

COMMITTEE APPOINTED FOR FOURTH CELEBRATION

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dent Ravinia Commission.
 Mrs. Geo. R. Nichols Regent, Daughters of American Revolution.
 Mrs. William J. Fyfe, American Red Cross.
 Mrs. W. A. Alexander, Y. W. C. A.
 Mr. Ralph Bard, Boy Scouts of America.
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 Mrs. F. M. Terry, President, Women's Club.
 Mrs. F. D. Porter, President, Women's Civic Club Ravinia.
 Mr. G. M. Vall, President, Highland Park Club.
 Mr. Jas. L. Martin, Secretary, Exmoor Country Club.
 Mr. C. N. Kimball, Treasurer, Bob-o-Link Golf Club.
 Prof. R. L. Sandwick, Principal High School.
 Mr. J. L. Smith, Principal, Elm Place School.
 Mr. Clark G. Wright, Principal, Lincoln, Ravinia and Ridge Schools.
 Rev. J. D. O'Neill, Parochial School.
 Allan Flynn, Young Men's Club.
 Robert F. Carr, At Large.

The committee will meet at the City Hall Friday evening at eight o'clock, to further the celebration plans.

The Mayor's proclamation calling on the citizens of Highland Park to celebrate Independence Day will appear in our next issue together with fuller details.

Sub Committees: Speakers, Publicity and Printing, Refreshments, Sports, Parade, Finance, Concessions, Decorations, Dancing, Music, Stands, Programme.

Theodore Roosevelt had been asked to address the citizens of Highland Park on Independence Day. His reply follows:

Roosevelt Letter
 New York, May 21, 1917.

My Dear Mr. Ruffner:
 I regret I must refuse your kind invitation. Since election I have received in the neighborhood of 700 requests for speeches, and many of them I am sorry to have to refuse. I am simply overwhelmed with work just now, and it is a physical impossibility for me to make another engagement of any kind or sort.

With regrets,
 Sincerely yours,
 Theodore Roosevelt.

Mr. William R. Ruffner, Chicago, Ill.

The Americanization committee reminds every male resident of the City who has reached his 21st and has not reached his 31st birthday that he must register on June 5, 1917. Points about registration appear elsewhere in this paper. Posters will be placed in store windows and public places warning every male resident between the required ages to register upon penalty of imprisonment. Fines will not be imposed.

The Finance Committee urges everybody to invest in the Liberty Loan. The rate of interest is 3 1/2 per cent. The security is the best in the

world. The loan of \$2,000,000,000 must be oversubscribed.

The High School and the Ravinia platoons of the Home Guards will meet in the business district next Monday evening and march to the high school gymnasium for drill. The High School contingent is asked to assemble at the High School at seven thirty instead of eight o'clock.

DEATHS

William Norton Goodridge
 William Norton Goodridge, son of Philip White and Mary Courtante Goodridge, was born in Boston, March second, 1836. In 1844 his parents removed to Newton, a few miles from Boston, where he was educated in the public schools. He spent several years in the workshop of Alvin Clark, the celebrated telescope maker. In 1862 he joined the army as a sergeant in the 45th Mass. regiment and was wounded in the battle of Newbern, carrying the bullet during the rest of his life. He was a loyal member of the G. A. R., being past commander of the John A. Logan post of Evanston. After the war he went to New York, and later to Illinois, where he entered the employ of the Western Union Telegraph Co. In 1868 he married Miss Caroline A. Wilcox of Chicago. Mr. and Mrs. Goodridge came in 1876 to Highland Park and this was their home until six years ago, when they removed to California. In the early years of his residence here, Mr. Goodridge assisted Professor Elisha Gray, who was at that time developing the telephone.

He had made a careful study of music, played the violin well, and also was a trained singer, with a beautiful tenor voice, which he retained to a remarkable degree almost to the end of his life.

He was a member of the Highland Park Presbyterian Church, and for many years had charge of the choir. Mr. Goodridge was a quiet, unostentatious man, faithful in his work, gentle in manner, firm in his convictions, exemplary in his life, and a good citizen.

He died at his home in Glendale, California, on May 21, 1917, leaving a widow, a daughter, Mrs. Charles Whipple, and a grandson, James Goodridge Gould. Also in Newton, Mass., three sisters, the Misses Lucy and Susan Goodridge, and Mrs. Mary R. Martin.

—Contributed.

Mary Magdalene Donner
 Mary Magdalene Donner, nee Ludwig, was born in Iehsheim, Alsace, Germany, on Sept. 17, 1825. In the year 1849 she was united in marriage with John Donner. Five years later the young couple, in company with Mrs. Donner's parents, came to America and began their new home in Long Grove, Ill. After residing here for 11 years, they removed to Deerfield.

Under the ministry of Rev. Jacob Himmel Mr. and Mrs. Donner were converted and joined the Evangelical Church at Deerfield.

During these years the happy family circle was broken by the death of four children and the husband and father. Mr. Donner died on June 14, 1878. Mrs. Donner remained on the farm until 1902 when she came to Highland Park. Here she resided until her health failed, and it was no longer advisable for her to live alone. Her son, William Donner of Hubbard Woods, opened the doors of his home for her on June 17, 1916. After some months Mrs. Donner's strength began to fall very rapidly. On May 1st she was taken to the home of her daughter, Mrs. F. Gross, near Glimmer, Ill. It was soon to be seen that Mrs. Donner was nearing her last hour. Everything was done to bring comfort and relief, but each passing hour recorded a falling of vitality. The end came on May 28th at 8 p. m. Peacefully she slept her last sleep.

