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## RAISE \$5000 IN HOUR DEERFIELD CHURCH AT DINNER LAST NIGHT

Special Dedicatory Service for Deerfield Presbyterian Church Arranged for Next Sunday

Over two hundred were present at the dedicatory dinner last evening and in less than an hour over \$5,000 was raised, donations ranging from \$1 to several hundred. Rev. Charles K. Orsborn, pastor of River Forest Presbyterian church presiding.

The evening was a most pleasant one and it is most gratifying to know that the church will be dedicated Sunday practically free of debt. It is largely through the effort of the Rev. Martin Luther Thomas, that this has been accomplished.

The splendid results of last evening's solicitation for funds and the promising prospects before the Deerfield church at the opening of its new edifice augurs well for the growth and usefulness of this institution.

### Dedicatory Service

Formal dedication services will be held at the church next Sunday and promise to be of marked interest. Dr. Alfred H. Barr, professor of Homiletics at the McCormick Theological seminary, Chicago, and formerly for many years pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Baltimore, Md., will preach at the morning service.

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### JAMES L. McNEILL PASSED AWAY THURS.

James McNeill, son of Mr. and Mrs. James McNeill of North Green Bay road, passed away Thursday night at his home following a lingering illness of heart trouble, resulting from an accident which he was in two years ago. He was 32 years of age.

### Heart Trouble Cause of Death; Funeral Service Held Sunday

Funeral services were held at the residence Sunday afternoon at two o'clock and interment was made in Memorial Park cemetery.

### BOY HURT WHEN CAR HITS HIS BICYCLE

Sidney Chapman, aged about 10 years and a pupil of the Lincoln school, was thrown from his bicycle shortly after noon Wednesday, near the corner of Lincoln avenue and Green Bay road, when an electric auto struck his wheel. He was hurried to the hospital where examination showed no bones broken, and his injuries were not serious. A companion named Carr, also riding a wheel, received slight bruises when the car ran between them.

### 3-DAY BAZAAR TO BE GIVEN BY ODD FELLOWS

Sheridan Lodge I. O. O. F. and Sheridan Rebekah Lodge will hold a bazaar Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, October 16, 17, 18 in Odd Fellows hall. Dinners will be given two evenings and a dance the third. A Hope Chest will be given away by the Rebekah Lodge and a Ford sedan will be given away by Sheridan Lodge.

## D. A. R. RUMMAGE SALE TO BE HELD NEXT WEEK

Annual Benefit in Community Center Sept. 25, 26 and 27; Contributions

The North Shore Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution will hold their annual rummage sale next Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, September 25, 26 and 27, at the Community Center from 9:00 a. m. until 5 p. m. The proceeds of this sale are used to help many worthy causes. We who live on the north shore and have the privilege of sending children to our excellent public schools can hardly realize the great need of education among the mountain children of the south. The Martha Berry school is doing a wonderful work for these young people and the chapter pays for three or four scholarships there.

Contribution is sent to New York toward a teacher's salary at Ellis Island and toward paying for the immigrants' manual which is distributed free and used to further Americanization work throughout the United States. A French orphan one of the wards at the Great Lakes hospital is decorated and gifts for the patients are provided at Christmas. Money is also given to help maintain "Old Morgan" who lived here so long. Much good can be done with the proceeds from the sale of articles which you do not need or want. So if you have anything you can donate whether wearing apparel, household goods, toys, books, china or glass, please telephone to Mrs. Seyfarth, Highland Park 621 or Mrs. Phelps, Highland Park 262 and your donations will be called for.

## PRESENT Y.W.C.A. FILM AT PEARL THEATRE

"High Road" to Be Shown Next Tuesday, As Campaign Publicity; Free

Pearl theatre to be opened for campaign publicity. Through the courtesy of Mr. Wm. Pearl, the Y. W. C. A. movie entitled the "High Road," will be shown at the Pearl theatre next Tuesday afternoon between four and five p. m.

It is a beautiful picture lasting from thirty to forty minutes, and depicts the influence of a girl who goes back home from a city after having learned up to date health habits, wearing the right kind of apparel, shoes and outer clothes that bring the bloom of health to a girl that will last through years to come.

It will also depict the right living habits and through all runs a fascinating love story.

The admission is free and a cordial invitation is extended to every woman and child in Highland Park. It will be given at a time when all teachers and school children can attend.

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## ANNUAL MEETING OF Y. M. C. SEPTEMBER 25

Will Hold Banquet Tuesday At Garden of Allah; Urge All To Attend

The annual meeting and election of officers of the Young Men's club will be held in the form of a banquet at the Garden of Allah, Glenview, on Tuesday evening, Sept. 25 at 7:45 p. m.

