

IN MAIL SERVICE
May 21st, 1910.
Leaves at 7:54 A. M.
Going South.
Leaves at 9:53 A. M.
Going North.
Leaves at 7:54 A. M.
From the North.
6:57 a. m.
1:05 p. m.
3:18 p. m.
6:12 p. m.

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low tax rate means failure. If the city is not adequately policed. The highest tax rate is low if thereby the death rate is reduced and the moral and culture advantages of the city are properly maintained. The business of the city council is not primarily to reduce taxes, or to avoid what from the standpoint of pure "business" would be called "useless expenditure"; its business is to provide the most wholesome civic conditions that the city can afford.

3rd Keeping Out Of Debt.

Limitations of expenditure is not of itself an adequate test. An administration is not to be condemned because it proposes to raise \$50,000 by bonds. The question is—how is the money to be used? What will be the benefit to the public? What immediate need does it meet, what future need will it serve? An administration is to be judged by its ability to provide for immediate needs with discretion, and for future needs with foresight. Temporary indebtedness may only mean that wise provision is being made for the future.

4th. Party Service.

As long as we have government by party we will be in danger of having partisan government, and party supporters will be likely to test the efficiency of an administration by its ability to keep its campaign promises, find fat jobs for its supporters, or give legislation that will enhance the power of the party or class represented. But any administration that is by partisan is by so much betraying its trust, unworthy of confidence, corrupt and inefficient.

When we have said all this in respect to what does not constitute administrative efficiency, we find ourselves drawing near to the side of the World's Emancipator—by Him who made service the test of character—by Him who said "by their fruits ye shall know them". Here we have an adequate and universal test as applicable to the administration of public office as of private position.

The Test of Service is Final.

Who shall establish such a test? Who Can? Who, save those who avow themselves disciples of the Divine Master? Who can we expect will attempt if they do not? If they will not get next to the mud of daily life, and practical problems and live out their discipleship what can we expect. What? Two things, (1st.) God will by the lips of a needy humanity, spue the whole body of pious babblers out of his mouth and pronounce their curse, and (2nd.) He will raise up for himself a people who "WILL TO SERVE their brethren, who as true disciples WILL TO LIVE AS BROTHERS toward all men, and unto these he will give the kingdom of divine Sonship.

First Baptist Church, Highland Park. E. LE ROY DAKIN, PASTOR.

Highland Park NEWS

North Shore Women Give Entertainment.

A group of North Shore women gave an entertainment at the Moraine hotel last Tuesday afternoon for the benefit of the Illinois Industrial School for Girls. Bridge was played. The patronesses were Mrs. W. A. Alexander, Mrs. W. H. Baldwin, Mrs. E. A. Bourne, Mrs. R. K. Buckman, Jr., Mrs. G. H. Campbell, Mrs. W. E. Carr, Mrs. G. B. Carpenter, Mrs. N. Corwith, Mrs. J. F. L. Curtis, Mrs. W. C. Egan, Mrs. H. D. Faxon, Mrs. S. M. Hastings, Mrs. H. H. Hitchcock, Mrs. F. B. Hussey, Mrs. C. N. Kimball, Mrs. W. J. Louderback, Mrs. Alfred Marshall, Mrs. G. A. Mason, Mrs. F. R. McMullin, Mrs. C. Moseley, Mrs. F. R. Partridge, Mrs. R. F. Peyton, Jr., Mrs. E. B. Pierce, Mrs. J. W. Prindville, Mrs. M. E. Sampson, Mrs. S. Slade, Mrs. F. M. Steele, Mrs. F. C. Sidley, Mrs. J. P. Smith, Mrs. Clara R. Smith, Mrs. D. L. Upton, Mrs. F. L. Wean, Mrs. P. L. Wickes, Jr., Mrs. F. W. Willis, Mrs. C. C. Yoe, Miss A. M. Everett and Miss C. Yoe.

Mrs. James Lane Allen who has been a guest of Mrs. George Campbell for the past ten days is in Chicago for a few days prior to her return to New York.

A lecture will be given on Saturday evening at 8 o'clock at the Presbyterian church, under the auspices of the "P. J. C's". The proceeds to be given to the Allen Dale farm.

MOTHERS DAY IS MAY 8

Governor's Proclamation Urges Its Observance Throughout State

SPRINGFIELD, ILL., April 26.—Governor Deneen to-day issued a proclamation designating Sunday, May 8, as Mother's Day. The proclamation suggests that the day observed to revive the memories associated with the home of ones childhood and to express an appreciation of the power for good which the world is everywhere indebted to mothers' influence. The proclamation concluded: "It is all together fitting that a day should be devoted to the public recognition of the debt of gratitude which we owe to that influence, and I earnestly urge that the citizens of Illinois observe Sunday, May 8, as Mothers Day."

