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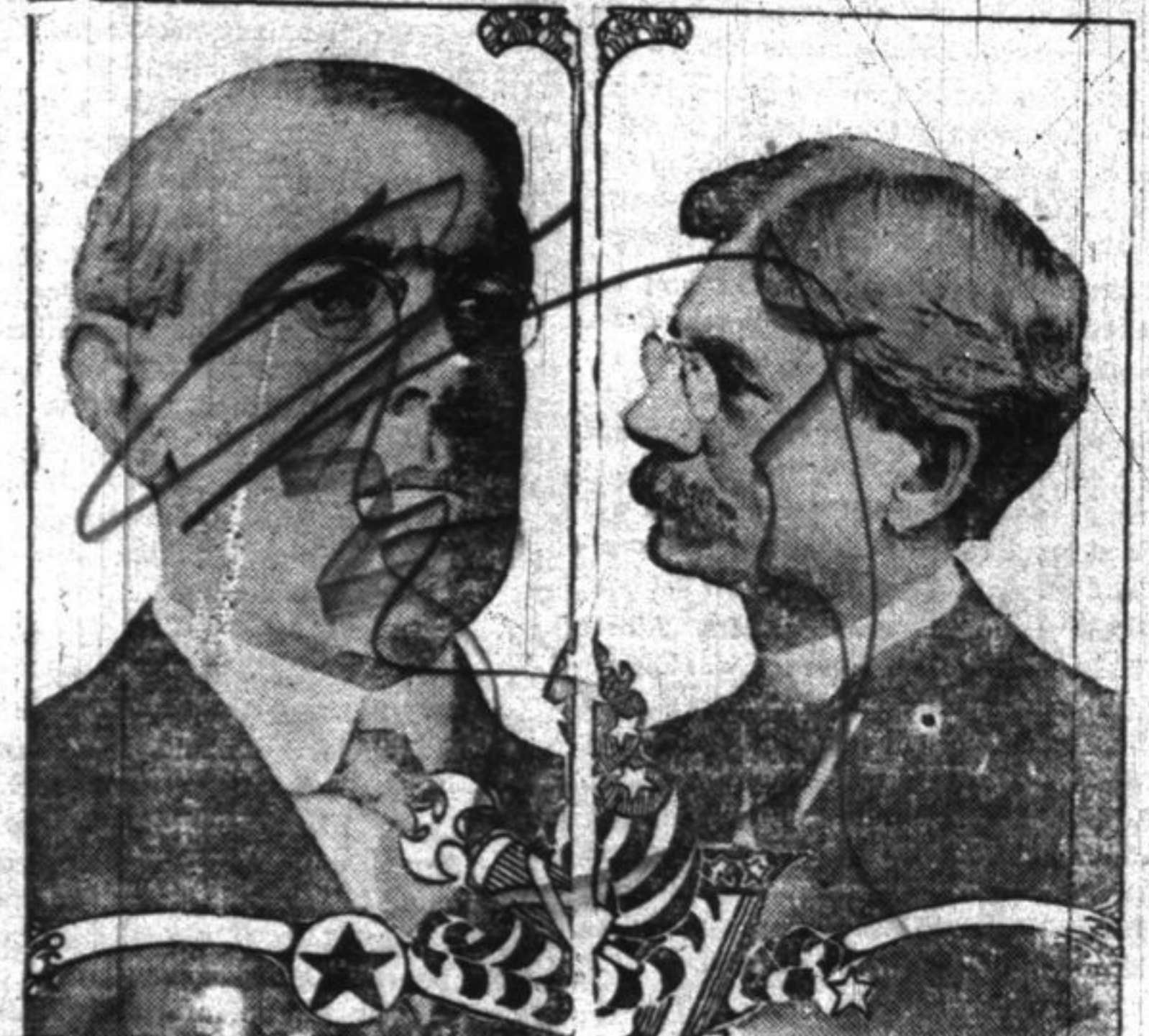
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WOODROW WILSON Elected President of United States by Great Landslide.	THOMAS R. MATHIAS Democratic Candidate is Elected Vice President.
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NEARBY NEWS ITEMS OF LOCAL INTEREST