The members of the club are urged to attend as the committee in charge have endeavored to arrange for a most enjoyable evening. All reservations should be in not later than Monday evening, Sept. 25. Members having cars are requested to assemble at the club not later than 7:15 p. m. Tuesday evening. A North Shore Line bus for Glenview also leaves the local ticket office at 7:00 p. m.

## BOY BADLY INJURED IN AUTO ACCIDENT

FATALITIES IN COUNTY

Man Killed Near Lake Forest; Girl Near Diamond Lake; Several Near Death From Injuries

One bad auto accident here, a fatal one near Lake Forest and others elsewhere in the county in the last week increase the total of victims recently in road crashes in Lake county.

Thomas Gill, Sedgwick street, Chicago, delivery boy for the Boston store, was seriously injured here last Friday, when he fell from the running board of a heavy truck being used to make deliveries for the Boston store and was run over by a rear wheel of the machine. His right leg was broken in several places and terribly lacerated.

The accident happened on North Green Bay road, and the boy was at once taken to the local hospital, where he received surgical attention. He exhibited heroic fortitude, the police report, despite the fact that he was suffering intensely and begged the driver of the truck "not to worry" his mother about his mishap. Saturday he was removed to a Chicago hospital and it was reported that the physicians hoped to save the leg from amputation, though there was fear of a stiff ankle developing.

## Man Found Dead

Tuesday night a fatal accident, believed to have been caused by an automobile striking an unknown man, occurred on Telegraph road, north-west of Lake Forest, near the A. Watson Armour place. A man was found lying beside the road about 10 o'clock that night with both legs broken, his skull fractured and other serious injuries. He was rushed to the Lake Forest hospital, but died there in about two hours. An inquest was begun late Wednesday afternoon at Lake Forest and continued until an indefinite date pending further investigations.

About the time of the discovery of the stranger on Telegraph road a Chandler car from Kenosha was found afire not far from the scene of the other accident. Later two foreigners were arrested at Lake Bluff as they were buying tickets back to Kenosha and taken to Lake Forest. They admitted having been driving to Chicago when their car caught fire. They and a small boy accompanying them escaped with slight injuries. While both men denied any knowledge of their car having struck anybody they were held in the Lake Forest police station on suspicion of connection with the injuries to the unknown man. They will be held until their records are further investigated.

## Girl Killed; Others Hurt

Miss Pearl Pantera was killed and Josephine Alfano and Dominic Faldatta, all of Chicago, were severely injured Sunday morning, when a truck in which they were riding with others bound for a picnic of Humboldt Park Northwestern Sparklers society at Diamond Lake, crashed into another truck on Milwaukee road. The girl was fatally injured and died before she could be taken to a hospital. Alfano's skull was fractured and his chance for recovery was reported to be slim; Faldatta's right arm was torn off and he also was expected to die. Two automobiles racing on the road between Wauconda and Volo Sunday evening crashed together and Frank Cerny, Chicago, Michael Solar, Cicero, were badly injured. Cerny may die. Others in the two cars were not seriously hurt.

The men injured were among the seven riding in a Peerless touring car owned by H. R. Schwartz of 1217 So. 49th st., Cicero. The other car was a Haynes touring car owned by H. E. Armstrong, 2823 So. 48th court, Chicago. The other occupants of the two cars were not seriously hurt. Both cars were badly damaged.

## BANKS OPEN HOUR LONGER SATURDAY

Highland Park banks, at the request of the Business Men's association, have agreed to remain open on Saturdays until 1 o'clock in the afternoon, instead of closing at noon, as heretofore. This will afford additional accommodation to local business men and bank patrons generally and is a move that meets with popular approval. This will be in effect after October 2.

## PYTHIAN SISTERS GIVE CHOP SUEY SUPPER

Lake Shore Temple No. 242, Pythian Sisters of Highwood, will give a chop suey supper, miscellaneous sale, and corn game at the K. P. hall, Wednesday evening, Oct. 10. Supper will be served from 5:30 to 7:30 p. m. The public is cordially invited.

## RAIL MEN'S HOME TO BE ENLARGED

PLAN \$130,000.00 ADDITION

Annual Meeting Held Wednesday; John O'Keefe Re-elected Manager; Begins 21st. Year

Provision for the erection of an extensive addition to cost approximately \$130,000, and election of officers, including Secretary-Treasurer and Manager John O'Keefe for his twentieth year in that office were the principal features of the annual meeting of the International Railroad Men's Home association, held at the home here yesterday. A fine dinner was served to the members present who came from all parts of the country.

A resolution was adopted authorizing the board of trustees to proceed with plans for an addition to the home to cost about \$130,000, and which will be erected next summer. The addition will extend the length of the building south 36 feet, with an east wing 72 feet in length, the whole to be three stories in height and constructed of the best materials and with all modern facilities.

