguing of the Library's books on science, headed by Mrs Stillwell and carried on with the volunteer service of Miss Allan and Mrs Cronhimer, has also been completed. The non-fiction books, those shelved in the Lower Study, yet remain to be done. The exciting gift of the sum of