INSULL ADDS 600 ACRES TO HIS FARM

Evanston to Vote on Filtration Plant. Lake Bluff Plans Park. Other News

Building a Good Road
The Lake Geneva Good Roads Association, which is building a good boulevard twenty-two miles long around Geneva lake, has purchased a 120-horse power auto truck, costing \$5,800, for the purpose of hauling gravel and crushed rock for this road. This truck has a capacity of seven yards, but the usual load is about five yards. With a load of five yards it makes twelve miles an hour up and down the hills around the lake.

Samuel Insull Adds to Farm
In addition to the big sales of Milwaukee Road farm lands reported last week, it also develops that, during the past several days, Samuel Insull has added land to his place. He has recently acquired the Peterson farm of 180 acres; Treptow farm of 150 acres; Follette farm of about 150 acres; "Shorty" Miller place, of 120 acres.

In his purchase of the four farms Mr. Insull has acquired the biggest acreage of any Lake County man. The farms added to his already large place, bring his total acreage to over 2,500. He has no other announced plans than merely having a beautiful county place.

Lake Bluff Plans Park

In connection with extensive park plans in the village of Lake Bluff overlooking the Northwestern tracks railroad station and the electric park subway on the main road, it is stated on good authority that Stanley Field of Chicago, one of the wealthy summer people living at Lake Bluff, has agreed to stand one-half the expense of the proposed improvements.

Sues Former Newspaper Men

Wilbur Glenn Voliva, overseer of Zion City, Joseph H. Dewey, one of Voliva's lieutenants, Frank H. Just, former editor and owner of the Waukegan Sun and George C. Bastion, former city editor of the Sun, have been made defendants in a \$50,000.00 damage suit which was brought in the Circuit Court Saturday, Nov. 2, by Cecil Miller, son of Acting Mayor Wm. F. Miller of Zion City. Under the caption "Posed as Friend, Stole Wife of His Benefactor," an article was published in the Waukegan Sun on the 14th day of November last, charging C. C. Miller with having wrecked two young lives. This article is the basis of the suit.

Will Vote on Filtration Plant

In one of the most spirited sessions ever held by the Evanston city council the water filtration plant ordinance was passed last week by a vote of 9 to 3. By its passage it will be placed before the people of the city on Dec. 16 to decide whether or not a bond issue of \$180,000 shall be appropriated for the erection of the plant.

Nearby Locals

Lake Forest has let the contract for paving and otherwise improving Green Bay Road from Deerpath Avenue to the north limits of the city. The material used will be bitumen on concrete and the total cost about \$13,000.

Lake Bluff Orphanage profited \$1000 the recent tag day in Chicago, the Lake County institution being one of the charities to which the fund was devoted.

The county line road, from Barrington west to the McHenry line is to be repaired and the work on this improvement is to be started at once.

Because the lowest bid submitted is nearly \$14,000 in excess of the amount available for the construction of the new post office in Waukegan, the treasury department faces the necessity of securing alternate bids from the contractors. Many changes will be necessary to reduce the cost.

LAKE COUNTY DIRECTORY MEN HERE

Canvassers Getting Names of Local Residents for Eighth Edition

F. K. Bumstead, manager for Bumstead and Co. publishers, is in Highland Park superintending the work of securing names for the local section of the eighth edition of the Lake County Directory. Persons missed by the canvassers are requested to send names and addresses to this office and Mr. Bumstead states that the names of officers and places and time of meeting of local societies will be inserted free if they are mailed to him at once. The city as well as the county needs the new directory and every citizen should assist the publishers in every way possible.

