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## Section of New Concrete Paving on South Sheridan Road



### NEARBY NEWS ITEMS OF LOCAL INTEREST

#### EVANSTON BUSY ON SHERIDAN ROAD

Will Keep Hunters out of County as a Precaution Against the Spread of the Foot and Mouth Disease

#### Zion City is Quarantined

The smallpox quarantine in Zion City is enforced by state guards from the state health department. This action was necessary because Voliva, who controls the city, was objecting to what the citizens of the community adjacent wished to have done to safeguard the spread of the disease. Cases have developed in the Gurnee country and a quarantine is maintained in certain places. It is said that the disease seems to be in a light form.

#### Evanston Busy on Sheridan Road

A number of Evanston's progressive citizens held a conference with Mayor Smart last Monday night for the purpose of discussing the Sheridan Road paving question. It was decided to proceed at once to the paving of the road around Calvary. Archbishop James Edward Quigley has decided immediately to begin paving the road directly east of the cemetery. This road will be of concrete and eighteen feet wide. It is intended eventually to make it thirty-six feet wide, but pending the decision of where the sanitary sewage shall go, it will be only eighteen feet, as it would not be the part of economy to build the thirty-six foot road and then have it torn up by the sewage construction.

#### North Chicago has Damage Suit

Charles Olinger filed a suit for \$25,000 damages against the city of North Chicago, it being said that he has been persecuted by his attorneys, Cook, Pope & Pope, that he has a show to recover that sum or some sum as compensation for the loss of vitality and for permanent debility resulting from a case of typhoid fever he is said to have contracted by drinking from the water supply to the citizens of this city.

#### To Keep out Hunters

James G. Welch of Newport, chairman of the Lake County Board of Supervisors, intended to call a special meeting of the supervisors for the purpose of declaring a ban against all hunters in the county as a precaution against the spread of the foot and mouth disease. In the meantime Mr. Welch is preparing a proclamation in which he will take the responsibility, pending the ratification of the entire board. Notices to this effect will be sent to Chicago to keep out all hunters who might invade the county.

#### Northwestern Helps Quarantine

The Northwestern Railway Company made the quarantine against Zion City more effective Monday when a formal order was issued by the company against the reception of passengers at Zion City bound for Kenosha. The trainmen have been instructed that people from Zion City may not leave the trains at Kenosha and agents have been instructed not to sell tickets between the two cities so long as the quarantine is in effect. Dr. John J. McShane, the health officer, this afternoon made a demand on the receivers of the Chicago & Milwaukee Electric road for a similar order.

#### GETS BIG HARDWARE CONTRACTS

D. C. Purdy and Sons Successful Bidders for Both Grammar and High School Buildings

D. C. Purdy and Sons have been awarded what is probably the largest hardware contract ever given in Highland Park, they being the successful bidders for both the new high school and the Grammar school buildings. The contracts amount to nearly \$3000.

### JURY DISAGREES IN R. R. MEN'S HOME CASE

#### ONE OF LONGEST TRIALS IN LAKE CO.

The Trial Started Two Weeks Ago and Went to Jury Tuesday Night at Ten O'clock, but Verdict was not Reached

The trial of George H. Morris, charged with criminal libel against John O'Keefe, manager of the Home for Aged and Disabled Railway Employees, came to an end yesterday morning when the jury, after spending a sleepless night in seeking to agree, reported their inability to reach a verdict and were discharged. The case, which is one of the longest ever tried in Lake County, started two weeks ago at Waukegan and went to the jury at ten o'clock Tuesday night. At one time the jury stood eight for conviction and four for acquittal. A later ballot showed seven to five for conviction, while the final ballot stood six to six, and where the jury remained deadlocked.

The trial against Morris dates back to August 19, when the defendant is alleged to have published a circular charging Mr. O'Keefe with mismanagement of the Home and the neglect of some of the inmates. After the charges had been taken up by the Board of Directors of the Home and Mr. O'Keefe had been exonerated, criminal libel suit was started against Morris, who was indicted by the grand jury.

It is estimated that the trial costs about \$2000. The county does not have to pay all of this but its part is large. The county must pay for all the jurors whether accepted or not, then it pays for the twelve jurors who were accepted, at the rate of \$3.00 per day for two weeks, for two bailiffs who remained with the jury, at the rate of \$4 per day and for other bailiffs who remained in the court room during the trial. It also pays the board of the jury which was \$21 per day. Thus the expense to the county for the jury alone was \$800.

