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### MAJORITY RULE

By the time these words are in print, they are written on election day, the ballots will have been counted and the will of the American people as to the issue involved in the national election will have been registered.

Whatever that decision may be there will be a disappointed minority, that is inevitable under any system of popular choice. Government by the will of the majority, which is an essential feature of democracy, in order to be successful, demands fair play and generous tolerance on the part of the party in power and a sportsmanlike acceptance of the decision on the part of the unsuccessful minority. Tactics of vindictiveness and obstruction are unworthy of intelligent and patriotic citizens. There is no better test of a man's quality than the way he accepts defeat.

Whatever the decision of the majority, and however great the disappointment of the minority, let us not, if we belong to that party, nurse our grievances, but wholeheartedly join to make the best of the situation, remembering that we are Americans first, and then Republicans or Democrats, that the welfare of the nation is of vastly more importance than the success of our party, and that these differences represent in part inherited traditions, and in part the temperamental point of view, a matter upon which the best of men differ.

The inevitable weakness of majority rule lies in the fact that such rule represents the average of intelligence and patriotism and not the maximum. Water cannot rise higher than the level of its source and a community in which the majority of voters are selfish and unintelligent is pretty apt to be represented by officials of the same sort, and the same is true of the nation as a whole. A corrupt constituency will choose corrupt officials and it follows that the only way in which there can be an aristocracy of worth in a democracy is by raising the average level of intelligence and patriotism.

With the vast number of foreign born in the United States, most of whom have had little experience in self government, this problem is one of great difficulty and of great importance, and the work of Americanization, or the training of our foreign born citizens and of the ignorant among our own people, in the duties and responsibilities of citizenship is a work of the first importance, and one upon which the permanence and future welfare of our republic depends.

### A LESSON IN DEMOCRACY

Mr. Drinkwater's play, Abraham Lincoln, which is now being presented in Chicago, is one which every American man and woman ought to see and ponder for the lesson which it teaches as well as for the singular beauty of the play itself. It brings the Great Emancipator very close to us, and by certain typical episodes the unique quality of his greatness.

The play is very simple in its construction and to that simplicity its artistic quality is in large measure due, and it is admirably presented by artists who play their parts without exaggeration and combine to throw into high relief the homely greatness of the Martyr President.

Abraham Lincoln was a man of the people unspoiled by the artifices of social convention, who had faith in the essential goodness of human nature and a profound conviction of righteousness and justice. He was endowed by nature with great gifts of intellect which the necessities of his early life caused to flow through deep and narrow channels. He was a man who never compromised with wrong, never did evil that good might come of it. A man who loved peace so profoundly that good might come of it, and to die for it. Who cared nothing for his own satisfaction or advantage so long as he could advance the welfare of the people. A man who in the purity of his life and in the exalted purposes to which he devoted it, stands upon an eminence to which no other man of modern times, unless it be Washington, has approached. A simple, honest man who believed in God and believed in his fellow men and who devoted all the singular powers of his great nature to the accomplishment of the task that was laid upon him. It is well for us in these days, to study the character of Lincoln and there can be no better way of beginning than to see this great play.

### LOCAL AND PERSONAL NEWS

John Heckerweiser and family of Chicago were Sunday visitors at the home of Jacob Heckerweiser.

New lighting equipment installed at the Heckerweiser studio makes possible the taking of pictures at night. The studio has been making arrangements for the Christmas rush.

Mrs. Arthur F. Byfield is having an all day meeting today of women making dainty lingerie, bags, lamp shades, cushions, etc., for the French booth at the Holiday Gift Sale of the Woman's club.

Mrs. Mary Ehrenfeuchter is spending this week in Peru, Ill., visiting friends and relatives.

The next regular meeting of the Lake County Odd Fellows' association will be held at Waukegan Saturday night, Nov. 6. All Odd Fellows and Rebekahs are cordially invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Bourne are now occupying their own home in Central avenue, after an absence of a year and a half.

Miss Florence Pfister will entertain the Dorcas circle at her home this evening.

Mrs. Martin Insull will have charge of a flower booth at the Holiday Gift Sale in the Community Center, Nov. 19 and 20.

Miss Josephine Faxon leaves early next week for the east where she will spend two weeks.