ORGANIZE LOCAL AID AND RELIEF SOCIETY

WILL COMMENCE WORK IMMEDIATELY

Representatives of Church and Other Societies meet at W. J. Fyffe Residence

The officers and executive committee of the Highland Park Relief and Aid Society, which was organized last week at a meeting of representatives from local church and other societies held at the residence of Mrs. W. J. Fyffe, met again Saturday evening and perfected plans for immediate action by the society. Every member of the community will be asked to aid in this work. The membership fee is one dollar and a circular will be sent to every resident, describing the plan and asking cooperation.

There will be no red tape in granting relief. The committeemen of the different wards are authorized to give immediate aid up to a certain amount without consulting any officer of the society. Bills will be paid only when audited by Mrs. Fyffe, chairman of the executive committee, or by her assistant, Mrs. Bournaque.

The society will be glad to receive clothing, bedding, food and other necessities. Space in the basement of the new Sunday school building of Trinity Episcopal church has been set aside as a storeroom for the society. All churches, clubs and other organizations in the city are asked to help in a work which appeals at once to the sympathy and generosity of all good citizens.

The following persons attended the first meeting: Mrs. Bastain, representing the Lincoln School; Jesse L. Smith, the Elm Place school; Henry Staehling and Earl W. Gsell, the Young Men's Club; Dennis Kelly, the Catholic church; Mrs. George A. Mason, the Episcopal church; Mrs. W. D. Fyffe, the Ossoli Club; Mrs. A. L. Drum, the Presbyterian church; Mrs. Ira J. Geer, the Young Woman's Christian Association; Mr. R. L. Sandwick, the Deerfield-Shields High school; Dr. Ingalls and Dr. Sheldon.

Mrs. Fyffe stated the need of a relief and aid society in Highland Park and described the work done by the Ossoli Club last winter. A general discussion of ways and means followed. Thereupon the Highland Park Relief and Aid Society was organized with the following officers: George A. Mason, president; Earl W. Gsell, vice president; John C. Duffy, secretary and treasurer; executive committee, first ward, Mrs. Frederick Mains, Mrs. J. G. Hicks; second ward, Mrs. Eugene A. Bournaque, Mrs. Maud H. Shannon; third ward, Mrs. H. C. Miller, Mrs. W. J. Fyffe; fourth ward, Mrs. F. S. Munro, Mrs. William Noerenberg; members of the committee at large, Mrs. O. L. Oleson, Mrs. Howard W. Wrenn; advisory committee, Dr. Ingalls, Dr. Sheldon.

DEATH OF MRS. CHAS. H. WARREN

Passed Away This Morning After Six Month's Illness

The death of Mrs. Charles H. Warren occurred this morning at twelve twenty-five o'clock after an illness lasting over a period of six months. Funeral services will be held from the family residence on West Central Avenue tomorrow, Friday, afternoon at one forty-five, interment being in Rose Hill. Rev. A. Freeman Anderson of Chicago will preach the funeral sermon. As this notice reaches us at press time a complete obituary of the deceased, who was one of the city's best known workers in church, charitable and other organizations, is postponed until next week.

STEVENS WINS SUIT AGAINST CAREY

Court Decides Against Man Accused of Illegally Holding Property

In the case of R. W. Stevens against Wilson Carey, accused of illegally holding the property on S. Green Bay Road on which he has been living, the jury in the Circuit Court last week decided against the defendant. In 1908 Mr. Carey leased the property at a rental of \$10 per month. Soon after Stevens gained title to the premises in April, 1911, in company with his son he went to the farm to eject Carey and other tenants of the premises but Carey refused to move. The case was first heard in a local justice court and later Mr. Stevens brought civil suit.

Civil warfare broke out in Zion City again Friday night, when a large band of independents, armed with hatchets and hammers with which they were demolishing a sign board on Sheridan Road, were fired upon by a number of Voliva's followers, as a result of which two men were injured.