#### Board of Trustees Answer Charges

In a pamphlet issued by the Board of Trustees of the Home, and which exonerates him, answers to all of the thirty charges preferred against Mr. O'Keefe. They investigated and answered each charge separately, and over the signature of W. S. Stone, Grand Chief B. of L. E.; W. G. Lee, President, B. of L. E.; and W. S. Carter, President B. of L. E., was the following statement:

"We have made no investigation ourselves but we have every confidence in the investigation made by the Board of Trustees and hereby accept same as being the true facts, and ask the officers and members of our Organization to accept it in the same way."

#### CONTRACT LET FOR NEW ROAD

Crofton Avenue to Have Concrete Pavement for 700 Feet South of Fairview Avenue

A contract has been let to Goelitz and Johnson for the paving of Crofton Ave. with concrete. The grading is completed and the catch basins will be finished today. Work on the paving will be started at once. The contract was let by C. N. Kimball.

#### BAHR'S FLOWER SHOW

One of the Most Gorgeous Displays of Chrysanthemums in the Country

Last Sunday over three hundred people visited Bahr's greenhouses and saw the grand display of three thousand of the finest chrysanthemums ever shown anywhere in the country. They are still on display and will be for another week before shipping to the wholesale trade. It costs nothing to see them and Bahr will be glad to see you.

### NEW MOVING PICTURE SERIAL TO START

STORY TO APPEAR IN PRESS EACH WEEK

"The Master Key" by John Fleming Wilson is a Story of Love and Romance. Don't Miss the First Installments

Thursday, November twenty-sixth will mark the beginning of a thrilling moving picture serial, the story of which will appear in THE PRESS each week for fifteen weeks. The pictures will be shown at the Highland Park Theatre, Friday, November twenty-seventh and every Friday thereafter. The story is a tale of mystery and romance and is entitled "The Master Key" by John Fleming Wilson which is produced by the Universal Film Manufacturing Company starring Ella Hall and Bob Leonard, the two moving picture favorites. It is a story which tells of the three great thirsts in this world, wealth, life and love, and tells a tale of life in the desert, mountains and the sea in search for a treasure and also betrays the tale of locked doors of life against which strong, thirty men knock and cry, "Who has the Master Key." It is really a story well worth your time to read and your money to see so don't miss the first installments, November twenty-sixth and twenty-seventh.

#### MISSION AT TRINITY CHURCH

Rev. Dr. Herman Page to Speak. Mission to Begin Sunday, November Fifteenth

The Mission in Trinity Church will begin on Sunday, Nov. 15th, with services at 7:30 and 11 o'clock a. m. and 8 o'clock p. m. Each day during the week there will be a class in personal religion at 10 o'clock and an evening service of very informal character at 8 o'clock. On Thursday, Friday and Saturday there will be meetings for children at 4 o'clock. The purpose of the Mission is to arouse the careless, to raise up the fallen, to convert the impenitent, to strengthen the faithful, and to impress upon all the need of a more vital and active personal religion.

All persons without regard to their church affiliations are cordially invited to come. Controversial subjects will be avoided. Questions may be asked at any service.

The Rev. Dr. Herman Page, the Missioner, will be glad to meet any who desire to confer with him after any service.

The Holy Communion will be celebrated each morning at 7:30 and the Mission will close with the celebration on Sunday morning, November 22nd.

#### CONGRESSMAN MAKES STATEMENT

"A Greater American Navy is Needed From Great Lesson Taught Us From Across the Seas" Says Foss

"The great lesson from across the seas must teach any American the vital and immediate necessity for a greater American navy. For that I shall fight when I go back to Congress."

This was the first statement issued since the election by George Edmund Foss, former chairman of the House committee on naval affairs, who has been sent triumphantly back to Congress from the Tenth Illinois district after an absence of but a single term.

"I have always been an advocate of navy building," said Mr. Foss, "and my position on that point is unchanged. In view of the very grave world conditions now prevailing I feel more strongly on the subject than ever before."

