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## CONGRESSMAN FOSS ON SUBMARINE POLICY

SPEECH IN HOUSE ON MARCH SEVENTH

Representative From This District is  
Only Republican Member From Ill-  
inois to Uphold President Wilson's  
Submarine Policy

By George Edmund Foss  
Mr. Speaker, the situation present-  
ed here today is not of our choosing,  
but it is here and we must meet it in  
a patriotic manner.  
The framers of the Constitution were  
wise and farsighted in the estab-  
lishment of our Government when they  
provided for three separate  
branches—the legislative, executive,  
and judicial. That document gives  
the President the power, by and with  
the advice and consent of the Sen-  
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and appoint ambassadors and other  
public ministers, and also the right to  
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lic ministers. Under these powers is  
invested in him the right of initiation  
and control of our diplomatic nego-  
tiations with other countries, and  
whenever he comes to an agreement  
or conclusion he can report treaties  
to the Senate for ratification; he can  
give information at any time to Con-  
gress on the state of the Union. The  
attempt on the part of Congress to  
pass any resolution upon the present  
subject matter of diplomatic negotia-  
tions in the course of negotiation is  
clearly an interference and an in-  
fringement of the constitutional pro-  
rogative of the Executive and fraught  
with great danger to our country.  
What a spectacle we would present to  
the world if the Congress of the  
United States, composed of two bod-  
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## ILLINOIS CONFERENCE CLOSES

Rev. J. Foster Van Evert Leaves This  
Church and Rev. J. H. Keagle  
Fills His Vacancy

At the twenty-third annual session  
of the Illinois Conference held in the  
First United Evangelical church last  
week and this, the following appoint-  
ments of local interest were made:

Rev. Van Evert, we are sorry to  
state, is to leave the local church and  
may accept the pastorate of the  
Adams street church, Chicago. This  
depends entirely upon the health of  
Mrs. Van Evert. If he does not ac-  
cept that parish, he will remain in  
Highland Park. His place at the  
church is to be taken by Rev. J. H.  
Keagle. Arthur Meierhoff has been  
given the pastorate of the church in  
Joliet, Illinois. C. G. Unangst, well  
known here, as he was former pre-  
siding elder of this district has been  
transferred to Naperville. H. W.  
Lambert is now located in Polo and  
Rev. J. G. Fidler, also well known  
here has been transferred to Rock-  
ford. Rev. Keagle will begin his  
duties here sometime within the next  
two weeks. Rev. Van Evert will  
preach his farewell sermon Sunday  
morning.

## POPULATION OF HIGHLAND PARK 6931

Census Just Taken Shows Us to be  
Second City in County

That Highland Park is the second  
largest city in Lake county is now  
settled without doubt. F. K. Bum-  
stead & Co. who has just completed  
the official census has filed with the  
city clerk the names and addresses of  
6931 citizens. These names are on  
the original slips compiled in pre-  
cincts by the person making the can-  
vas and may be depended upon to be  
correct. This shows a gain of 2131  
over the government census taken in  
1910, which gave Highland Park a  
population of 4800.

The above figures are a sad blow  
to North Chicago, who has always  
claimed the honor of being the sec-  
ond largest city in the county.

## THE "FLETCHER MAPLE" DONATED TO THE CITY

MR. CLAVEY MOVES SIX TON TREE

Tree Adds to Beauty of Park on Laurel  
and Prospect Avenues. Move-  
ment Approved by City  
Beautiful Commission

Eight years ago when Mr. A. W.  
Fletcher, the situation present-  
ed here today is not of our choosing,  
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Mr. Clavey, at this writing has  
a small army of men at work moving  
the tree and the citizens of Highland  
Park are certainly indebted to him  
for his generosity. Mr. Clavey, who  
is the owner of the Ravinia Nurseries  
is not only one of the most progres-  
sive business men but has on more  
than one occasion shown himself to  
be a public spirited citizen, always  
ready to share and a little more for  
a greater Highland Park, better roads  
leading in and out of the city and it  
is due to this fact and this alone that  
he finally consented to let his name  
go on the ticket for Road Commis-  
sioner in the election to be held April  
the fourth.

## COURT CONFIRMS IMPROVEMENTS

Green Bay Road Paving to be Rushed to  
Early Completion

On Saturday, March 18th the coun-  
ty court confirmed the improvement  
of Green Bay road, there being but  
two objectors, but who withdrew  
their objections. The city will now  
proceed to advertise for bids and  
award the contract for paving at an  
early date. An effort will be made  
to have the work completed as early  
this summer as possible. The paving  
will be of brick and extend from  
Central avenue to the south city  
limits.