Miss Edith Fyffe entertained the Young Ladies' Card club Monday afternoon. Miss Grace Andrews will entertain the club next Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Willis and daughter, Miss Helen, will leave next week for the east.

The Household Utilities committee meets with Mrs. W. C. Shippey every Thursday to fashion aprons, caps, bags, towels, lunch cloths, bridge table covers and other household necessities for the Holiday Gift Sale in November.

A reception was held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Stuppel, N. Green Bay road, Wednesday evening, for Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stuppel, who have just returned from a wedding trip. There were about thirty friends present. Music and dancing were the features of the evening.

Jennie Hyde of Washington, D. C., is a guest at the H. W. Sherman residence, Oakwood Ave.

Miss Irene May entertained several friends at a Halloween dance Saturday evening at her home in North Green Bay rd.

Mrs. Louis Schmidt spent the week end in Milwaukee visiting friends.

Dr. and Mrs. S. S. Werth who spent the summer in Lake Bluff, have taken a house at 200 Cary ave.

Mr. and Mrs. William Sanderson spent the week end in Urbana visiting their son, William, Jr., who is attending the University of Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter A. Goeltz of Boston, Mass., announce the birth of a daughter, Gloria Gene, Thursday, October 21.

David Kimball, Donald Buchanan, and Jerry Leaming will spend the week end at their homes in this city. They will attend the Chicago-Illinois game, Saturday.

Mr. William Ludwig and family of W. Central ave., are moving this week to Lake Forest where they will make their home indefinitely.

Mr. Cleaver Thayer of Minneapolis who attended the Illinois Home-Coming at Champaign is spending a few days this week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Thayer.

Mr. and Mrs. William Morton of San Francisco, Cal., announce the birth of a son, born Monday.

Mrs. Richard Lawrentz of Shermerville was the guest of Mrs. John C. Fay Friday.

Mrs. A. G. McPherson, chairman of the dinner committee of the Highland Park Woman's club cabaret dinner in Witten hall, Saturday night, Nov. 20, assures a bevy of pretty girls to serve the 180 guests. Tables will be reserved for parties of any size in the order of the requests. Luncheon on Friday will be without reservations, and it is hoped many business men will come to share the hot biscuits, mince pie and other good things.

Raymond Sheahan, who is attending school in Shavenport, Ia., spent the week end with his parents Mr. and Mrs. John Sheahan.

Mrs. H. J. Thayer returned Saturday from Minneapolis, Minn., where she spent ten days visiting her son Cleaver Thayer and her daughter, Mrs. T. C. Erringer.

Miss Helen Pestana formerly a Reconstruction Aide of Ft. Sheridan, leaves today for New York to resume her vocal studies.

Miss Mildred and Charlotta Goeltz who have been ill with the measles have recovered and returned to school.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Arnsdahl moved into their home on Green Bay Road, recently purchased from Mrs. Cammick, on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur G. McPherson have returned from a two weeks auto trip in the west.

The ladies of the Elks will meet at the club rooms November eleventh, at two o'clock. The wives, sisters and sweethearts of Elks are always welcome.

Miss Mary Mills who is attending Sacred Heart College spent the week end with her mother Mrs. Harry Mills.

Several members of Campbell Chapter, O. E. S., attended a meeting at Wilmette Chapter Monday evening.

Mrs. Francis Larson worthy Matron of Campbell Chapter served as Electa at Wilmette.

### Y. W. C. A. NEWS

#### Mothers' Club

The November meeting of the Mothers' Club will be held Tuesday evening November 9th at 8 o'clock.

A very interesting program has been arranged. The instrumental music will be furnished by Miss Brand and Mrs. Briedert, and Mrs. Schloerb will give a couple of vocal selections. Miss Margaret Ridlon of the Public library will give a talk on Books that will be both interesting and instructive.

A cordial invitation is extended to all women to come and hear this excellent program.

#### Parties

Girl Reserve Corps No. 3 enjoyed a Halloween party Friday evening at the Y. W. C. A., with ghosts, fortunetelling and all the attendant pleasures.

Saturday evening the Baraca class of the Evangelical Sunday school gave a Halloween party to the Philathea class at the Y. W. C. A. that was greatly enjoyed by all fortunate enough to be invited.