DEERFIELD TOWNSHIP AND LAKE COUNTY PROGRESSIVE

MUNRO HIGH MAN FOR REPRESENTATIVE. THOMSON BEATS FOSS

Three Precincts Give Roosevelt More Votes than Other Candidates Combined and Lake County Does the Same. Detailed Result in Township, County and District

Lake County is Progressive by an overwhelming majority and in the landslide for Roosevelt here Congressman Foss has met defeat at the hands of Charles M. Thomson, Progressive, who is given a plurality of 3892 votes, Foss running ahead of Fowler, Democrat by about 1000. F. S. Munro, Progressive candidate for Representative from the 8th district is high man with a total of 18,243, Graham, Democrat being second with 14,239 and Shurtleff with 13,970 beating Vickers by a small vote. These figures are not official as the vote has not been canvassed as yet but they are said to be correct within a few votes. In Lake County one precinct, the 5th-Shields, is not represented in the total.

Rep	Dem	Pro	Soc	Soc Labor	Prog
Deerfield Twp					
Taft	Wilson	Chafin	Debs	Reimer	Roosevelt
1st Precinct 34	87	5	13	0	188
2nd Precinct 114	120	1	6		223
3rd Precinct 56	160	1	29	4	247
Total 204	367	7	48	4	658
Lake County 1887	2096	***	***	*	4549
Deerfield Twp					
Deneen	Dunne	Worrel	Kennedy	Francis	Funk
1st Precinct 54	95	5	14	0	159
2nd Precinct 198	80	1	5		181
3rd Precinct 76	171	1	29	4	220
Total 328	346	7	48	4	560
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Deerfield Twp					
Oglesby	O'Hara	Hoolstittler	Maxwell	Renner	Franklin
1st Precinct 48	88	5	14	0	172
2nd Precinct 178	72	1	7		200
3rd Precinct 72	161	1	28	4	230
Total 298	321	7	49	4	602
Deerfield Twp					
Doyle	Woods	Wakeman	Fricman	Larson	Peterson
1st Precinct 49	85	5	14	0	173
2nd Precinct 167	83	2	7		201
3rd Precinct 74	160	1	28	4	237
Total 290	328	8	49	4	611
Deerfield Twp					
McCullough	Ready	Shup	Anderson	Lingentelner	Winter
1st Precinct 51	87	4	14	0	171
2nd Precinct 169	80	2	7		200
3rd Precinct 69	161	1	28	4	235
Total 289	328	7	49	4	616
Deerfield Twp					
Russel	Ryan, Jr.	Vennun	Haemer	Bloemsmma	Decker
1st Precinct 49	88	5	14	0	170
2nd Precinct 172	78	2	7		195
3rd Precinct 70	160	1	28	4	234
Total 281	326	8	49	4	599
Deerfield Twp					
Stead	Lucey	Temple	Bental	Veal	Dobyn
1st Precinct 52	86	4	14	0	169
2nd Precinct 170	74	2	7		206
3rd Precinct 72	160	1	28	4	233
Total 294	320	7	49	4	608
Deerfield Twp					
Grout	Krevett	Hood	Cherney	Neebe	Harris
1st Precinct 44	85	4	14	0	177
2nd Precinct 140	91	2	6		227
3rd Precinct 64	160	1	28	5	240
Total 248	336	7	48	5	644
Deerfield Twp					
Bahrenberg	Henroan	Seaman	O'Reilly	Mollberg	Robins
1st Precinct 42	87	4	15	0	172
2nd Precinct 128	102	2	6		216
3rd Precinct 60	161	1	27	4	239
Total 230	350	7	48	4	627
Deerfield Twp					
Peterson	Watson	Ramsey	Kaneko	Carrol	Hatch
1st Precinct 45	84	4	13	0	175
2nd Precinct 141	91	2	6		213
3rd Precinct 60	160	1	28	4	239
Total 246	335	7	47	4	627
Deerfield Twp					
Mason	Stringer	Harris	Huggins	Martin	Maxey
1st Precinct 50	85	5	14	0	173
2nd Precinct 150	99	1	7		199
3rd Precinct 72	163	1	29	4	224
Total 272	347	7	50	4	596
Deerfield Twp					
Chipperfield	Williams	Shaw	Thomas	Fenyves	Boyle
1st Precinct 43	84	4	13	0	173
2nd Precinct 152	83	1	7		210
3rd Precinct 80	159	1	30	4	236
Total 255	326	6	50	4	619
Deerfield Twp					
Foss	Fowler	Hays	Larson	Thomson	
1st Precinct 73	82	4	13		155
2nd Precinct 180	80	1	8		183
3rd Precinct 95	155	1	32		215
Total 348	317	6	53		555
Lake Co. 3142	2251	***	***	***	3572