The court also confirmed the assess-  
ments against the owners of property  
not objecting in the Ravinia System  
of Streets. Objections were filed by  
property owners representing about  
one-third of the assessment and the  
court will set the date for the hear-  
ing of objections for some time in  
April.

## WEEKLY WATER REPORT

Issued by the Department of Health of  
the City of Highland Park

Date submitted, March 20, 1916.  
Taken from laboratory tap.  
Presumptive test—negative.  
Number of colonies to c. c.—4.  
Colon bacilli—none.  
Water safe.

H. J. Ullmann.

## Deerfield-Shields High School Trims Waukegan 36 to 24 in Last Basket Ball Game of the Season



In a basketball game last Friday  
afternoon, featured by remarkable  
playing on both sides, the home team  
showed their superiority over their  
one time rivals. Waukegan put up  
a splendid fight but was unable to  
solve the formation and team work of  
their opponents. At times it seemed  
as though they were at a loss to  
know how to stop the onslaught of  
Captain Bolan and his team mates.  
It was the team that showed the  
greatest aggressiveness and speed  
that proved victorious.

During the season the High School  
five has played some strenuous  
games. They have taken part in  
twenty games and have won thirteen  
of these.

This year the athletic teams of the  
high school were admitted into the  
Chicago Suburban League. Basket-  
ball being represented by light and  
heavyweight teams. Although not  
champions this year, the heavy-  
weights were one of the four teams  
fighting for first place. Too much  
credit cannot be given to the school  
spirit of the student body. Every  
game saw them out cheering for  
their team.

The local high school loses five of  
her stars by graduation this year:  
Bolan (Capt.), Flagg, Grant, Oke  
and Duffy.

Line-up:	B	F	P	T
Deerfield (36)	7	0	2	3
Duffy, rf	2	0	1	0
Flagg, lf	4	0	0	0
Carlson, c	3	0	2	0
Bolan, rg	0	4	0	0
Bowen, lg	0	0	0	0
Oke, c	4	0	3	0
Waukegan (24)	B	F	P	T
Thornquist, rf	1	0	1	0
Babcox, lf	2	0	0	1
Crawford, c	1	0	0	1
Powell, rg	1	0	1	0
Hull, lg	1	0	2	0
Holes, c	0	0	0	1

Highland Park High School is to  
be represented at the Interscholastic  
Indoor Track Meet Friday and Sat-  
urday evening by the following boys:  
S. Baldwin in the hurdles, G. Jiles in  
the dashes, F. Knight in the high  
jump, J. Laegler in the quarter and  
mile run, H. Plagge in the half and  
mile, and Bolan in the weights.

Now that the basketball season has  
come to a close, baseball steps in  
and makes its bow. Candidates for  
the team are beginning to warm up.  
The school ought to have a good  
team this year as all of last year's  
team are back, and a number of new  
boys are showing up in great shape.  
A fine schedule has been worked out.  
The first game in the Suburban League  
comes April 15th.

## WORK ON NEW BUILDING STARTED

Messrs Larson Plan to be in New Gar-  
age by May Fifteenth

Work was started last week on the  
excavation for the new garage and  
livery to be erected on the corner of  
Laurel avenue and First street by  
Messrs. O. J. and A. T. Larson. The  
building is to be a two story brick struc-  
ture with pressed brick front on First St.  
and Laurel avenue, trimmed with  
stone. The size of the building will  
be 55 by 130 feet fronting First  
street. On the first floor there of  
course will be the main entrance and  
garage proper. On one side of the  
entrance there will be a display room  
while on the other side the office will  
be located. The second floor will be  
used as the repair room with the  
front part furnished for the chauff-  
eurs' rest room, smoking room, etc.,  
when they are off duty. Messrs. Lar-  
son are planning to be located in  
their new building by May fifteenth,  
weather permitting. The estimated  
cost of the building is \$18,000. Mr.  
William Noerenberg has the brick  
contract, Thos. H. Brewer, the car-  
penter work, the Highland Park  
Heating and Plumbing Co. the plumb-  
ing and D. C. Purdy and Sons the tin  
work.

## WILLIAM SHEAHEN PASSES AWAY

Funeral Services Held at St. James  
Church This Morning

Mr. William Sheahan of Highwood,  
aged thirty-six years, died suddenly  
at five-thirty o'clock Monday after-  
noon at the Waukegan Hospital,  
Waukegan. Mr. Sheahan had been  
ill but one week, suffering from an  
attack of pneumonia. The deceased  
since his coming to Highwood from  
Colorado twenty years ago has been  
employed with his step-father, Mr.  
R. Shannon, in the latter's grocery  
store. He was an active member of  
the Odd Fellows and the Knights of  
Pythias.