#### VOLIVA AT WAR WITH LACE FACTORY

Forbids any Member of His Church Ever Entering Employ of Company Again

Voliva had opened war on the Marshall Field Lace Works of Zion City as a result of the company having discharged Voliva's employees at the factory who refused to be vaccinated in compliance with the orders of the state board of health officials.

In a special issue of what is called "The Theocrat" Voliva makes his attack on the lace company and formally forbids any member of his church ever entering the employ of the company again. This is a most drastic stand to be taken because, until this epidemic of smallpox came on, many of his people worked in the lace factory. In fact the lace factory is Zion's biggest industry, being the original industry on which Dowie based his industrial department of Zion on. He established the industry and then, when the Zion estate went into the hands of a receiver, Marshall Field purchased the plant and business outright, having operated it continuously ever since.

### A COLUMN FOR THE USE OF EVERYBODY

MISS HELEN A. YOUNG VISITING NURSE

Following is an Article Concerning the Local Visiting Nurse, Who Started Work Here Monday Morning

The Highland Park Visiting Nurse Association has engaged Miss Helen A. Young, whose work will be visiting the schools, answering calls from the physicians and any one needing her services. It is impossible to make a regular schedule at present, therefore the association has decided to use the following hours during the month of November.

Miss Young will be at the Deerfield Township High School from 9 to 10 each morning, the Grammar School from 10 to 11 and from 11 to 12 calls at home will be made.

The early part of each afternoon the two schools in District 108 will be visited and the later hours will be given to outside calls.

To make the work of the visiting nurse a success the Board of Health has decided that a physical examination is necessary for each school child. This is done in all towns where a visiting nurse is employed, the schools usually paying for the examination. As our schools are paying part of the salary for the nurse this additional expense could not be incurred at the present time. The physicians have made the following generous and splendid arrangement:

The Board of Health will give each child a card requiring the family physician to fill same out, sign and return to the school within two weeks.

A nominal fee of one dollar is to be made by all our Highland Park doctors. For those who feel they cannot afford this a free examination will be made at schools.

We ask the parents to co-operate with the Board of Health and the association, feeling confident that each one is interested and will do his or her part to safeguard our children and the health of our citizens.

Where the nurse visits the schools and knows the condition of each child, epidemics are almost invariably prevented.

Please make an appointment with your own physician at his office and have this examination made at the earliest possible date. The generous response of our doctors has been most encouraging. Also we have to thank Mr. Udell of the HIGHLAND PARK PRESS, who has donated the health cards for the children, and Mayor Hawkins as the head of the city in sending out the notices. Our local druggists, Mr. Sweetland, Mr. Geell and Mr. Schumacher are giving the supplies necessary to each school for the nurse's work.

Miss Young is living at Mrs. McCrystal's on Central Ave., and all calls can be left for her there or at number 1140. Anyone can have her services free, but if they wish they can pay from ten to fifty cents a visit. This money will go back into the Visiting Nurse Association treasury and will be used for running expenses. The members of the association will be glad to answer questions or receive suggestions at any time. For those who did not see the article published two weeks ago, the following list of members is given: Mrs. W. J. Fyffe, president; Mrs. John A. Putnam, secretary and treasurer; Dr. L. M. Bergen, Mrs. Maud S. Shannon, Mrs. R. S. Kirshberger, Mrs. W. A. Tapper, and Dr. P. C. Wolcott.

Miss Young's hours on duty are from 8 a. m. to 5 p. m., and except in case of emergency, will be adhered to. The medical examination is the first important step toward making the work of the visiting nurse a success, therefore all parents are earnestly urged to co-operate immediately.

ELINOR B. FYFFE,  
President Highland Park Visiting Nurse Association.

#### SHERIDAN ROAD OPENS NOV. 28th

Business Men's Association Busy Preparing Ceremonies for Opening Day

The concrete work on the Sheridan Road has been completed and the parkways are being graded and sodded. The concrete will now have to be left undisturbed at the Northwestern end of the road for about three weeks when the road will all be thrown open to the public. The Highland Park Business Men's Association have appointed a committee of its members to arrange for appropriate ceremonies marking the opening of this very important piece of road and are actively at work on the matter. Beyond fixing Saturday, November 28th as the opening day, no definite arrangements have been settled, but we expect to be able to give the plan of the ceremonies next week.