FOUND DEAD IN HIS BED

Death Overtakes John Bullock

John Bullock, well known man about town, with relatives in Highland Park and Racine, was found dead Thursday night at his rooming place on Market street in Waukegan, when friends went to his room to give him medicine. He is the brother of Mrs. C. Ives of Highland Park and the uncle of Robert Ives of Ives and Robertson of this city.

He had been a great sufferer from asthma. The inquest was held Friday.

LEGAL NOTICES.

BOARD OF LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS OF THE CITY OF HIGHLAND PARK.

NOTICE OF AWARDING CONTRACT.

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested, that the bids for the grading, draining, paving with macadam and otherwise improving of Waverly Street in the City of Highland Park from its westerly intersection with Sheridan Road, northerly, easterly and southerly to its easterly intersection with said Sheridan Road were opened on the Twenty first day of April A. D. 1910, and Schmidt Construction Co., being the lowest responsible bidder, the contract was awarded to said Schmidt Construction Co., on the Twenty first day of April, A. D. 1910. Said bid is for the work as a whole and is as follows:

Table with columns: QUANTITY (approximated), AMOUNT. Includes items like excavating and grading, drain tile, sewer pipe, catch basins, macadam, sod edge, sewer pipe culvert, sewer to take up and relay, lowering of manholes.

Total \$8873.40. The owners of a majority of the frontage of the lots and lands upon said Waverly Street wherein said work is to be done may, within ten days from the

date hereof, elect to take said work and enter into a written contract to do said work at ten per centum less than the price at which the same has been awarded

WILLIAM M. DOOLEY, JAMES H. SHIELDS, HERMAN DENZEL, Board of Local Improvements.

BOARD OF LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS OF THE CITY OF HIGHLAND PARK.

NOTICE OF AWARDING CONTRACT.

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested, that the bids for the furnishing of all labor, tools and materials necessary for the construction of a sewer in Orchard Street, from the center line of St. Johns avenue to a point seven hundred feet westerly of the westerly line of St. Johns avenue, together with manholes, flushing connection and house junctions in the City of Highland Park, County of Lake and State of Illinois, were opened on the Twenty first day of April, A. D. 1910, and P. F. Cawley being the lowest responsible bidder, the contract was awarded to said P. F. Cawley on the Twenty first day of April, A. D. 1910. Said bid is for the work as a whole and is as follows:

Table with columns: QUANTITY (approximated), AMOUNT. Includes items like sewer laid complete, manholes, flushing connection.

Total \$413.00. The owners of a majority of the frontage of the lots and lands upon said Orchard Street wherein said work is to be done may, within ten days from the date hereof, elect to take said work and enter into a written contract to do said work at ten per centum less than the price at which the same has been awarded.

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NOTICE OF AWARDING CONTRACT.

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested, that the bids for the construction of a reinforced concrete bridge over the ravine crossing Waverly Street at a point eleven hundred forty-five (1145) feet easterly of the westerly intersection of said Waverly Street with Sheridan Road in the City of Highland Park, were opened on the twenty-first day of April A. D. 1910, and John O'Brien being the lowest responsible bidder, the contract was awarded to said John O'Brien on the twenty-fifth day of April, A. D. 1910. Said bid is for the work as a whole and is as follows:

Table with columns: QUANTITY (approximated), AMOUNT. Includes items like labor, materials, reinforced concrete bridge, handrail, concrete foundation.

For each additional cubic yard of concrete placed in the foundation and not shown on the plan, including all the additional excavation, refilling and forming per cu. yd. 14 00

For additional cubic yards of concrete placed in the superstructure not shown on the plan including all the necessary labor and forming. 18 00

For all extra reinforcing steel per ton 50 00

The owners of a majority of the frontage of the lots and lands upon said Waverly Street wherein said work is to be done may, within ten days from the date hereof, elect to take said work and enter into a written contract to do said work at ten per centum less than the price at which the same has been awarded

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NOTICE OF AWARDING CONTRACT.

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested, that the bids for the grading, draining, curbing, paving with macadam and otherwise improving of St. John's avenue in the City of Highland Park, from the northerly line of Lincoln avenue northerly to the southerly line of Sheridan Road, were opened on the twenty-first day of April A. D. 1910, and James Cape and Sons being the lowest responsible bidder, the contract was awarded to said James Cape and Sons on the twenty-first day of April, A. D. 1910. Said bid is for the work as a whole and is as follows:

Table with columns: QUANTITIES (approximated), AMOUNT. Includes items like excavating and grading, drain tile, sewer pipe, catch basins, macadam, concrete curbing.

Total \$5,154.92. The owners of a majority of the frontage of the lots and lands upon said St. Johns avenue wherein said work is to be done may, within ten days from the date hereof, elect to take said work and enter into a written contract to do said work at ten per centum less than the price at which the same has been awarded.