The funeral services were held  
this morning at St. James church,  
Highwood, Father Gates, reading  
high mass. The burial took place at  
Lake Forest.

## SOLDIERS LEAVE FORT SHERIDAN

350 Men Left the Post Wednesday for  
Columbus, New Mexico

After a week of gloom at Fort  
Sheridan, the post became a scene of  
activity Tuesday when the long ex-  
pected order came from Washington  
announcing the removal of the troops  
to the Mexican border. Two trains  
bearing the first squadron, consisting  
of four troops of cavalry and one  
machine gun troop under the com-  
mand of Lieutenant Col. Daniel L.  
Tate pulled out near noon Wednes-  
day.

The order, received by Col. D. A.  
Frederick, commander of the Central  
department, U. S. A., directed the  
Fort Sheridan troops to proceed at  
once to Columbus, N. M.

Col. Tate was notified a week ago  
last Sunday to hold his command in  
readiness for immediate entrainment  
so about 350 men and officers left  
yesterday. There were about 375  
men at the post, but two members of  
the signal corps, two of the hospital  
corps, and about fifteen of the quar-  
termaster's corps remained in charge  
of the post.

Twenty-six motor trucks and thirty-  
three men from the Kenosha plant of  
the Jeffery Motor Company left for  
El Paso over the Rock Island at seven  
p. m. Three hours later another  
train over the same road carried  
twenty-six Backard trucks to the  
army base at the border.

## WORK STARTED ON LIGHTING SYSTEM

Excavation Being Made and Concrete  
Foundation Laid

Work has begun on Highland  
Park's ornamental street lighting  
system. All the material for the job  
arrived last week and Monday morn-  
ing excavations were started. Con-  
crete foundations are now being  
placed for the posts and with good  
weather all the underground work  
should be finished in two or three  
weeks. The Freeman-Sweet Co. in-  
forms us that the lights will be burn-  
ing before May first.

## REGULAR MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL

MAYOR BACK AFTER BRIEF HOLIDAY

Children Under Twelve years of Age  
Granted Permission to Ride Bicycles  
on Sidewalks to Avoid Danger  
of Automobiles

By Publicity Commission  
Mayor Hastings, with Commis-  
sioners Bahr and Huber was present  
at roll call at the council meeting  
last Friday; the former, after a brief  
holiday, seemed quite happy to be in  
harness again. The minutes of the  
last meeting were read and approved.  
There did not seem to be as much  
business on hand as might have been  
expected. A communication was read  
by the city clerk asking that children  
be allowed to ride bicycles and tri-  
cycles on sidewalks, in order to lessen  
the danger of accidents when traffic  
becomes greater, in order to grant  
this request an amendment to the or-  
dinance in force at present would  
have to be made, the matter was re-  
ferred to the city attorney; it was  
suggested however, that children un-  
der twelve be granted the privilege  
asked. Every precaution to avoid  
accidents should certainly be taken,  
at the same time pedestrians must  
have the assurance that the side-  
walks are not to be used as race  
tracks by young cyclists.

When the financial report was read  
it was moved and seconded that  
\$86.95 be paid. There seemed to  
be some difficulty concerning a  
small portion of land which some  
years ago was condemned and taken  
over by the city, the property owner  
of the adjoining land claiming the  
forty-three feet in question. While  
there may have been an error in  
measurement at the time the land  
was taken over by the city, it was  
not considered proper or wise to set-  
tle this matter without further in-  
vestigation, and it was moved and  
seconded that the mayor and city  
clerk make such an investigation.  
The meeting closed early to meet  
with the committee of Local Improve-  
ments. We hear whispers from time  
to time concerning the new hospital  
site, we also know that several per-  
sons are holding back their donations  
or subscriptions until the location has  
been definitely settled. A suggestion  
worth considering it seems to us is  
that the so-called West Side Park  
would be an ideal spot for the hospi-  
tal, and the money which would other-  
wise be spent in the purchase of a  
site could be invested in property  
suitable for a public park.

## ONE CENT SALE POPULAR

Retail Advertising Campaign Meets With  
great success

The One Cent Sale held on Thurs-  
day, Friday and Saturday, of last  
week at the Fred W. Schumacher  
drug store, was a "howling" success.  
A thousand dollars worth of Rexall  
goods was sold in the three days. The  
following are a few interesting facts  
concerning the sale: five hundred  
packages of Rexal tooth powder,  
eight hundred pounds of Opeka cof-  
fee, one hundred twenty-five maxi-  
mum hot water bottles, three hun-  
dred packages Violet Dulc talcum  
powder, one hundred pounds of Sch-  
umacher's creams, four hundred boxes  
Cascade and Lord Baltimore linen,  
were among the articles sold. The  
famous creams disappeared as if by  
magic on the first day of the sale.  
Other articles, too numerous to men-  
tion, sold in correspondingly large  
numbers. The sale met with such suc-  
cess that it is the plan to make it an  
annual affair, and one is being plan-  
ned for next fall.