#### TAR WAGON BURNED MONDAY

While on Incline on St. Johns Ave. Continuous Fire for About Two Hundred Feet

A very spectacular fire occurred on Monday morning about ten o'clock on St. Johns Ave. just opposite the Northwestern depot when a tar wagon started to burn. It is believed the fire started by tar spilling over and coming in contact with fire in the fire box of the wagon while on the incline on St. Johns Ave. The tar spilled and ran along the Milwaukee Electric tracks down to Laurel Ave., making a continuous blaze for about two hundred feet. It was quickly extinguished by the fire department.

#### EAGLE FLIES HERE FROM ACROSS LAKE

Steel Trap Clutched to one of Birds Feet. May Be Seen at Palace Cash Market

While walking along the beach on Friday, near Beach St., Mr. Johnson of So. Second St., in company with several friends, saw a large bird flapping about in the water. They dragged the bird to land and found it was a good sized golden eagle which measured about ten feet from wing tip to wing tip. They found a steel trap clutched to one of the birds feet. It probably had been caught in a trap and had flown across the lake with the snare clinging to its talons. The eagle is placed in the Palace Cash Market on exhibition and as yet Mr. Haak is undecided whether to turn the bird over to Cy De Vry, keeper of the Lincoln Park Zoo, or whether to leave it fly.

### VOLIVA'S BIG VOTE ELECTED MR. GRAHAM

POLLED 707 VOTES AT ZION CITY

Munro Would Have Been Elected by a Majority of 582 Could He Have Controlled Zion City's Support

Figures taken from the election returns as they were sent in from the Benton precinct, over which Voliva reigns supreme, show that if it had not been for the votes cast by the Zionites, Thomas Graham would have been defeated by Munro.

The following digest of the figures show the facts in the case:

In the district Graham's total vote was 9,579 and Munro's was 8,747.

Graham's majority was 832. Voliva gave Graham 707 votes. Graham's total, 9,579, minus 707 (Voliva's votes) would leave Graham 8,872.

Munro's total, 8,748, plus 707 (Voliva's votes, if they had been given to Munro) would be 9,454.

If Voliva's vote had been given to Munro he would have had a total vote of 9,454, and Graham would have had a vote of 8,872, so Munro would then have been elected by a majority of 582.

#### LOCAL REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Property Exchanges Recorded During Past Two Weeks

Dora Goldberg and hus to R. H. Dady, lots 8 to 12, blk 1, Deerfield and adjoining. Q. C. \$10.00.

Jos. C. Wolff and wf to Fred Selig, part of lot 17, blk 4, Deerfield Park Land and Improvement Assn. Sub. in Village of Deerfield. W. D. \$1.00.

Fred Selig and wf to Ellen Knickerbocker, part of lot 21, blk 4, in Deerfield Park Land and Improvement Assn. Sub. in Village of Deerfield. W. D. \$1.00.

Corra Lobdell (wid), to Thos. G. Olesensky, lot 8, in South Highland Addn to Highland Park. W. D. \$1100.00.

Theo. Schurmann and wf to J. A. Carlson and wf, lot 1 and N 1/2 lot 2, Schurmann's addn to Deerfield. W. D. \$4500.00.

E. M. Laing and wf to Jane Sievers, lot 10, blk 10, Exmoor add. and part lot 3, blk 25, Highland Park. Q. C. \$10.00.

Jane Sievers and hus to Hattie S. Laing, same property as last above. Q. C. \$10.00.

State Bank of Lake Forest to W. G. Wise, lot 62, Green Bay add to Lake Forest. Deed \$10.00.

Hannah B. Johnson to Emely Nelson, lot 9, Hubbard's sub of blk 33, Highwood. W. D. \$500.00.

Clement Merriman and wf to Dora Goldberg, lots 8 to 12, blk 1, Deerfield and tract of land adjoining. Q. C. \$300.00.

