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SAY COURT HOUSE ADDITION URGENT

SUPERVISORS IN APPEAL

Issue Statement Explaining the Need of New Building and Quoting Resolutions In Premises

The following statement regarding the proposed \$300,000 bond issue for the purpose of building an addition to the Lake county court house is issued by the county board:

An addition to the court house is an absolute necessity at this time for the following reasons:

1. The Constitution has created two new officers who will be elected on November 7th; to-wit, Probate Judge and Clerk of the Probate Court. There is no room in the present building to house these officers and their records.

2. The office of the Circuit Clerk and Ex-officio Recorder of Deeds will be divided by Constitution on the First Monday of December, 1924, and there is no room to house the Recorder and his records, and this must be provided for.

3. The States Attorney, County Superintendent of Schools and the Board of Review, the Tax Extension Department and Board of Supervisors are renting quarters outside of the present Court House and the County is paying \$1880 per year rental for these offices.

4. There is no room in the present building to accommodate the officers and records that are necessarily housed there at this time.

5. Your Representatives on the County Board of Supervisors to meet the emergency of the conditions above set forth have unanimously adopted the following resolution:

(See resolution concluding the statement.)

6. This Addition will not cost more than ten cents (10c) on each \$100 assessed valuation of your taxable property, and in all probability will not cost more than eight (8c) cents the first year and will be reduced materially each year for the next 19 years.

7. On a house assessed \$5,000 full value (\$2500 assessed value) at a rate of 10 cents per \$100 assessed value, the additional tax the first year would amount to only \$2.50.

The tax on a 40 acre farm in Avon Township would amount to 41-2 cents per acre or \$1.80 for 40 acres the first year.

VOTE FOR "Bonds and Additional Tax" on the Little Ballot November 7th, 1922. Polls open at 7 a. m. and close at 5 p. m.

The above proposition has been endorsed by the following organizations: Chamber of Commerce, Kiwanis club, Rotary Club, P. B. O. Elks, all Building Trades of Waukegan and Highway Commissioners and Town Clerks Associations.

The Resolution
WHEREAS the Court House of Lake County, Illinois, situated in the City of Waukegan, is insufficient to provide suitable accommodations for the Courts of said County and for the County officers; and
WHEREAS, it is here and now determined by the Board of Supervisors of Lake County, Illinois that

it is necessary to enlarge the said Court House by means of an addition thereto, and

WHEREAS, it has been found that the cost of constructing said addition to said Court House will be the sum of Three Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$300,000) and

WHEREAS, it will be necessary to levy taxes, in excess of the rate limited by the Constitution of the State of Illinois to provide for the payment of the bonds, and the interest thereon, which are issued for the purpose of paying the cost of said addition to said Court House,

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of Supervisors of Lake County, Illinois, that at the general election for county officers to be held on the 7th day of November 1922, there shall be submitted to the legal voters the question of issuing the bonds of Lake County, Illinois, in the sum of Three Hundred Thousand Dollars, for the purpose of enlarging the Court House of said County, and also the submission to the legal voters of said County the question of levying taxes in excess of the limitation provided by the Constitution of the State of Illinois in the sum of Ten Cents on each One Hundred Dollars of the valuation for each of the years 1923 to 1942 both inclusive for the purpose of paying the principal and interest of said bonds if authorized.

The question of issuing said bonds and levying said tax shall be submitted as a single question, in accordance with the Statutes of the State of Illinois.

The County Clerk is hereby authorized to give notice of the submission of said questions as provided by law.

HERBERT BOCK IS SOMEWHAT BETTER

Condition Shows Improvement; May Have to Start Over If He Recovers

The condition of Herbert Bock, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Bock, whose skull was fractured when his bicycle collided with a Ford coupe several weeks ago, is reported somewhat improved at the local hospital. He has been totally unconscious until recently, but now seems only partially so, as he is able to take nourishment through the mouth and discriminate between kinds of food, rejecting what he does not like. It is thought that perhaps he recognizes his mother, though this is not certain. His general condition, however, is improving, and the gain made is extraordinary considering that for a week his temperature was up to 106. Because of the terrific jolt on the head he may not be able to recall past events when he regains consciousness, physicians say, and may have to begin learning everything all over again. If so, however, they say he will learn rapidly.