## CHANGE OF VENUE GRANTED ORFET

Alleged Slayer of Marion Lambert Se-  
cures Another Delay in the Trial

Charging that Hon. Claire C. Ed-  
wards was prejudiced, and that it  
would be impossible for him to pro-  
cure a fair and impartial trial at his  
hands, Wm. H. Orpet, alleged slayer  
of Marion Lambert, through his at-  
torneys, made a motion in circuit  
court today that he be granted a  
change of venue from Judge Claire  
C. Edwards. The prayer of counsel  
by reason of the acts of the attorneys  
and Wm. Orpet another delay in the  
trial of the alleged slayer of the  
school girl has been procured.

## SATURDAY, MARCH 25TH TO BE CLEAN-UP DAY

CIVICS COMMISSION PLANS FOR WORK

Extracts From Health Ordinances, From  
the Revised Ordinance of the City  
of Highland Park Dealing  
With Nuisances

It is not necessary to inform our  
intelligent and well read citizens of  
the havoc wrought by our common  
house fly. The experiments carried  
on at the Rockefeller Institute by  
Flexner and Clark have convinced  
the public that the common house  
fly carries the virus of infantile spinal  
paralysis. It is not only annoying  
but extremely loathsome and dan-  
gerous.

The public is also convinced that  
the mosquito ought to be suppressed,  
but many who have shown an interest  
in Clean-up-Day, as an initial step  
in the suggested mosquito campaign,  
have expressed doubt in the possibi-  
lity of ever reducing their numbers.  
It will be interesting to our doubtful  
citizens to know that the disposition  
of the mosquito has not only been  
accomplished in the Panama region,  
Cuba, and other tropical places suf-  
fering from malaria and yellow fever,  
but also in a few places where  
the mosquito has been more of a nu-  
isance than a menace to public health.  
The mosquito problem is, in reality  
a state problem. Mosquitoes have  
wings and can fly surprising distanc-  
es. As yet New Jersey is the only  
state that has entirely assumed this  
responsibility. It has been fully dem-  
onstrated that the work of the organ-  
ized county commission has given de-  
sired results.

Local health boards in Connecticut  
and New York state have certain  
powers to compel owners to drain  
mosquito breeding areas.

In Massachusetts and several  
states local campaigns have been  
started. In New Haven a permanent  
incorporated citizens committee sup-  
ported by popular subscription last  
year drained one-third of its 1,200  
odd acres and they state that they  
expect to see the mosquito crop re-  
duced within a few years by 98%.

Last year much effort was put  
forth by a few public spirited men  
and women to make our city a clean-  
er and less suitable habitation for  
the mosquito and house fly. Results  
were impossible because insufficient  
publicity prevented united co-opera-  
tion. Also the wet summer made the  
task an unusually gigantic one. The  
Civics Commission appointed by the  
mayor this year has enough faith in  
the citizens and property owners of  
Highland Park to believe that they  
will make March 25th a thorough  
clean-up-day. Let us live the royal  
law in the matter and let us have  
faith that what has succeeded else-  
where can succeed in Highland Park.

## ATTRACTION AT LOCAL THEATRE

Julius Caesar, Thursday, March 30th.  
Matinee at Three Forty-five o'clock

The Highland Park Theatre offers  
as its attractions for the week begin-  
ning Sunday, March 26th, the follow-  
ing: Sunday, "D'Artagnan," featur-  
ing Oris Johnson, together with  
"Love Will Conquer," featuring Fred  
Mack and Mack Swain; Monday, four  
acts of vaudeville and pictures; Tues-  
day, Alice Brady in "The Ballet Girl"  
and a comedy. Wednesday, March  
29th, "Acquitted," featuring Wilfred  
Lucas together with Roscoe Arbuckle  
and Mabel Normand in "We Did and  
We Didn't"; Thursday, March 30th,  
"Julius Caesar," a photo drama clas-  
sic featuring Anthony Novelli in the  
role of Caesar. This picture was  
procured by the request of the High  
School and there will be a matinee  
at 3:45 on this day; Friday, Cleo  
Ridgely and Wallace Reid in "The  
Golden Chance," by Jeanne MacPherson  
and a comedy, while on Saturday,  
Hazel Dawn in an original detective  
comedy drama, "My Lady Inceg,"  
and Burton Holmes travel pictures  
and a comedy will be the attraction.