There remain to mourn the departure of Mrs. Donner, one son, William Donner of Hubbard Woods, Mrs. F. Gross of Glimmer, Mrs. Mary Bess of Greenwood, twenty-seven grandchildren and a great company of friends.

The services were held yesterday afternoon in the Ebenzer Evangelical church, and the body was laid to rest in the Deerfield cemetery. Rev. E. M. Umbach, officiated.

Marion Richards
 Little Marion Richards, aged two and one half years, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Richards, died this morning at five o'clock. The little girl had been ill for the past three weeks. Funeral arrangements have not been made as yet.

M. and Mrs. John McCaffery of North Chicago, formerly of this city, are the proud and happy parents of a son born yesterday, May thirtieth.


The transactions of the world have gone a long way since the time when \$1,000,000 was regarded as a very large sum of money.

Come to think of it, Hapsburg has a sound of uncertainty.

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WALTER MCGUIRE MADE GUNNER IN U. S. NAVY

Former Chief of Police in Lake Forest Given Position by Secretary of Navy Appointment

An appointment of considerable local interest recently made by the Secretary of the Navy is that of former Chief of Police Walter McGuire, of Lake Forest, who has been made a gunner in the U. S. Naval Reserve Force. At the outbreak of hostilities Mr. McGuire was one of the first ex-Navy men to tender his services to his former commanding officer, Captain William A. Moffett, Commandant of the Great Lakes Naval Training Station. When called to join the colors his patriotism and former excellent record in the Navy were accorded signal recognition in his selection for his present post, which gives him the rank, pay, allowances and prestige of a Warrant Officer. Mr. McGuire has to his credit six years of service in the regular Navy, which he entered as an apprentice seaman, and from which he was honorably discharged as a Master-at-arms. During a portion of this period he served as a Turret Captain on board the U. S. S. Minnesota, in which capacity he had immediate charge of the operation of the guns of large caliber in one of the turrets of that vessel, and is reputed to be as accurate a marksman with big guns as with small arms, with which he is a dead shot.

During his connection with the Lake Forest Police Department he was frequently referred to as the Adonis of the force. He is six foot in height, weight 240 pounds, and is excellently proportioned. The Naval Training Surgeon who passed upon his physical qualifications stated that he made a perfect examination and was the finest specimen of physical manhood among the recruits who had presented themselves for examination at the Great Lakes Training Station.

The connection of McGuire with the Lake Forest Police Department was terminated several weeks ago by his voluntary resignation, this action being impelled partly because of a desire to place his services at the disposal of the Government during the present crisis, where his training and experience might be used to the best advantage, and partly because of a wish to afford the new municipal officers of Lake For-

THE STAR SPANGLED BANNER

(Francis Scott Key)

O say, can you see, by the dawn's early light,
 What so proudly we hail'd at the twilight's last gleaming—
 Whose broad stripes and bright stars, through the clouds of the night,
 O'er the ramparts we watch'd, so gallantly streaming!

And the rocket's red glare, the bombs bursting in air,
 Gave proof through the night that our flag was still there;
 O! say, does that star-spangled banner yet wave
 O'er the land of the free, and the home of the brave?

On that shore dimly seen through the mists of the deep,
 Where the foe's haughty host in dread silence reposes,
 What is that which the breeze, o'er the towering steep,
 As it fitfully blows, now conceals, now discloses?
 Now it catches the gleam of the morning's first beam,
 In full glory reflected now shines on the stream;
 'Tis the star-spangled banner; O long may it wave
 O'er the land of the free, and the home of the brave!

And where is that band who so vauntingly swore
 That the havoc of war and the battle's confusion
 A home and a country should leave us no more?
 Their blood has wash'd out their foul footsteps' pollution.
 No refuge could save the hireling and slave
 From the terror of flight, or the gloom of the grave;
 And the star-spangled banner in triumph doth wave
 O'er the land of the free, and the home of the brave!

O! thus be it ever, when freemen shall stand
 Between their loved homes and the war's desolation!
 Blest with vict'ry and peace, may the heav'n rescued land
 Praise the power that hath made and preserved us a nation.
 Then conquer we must, when our cause is just,
 And this be our motto—"In God is our trust";
 And the star-spangled banner in triumph shall wave
 O'er the land of the free, and the home of the brave!

est the opportunity to make without embarrassment such changes in police personnel and policy as were deemed advisable and necessary to most satisfactorily meet the wishes of the people who had elected them to office. His retirement was in no wise considered a reflection upon his ability as a police officer, for during his incumbency the affairs of the police department were administered efficiently and in a manner meeting with general approval.

Upon assuming the duties of his new appointment Mr. McGuire will be assigned to temporary duty at the Great Lakes Training Station for instruction preliminary to joining a battleship or other naval vessel.

What is a Liberty Loan Bond?—A Liberty Loan Bond is a solemn promise of the United States to pay at maturity the amount of the bond to the holder thereof, and to pay interest semiannually each year from the date of the issuance of the bond until it is fully and finally paid.

The satisfaction which Nicholas Romanoff is said to find in private life does not seem to tempt Emperor William to follow his example.

"Prosperity gives us friends and adversity proves them.

Any eligible man who dislikes the sound of "compulsory service" has the privilege of volunteering.