

The Highland Park Press

HIGHLAND PARK, ILLINOIS, THURSDAY, OCTOBER 30, 1919

VOLUME 3

NUMBER 35

TUESDAY'S ELECTION UNUSUALLY IMPORTANT

TO DECIDE BIG QUESTIONS

Good Roads Bond Issue and Forest Preserve in the Limestone in Lake County

It is not unlikely, with all the press of business and engagements at this time of year, that the fall election of Tuesday, November 4, will not receive the attention which it undoubtedly merits.

There are four very important issues upon which the people of this district will register their opinion next Tuesday. The first is the Good Roads bill, the ballot reading as follows:

Good Roads Bond Issue

"Shall County Bonds for roads be issued to the amount of \$1,000,000 and an additional tax be levied for the payment of interest and principal of such bonds?"

Forest Preserve

Another important question is that of the Forest Preserve which reads: "Shall there be organized a Forest Preserve District, in accordance with the order of the Honorable Claire C. Edwards, one of the Judges of the Circuit Court of Lake County, under date of the 24th day of February, A. D. 1919, to be known as the Forest Preserve District of Lake County, and described as follows: The Territory having boundaries coterminous with the boundaries of all the territory within the boundaries of and embraced in the County of Lake in the State of Illinois and being all the territory within the boundaries of and embraced in the County of Lake in the State of Illinois."

Delegates to Constitutional Convention

The third is the election of delegates from this county to the Constitutional Convention. This question is one which deserves most careful consideration, it is a matter which calls for intelligent votes from all the people of this community. Following is the list of candidates. Vote for:

Republican: Frank S. Whitman, Belvidere; Elam L. Clarke, Waukegan.
Democratic: J. E. Barber, Marenco; Frank Gilroy.
Socialist: Frank Wagner, North Chicago; Gust Hausdowsky, North Chicago.

Initiative and Referendum

The fourth is the question of the Initiative and Referendum, the following questions to be submitted:

QUESTION NO. 1.

Shall the members of the Fifth Constitutional Convention be instructed to submit a proposal for the INITIATIVE AND REFERENDUM, as defined in Question No. 1, for a separate vote, in such manner that said proposal, if approved by a majority of those voting thereon, shall take effect, either as part of a new constitution or as an amendment of Article 4, Section 1, of the present constitution?

QUESTION NO. 2.

Shall the members of the Fifth Constitutional Convention be instructed to submit the proposal for the INITIATIVE AND REFERENDUM, as defined in Question No. 1, for a separate vote, in such manner that said proposal, if approved by a majority of those voting thereon, shall take effect, either as part of a new constitution or as an amendment of Article 4, Section 1, of the present constitution?

QUESTION NO. 3.

Shall the members of the Fifth Constitutional Convention be instructed to submit to its electors constitutional provisions granting to the State and to Cities, Towns and Villages and other Municipal corporations and districts to ACQUIRE outside of and beyond any constitutional debt limitations, INCOME PRODUCING UTILITIES, such as water works, gas works, electric light and power plants, street railways, urban and interurban transportation system, telephone and telegraph systems, elevated railways, warehouses, elevators, wharves, docks, and cold storage plants and stock yards, abattoirs and mines?

Women can vote on all these questions except the election of candidates to the Constitutional Convention.

Y. W. C. A. CAFETERIA PROVES MOST POPULAR

Over Forty People Served with Dinner on Opening Day, Friday, October twenty-fourth

Home made pie, cake, and doughnuts, delicious meats and vegetables, and fragrant coffee are not the least of the attractions at the Y. W. C. A. cafeteria, which opened last Friday and is located on the corner of Central avenue and Green Bay road.

A table d'hôte lunch is served from 12 to 1 p. m. for thirty-five cents. If there is sufficient demand a cafeteria lunch will be served. Cafeteria dinner is served from 5:30 to 7 p. m. Sunday dinner, cafeteria style, from 12:30 to 2:00 p. m. is a specialty and Sunday night supper will be from 6 to 7.