UNITED EVANGELICAL

J. H. Kengle, Pastor
Program for Sunday, November 5.
Bible school at 9:30 a. m. Dr. Earl Fritsch, Supt.

Morning sermon to the Junior congregation. The elderly as well as the young invited.

Christian Endeavor at 6:45 p. m. Subject, "Better Thinking." Phil. 4:4-8. Led by Miss Katherine Giese.

Evening song and sermon at 7:45 p. m. Everybody invited.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Bartholomay spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Bartholomay.

Mr. and Mrs. John Oliver, 630 N. Sheridan road, announce the birth of a baby girl on Oct. 31.

Miss Rose Talano spent two weeks in Spring Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kjellquist, 636 Onwentsia ave., are receiving congratulations on the birth of a baby girl, Oct. 24.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Norrell of Highland announce the birth of a son on Oct. 27.

Mrs. S. L. Schwartz is spending the winter at the Surf hotel, Chicago.

Mrs. Eberhardt and daughter, Miss Dorothy, are leaving the McBean house.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Wiles announce the birth of a son on Oct. 26 at the H. P. Hospital.

Mrs. Laura Howard is spending her vacation in Princeton.

Mrs. A. L. McPherson with her children has left for Riverside, Cal., where they will spend the winter.

J. C. Rhinehart and family are leaving this week on a motor trip to Lake Worth, Florida, where they will spend the winter.

Mr. John Benson of Woodpath ave., has been elected president of the American Association of Advertising Agents.

Campbell chapter guild meets this afternoon at 1:00 at the Masonic hall.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Clow and several Lake Forest people attended the Associate Mafron's night, at Glenview chapter O. E. S., Glenview, last Friday evening.

Mrs. George Schley of Maywood was the week end guest of Mrs. J. C. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Maechtle, Sr., celebrated their thirty-fifth wedding anniversary with a family party last evening.

Charles and Elinor Steele, 100 Linden Park place, entertained sixteen of their little friends at a Halloween party on Tuesday evening.

Miss Helen Robbins entertained ten friends at a Halloween dinner Tuesday evening.

The marriage of Miss Frances Cahn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand C. Cahn of Highland Park, to Mr. Robert E. Rosenthal of Chicago, will take place Nov. 14 at the Standard club in Chicago.

Little Edna Winters entertained seven of her friends at a Halloween party Sunday afternoon.

Dr. B. A. Hamilton and Mr. Jesse Smith attended the Bird Congress of the A. O. U. at the Field Museum last week.

Dr. Otto Widmann, the veteran St. Louis, ornithologist, and daughter, were the week end guests of Mr. Coale. Dr. Widmann is eighty-one years old, the author of many works on birds and an authority known all over the world.

The Women's Christian Temperance Union will have a special meeting on Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. John Christman on Laurel avenue.

Miss Margaret Merryweather is at Montclair, N. J., to attend the wedding of Miss Margaret Presby and Nathan Corwith, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Corwith, Melville Cobb and Sam Bingham go to Montclair, N. J., tomorrow for the wedding of Nathan Corwith, Jr. Mr. Duncan Clinch of Hubbard Woods will accompany them.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Beatty visited their sons at Princeton and Lawrenceville this week.

Mrs. C. P. Mertens, 404 S. Linden ave., has returned from a two months' trip to New York and East Orange, N. J.

Mrs. Byron C. Howes and Mrs. G. Eldredge Hamlin of Highland Park are entertaining Tuesday afternoon, Nov. 7 at a tea musical. Miss Anna Hamlin of New York will sing. Anna Hamlin is the daughter of George Hamlin, the distinguished tenor, formerly of Chicago, and one of the leading tenors of the Chicago Opera Co., for several years. She has been studying for four years with Marcella Sembrich and last season sang a number of engagements in the east. She is in Chicago at present for two recitals there.

Mrs. M. Dietrich has returned from a month's visit in the east.

Remember the Eastern Star bazaar Saturday afternoon and evening in Community Center.

The League of Women Voters of Lake county meets at Chamber of Commerce, Waukegan, Thursday, Nov. 2 at two-thirty o'clock. All women are invited.

Miss Charlotte Brand spent Sunday in Elgin, Ill., visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph J. Berube and children motored to La Grange on Sunday where they visited their sons.

