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NEARBY NEWS ITEMS OF LOCAL INTEREST

PIRIE AGAIN LAKE FOREST MAYOR

Resolutions Passed by Evanston Woman's Club. Passage Brought about by Improper Dancing

A good Lead for Others to Follow
Improper dancing in their new club building brought about the passage of the following resolutions by the members of the Evanston Woman's club:

"Resolved, That such dances as the bunny hug, grizzly bear, turkey trot, and all dances having improper holds, shall be prohibited in the club house, and that all parties renting the club house for dances shall rent it with this understanding, and shall agree to stop at once all couples engaging in any prohibited dance; be it further

"Resolved, That no dance shall be held in the club house unless properly chaperoned, a list of the chaperones shall be in the hands of the party who has charge of the renting of the club house before the dance begins."

Voliva gets Change of Venue

Judge Arthur H. Frost of the circuit court, Saturday granted Wilbur Glen Voliva, overseer of Zion City, a change of venue in the perjury and conspiracy cases pending in circuit court. The perjury cases in the criminal court of Cook County will be held in the Winnebago circuit court. Voliva filed petitions signed by hundreds of Lake County residents who stated that they did not think Voliva could procure justice in Lake County.

Pirie again Lake Forest's Mayor

Lake Forest re-elected Mayor John T. Pirie, Jr. at the city election held last week, giving him a total vote of 414, although he was unopposed. The vote on candidates for other offices was as follows: Treasurer, John Griffith, 326; Thomas Horan, 249; Supervisor, John Richmond, 404; Marshall, Timothy Howe, 357; Thos. Appleton, 216. Aldermen elected were: L. Thompson, Alfred Hamill, and Thos. Fitzgerald.

Nearby Locals

The Lake Forester says that a reform wave is approaching that village that promises to wash out all the 'blind pigs' within the limits. A preliminary ripple caused the arrest of one man last week. These Lake County people passed pharmacists' examinations at Springfield April 10th; Robert Bond, Libertyville; M. D. Sweetland, Highland Park; Harold Cleveland, Grayslake, for assistant pharmacist.

The fourth annual Elgin national races will be held on the Elgin road race course on Aug. 29 and 30.

W. H. Gardner of Solon, one of McHenry county's most successful dairymen, has a dairy of twenty Holsteins that produced better than 1,000 pounds of milk per day during the months of December and January, or a daily average of fifty pounds per cow.

LECTURE PLEASURES AUDIENCE

Dr. H. H. Thoren's Lecture Much Appreciated by Large Attendance

Dr. H. H. Thoren gave his lecture on Darkest Chicago and her Waifs to a large and appreciative audience Monday evening at the United Evangelical Church. The subject is one of interest on which the public need information.

The church is doing a good work and will find a large field of opportunity open in bettering the conditions of our boys and girls.

Boys and girls are not criminals by inheritance but in a majority of cases because of our social and industrial conditions. The factor most prompt in developing the criminal is the licensed saloon.

Dr. Thoren's lecture brought these conditions as before face to face in his splendid lecture illustrated with more than 100 slides.

The lecture ended by a scene in strong contrast to Darkest Chicago. "A Trip through the Royal Gorge of Colorado."

PARCEL POST ORDERS

Patrons Not Responsible for Using wrong Stamps under Burleson Ruling

Patrons of the parcel post system will not be made to pay for the negligence of postmasters in failing to see that proper stamps are used on the parcels, or that the proper amount of postage is affixed. Postmaster General Burleson annulled the order providing for the collection of a double rate of postage when ordinary stamps instead of the distinctive parcel post stamps are used.

Hereafter the postmasters must return to senders incorrectly stamped parcels before the stamps are cancelled with notice to use the correct stamps.

