



# WILMETTE LIFE



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## PROVIDE FUNDS TO LANDSCAPE PLANT ENVIRONS

### Village Board, Minus President Dubbs, Attends to a Variety of Business

The Village board held its regular session Tuesday evening, just managing to squeeze in a quorum. President C. P. Dubbs, Trustees Harry C. Kinne, and W. C. Farrar being absent.

Trustee Arthur Lee was made president pro tem during the absence of President Dubbs.

An appropriation of \$1,500 from waterworks funds was made for landscaping the grounds at the waterworks, including plants and labor. Other extras or changes amounted to \$1,100.

The Chicago Federation of Aged and Adult Charities was given a permit for its annual tag day Monday, May 7.

#### Settle Damage Claim

Mrs. A. M. Lauerman, 832 Ridge road, was awarded \$50 in settlement for claim for damage to her property by overflow of the Village water tank.

Howard J. Garner was voted a permit to operate his practice golf course at Lake avenue and Hibbard road, provided he removes advertising signs from his shack.

The battle of the century was staged by Trustee S. N. Tideman and Charles A. Lundberg, 1010 Elmwood avenue, representing the Wadford Electric company, electrical contractors on the waterworks job. Too great a difference in weight carried victory to the trustee. Observers thought it much ado about a matter of \$50 or so.

Village Manager C. M. Osborn reported that for the week ending March 15, the Village employed 225 CWA men, who worked a total of 5,503 man hours, the payroll being \$3,511.11. This brought up the subject of relief work, Mr. Osborn stating that all CWA work is to cease on March 31. Thereafter the activities will be under the Federal Relief commission, and the setup will

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## Church Announces Its Services in Holy Week

Holy week services in the Church of the Holy Comforter in Kenilworth, of which the Rev. Leland H. Danforth is rector, are announced as follows:

**Palm Sunday, March 25**  
Confirmation, with the Rt. Rev. George Craig Stewart, preacher. Service at 11 a. m.

**Maundy Thursday, March 29**  
Holy Communion at 10:30 a. m.

**Good Friday, March 30**  
Three-hour service, 12 to 3 p. m. "The Cries from the Cross"—the Seven Sayings of Our Suffering Saviour; service of examination and preparation for the Holy Communion on Easter Day, 8 p. m.

**Easter Even, March 31**  
Baptisms by appointment.

**Easter Day, April 1**  
Holy Communion, 8 a. m.; Church school service, 9:45 a. m.; Holy Communion with special music and sermon, 11 a. m.

## Liquor Question to Be Discussed by Civic League

"The Liquor Question as it Affects North Shore Suburbs," will be the subject discussed by Mayor Charles H. Bartlett of Evanston, principal speaker at the luncheon meeting of Wilmette Civic league to be held in the Mission room, Marshall Field and company's State street store, Friday, March 23, at 12:15 o'clock.

The meeting will be open to all residents of the north shore. Herman T. Reiling, State 6246, will take reservations.

Official representatives of the different villages expected to be present are: President Auguste C. Babize, Glencoe; President William B. Moulton, Winnetka; President Harry P. Harrison, Kenilworth, and Trustee Harry C. Kinne, Wilmette. Village Attorney Willis D. Nance of Wilmette, will handle the question as it bears upon areas in New Trier township outside of the incorporated villages.

## TAX PAYMENTS REACH \$750,000

Get About One-Half of Last Year's  
Total Collection; Keeps Books Week  
Longer

Due to the fact that the payment of the 1932 taxes now in course of collection have been coming in so slowly, Collector Sanborn Hale announces that the time which he may retain the books for collection has been extended from March 21 to March 27.

But, he warns, March 27 will be the last date on which the taxpayers of New Trier township may pay their taxes locally.

The collector again reminds that by paying taxes locally taxpayers are aiding the local taxing bodies, who will thus receive their share of the money without the delay occasioned when it must go through the hands of the county collector.

At the close of business Tuesday evening Mr. Hale reported that he had collected only a little over \$750,000, whereas, the total collection last year was \$1,400,000.