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NOTICE OF AWARDING CONTRACT.

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested, that the bids for the furnishing of all labor, tools and materials necessary for the construction of a four inch internal diameter cast iron lateral main water supply pipe together with fire hydrant shut off valves and special castings to be constructed and laid along and under Orchard Street in the City of Highland Park, from and connecting with the water main in St. Johns avenue thence westerly along said Orchard Street for a distance of seven hundred thirty-five feet were opened on the Twenty first day of April A. D. 1910, and Douglas McNeill being the lowest responsible bidder, the contract was awarded to said Douglas McNeill on the Twenty first day of April, A. D. 1910. Said bid is for the work as a whole and is as follows:

Table with columns: QUANTITIES (Approximated), AMOUNT. Includes items like cast iron water pipe, fire hydrant, Eddy Valve and box, special castings, Casket, Lead, Cartage.

Total \$524.00. The owners of a majority of the frontage of the lots and lands upon said Orchard Street wherein said work is to be done may, within ten days from the date hereof, elect to take said work and enter into a written contract to do said work at ten per centum less than the price at which the same has been awarded.

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SPECIAL ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

Special Assessment No. 156.

Public Notice is hereby given that the County Court of Lake County, Illinois, has rendered judgment for a Special Assessment upon property benefited by the following improvement:

The defining land of purification system N. Park, as shown on the certified copy of the map filed in my office; that the warrant for collection of such assessment is in the hands of the undersigned. All persons interested are hereby notified to appear and pay the amount assessed at the collector's office, 105 West Central Ave., Highland Park, Illinois, within thirty days from the date hereof.

T. M. DOOLEY, City Collector.

ILLINOIS.

Chicago.—As the result of a furious cyclone which swept over part of Illinois several towns were partially wrecked, many persons injured and huge damage caused among the crops of the central part of the state. The worst disaster of the tempest occurred at Xenia. Although the windstorm lasted but 30 seconds, it practically leveled the entire residence section of the town. Several houses were blown from their sites onto the prairie. A cloudburst followed the cyclone. At Pana the cyclone hit the place without warning, and left a wreckage behind it. Houses were destroyed and trees uprooted. The wire service is demolished. The trees are heavy.

Murphy.—Murphy Mohlenbrock, mayor of Campbell Hill, Ill., mill owner, real estate man and Republican politician, came to Murphysboro a few nights ago and dropped his wallet containing \$25,000 in money and negotiable papers. Frank Will, a youth employed by the Mobile & Ohio railroad as coach cleaner, found the wallet and restored it to Mohlenbrock. Mohlenbrock had walked from the train to a hotel, nearly a mile distant, and had not missed the wallet, when Will called him up by phone and notified him of finding it in a car. Mohlenbrock was frightened by the explosion of a giant cracker, placed near him in a marsh near Madison, Mo., near Dixon, 14 years old, of St. Louis, fell into the lake and was drowned. The boy and his two brothers had been given permission to go to the public grounds in order to escape possible injuries in St. Louis by reckless celebrations.

Clinton.—The opening statements were made in the Snell will case and the examination of witnesses begun. The attorney for Richard Snell, who seeks to break the will, made the alleged insanity of the testator, Col. Thomas Snell, the principal feature of his argument and cited the accumulation of \$200,000 in worthless securities in the last years of his life.

Maywood.—Seventeen tramps who were arrested on the Northwestern tracks were put to work mowing the lawn of the Congregational church. There has been so many tramps in the village recently that Marshal Kempthorne and Rev. Mr. Barker, pastor of the church, hit upon this plan to make the community unpopular with the homeless fraternity.

Sandwich.—The body of Mrs. Agnes Beveridge Patten, mother of James A. Patten, was brought to Sandwich for interment. A prayer service was held early in the morning at the home of the Rev. George Whiteside of the First United Presbyterian church, Evanston, who went to Sandwich and officiated at the funeral.

NEGRO MURDERER IS SHOT

Bloodhounds and Possie Chase Condemned. Man in Virginia Woods After He Escapes Jail. Norfolk, Va., April 7.—Thomas Noel, negro, who escaped from the Norfolk county jail March 30, was fatally shot in Drummond's woods on the outskirts of Norfolk after being chased 24 hours by a posse with bloodhounds. He is dying. The murderer of Deputy Sheriff Sykes was hanged to him.

Her Your Chewing Gum.

New York, Mar. 16.—One-fourth of the population of British Honduras spends its life obtaining and exporting material for the chewing gum which Americans consume year after year, according to J. R. Boatman, an export porter from Honduras who is in New York. He is a well-known Brooklyn physician and cousin of Dr. Manuel Amador, first president of the republic of Panama, and is now in Brooklyn, N. Y., as 53 years old.