

C. T. BOYNTON IS CALLED BY DEATH

HAD NOTABLE CAREER

End Came Tuesday at Home in This City; Pneumonia Is Cause; Funeral Held This Afternoon

Charles T. Boynton, a notable figure in the commercial and financial life of Chicago, died suddenly Tuesday morning of pneumonia, at his home, Ravinbaks, Highland Park, Illinois.

He was born in West Stockbridge, Massachusetts, in 1858, son of Charles Sumner and Elizabeth Frances (Thompson) Boynton. He was educated in Catskill, New York, and married Annie Bell of Catskill, in 1886.

Came to Chicago in 1879. Mr. Boynton came to Chicago in 1879, took a chance employment with the Washburn & Moen Manufacturing Co., as office boy, and after becoming its general manager until its sale to the American Steel & Wire Co., became president of the Shelby Steel & Tube Co., and since 1902 has been vice-president of Pleadis, Brown & Co., dealers in pig iron and coke.

He was also director and a member of the executive committee of the Continental & Commercial National Bank and the Trust & Savings Bank, vice-president of the By-Products Coke Corporation, director of the Consumers company, Buck & Rayner, The Dearborn Company, Continental Securities Co., and formerly of Semet Solvas Co., the Central Trust company of Illinois and the North Shore Gas company.

Funeral Today The funeral services are held at the (Continued on page 6)

BUSINESS MEN TO DINE TUESDAY EVE

Dinner to Precede Regular Monthly Meeting at the Moraine Hotel

The Highland Park Business Men's association members will adopt a new system of proceedings at their next regular meeting, Tuesday evening, March 6, by meeting at 7 p. m. around the banquet table, where matters to be considered will be discussed during dinner, so that all business may be ready for action when the regular monthly session is called at 8 o'clock.

W. M. FINLEY APPEARS AT ELM PLACE SCHOOL

The third number of the Elm Place Guarantee Fund Series of entertainment will take place on Monday evening, March 5th, at 7:30, in the school auditorium. Mr. William L. Finley, agent for the Pacific Coast of the National Audubon society, will give his lecture "From Shore to Mountain Top." This will be fully illustrated by motion pictures of bird and animal life.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS GIVE DANCE MARCH 17

Quimette Council, Knights of Columbus, will give a dance Saturday evening, March 17, at the Deerfield-Shields high school. The committee in charge of the dance consists of William Dooley and Gregory Sheehan. Good music has been procured for the dance. The public is invited to attend.

"THE LOST WORD" AT VESPER SERVICE, SUN.

The Rev. Frank Fitt To Give Reading by Van Dyke to Musical Setting

Next Sunday afternoon, at 4:30, at the Highland Park Presbyterian church there will be a reading of Dr. Henry Van Dyke's "The Lost Word" by the Rev. Frank Fitt to a musical setting arranged by Mrs. Carleton M. Vail and Mr. Allan B. Benedict. The reading has been arranged in six episodes: The Poverty of Hermas; A Christian's Love; Parting, but no Farewell; Love in Search of a Word; Riches without Rest; and Great Fear and Recovered Joy.

The arrangers acknowledge their debt to a number of composers whose writings have lent themselves to the present work. Massenet's "Elegie" forms the motif of Hermas. Wagner has given from "Parsifal" both the beautiful "Word" Symbol and the suggestion for "Marcion," while the "Vorspiel" to "Lohengrin" announces the dawning of the day of Hermas' temptation. Beethoven's "Funeral March" and movements from the "Sonata Pathetique" are heard at some length, as is Goldmark's "Im Garten," telling of the love of Hermas and Athensais. The "Andante" from Mendelssohn's "Violin Concerto" introduces the phase of Hermas' life which he enters upon concluding his bargain with Marcion. In addition, the works of Calkin, Carl, Dvorak and Rachmaninoff have been drawn upon, while the melody of John, and the modulations which link all together, are original with this arrangement.

All will be cordially welcome at this vesper service next Sunday afternoon at 4:30.

MOTHERS AND GIRLS IN ANNUAL BANQUET

Have Dinner Together Saturday Night at Deerfield High; Good Program

The annual Mothers' and Daughters' dinner at the Deerfield-Shields high school last Saturday evening was an unqualified success, with large attendance and a very pleasing program.