E. J. Vattman to O. C. Bruhlman, lots 1 and 2, blk 14, Port Clinton, Highland Park. W. D. \$7200.00.

O. C. Bruhlman to C. C. Collins, lots 1 and 2, blk 14, Pt. Clinton, Highland Park. W. D. \$1.00.

### PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH BAZAAR WEDNESDAY

BOOTHS REPRESENTING ROOMS IN HOME

Interests are Centered in the Furnishing and Maintaining of a Room in the Presbyterian Home of Chicago

The bazaar to be held in the Presbyterian Church parlors next Wednesday, November 18th, promises to be a very attractive affair. It is in charge of a new auxiliary to the Dorcas Society whose interests are centered in the furnishing and maintaining of a room in the Presbyterian Home of Chicago. This home was recently organized by the Chicago Presbytery and Auxiliaries are being formed in most of the churches of this Synod. It is located in temporary quarters on 29th Place. The organization already owns property in Evanston and hopes soon to erect a fine new building there where they will be asked to take care of aged ministers as well as old ladies. Dr. Dobson is one of the trustees of the Home and Mr. Rex Jones is on the board of managers.

The bazaar Wednesday is to be arranged as a house beautiful, each booth representing a room in the home.

The fancy articles will be displayed in the parlor. Miss Follansbee is chairman of this committee with the following splendid helpers: Mesdames Robert Carr, Mather Smith, Henry Glidden, Donald Boynton, Theodore Butts, J. F. L. Curtis, Orren S. Peabody, Henry Boyd, F. K. MacKenzie, and Misses Estelle Clark, Chandler, Margaret Deming. The Utility table will be in the kitchen in charge of Mrs. James Troxell and the following committee: Mesdames W. R. Tapper, Roland Hastings, Paul Bird, John Ristine, Morton R. Mavor, Gerard Peck, James Martin, Trigg Waller, John Tuttle, Misses Shields, Mrs. Sidney Holland will have a dainty array of baby things in the nursery. She will be assisted by the following ladies: Mesdames Elsie Morgan, Anson Morgan, William Booth, H. A. Parkin, George R. Roberts, Robert Buckley, Richard Hawkins, Williams. The books will be in the library on sale by Mesdames Leslie McPherson, Jay S. Glidden, Porter, H. B. Roberts, Beatty, Robert Seyfarth, Charles Drake, Thomas Wyles, E. P. Sedgwick, Misses Cushing, Goutley. A lovely collection of Christmas cards and books will be presided over by Mesdames Carleton Vail, Roger Vail and Miss Cecil Vail. The pantry will be well stocked with cakes and in charge of the Misses Loudon, Miss Dorothy Schofield, Miss Ethel Spencer, Miss Bergen, Misses Vercoe, and Misses French. Candy will be sold by Mesdames Lawrence Mills, Hately, Knapp, Hart, Wright, Norwood Bard, Childs, Misses McCauley, and Goutley. The flowers in the conservatory may be purchased from Miss Katherine Yoe, Mesdames Walter Carr, Schofield, Ruffner, Hamilton, and Carqueville. A grab bag will be arranged in the attic under the supervision of Mrs. E. B. Metzler. Tea will be served in the dining room by Mrs. Walter Baldwin and the following committee: Mesdames Frederick Watkins, Whitman, Loudon, Buckman, Tyner, Adams, Harkness, and the Misses Bletch, Elizabeth Buckley, Margaret Merryweather, Mary Lee Whitman, Betty Bacon, Mary Sedgwick, Bertha Harbaugh and Lois Greene. There will be one good laugh for everyone in the Chamber of Horrors. The following committee will be on hand to render first aid to the overcome: Mesdames Cregier, Charles Everett, and Miss Everett. The sale will be in charge of Miss Charlotte Yoe.

#### CHAS. THOMPSON ARRESTED SATURDAY

Going Through Business Section at the Rate of Thirty Miles

Chas. Thompson, son of Mr. T. P. Thompson, 4812 Sheridan Rd., Chicago, was arrested here Saturday morning by Chief of Police Wieg for speeding. The lad was racing at the speed of thirty miles through the business section when he was stopped. When asked what he meant by going at this speed he replied, "I thought this was country." He was tried before Judge Smith and fined \$30 and costs.

#### WILL SERVE LIGHT LUNCH

F. W. Schumacher Introduces new Feature in Connection With Soda Fountain

Yesterday, Mr. F. W. Schumacher introduced in Highland Park, a feature found in many modern drug stores of Chicago, in the form of a light lunch served in connection with his soda fountain. Coffee, hot chocolate, tea, sandwiches, pies, cakes, etc., may be had at any hour of the day.