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## Organize for Campaign to Keep Out "Saloons"

### Few Tickets Available For Tibbett Recital

Some tickets are available for the concert by Lawrence Tibbett Thursday evening, March 29, under auspices of the Artist-Recital committee of the Winnetka Music club in the auditorium of New Trier High school. Wide publicity has been given the concert in Chicago. In consequence the committee advises those wishing to hear this famous artist to obtain their tickets in advance of the recital and not wait to purchase them at the door the night of March 29. The tickets are on sale now! By March 29, none may be procurable! Call Mrs. Roland D. Whitman, Winnetka 243, or Mrs. Bessie M. Grant at the State Bank of Winnetka, Winnetka 10.

## Hold Next Union Lenten Services at Cong'l Church

The community union Lenten service Sunday evening, March 25, at 7:30 o'clock will be held in the First Congregational church, Lake and Wilmette avenues. The Rev. John G. Hindley, minister of the church, will preach the sermon, taking the subject, "The Arrested King."

Five churches cooperating in this Palm Sunday observance include the Wilmette Baptist, First Congregational, First Presbyterian, St. Augustine's Episcopal, and Wilmette English Lutheran.

Music will be furnished by the Congregational church choir under the direction of Emily Roberts, with Carman Learn, baritone, and Robert Brown, violinist, as soloists. The complete musical program follows: Organ Prelude: "Largo" from the New World Symphony, Dvorak; Anthem: "A New Heaven and a New Earth," Gaul.

Mr. Learn and Choir  
Offertory: "Adagio Pathetique" Godard  
Violin solo by Mr. Brown  
Organ Postlude: "Allegro" from Fourth Concerto, Handel

The same churches will join in a three-hour service to be held Good Friday, March 30, from 12 to 3 o'clock in St. Augustine's Episcopal church.

## Miss Lillian Picken to Speak at Church Tonight

Miss Lillian Picken, noted colleague of Stanley Jones, and a speaker in popular demand, will visit Wilmette tonight (Thursday). She will speak following the Lenten dinner at the First Congregational church, Wilmette and Lake avenues. Her address on "Spiritual Adventuring" will be given at 7:30, and the public is welcome at both the dinner and the lecture. "This is an opportunity to meet and hear this outstanding world leader whose message never fails to inspire her audience and whose personality is magnetic with religious passion and fire," reads an announcement from the church offices.

## Citizens Take Steps to Bring Overwhelming Vote Against Liquor Sales in Village

A mass meeting sponsored by the Wilmette Home Owners' association was held in the Village hall Monday evening, the stated purpose being to organize aggressive campaign to keep saloons out of Wilmette. Those present revealed an aroused enthusiasm in this effort to protect the village against that which some speakers termed the first real threat against the best interests of the community since pre-prohibition days.

Robert E. Ricksen, president of the association, presided. After stating the purpose of the meeting he threw it open and called for suggestions as to ways and means that would insure victory in the election. Responding to his invitation were: Clinton B. Cochran, Village trustee; 1605 Walnut avenue; Paul A. Hoffman, 1638 Washington avenue; Lemuel F. Owen, 725 Greenwood avenue; Dr. Hubert Carleton, rector of St. Augustine's Episcopal church, 1103 Forest avenue; Paul C. Lang, 933 Ashland avenue; W. H. Shellman, 727 Elmwood avenue, Thomas H. West, 723 Ashland avenue, and others.

#### Proposes First Voters Group

Miss Jean Duncan-Clark, 228 Wood court, suggested that an organization of boy and girl first voters be formed, asserting that many young people of the village are intensely interested in guarding the village against an agency that would despoil its cultural and moral tone.

Mrs. Fred M. Clarke, 931 Oakwood avenue, suggested that the precinct and block organization so efficiently employed in the Community Chest drives be enlisted in the campaign.

#### Find Ballot Confusing

The consensus seemed to be that the greatest danger to victory is contained in the confusing manner in which the proposition is worded. In this connection the point was repeatedly stressed that every method

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## Dasch Will Be Guest Conductor of Symphony

George Dasch, director of the Little Symphony orchestra of Chicago, has accepted an invitation to be guest conductor of the North Shore Symphony orchestra at its spring concert on May 14. A dinner in honor of Mr. Dasch will be given at Community House Thursday night of this week preceding the regular weekly rehearsal of the orchestra. The noted director will come to Winnetka for several rehearsals prior to the spring concert.

#### CONFIRMATION SERVICE

A Confirmation service will be held at the Wilmette English Lutheran church Palm Sunday morning, March 25, at 11 o'clock. The Rev. David R. Kabele, pastor of the church, will have charge of the observances.