An excellent dinner was served, to which the guests did full justice, and following the banquet the program was given, Mrs. E. R. Phelps officiating gracefully and adequately as toastmistress. Several of the girls of the school made interesting talks, including Olive Reese, whose subject was "Our Model Mothers"; Maxine Lichtenstein, on "The Girl and Her Mother"; Mildred Walker, "The Athletic Girl"; Virginia Onderdonk, "A Defense of the Modern Girl."

MANDAMUS SUIT IS DISMISSED

Effort to Test City Zoning Ordinance Is Halted in Hotel Case

In circuit court at Waukegan Friday of last week the mandamus suit of Cowie et al vs. E. M. Laing, building inspector of the city of Highland Park, was dismissed by the court. This ends the matter so far as this action is concerned, it is understood. The city officials are informed that in order to get the case before the court again, it will be necessary for the plaintiffs to file another suit in the premises. The suit is in effect a test of the city's zoning ordinance, the plaintiffs desiring to erect a building to be used as a hotel on a site on East Central avenue. The zoning ordinance bars this type of building in that location, and hence the litigation.

GOLF CLUB TO HOLD MEETING MARCH 2ND

A joint meeting of the Executive and Membership Committees of the Park District Golf club was held in the city hall Tuesday evening for the purpose of discussing plans for the 1923 season. It was decided to call a special meeting of all members for Friday evening, March 2, at 8 o'clock for the purpose of voting on a change of the constitution relating to dues. It will be an important meeting and all members are urged to be present.

CATHOLIC WOMAN'S LEAGUE MEETS TODAY

The North Shore Catholic Woman's League will hold their regular monthly meeting on March 1 at 2:30 o'clock at the Winnetka Woman's club. It will be nomination day. The speaker will be Judge Marcus Cavanaugh. Mrs. Charles Hamberger will sing.

TO REOPEN NORTH SHERIDAN BRIDGES

REPAIRS TO BE MADE

Plans for New Structures Are Halted; Council Explains Reasons for Temporary Expedient

Decision by the city council to proceed at once with repairs on the two North Sheridan road bridges, closed last fall on a report of the city engineer that they were unsafe for traffic, is explained by city officials to have been necessitated by the fact that it has been found impossible to overcome the opposition of a few property owners to the special assessment of one-third of the cost against property in a zone adjacent to the proposed improvements in financing the erection of new bridges.

When the North Sheridan road bridges were first considered the council believed, in justice to property owners in portions of the city where bridges already had been constructed under the same plan, that this plan should be followed in this instance, and therefore they spread an assessment of one-third of the cost over property in a zone including, roughly, that section north of Central avenue and east of St. Johns avenue. The total cost of the two bridges is estimated at \$125,000, and one-third of this amount was assessed against the property in the zone as described, the city to pay the remaining two-thirds.

Objectors Halt Improvement. Upon the assessment roll being filed in the county court property owners assessed for about one-third of the total assessment of the zone filed objections. Afterwards the city council authorized Mayor Hastings to offer these objectors a reduction of 25 per cent of the assessment, and also proposed to reduce the assessment of the property owners who did not object a like amount. This leaves the city with the burden of the original two-thirds of the cost plus one-fourth of the amount assessed against the property of the zone.

MRS. PAGE TO ADDRESS P. T. A. MEETING MAR. 8

High School Division Changes Date From Mar. 1; Subject Interesting One

The next meeting of the Deerfield-Shields Parent-Teacher association will be held on Thursday, March 8th at two-forty-five o'clock, instead of March 1st as recorded in the yearly program. Mrs. Mary Booner Page of the Chicago Teacher's College will speak on "How Shall Girls and Women be educated to meet the demands of Today?" The P. T. A. meetings this year have been unusually entertaining and this promise to be no exception. Mrs. Page is an exceedingly interesting speaker and will have much to tell on this subject, which is surely of vital interest to all mothers today. Those who attend will be well repaid. Come and stay for coffee.

PYTHIAN SISTERS TO GIVE CARD PARTY

Lake Shore Temple No. 242, Pythian Sisters, of Highwood, announce a card and bunco party to be given at the K. of P. Hall, (formerly Sant's) Saturday, March 3, at 8:30 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend.