The white tables and chairs trimmed in blue, and the bright cretonne curtains make the dining rooms most attractive. Many patrons have expressed their pleasure over the dainty china and attractive furnishings.

There are two dining rooms, one on the east, the other on the south side of the house, and a reception room which is furnished with wicker chairs and tables. Several rooms on the second floor are rented to young women.

Although the equipment was not completely installed until noon last Friday, over forty people were served with a delicious dinner that evening. Home cooking, under the direction of Mrs. C. G. Wright, who is well fitted for her position as cafeteria director, and an entirely different menu each day will be the plan on which the cafeteria will run.

MR. A. O. MASON WEDS MISS ANNIE LOWRY

Ceremony in Milwaukee Saturday at Home of Bride's Sister; Couple Will Reside Here

Mr. Alexander O. Mason of Highland Park was married last Saturday to Miss Annie Lowry of Milwaukee. The marriage took place at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. William Ward Wright, 404 Keen Street, Milwaukee. The ceremony was attended by two sisters of the bride, Mrs. James R. Paul and Miss Blanche Lowry of Evanston and Mr. Mason's two daughters, Mrs. William Peter, and Miss Blanche Mason of this city.

Mr. Mason has long made his residence in Highland Park, and is a well-known figure in the Chicago business world. It is understood that, after a brief trip, Mr. and Mrs. Mason will occupy the family residence at 425 Ravine Place.

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY WILL MEET MONDAY

First Meeting of the Auxiliary; Delegates to be Present From All North Shore Towns

The first meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of Trinity church will be held in the Parish House on Monday, November 3, at 2:30 o'clock p. m. This will be a neighborhood meeting at which women from all the North Shore Chapters from Wilmette to Shore Chapters from Wilmette to Waukegan will be present. Mrs. E. J. Randall, president of the Diocesan Auxiliary, and other officers and delegates to the House of Churchwomen, will come and tell of women's work at the General Convention now in session at Detroit, and of plans and undertakings for the present season. This will be a meeting of great interest and importance and the ladies of Trinity church are urged to attend. Afternoon tea will be served.

ELKS CLUB WARMING HELD THIS EVENING

The Elks will have a big club warming and dance this evening in their rooms in the Witten building. This is an invitation affair. The rooms have been very prettily decorated in the usual Halloween manner. This is the first social event of this kind that the Elks have held since they were organized here last year. The dancing will start about 8:30, and later a light lunch will be served.

PROF. WILLETT TO SPEAK HERE NEXT SUNDAY

AT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

First of a Series of Seven Sunday Evening Lectures by Well Known Speakers

Next Sunday night at eight o'clock Professor Herbert L. Willett, of the University of Chicago, will speak at the Presbyterian Church on "America's New Task." Prof. Willett has spoken many times in Highland Park in previous years and every time many Highland Parkers have listened to his message.

This service next Sunday night at eight o'clock is the first of seven successive services of a similar character which will be addressed by well-known speakers from Chicago. At each service an offering will be received to cover the cost of the series, and the singing will be led by the members of the Young People's Society of the Presbyterian Church. Last fall a similar series was held which was well attended by people from every part of our city. It is hoped that this year the attendance will be still larger.

On Sunday evening, November the ninth, Prof. Theodore G. Soares, also of the University of Chicago, will speak on the topic, "The Church Leading the Way." Prof. Soares is another speaker whose message attracts a large attendance.

On November the sixteenth Prof. John A. Scott, of Northwestern University will speak on a topic to be announced later.

On November twenty-third, Mrs. Staff Captain Morrison of the Salvation Army will speak. The organization which she represents meant a great deal to our boys at the front. Many will be anxious to hear her story.