## Obstacle Surmounted

This plan was adopted because the one authorized last year was halted through the fact that the city building commissioner was unable to issue a permit for the addition then planned on account of the fact that the improvement conflicted with the provisions of the city's zoning ordinance, in that it was held that the extension would approach nearer the lot line than the zoning ordinance permitted. In preparing for the addition yesterday authorized this difficulty will be avoided.

Mr. Raymond Flynn, well known successful architect and resident of Highland Park is in charge of the preparation of the plans and specifications, and it is expected to have everything ready for active construction operations early next spring with a view of completing the addition during the summer.

Manager John O'Keefe, who yesterday was re-elected as secretary-treasurer and superintendent of the home for the twentieth time, is thus beginning his twenty-first year in that office with the assurance that during the coming year he will see realized his plans for extension and improvement of the home which he has so long and successfully managed.

## Officers Elected

Officers elected at yesterday's session are the following: President—D. B. Robertson, Cleveland, president of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engine Men.

First vice-president—Mrs. M. E. Cassell, Cleveland, president of the G. I. A.

Second vice-president—Mrs. Elizabeth Hienwald, Philadelphia, vice-president of the G. I. A.

Secretary-treasurer and manager—John O'Keefe, Highland Park.

Trustees—A. E. King, Cleveland, general secretary of the B. of R. T.; A. H. Hawley, Cleveland, general secretary of the B. of L. F. and E.; Frank D. Sughra, Chicago, representing the Order of Railroad Conductors; W. B. Prenter, Cleveland, general secretary of the B. L. E.

## "THE FOG" SUNDAY WITH A GOOD CAST

"Scars of Jealousy" Monday & Tuesday; "Red Lights" on Saturday Night

Next week's program at Pearl Theatre will include the following pictures with tonight: "Hollywood"; Saturday, "Soul of the Beast"; Sunday, Mildred Harris, Louise Fazenda, Cullen Landis, Ralph Lewis and David Butler in "The Fog"; Monday and Tuesday "Scars of Jealousy"; Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, Gloria Swanson in "Bluebeard's 8th Wife"; Saturday, The Clarence Badger production "Red Lights," adapted by Carey Wilson. Matinee at 2:30 Saturday. See program on back page of this paper.

## CALL MASS MEETING HIGHWOOD CITIZENS

At Highwood the proposition to change the name of the town to "Oak Terrace" has reached the stage where a mass meeting has been called to discuss the matter. Following the presentation of a largely-signed petition to the council asking that the change in names be authorized, the city clerk has issued a call for a general meeting of citizens to be held in the city hall on the evening of Friday, Oct. 4, at 7:30 o'clock to consider the project.

## MANY LEAVE FOR COLLEGE THIS WEEK

A Partial List of Local Students Who Enter College; Will Publish Other Names

Among the students who have left and are leaving for school are: Billie Bell, Bannison university, Grandville, O.; Fletcher Seymour, Swathmore; Robert Rogers, Mass. Institute of Technology; Warren Stanger, University of Chicago; Pierre Bezy, Charles Masterson, Jean Reay, Wallace McIlwain, Illinois; Mary Williams, Miss. Wheeler's school, R. I.; Irving Conrad, Oscar Stuenkel, Purdue; Albert E. M. Loyer, William Morgan, Dartmouth; Carl Schaefer, Virginia Wicks, University of Madison; Daragh Louderback, Harvard; Gordon Manning, Lawrenceville school, Lawrenceville, N. J.; Grace Marsh, Chamberlin school, Boston, Mass.; John McBride, Amherst college; Anne Wood, Warrington school; Norma McKenzie, Katherine Ehle, Carlene Ehle, Abie Fell, Edna Walter, Graham Keagle, Robert Boyd, Elizabeth Morrison, Northwestern university; Margaret Day, Alice Knox, Vassar; Lucius Hine, Cornell; Lois Schulz, Northwestern college at Naperville; Theodore Kauffman, Yale; John Merryweather, Williams college; Paul Chapman, Hill's school, Pottstown, Pa.; Howard Chapman, Tafts school at Watertown, Conn.; Alden Greene, Grinnell college; Margaret Parkin, National Cathedral school, Washington, D. C. This however is not a complete list, and the Press will be glad to print the names of any others who are going away to school.

## URGES MORE MOVING PERIODS IN A YEAR

In connection with the appeal made to citizens of Highland Park through the columns of the Press some time ago to exercise patience in the matter of immediate service on the part of merchants and business houses generally, because of the increased demand on their time and facilities through the rapid growth of the city, it is interesting to note that elsewhere also the same situation exists. Moving, Craft, official publication of the Furniture and Expressmen's association of Chicago in a recent issue urges that the custom of having only two seasons in the year in which tenants may move should be eliminated by an effort to spread leasing periods over at least eight periods of the year. This would prevent congestion and delay in service to those desiring to be moved, as the business could be more easily and better handled in every way if it came at different times and not just twice a year. Local transfer business is similarly affected and the plan applies here.