NEW LUMBER YARD FOR HIGHLAND PARK

HINES LUMBER COMPANY BUYS LAND

A Tract of Land just South of Chicago & Northwestern Depot on First St. Street has been Purchased

The Hines Lumber company of Chicago has invaded the Highland Park field, and will establish one of their large lumber yards here. A tract of land on First Street, just south of the North Western depot has been purchased for \$11,000, and the work of establishing the yard will be started immediately, in fact a large quantity of the lumber already has arrived.

Considerable objection was raised to the lumber yard in this vicinity by people who live in the same neighborhood as they did not relish such a yard in their midst. The deal was not held up, however.

There are already three lumber yards in this city. They are the John Gourley Lumber company, the North Shore Fuel and Supply Co., and John Middleton. The entrance of the new concern, which promises to be as large or larger than those now in the field promises to create a merry warfare.

Officials of the company, it is said, have admitted that they intend to erect a similar lumber yard at Lake Forest and possibly at Waukegan. This would give them a good hold on the North Shore.

CONCERT AT MORAINES TONIGHT

Second Appearance of Mrs. Marie Sidenius at the Moraine. Other Well known Artists to Appear

Tonight the first concert of the Highland Park series of the Star Musical

events will take place at the Moraine hotel. It is pleasant to be reminded that this will not be the first appearance of Mrs. Zendt at the Moraine. A few years ago when the descendants of the Mayflower met together at the Moraine and were entertained by the West End Musical club with an old folks concert, Mrs. Zendt was the dainty, quaint Dolly Varden soloist of the evening, who captivated the audience with her songs. A special interest to many is the fact that Mrs. Zendt's Swedish costume is one which was imported by Madame Julia Claussen for her work with the Chicago Grand Opera Company and so used by her during the opera season.

Miss Edna Earle Crum, violinist, has won the enviable honor of being presented with the Paganini gold medal because of her marvelous staccato work, smoothness and sweetness of tone in her rendering of the difficult Rondo from the Concerto No. 1 by Vieuxtemps. Miss Crum has also been honored by the great Kublik who invited her to play for him and as a mark of his keen delight in her skill, presented her with a red rose and a white carnation, the Bohemian colors. Miss Crum will appear on the program this evening. A most delightful program is promised by Isaac Levine, the composer, pianist.

Y. W. C. A. Activities
Sunday 4-6 p. m., informal and social hour; Monday 7:30-9:30 p. m., fortnightly hour; Tuesday 3:30-5:30 Junior chaffing dish club; Tuesday 3:30-5:30 Junior gymnastic dancing; Wednesday 7:30-9:30 p. m., special gymnastic dancing and English class; Thursday 4:30-5:30 High school gymnastic dancing; Friday 3:30-5:30 Camp Fire Girls (two groups); Saturday 10 a. m.-5 p. m. Woman's Exchange.

DUSTLESS STREETS FOR HIGHLAND PARK

LAST YEAR'S METHOD IS EXCELLENT

The Highland Park Improvement Association Point out good work done last year

To the officers and members of the Highland Park Improvement Association: During the season of 1912, there were 53,670 lineal feet (approximately 10 miles) of road surface treated as per statement herewith attached.

A new method of doing this work was adopted by which the streets were first swept thoroughly, then a coating of oil applied and afterwards a sprinkling of sand carefully distributed. The effectiveness of the work, we think, was apparent to every citizen.

Nearly every one of the roads on the east and west sides were given at least one application, the exceptions being the ones prohibited by the City Council and those which had been recently tarred.

The Treasurer's report will show that the amount of money collected was sufficient to pay all expenses and still leave a balance in the Treasury, which, added to the amount with which we started the year is now upon deposit.

We also paid for the services of a Motor Cop covering a period of nearly 60 days, and we are informed by the Mayor that this expenditure aided greatly in checking reckless automobile driving.

We desire to thank each and every local motorist for his individual cooperation in adhering strictly to the speed ordinance. The painting of the fountain on Central Ave. was paid for out of our funds, and other improvements attended to, each of which has added to the pleasure of a residence in our city.