On November the thirtieth President Lynn Harold Hough, of Northwestern University, will speak on the topic, "England and America." President Hough is specially qualified for this subject. For the last two summers he has been an exchange in the pulpit of the City Temple in London, the most influential pulpit in England outside the Established Church.

On December the seventh Dr. Preston Bradley of the People's Church, in Chicago, will speak on "The Triumph of Religion in the Great War." Beginning as a Presbyterian minister and then breaking away entirely from denominationalism, Dr. Bradley has built up a weekly congregation of three thousand at the Pantheon Theatre on the North Side.

The last meeting of the series will be addressed by the Reverend George Craig Stewart, D. D., the well known Episcopalian minister of Evanston. His topic will be announced later.

Each week the pastor of the following Sunday night will be announced in The Highland Park Press.

SUNDAY, PEGGY HYLAND IN "COWARDICE COURT"

Thursday, Four Acts of Vaudeville. Friday, Corrine Griffith in "Who Goes There", also Comedy

The program which will be presented at Bartlette Theatre, Highland, next week, is as follows: Sunday, Peggy Hyland in "Cowardice Court," also Alice Howell in a two reel Century comedy; Tuesday, "The Great Gamble," Pathe News, Harold Lloyd comedy and Mutt and Jeff; Wednesday, Harry Morey in "The Other Man," also Big V comedy; Thursday, four acts of vaudeville, Halford in "Lessons of Love," also Mutual comedy; Friday, Corrine Griffith in "Who Goes There," also a Vitagraph comedy; Saturday, "Elmo, the Mighty," also International news and a two reel Universal comedy.

FRATERNAL AID UNION TO GIVE CARD PARTY

The Fraternal Aid Union will give a Public Euchre Card Party at Witten Hall on Wednesday evening, November 5th, at eight o'clock. Prizes will be given. Refreshments will be served. Everyone is welcome to attend.

GRAND JURY FAILS TO INDICT MRS. STRANG

Was Charged With the Murder of Her Husband Who Died on May 15th, Last

Failure to indict Mrs. Grace Ives Strang, of Highland Park, charged with the murder of her husband, Herbert S. Strang, was the big surprise developed Monday afternoon when the Lake County grand jury returned its report. Mrs. Strang was accused of having caused the death of her husband by poisoning. Mr. Strang died suddenly in May of this year, and an autopsy showed that he had died of strychnine poisoning.

The report of the grand jury showed that out of one hundred and eight cases which had been investigated, only one hundred and five indictments were returned.

Commenting on the Strang case, the grand jury report says:

"We further report that as thorough an investigation has been made relative to the death of Herbert Strang, which occurred at Highland Park, Ill., on the 15th day of May, 1919, as we have been able to make, and would recommend that the investigation relative to his death be continued, and that if any new facts develop concerning his death that said facts be presented to a subsequent grand jury of this county, so that a complete investigation may be made and that justice may be done."

MRS. MARY O'DONNELL VICTIM OF PARALYSIS

Succumbs to Illness Friday Evening. Funeral Held Tuesday Morning. Interment at Calvary

Mrs. Mary Jennings O'Donnell, for thirty years a resident of this city, passed away at her home on Central avenue, Friday evening at six o'clock, as the result of a paralytic stroke.

She was born in County Mayo, Ireland, in 1851, and came to this country in 1872, the year after the Chicago fire. With the exception of a few years she has resided in this community since that time.

Funeral services were held Tuesday morning at eight thirty o'clock at the Immaculate Conception church with Dr. O'Neill officiating. Interment was made in Calvary cemetery.

Mrs. O'Donnell leaves to survive her, her husband, Anthony O'Donnell and three daughters, Mrs. Annie White of New Brunswick, N. J., Mrs. Mary Perriman and Miss Catherine O'Donnell of this city.

Mrs. O'Donnell was a member of the Women's Catholic Order of Foresters, Court No. 142.