Mrs. William Guyot spent last Thursday at Prairie View as the guest of Mrs. Ott.

Mr. William Munroe Wright who underwent an operation at the Henrotin hospital, Chicago, three weeks ago, is improving and expects to be home in a very short time.

Dr. Rothermal of Indianapolis, Ind. was the guest of his cousin, Mr. Henry Lieske, last week. He left Wednesday for Dallas, Texas.

A meeting of the Library Board will be held this evening in the Highland Park Public Library.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Smith and daughter, Caroline Jeane, left last Friday for Buffalo, N. Y., where they will make their future home.

Miss Jane Scriven and Miss Margaret MacCaughy left Sunday for Philadelphia, where they attended the Halloween festivities at Ogontz school. Both girls were graduated from Ogontz in June and both were presented to society this season.

Mr. George Hessler is spending a few weeks in St. Louis as the guest of Emmett Duffy.

Lawrence Berube left last week for Montreal, Canada, where he will remain indefinitely.

Mrs. Thomas Duffy is in the Highland Park hospital where she underwent an operation for appendicitis, Tuesday.

Mr. James Bowden and Mr. William Ralph returned last Thursday from a two months trip to England.

The Eastern Star Guild will give a dinner in connection with their bazaar at Community Center, Saturday evening from five-thirty to seven o'clock.

Mrs. E. L. Easton is spending a few days at Lakeside, Mich.

Mr. Walter S. Grubbs has returned from a week's stay in New York City.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Butz sailed today from Paris for the United States.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. F. MacBean and daughter, Miss Rosalinda, have returned from the IXL ranch, where they spent the past three months.

The north shore Wellesley club will meet for its all-day sewing meeting for Petticoat Lane, on Tuesday, Nov. 7, with Mrs. Geo. B. Jones, 1110 Grove st., Evanston, at 10 a. m.

On November 1 there was a dinner for the representative women of the county at the Salvation Army hotel, Waukegan, to discuss the new addition to the court house. Mr. Obee, a Highland Park commissioner, is the chairman of the committee which has charge of this discussion.

On Wednesday afternoon the Y. W. C. A. cafeteria served sixty soldiers and sailors from the Great Lakes hospital, with sandwiches and coffee, which were donated by about a dozen ladies of Highland Park.

Mr. Frank Simison of Lafayette, Ind., is the guest of Miss Alice Bennett.

ELM PLACE SCHOOL

The unusually fine weather of the last few weeks has been of great advantage in the carrying out of a number of activities at Elm Place. Nearly all the school work involving field trips has been finished without encountering bad weather and the building activities have not been interrupted in any way. Thus far there has been no wait for building materials and the various sub-contractors have promptly appeared whenever their turn was at hand. At present the general contractor is well ahead of his schedule. The brick masons are nearing the end of their tasks. The chimney stack is completed. The sheet metal men are framing in the skylights and setting cornices in place. The cement pool before the building is finished and the necessary landscaping work involved in its setting is under way.

Last Friday afternoon the entire school took part in the annual Festival of the Falling Leaf. A parade with flags and with branches of autumn leaves was followed by an assembly in the form of a hollow square on the playground in front of the Annex. Here memorial exercises for the late Colonel Roosevelt were held and the autumn exercises given, songs and recitations with a short set-to with quarter staves by the pupils studying Robin Hood. Then the formal announcement of the prizes for participants in the flower and fruit and vegetable exhibit in September was made. Thirty-six pupils were given first prizes, twenty-six second prizes and forty-two were given honorable mention. The prizes were potted plants and bulbs. For this purpose generous donations were made by Mr. Bahr and Mrs. Millard and by Mrs. Greene who had had charge of a large collection of plants started with this in view in the summer. The result of the leaf contest was announced. Fifty leaf and fruit specimens representing native trees and shrubs were made the basis of the contest. The winner, Margaret Kuehne, a sixth grade pupil, named correctly 47 of the 50. Twelve other pupils from the sixth, seventh and eighth grades, named forty or more correctly. The prize was a copy of Emerson and Weed's Our Familiar Trees.

Halloween parties rather generally prevailed throughout the school on Tuesday afternoon and the teachers had a fine party of their own that evening at the Annex. This was given by the "New Recruits" as a come-back for a party given them some time ago by the "Veterans". Costumes were more or less startling and a delightful program given.

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