The Mayor and Council rendered us every assistance in their power in helping us in the work which we endeavored to accomplish, and to them we extend our gratitude.

Dan Garrity, who was actually in charge of the road gangs, did conscientious painstaking work and his efforts deserve special mention.

Our experience during the past year demonstrates that it will be necessary, in order to accomplish the most satisfactory results, to treat a number of the principal thoroughfares at least twice during the season. In the majority of streets one treatment will be sufficient; to do this work effectively, the contribution must, of necessity, be more liberal.

We invite discussion on the best method of dealing with the lamentable condition of such streets as Central, Prospect and St. Johns Avenues, which are in need of immediate attention prior to treating them with oil.

We are of the opinion that the past year was a very successful one in the history of the Association, and with the experience already gleaned, the record for 1911 should far surpass it.

Respectfully submitted
Geo. W. Schofield.

The new officers elected are: A. J. F. McBean, President, C. C. Buell, 1st Vice President, Mrs. John Curtis, 2nd Vice President, Mrs. Fishback, 3rd Vice President, F. G. Gardner, Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. T. Clements, chairman of Finance Committee. Other members of the committee are: Mrs. Norwood Bard, Miss C. Yoe, Mrs. McBride, Mrs. J. Norcross and Mrs. J. Tuttle.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH REPORT

Year Just Closed most Prosperous in the History of the Church

The year just closed is the most prosperous in the history of the Presbyterian church in this city. The church now numbers three hundred and fifty members, and completed one of the most handsome church edifices in the Presbytery of Chicago during the last year. The annual meeting of the Presbytery convened in the church last Monday.

The financial activities for the year were very gratifying. In addition to what was given and expended toward the building fund the previous year, the reports at the annual meeting showed the following expenditures: Congregational expenses, \$66,832.66; for various benevolent activities, \$5,195.82, making a total of financial expenditures of \$72,028.48. Of this amount \$1600.00 went to the support of the two missionaries that were sent to China by this church last fall.

No department of this church is better organized than the Bible School, which numbers 278 pupils, including a Men's Bible Class which has just completed a course of eight studies in "The Prophets and Modern Life," and is now beginning another entitled "How We Got Our Bible." This church is among the few to have over subscribed its building fund before the new edifice was dedicated.

Loyd Warren Metzler

Born August 26, 1896;
Died April 11, 1913.



Loyd Warren Metzler, son of Della Thuying and Albert J. Metzler of Sycamore Place, Highland Park, who was born August 26, 1896, died in his 17th year on Friday, April 11th, from appendicitis complicating measles, after an illness of ten days. Although he had lived in Highland Park only a short time, he had won a place in the hearts of all who had learned to know him.

He was endeared to his associates in the Lyons Township High School and the First Congregational Church of LaGrange and in the Deerfield-Shields High School and the Presbyterian Church of Highland Park, by his earnestness and the sweetness of his character.

Dr. W. Frederick Dey, his scout master at LaGrange writes of him, "I think of him chiefly as a Boy Scout, and the comprehensive motto 'Be prepared' has taken on a deeper meaning to me and to many others since yesterday morning. 'We always looked to Loyd to be prepared with a helpful, practical suggestion when any emergency arose, and now we know that in his great day he prepared to meet his master face to face and will receive his reward. Knowing something of the affection and esteem in which he was held, and of the quiet force of his clean, wholesome, godly example, I know that the influence for good which he has exerted in this community is very great and many a boy will keep straighter and manlier because he has had the privilege of knowing Loyd Metzler.'

At the High School it is said he was one of the ablest boys who ever attended and his life gave every indication of a brilliant future. He was one of the most popular boys in the school and a leader in every club. He was recently elected president of the Debating Society and was a member of the Debating team on Feb. 17 when he made one of the finest speeches ever heard in the debates between the rival schools. He was Art Editor of the School Annual, member of the Glee Club, the track team, one of the student councilors (self governing committee) and a member of the Junior class, although having a sufficient amount of credits to graduate this year, and carried six studies while preparing to enter Yale University. The funeral services were held at Sycamore Place Sunday afternoon at 3.15 o'clock.