APPEAL IS MADE FOR AUDITORIUM

TO FATHERS BY MOTHERS

In Behalf of Plan to Erect a Building for Elm Place School; Reasons Are Made Clear

A Public Statement to the Fathers of Highland Park from one of the Mothers:

As the mother of several children who attend or have attended Elm Place school, I want to publicly record my keen appreciation of that school and the need of a school auditorium to make it properly effective.

The one great defect in the Elm Place school is overcrowding. The new school building will relieve that so far as class rooms are concerned. But the present auditorium is also inadequate. Let me describe to you a recent meeting there during the half yearly promotion exercises in February. There were about forty visiting mothers present. Some had to stand up during the entire meeting; there were no seats for them. The children were packed. They sat on window sills; twenty-five little tots of the first grade sat like a fringe on the edge of the platform swinging their feet. I shared the top of a small desk with another mother. The air (Continued on Page Two)

SUNDAY EVENING CLUB MEETINGS

Another meeting of the Sunday Evening club at Trinity church will follow the Fellowship hour next Sunday evening at about 8 o'clock, and the feature will be a radio service from the Sunday Evening club of Chicago, where Dr. Hugh T. Kerr of Pittsburgh, Pa., will be speaker. The radio service will be in the parish house.

HIGHWOOD FIREMEN'S DANCE TOMORROW NIGHT

The annual dance of the Highwood fire department will be given tomorrow evening (Friday), March 2, at the Oak Terrace school, Highwood. This is an opportunity for every resident of Highwood to show his appreciation of what these men do for the city, by volunteering their services. The money which is taken in at the dance will be used to purchase new equipment. Everyone should make an effort to attend the dance, and if unable to be present, their support will be greatly appreciated.

3 PLAYS TO BE GIVEN AT RAVINIA, MARCH 3

Mr. William Ziegler Nourse is directing rehearsals for three plays to be given at the Ravinia village house, Thursday evening, March 8th at eight o'clock. The players are from the Grace Hickox studio of Chicago. Miss Gloria Chandler, Mrs. Thomas M. Boyd, Elizabeth Baker, Mr. Harold Simonds, J. Carlin Crandall and Mr. Nourse himself will form the cast. Tickets may be obtained at Gaell's Drug store or from Mrs. Orren E. Keller of Ravinia.

BAKERY SALE SATURDAY AT SOBEY'S MARKET

A bakery sale will be held Saturday, March 3rd from eight o'clock in the morning until the goods are sold out in Sobeys market on East Central avenue. The Lady Legionnaires are in charge of the sale. Home made pies, cakes, cookies, rolls, etc., will be on sale.

CITY COUNCIL HAS MEETING FRIDAY

Commissioner Cheney Is Acting Mayor; Bills Allowed; Other Business

At a meeting of the city council held Friday evening, Commissioner Cheney was appointed acting mayor in the absence of Mayor Hastings. Other commissioners present were Messrs. Huber and Brown. Bills and payrolls from Jan. 15 to Feb. 15 were approved and ordered paid; the bills totalled \$5,700.35.

The commissioner of streets and public improvements was authorized to make temporary repairs on the two North Sheridan road bridges, and Building Inspector Laing was authorized to make necessary repairs to the incinerator but to do nothing in the way of enlarging the plant.

WOMAN'S CLUB TO HEAR LOCAL TALENT

Ruth Bletsch, Glen Drake, Dorothy Wright and Mrs. Beatty on Program Tuesday

One of the most interesting and entertaining programs of the year will be presented on Tuesday afternoon, March sixth when three local artists and the noted tenor Glen Drake of Chicago, appear in a program of harp and voice numbers. The harp has ever been an instrument of grace, charm, romance and somewhat of mystery. Mrs. Beatty will explain and illustrate its mechanism and use. Mrs. Wright will sing several old ballads to harp accompaniment. Miss Ruth Bletsch, artist pupil of Mr. Tramonti will play a group of songs. This will be Miss Bletsch's first appearance at the club and it is a great gratification to have this opportunity to hear the daughter of a valued member.