## UMPIRE FORFEITS GAME TO LOCALS

Because of disagreement over a ruling of the umpire in the eighth inning, when the two teams were tied, 4 to 4, the baseball game last Sunday between the Highland Park Elks and the Lake Forest Young Men's club teams, was not finished, the Lake Forest team refusing to continue, and the umpire forfeited the game to the local nine, 9 to 0.

During the game Manager Green-slade and G. Glader collided heavily in the outfield and Green-slade was "knocked out" for a few minutes.

Next week Sunday the local team goes to Glenview to play the team of that place. This will be a good game, as the Elks will have a strong team and there is good prospective of victory.

## MANY LOTS SOLD IN LAKE MICH. HEIGHTS

\$37,500 in lots has been sold in Lake Michigan Heights, a new subdivision just open in the north end of Highland Park, handled by the office of Perry Ulrich.

Dr. Marshall G. Cary has purchased the northwest corner of Sheridan road and Bloom, 139x141, and the southwest corner of Sheridan road and Walker, 229x141, for \$30,000. Dr. Cary was represented by G. A. Penner.

## CIVIC CLUB OPENED SEASON WEDNESDAY

The Woman's Civic club of Ravinia opened its season on Wednesday of last week. The business meeting was shortened somewhat in anticipation of the recital by Gladys Cable who gave three groups of songs with Mrs. Andrew Senn at the piano. After the refreshments Mrs. Helen Farquhar Sanford gave a short explanation of the Y. W. C. A.

## PLAN CAMPAIGN TO RAISE Y. W. BUDGET

SUM SOUGHT IS \$9,000.00

Organization Recognized as Of Unlimited Benefit to Girls of City Asks For Assistance

She was 14 years old; she saw the sign of the Blue Triangle and lifted the latch string in search of a night's lodging. The Y. W. General Secretary welcomed her and in kindly fashion elicited a story of unkind treatment at home and the desire to earn her living. Reserving her own suspicions that she was dealing with a runaway, the secretary welcomed the girl and gave her a room for the night.

Presently the telephone rang, and the police department inquired whether there was a 14-year-old girl at the Y. W. C. A. Through the kindly offices of the Y. W. C. A. one more girl was thus restored to her home in a neighboring town.

## Another Instance

This is but one instance. There are others, like the following: "I saw the sign and I thought I'd come and ask you," said an anxious mother arriving in Highland Park from Chicago. She was trying to locate a shell-shocked son who, she had learned, was working in the vicinity. The general secretary got into communication with the police department and the lad was located.

These instances are but two in a long list of service rendered at the "Sign of the Triangle." "I saw your sign and came in" is a very commonly-heard expression at 548 Central avenue.

## State Budget Campaign

The Highland Park Young Women's Christian association from Sept. 23 to 30 will stage the first campaign in its 12 years of service to the community. Heretofore current expenses have been defrayed by the efforts of members themselves, through entertainments, rummage sales and suppers, supplemented by generous gifts from a few interested individuals. As there is no fee for membership in the Young Women's Christian association, no revenue is derived from that source; the membership being asked to contribute at the time of the campaign, as is the rest of the community.

## Cafeteria Receipts

Cafeteria receipts so far have been turned back into the needed equipment of the cafeteria, but it is hoped that eventually sufficient profit will be made to help maintain the association itself.

It is the desire of the board and membership of the association at this time to pay off \$3000 still due on the headquarters, at 548 Central avenue. An additional secretary, also, should be employed to develop work among younger girls from 12 to 18 years of age. These girls are found in grade school, high school and in business and constitute the Girl Reserve department.

## Hope to Raise \$9000

The estimated budget for September (Continued on page 7)

## LARSON TO REMOVE TO LARGER QUARTERS

Popular Stationer to Occupy The Community Center Room After October 1

Albert Larson, popular stationer and well known citizen, finds his increasing business requires more room for expansion and after Oct. 1 he will remove to the room formerly occupied by the Community Center, which has leased the location to him. Mr. Larson has for some time realized that the exigencies of a rapidly growing business would force him to seek more commodious quarters, and when the Community Center quarters were found to be available he at once seized the opportunity to secure the place where he will have more room for the display of his merchandise and the operation of his business.

## OPEN FALL SEASON WITH CARD PARTY

Fall activities with the American Legion will commence on Thursday evening, October 4th, when a card party will be held at the Odd Fellows hall. Members of the local post with the assistance of the American Legion Woman's Auxiliary will direct the activities for the evening and the general public is assured of a pleasant time. Tickets may now be procured from members of both the organizations at a nominal charge per person. Arrangements have been made so that groups of four may play at individual tables any card game they desire and prizes will be awarded for each table. Any one desiring to play Mah-Jong a/c requested to bring their own sets. Refreshments will be served.