SUCCUMBS TO HEART TROUBLE, SUNDAY

Alvin Nichols Dies Following Long Illness. Funeral Yesterday at Residence in Highwood

Mr. Alvin W. Nichols, twenty-one year old son of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Nichols, Sr., of Pleasant St., Highwood died at the home of his parents Sunday morning as the result of heart trouble. He had been in ill health for some time.

Funeral services were held yesterday afternoon at the family residence. Interment was made in Memorial Park cemetery.

Besides his parents he leaves four brothers, Dr. R. H. Nichols, of Holland, Mich.; Dr. C. V. Nichols and H. V. Nichols of this city and Mr. J. H. Nichols, Jr., of Detroit, Mich., and one sister, Miss Joan Nichols of Highwood.

MATCH IGNITES CAR; BURNED TO A CRISP

A Ford car belonging to a man named Campbell, a painter from Glencoe, was burned to a crisp in front of the Larson Bros. garage about 8:30 Saturday evening.

Campbell had attended the show and stopped to get some gas before returning to Glencoe. Three gallons were put in, causing the tank to overflow a little. Then the young man lighted the tail light, in some way igniting the gasoline.

The machine burst immediately into flames and was charred when the fire department arrived. The wreck was towed to Glencoe.

ANOTHER BIG SALE TOMORROW OF NAVAL STATION SUPPLIES

CARLOAD OF PROVISIONS TO BE SOLD AT CITY HALL

Last Saturday's Sale a Big Success. Four Hundred and Seventy-nine People Were Served by City Hall Forces

The City Hall sale of United States government provisions from Great Lakes on last Saturday was a great success. Crowds began to congregate in front of the City Hall long before the time announced for the sale to begin. The sale was conducted under the cash and carry plan which seemed to be popular. Every one paid cash for their goods and the carrying was done in baby carriages, small wagons, wheelbarrows, baskets and bags.

The sale began at 9 o'clock and by 12 all the goods on sale, except a few cans of tomatoes and jam had been disposed of. By 5:00 o'clock everything had been sold, and the little sailor who dropped into the City Hall just after 5 o'clock for some of that Navy jam was disappointed when told that it had all been sold and said: "Gee, I would like to have gotten some of that jam, for it sure is good."

The old saying, "The early bird catches the worm," was proved at this sale as those first in line were able to obtain a better selection than those who came later.

The cocoa was the first article sold out, then followed kidney beans, salmon, pineapple, asparagus, apricots, apple butter, peas, milk, canned apples, jam, tomatoes and salad oil.

Four hundred and seventy nine people were waited on by the City Hall forces during the day. The efficient manner in which the orders were taken and filled showed that a great deal of thought and planning had been done by those in charge. The following is the list of articles disposed of at the sale:

- 120-No. 10 cans apple butter.
- 480-No. 2 1/2 cans apricots.
- 240-No. 2 1/2 cans asparagus.
- 40-5 lb bags of kidney beans.
- 4400-lbs. jam.
- 960-1 lb cans milk.
- 960-No. 2 cans peas.
- 480-No. 2 1/2 cans pineapple.
- 40-1 gal. salad oil.
- 480-1 lb cans salmon.
- 10-100 lb bags salt.
- 960-No. 3 cans tomatoes.
- 32-5 lb cans of cocoa.
- 120-No. 10 cans apples.

Another Sale Tomorrow

At the time this order was placed Mr. E. A. Warren, under whose supervision this purchase and distribution of the goods was made, did not think he would be able to dispose of a larger quantity than the above list but after seeing the crowd in front of the City Hall before the sale began, decided that he would have to limit the quantity of provisions to each customer and before the sale had been in progress on Saturday, the Commissary officer at the Great Lakes and made arrangements with him for the shipment of a carload of the provisions that will be placed on sale at 9:00 o'clock tomorrow (Friday) morning, Oct. 31st.