POPULATION OF NEIGHBORING TOWNS

Report made by F. K. Bumstead, Publisher of the Eighth Issue of Waukegan City and Lake Co. Directory

The report of population of some of our neighboring towns given by F. K. Bumstead, publisher of the eighth issue of Waukegan City and Lake County directory which will be ready for delivery May 1st are as follows, for 1913: Waukegan in 1909 had a population of 18,785 and in 1913 it has a population of 19,381, showing an increase of 616 inhabitants in 4 years. North Chicago has 4,576 inhabitants, Lake Bluff, 832, Lake Forest, 2,875, Highwood, 935, Highland Park, 5781, Zion City, 3,508, Winthrop Harbor, 246, Antioch, 1,662, Barrington, 1,422, Deerfield, 486, Grayslake, 900, and Libertyville, 2,640.

Miss F. Warner was hostess to the J. U. G. Club on Friday evening at her home on Second Street. It was a delightful juvenile party and each guest was dressed in costume. The Misses Charlotte Brand, Helen Hill and Ruth Zimmer were typical little girls; Ethel Zimmer represented Tootums and Mamie Siljestrom was dressed as Snookums; Jessie Benson made an attractive Little Red Riding Hood; Florence Warner represented Little Eva and a great deal of merriment was caused when Margaret Wilhelm appeared as Topsy. The games, prizes and refreshments were all suitable to the occasion.

FRANK P. HAWKINS, MAYOR S. S. HOLMES, CITY ATTORNEY

SHEAHEN, NICHOLS, PUTNAM AND OBEE NEW ALDERMEN

James C. Boylan Re-elected Police Magistrate. That the Services of Edward A. Warren are Appreciated was Shown by his Large Vote of 596

The following shows the complete vote by wards of Highland Park and Highwood, also Deerfield's vote on the bond issue of \$5,500 to build water mains to connect with the Highland Park system, which was almost unanimously carried. In the fourth ward about ninety friends of John E. Conrad wrote his name on the ballot for alderman, but over half of whom failed to put a cross before the name, for which reason the election judges threw them out leaving him but 39 votes. Mr. Conrad does not believe this was fair and will ask for a recount. Several of Mr. Obce's ballots were thrown out for the same reason. The vote as it now stands is, William Obce, 92, John Conrad, 39.

HIGHLAND PARK

MAYOR

Ward 1	Ward 2	Ward 3	Ward 4	Total
117	75	51	131	374
125	167	133	102	527

R. G. Evans, Non-Partisan
F. P. Hawkins, Ind. Mun.
F. P. Hawkins' Plurality 153

CITY CLERK

Ward 1	Ward 2	Ward 3	Ward 4	Total
157	144	128	165	596

E. A. Warren, Non-Partisan

CITY ATTORNEY

Ward 1	Ward 2	Ward 3	Ward 4	Total
183	118	104	151	526
57	124	79	69	329

S. S. Holmes, Non-Partisan
E. S. Gail, Ind. Mun.
S. S. Holmes' Plurality 197

CITY TREASURER

Ward 1	Ward 2	Ward 3	Ward 4	Total
120	150	129	101	500

T. E. Skidmore, Ind. Mun.

POLICE MAGISTRATE

Ward 1	Ward 2	Ward 3	Ward 4	Total
149	120	95	126	490
56	34	29	64	161

J. C. Boylan, Non-Partisan
J. E. Conrad, Constructive
J. C. Boylan's Plurality 307

ALDERMAN, First Ward

T. B. Sleeman, Non-Partisan, 40; A. A. Moses, Constructive, 71; A. B. Hill, Peoples, 16; F. W. Sheahan, Prog. Cit., 91.

ALDERMAN, Second Ward

Martin Ringdahl, Non-Par., 102; G. R. Nichols, Ind. Mun., 140; G. R. Nichols' Plurality 38