5th Precinct Shields not heard from. *** vote still uncounted. (CONTINUED ON PAGE EIGHT)

CHURCH DEBT PAID BEFORE DEDICATION

MEMBERS GIVE \$23,000 FOR PURPOSE

Many Attend Services Sunday and Wednesday. Other Services Tonight, Friday and Sunday

The Presbyterian Church, built at a cost of \$100,000 and declared by one of the Dedication speakers to be one of the most beautiful and well appointed church buildings in the vicinity of Chicago and the finest and most beautiful church building in the Chicago Presbytery, was dedicated Sunday entirely free from debt. At the beginning of the morning service of Dedication it was announced that a balance of over \$19,000 must be raised before the last payment on the building could be made and in order that this amount might be subscribed before the Dedication a subscription list was opened at once. Under the direction of Dr. E. P. Hill of McCormick Theological Seminary pledges were taken aggregating over \$23,000, enough to pay the debt and leave a balance in the church treasury of over \$3,000. The large auditorium was filled at the morning service and in the evening when the pipe organ was dedicated.

Following the Home-coming and Fellowship service of yesterday the services will continue for the balance of the week, with the exception of Saturday, closing on Sunday with the observance of the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper and reception of new members in the morning and a musical service given by the choir assisted by a string quartette in the evening. Tonight there is a service devoted to Christian Missions, the address to be delivered by Dr. E. Plumer Bryan of Chicago, and tomorrow evening the service will emphasize the importance of young peoples work, Dr. John Timothy Stone, pastor of the Fourth Presbyterian Church of Chicago, will speak. The public is cordially invited to attend these services which have been arranged and are being carried to a most successful conclusion under the direction of the pastor, Rev. R. Calvin Dobson, who has just concluded the second year of his pastorate, a year which has proved the most successful in the history of the church.

GOOD ATTENDANCE AT NIGHT SCHOOL

122 Members Present when first Class is Called Monday Night

122 persons ranging in age from 14 to 45 attended the opening session of the Deerfield-Shields night school Monday. This was 48 less than had previously enrolled but it is thought these were kept away by the sudden change in date for the opening. From now on the classes will be held on Tuesdays and Fridays. A majority of the students present Monday were young men who availed themselves of the opportunity to take the courses in Electricity, Mechanical Drawing and Arithmetic. Most of the young women were enrolled in the Domestic Science and Bookkeeping classes. A proposition to fine each student 25 cents for every absence was submitted by one of the members and adopted almost unanimously so it would seem that members appreciate the opportunity offered them and that there will be no falling off in the attendance.