- 60-No. 10 cans catsup @ .60.
- 100-1 lb packages of tea @ .45.
- 900-No. 10 cans of prunes @ .65.
- 100-5 lb pkgs. tapioca @ .45.
- 360-No. 10 cans apples @ .30.
- 360-No. 10 cans apple butter @ .50.
- 240-5 lb cans cocoa @ \$1.20.
- 2400-No. 2 cans of corn @ .10.
- 200-5 lb pkgs. kidney beans @ .25.
- 1200-No. 2 cans string beans @ .10.
- 2400-1 lb cans milk @ .10.
- 2400-No. 2 cans peas @ .10.
- 1200-No. 3 cans tomatoes @ .11.
- 18-1 gal. salad oil @ \$2.25.
- 300-No. 10 cans of jam @ .90.
- 60-100 lb bags salt @ .60.

Orders Limited

Each customer's order will be limited as follows:

- 1 can apple butter @ .56.
- 1 can apples @ .30.
- 6 cans string beans @ .10 per can.
- 2 5-lb packages kidney beans @ .25 per pkg.
- 1 can catsup @ .60.
- 6 cans corn @ .10 per can.
- 1 can cocoa @ \$1.20.
- 1 can jam @ .90.
- 6 cans milk @ .10 per can.
- 6 cans peas @ .10 per can.

The above goods will be sold on the cash and carry plan. No mail or telephone orders will be filled. No goods will be wrapped so that it will be necessary to bring baskets to carry away purchases. In order to facilitate matters make up your order from the above list and bring with you the exact amount of money to pay for your purchase. No checks will be accepted. See that your order is properly filled before taking it off the counter. No goods can be exchanged or returned.

The City Administration hopes to give the people of Highland Park the benefit of another sale of government provisions in the near future, if they can purchase the goods. Those interested in these sales are asked to watch The Highland Park Press for further announcements of the same, as they will not make these sales public through any other medium.

MADGE KENNEDY IN "DAY DREAMS"

Sunday, Herbert Rawlinson and Sylvia Breamer in J. Stuart Blackton's "A House Divided"

The following program will be presented at Pearl Theatre next week:

Sunday, Herbert Rawlinson and Sylvia Breamer in J. Stuart Blackton's "A House Divided," Semon comedy and Piagetograph; Monday, Geraldine in "The Stronger Vow," Marie Walcamp in "The Spur and Saddle Stories," also Lloyd comedy; Tuesday, Madge Kennedy in "Day Dreams," "The Great Gamble," Bee Hive Cartoon; Wednesday, Bessie Barriscale in "Her Purchase Price," Pathe News and Christie comedy; Thursday, Earle Williams in "The Hornet's Nest," Pathe News, also Hank Man comedy; Friday, Olive Thomas in "The Glorious Lady," Pathe Review; also Mutt and Jeff; Saturday, William Farnum in "The Lone Star Ranger," two reel Christie comedy, Burton Holmes Travelogue. Matinee at two thirty.

BUILDING FUND SALE SATURDAY, NOV. 22

The Highland Park Woman's Club will hold a sale for the benefit of the Building Fund on Saturday, November 22, at the Army and Navy Center. Eatables delicate and delicious, essential household utilities, toys irresistible and dainty, fancy goods, books for young and old, juvenile requisites and a grab bag presided over by real live Mother Goose characters are to be featured.

DEERFIELD ELEVEN WINS FROM PROVISIO

Deerfield Shields won its second step to the championship of the suburban league Saturday, defeating Proviso 45 to 0. This is the same team that defeated Deerfield in the championship race last year.

Friday the Deerfield eleven will tackle the Evanston High School for title to play Oak Park, present champions of the league. The game will be on the Highland Park field.

CURRENT EVENT TALK. MORAINES SATURDAY

The first talk of the course in current events by Mrs. Adams will be given at the Moraine on Saturday morning next at ten o'clock. Those desiring this first affair are requested to be prompt as Mrs. Adams will begin her talks sharp on time.