ALDERMAN, Third Ward

W. D. Putnam, Ind. Mun., 139

ALDERMAN, Fourth Ward

W. J. Obce, Prog., 92; John Conrad, 39. W. J. Obce's Plurality 53

HIGHWOOD

MAYOR

Ward 1	Ward 2	Ward 3	Total
23	70	37	130
4	9	1	14
15	31	24	70

Jon. Severson, Ind. Party
Julius Laegeler, Non-Par.
A. J. Walsh, Prog.
Jon. Severson's Plurality 60

CITY CLERK

Ward 1	Ward 2	Ward 3	Total
			107
			92

Harry Olander, Ind.
A. W. Himmler, Prog.
Harry Olander's Plurality 15

CITY ATTORNEY

O. S. Gooch, Ind. No opposition

CITY TREASURER

Ward 1	Ward 2	Ward 3	Total
			122
			79

Richard Shannon, Ind.
Emil Carlsson, Prog.
Richard Shannon's Plurality 43

POLICE MAGISTRATE

R. G. Rettig, Ind. No opposition

ALDERMAN, First Ward

E. P. Spellman, 24; W. H. Burke, 17; Spellman's Plurality 7

ALDERMAN, Second Ward

F. N. Williams, Ind., 41; Frank Mowers, Prog., 14; Albert Olson, Ind. Prog., 56; Olson's Plurality 15

ALDERMAN, Third Ward

Nick Steigelman, Ind., 41; John Sheridan, Prog., 20; Steigelman's Plurality 21

THE VOTE IN DEERFIELD

President, W. A. Whiting, 112; Clerk, T. J. Knaak, 111; Police Magistrate, S. P. Hutchison, 107; Trustees, C. W. Pettis, 107; J. H. Fritsch, 106; B. H. Kress, 111.

On the question of issuing bonds to the amount of \$5,500 for the purpose of building a water main to connect with the Highland Park mains: Yes, 104; No, 18.

TWO HUNDRED ELDERS CONVENE

Annual Meeting of Chicago Presbytery Held Monday in Highland Park

Two hundred elders, members of the Presbytery of Chicago, held their annual meeting at the Presbyterian Church on Monday beginning at ten o'clock in the morning. All of the Presbyterian churches from Joliet to Waukegan and including Oak Park were represented with the result that it was the largest meeting of the Presbytery ever held. Special arrangements had been made with the C. & N. W. R. for the transportation which was excellently carried out.

Luncheon was served to the visitors by the ladies of the Dorcas Society and was a creditable affair.

Dr. Allison of Hyde Park preached the sermon at 11:30 o'clock in the place of the retiring Moderator, Rev. George L. Lucock, D. D., pastor of the First Church of Oak Park who has been scheduled to speak.

Special music had been prepared by Mr. Herbert McFarren organist and Mrs. W. A. Alexander, who sang a solo, lead in the congregational singing.

ELECTRIC ROAD MAKES GOOD GAIN

Decrease in Operating Expense and Increase in Receipts for 1912

The reports of Receiver Johnson of the C. & M. E. for the 12 months ended Dec. 31 shows a total revenue from operating of \$950,169 as compared with \$952,191 in 1911. The net operating revenue was \$359,269 as compared with \$330,896. The total net revenue was \$376,454 as compared with \$346,636, leaving a surplus for the year of \$299,000.

The reduction in operating expenses is due in part to the favorable weather conditions during the winter.

The receiver balance sheet under date of February 28 shows a surplus of \$896,042, accumulated since the receivership began early in 1908.

The members of the Mystic Workers gave Mr. S. T. Rebling of W. Central Ave. a surprise Tuesday in honor of his birthday. There were about sixty guests in attendance. Cards were the feature of the evening and prizes were awarded to Mrs. Nancy Campbell and Mr. Rebling. Dainty refreshments were served.

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