PROF. SOPER GIVES DELIGHTFUL TALK

"America and the Nation" His Subject; Mrs. Hopkins in Charge Mar. 13

The eighth regular meeting of the Osoil club was held at the Highland Park club on Tuesday, March 27. Prof. Soper proved to be one of the most delightful speakers of the season—his lecture was a clear, interesting and informative presentation of his subject. He talked of the vital problems confronting not only our own country, but all nations and peoples of the earth and he left his audience with a realization of the fact—"that human nature is about the same, no matter where you find it." It is to be regretted that time and space prevent excerpts from Prof. Soper's address.

THOMAS MEIGHAN IN "BACK HOME & BROKE"

Next week's program at Pearl theatre will include the following pictures: Sunday, "Dollar Devils," featuring Joseph Dowling, Eva Novak and Cullen Landis; Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, Norma Talmadge in "A Voice from the Minaret," Robert Hichens' famous novel and drama now the screen sensation of America; Thursday and Friday, Thomas Meighan in George Ade's "Back Home and Broke," Saturday, Babe Daniels and Conrad Nagel in "Singed Wings," the romance of a Spanish dancer and the flaming lure of scarlet love. Matinee at 2:30 Saturday. See program on back page of this paper.

FREE LECTURE ON CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

First Church of Christ Scientist, of Highland Park announces a free lecture on Christian Science by Dr. Walton Hubbard, C. S. B. of Los Angeles, Calif., member of the Board of Lectureship of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass., on Friday evening, March second at eight o'clock in the church edifice on Hazel avenue. The public is cordially invited.

THE PASSING ON OF MRS. RUTH B. EWING

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1923

Pioneer Practitioner and Teacher in Christian Science; One of Mrs. Eddy's Best Known Students

(Contributed) Mrs. Ruth Babcock Ewing passed peacefully away at her home, 541 South St. Johns avenue, Friday afternoon, February 23rd, 1923. Mrs. Ewing was born in South New Berlin, Champaign county, New York, March 14, 1846. At an early age, she with her



Mrs. Ruth B. Ewing

family moved westward and settled in Metamora, Illinois, where she grew into womanhood. It was here that she met Mr. William Gillespie Ewing, a young attorney on the threshold of his career.

They were married on April 25, 1865. Three children were born to them. The oldest, Edith passed on in infancy; the other two, Mary G. and Ruth still survive. Miss Mary G. Ewing is a teacher of Christian Science and also a member of the Board of Lectureship of The First Church of Christ Scientist, in Boston, Mass. Miss Ruth has for a number of years been active and well known in philanthropic and humanitarian work. Until quite recently she has been connected officially and editorially with organized work along these lines. David Ewing, a relative and member of the family, is a pupil in the Lincoln school.

In 1882 the Ewings moved to Chicago from Quincy, Illinois. In 1905 they purchased a home in Highland Park, Ill., where they have since resided. Mrs. Ewing never robust, spent the earlier years of her life in chronic invalidism. Medicine availed of healing in Christian Science, hopelessly drifting. Meantime Mr. Ewing suffering from pulmonary tuberculosis, had been pronounced incurable by his physicians, and sent south in the vain hope of prolonging his life. While in Virginia he learned of healing in Christian Science, and concluded to try it, since all else had failed; he was carried to Boston, consulted a practitioner and soon was able to return home and resume his work, more vigorous, and in better health than he had ever known before, and he lived until he passed the 82nd milestone. His recovery seemed so startling that Mrs. Ewing felt that a miracle had been performed, and her alert mind must know and understand the source and methods of this marvelous power. Her own illness prompted persevering effort. She purchased the Christian Science text book - and began to study earnestly.

Her receptive mind proved fertile soil, and her own complete healing was soon manifested. She was not content to stop her study, but in grateful appreciation sought to know more of this Christ Truth, that had brought succor from fear and pain, to her and hers. She took her first instruction in Christian Science with Miss Ellen Brown of Chicago, Illinois. The ensuing year she was accepted by Mrs. Eddy as a primary student, later she went through the metaphysical college, under Mrs. Eddy's instruction, receiving the degree of C. S. D. in 1887. She then returned to Chicago, and began teaching and practicing the law of spiritual healing. Without hesitation or questioning she accepted and obeyed His divine command "Preach the gospel, heal the sick."

In her miscellaneous writings, Mrs. Eddy wrote: "The student who heals by teaching and teaches by healing, will graduate under divine honors." (Continued on page 6)