#### Birthday Party

The Girl Reserve Corps number 2 enjoyed a very happy party Wednesday afternoon when they were the guests of little Dorothea Braune in honor of her birthday.

The cake with eleven candles and lots of good things to eat were part of the many things enjoyed by the little girls, who ardently wish that birthdays came oftener.

Girl Reserve Corps No. 2 and 3 held a joint meeting Thursday afternoon under their new leader, Miss Olsen, and are very enthusiastic over the program for the coming year which includes many interesting features. Among them will be a class in dumb bell exercises and a drama class.

#### Drill Work

A course in gymnastic drill work is to be given in the Y. W. C. A. gymnasium under the direction of Mrs. Truax, who is well qualified to do this piece of work, having had a vast experience in summer military camps for women, established by the government.

The first meeting will be held Tuesday, November 16, at 8 p. m. in the Y. W. C. A.

This class is open to all; there is no fee attached and all girls are urged to avail themselves of the opportunity to improve their general health by an organized system of exercises under a trained leader.

#### Board Meeting

The monthly Board meeting will be held Tuesday morning, Nov. 16, at ten o'clock.

#### Americanization Class

The class in English for foreign speaking people is held every Tuesday evening at the Y. W. C. A. under the direction of Miss Ruth Church.

This class is open to all, whether members of the Association or not.

Very successful dancing classes are being held every week by Mrs. John Scott at the Y. W. C. A.

Monday, social dancing for high school girls at 3 p. m.; esthetic dancing at 4 p. m.; senior class at 8 p. m.

Tuesday, baby class at 3:30 p. m.; junior class at 4:30 p. m.

There is still room for a few more enrollments.

#### FORMER RESIDENT DIES IN IDAHO

Word has been received from Twin Falls, Idaho, of the death of Miss Kate Dodge, a former resident of Highland Park. The message read "Aunt Kate Dodge is at rest after a struggle of 12 years with paralysis. She died October 18; the end coming peacefully and quietly. Although her wasted and shrunken body was of no use to her for years, she retained full control of her mind to the very end. She was interested in everything around her and often spoke of the old friends of past years." She will be kindly remembered by the older residents of Highland Park.

### D. A. R. NEWS

The North Shore Chapter, D. A. R., will hold their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Robert Seyfarth on Thursday, Nov. 11, at 2:30 o'clock. Mrs. Eugene Chubbuck, state regent, will be the guest of honor.

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Pork Loin Roast, Always good, the lb. ....	38½c	Quality Brick Fancy Butter, ¼ lb sections, lb. ....	62c
Veal Shoulder Roast, Milk fed Veal, the lb. ....	30c	Crisco or Snowdrift, 3 pound can only. ....	83c
Fresh Pork Hams Make a dandy roast. ....	37½c	Carnation Milk, Always Good, 3 cans for. ....	41c
Choice Native Beef, Plate of Brisket, lb. ....	18c	Ceresota Flour 49 lb bags, only. ....	\$3.25
Veal of Lamb Stew, Meaty cuts, the lb. ....	20c	Chase & Sanborn fancy bulk coffee, the lb. ....	43c
Hind ¼ of Spring Lamb special at. ....	37c	Lipton's Famous Tea, 1 pound package. ....	86c
Bacon Squares, Oscar Mayer's finest. ....	31c	Fancy Large Prunes, 80 40 size, special, the lb. ....	35c
Sugar Cured Rump Corned Beef, Boneless. ....	29c	Fancy Head Rice 2 lbs for. ....	33c
Peacock Bacon by the strip, the lb. ....	55c	Purina Health Flour, 5 lb pkg or in bulk. ....	49c
Pork Shoulder Roast, Whole lean, meaty, lb. ....	32½c	Oysters, fancy Selects Direct from the coast, qt. ....	90c
Fresh Spare Ribs, always good, the lb. ....	28c	Good Luck Oleo, Jelke's Best, 2 lbs. for. ....	76c
Beef Hearts, fresh and fine, lb. ....	18c	Sauer Kraut, New Fancy, bulk, qt. ....	15c

Formerly the police used to look for the footprints of the burglars, and now they look for the marks of their automobile tires.

Thomas A. Edison may be able to talk with the dead, but he has not yet got any interviews out of the defeated candidates.