FIRE ATTACKS THREE PLACES IN ONE NIGHT

DEPARTMENT KEPT BUSY SATURDAY

Barn and Contents Destroyed. Ice House Saved by Good Work of Firemen

Beginning at 7:30 o'clock when an alarm was turned in from the J. H. Sheahan residence on West Central Avenue, the fire department was kept busy with three fires Saturday night and many are of the opinion that an incendiary has been at work in Highland Park. The fire on the Sheahan place completely destroyed a hay barn and contents as it gained great headway before it was discovered by a hired man and the alarm turned in. While the men were at work at this fire and all the available hose in use an alarm was turned in from the Northwestern freight yards where a blaze had been discovered in a freight car standing north of Elm Place. An engine pulled the car to the Elm Place crossing and away from other cars where the fire was extinguished, but not until the car had been practically destroyed. A number of people, including Fire Marshal Gieser, severely criticized the railroad employees for bringing the burning car so near to residence property. They claim that had there been a slight wind a serious fire would have resulted from their carelessness. The third fire was in the Siljestrom ice house on Elm Place and First Street and was discovered by Mr. Ed. Johnson, who was returning a car to the Highland Park Auto Station, where he is night foreman, shortly after midnight. Mr. Johnson notified Officer Rechtenwald and with Henry Ewart and Fireman Lindstrom they pulled the fire truck to the scene of the fire rather than take time to get out the horses and harness them. This action probably saved the ice house which was empty save for a ton of hay which was stored in one corner and which was destroyed. By quick work the firemen, who arrived almost as soon as the men with the truck, extinguished the blaze before it had attacked the walls of the structure. At the first fire the need of additional hose was demonstrated, for even after connecting all the hose in one lead the firemen were just able to reach the burning barn which was located at considerable distance from the street.

Mr. Siljestrom Offers Reward

In the belief that an incendiary started the fire which attacked his property Mr. Frank Siljestrom offers a reward of \$50 for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the guilty party. Mr. Siljestrom expresses high praise for the work of the fire department in connection with this fire.

TWO RECITALS IN NEW CHURCH

New Organ to be used at Presbyterian Church Tonight and Tomorrow Night

Mr. Allan W. Bogen who gave the recital at the dedication of the new Presbyterian church organ, will give a brief recital during the services tonight and preceding and following the Friday evening service there will be a thirty minute organ recital by Mr. Herbert McParin, organist at Trinity Episcopal church.

BERIAN CHURCH

Yoe, Robert W. Patton, Steele, Arthur W. Vercon, Bacon, Frederick W. Sch... Harry D. Faxon. The church are: S. M. Has...

NEW BUILDING

on Moseley, Anson C. Morgan, nam, W. H. Baldwin, James George A. Schofield, Frederick Robert W. Patton, C. N. Kin... E. Peck. The choir consist of Charles F. Everett, organist; Miss Josephine Fuchs, soprano; Ida Hanson, contralto; Mrs. Tracy tenor, and Mr. Samuel...

the members of the Congress following well known residents of Highland Park: Major R. P. Alfred O. Darby, John Milton Alter H. Baldwin, W. A. Alexander, H. Chandler, Frank C. Clark, Demman, Francis Grey Everett, Hart, R. I. Beatty, Dr. B. A. Stephen H. Harrington, Charles George R. Jones, Ira J. Geer, Grant, C. C. Hughes, Frank B. Morgan, George Milton, N. Moore, A. Lawrence Mills, Messenger, Arthur C. Purdy, Herwood, Frederick A. Watkins, Wrenn, Arthur P. Wycoff, Weaver, T. C. Williams, Burton, William Rogers Ruffner, Mayer, Henry S. Vail, W. W. E. Follansbee, Charles L. Har... Helen C. Floyd, Charles George G. Green, Frederick Carr, George A. Colburn, Childs, Ralph B. Boyington, Davidson, Sidney J. Holland, Grover, and Alonzo D. H. Jones. The communion table and chairs grace the new church and the gift of Dr. A. A. Pfanstiel, in memoriam of his wife.

HIGHER UP TO BROADWAY

mpic Theatre November 9th. Followed by Henry W. ... The Million"

playgoing public must soon be to the first distinctive drama of the new theatrical season. The play of love and stars "The Man Higher Up." The last of this patronage winning will take place at the Olympic Saturday evening, November 9th favor with which it was re-attested by the generous box seats, prompted a demand for a late appearance on Broadway. The engagement cannot be any later than the date although there is every indication that "The Man Higher Up" maintained as the all-winter hit at the Olympic Theater. The successor will be Henry's laugh production, "The Million" which was the farce-hit of New season. Not since "Excuse world-weary theatregoers of a high class entertainment such incessant and tumultuous follows the progress of this play-farce. The frenzied after a missing lottery ticket keynote of the action, leads ludicrous situation to another hilarious rapidity. It is by "The Pink Lady" and "Oh Oh Mr. Savage's original New comedians will be seen in presentation.