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ARTISTIC DELIGHTS OF RAVINIA NIGHTS AMID NATURAL BEAUTIES

Programs for Coming Week To Be Especially Brilliant; Miniature Circus For The Children

Brilliant sunshine by day, and delightful moonlight by night in the last week have added their natural charm to the artistic delights of Ravinia...

WILFRED PELLETIER

But regardless of weather conditions or size of audiences, the quality of the programs at Ravinia this season is beyond praise...

Remainder of This Week The programs for the remainder of this week are as follows:

Thursday afternoon, July 17—Children's program, with orchestra and Fairy Story afternoon, after intermission, "The Guest of the Queen Prince," Marian Chase Schaeffer...

Friday evening, July 18—"L'Amore Dei Tre Re," with Bori, Martinielli, Danise, Lazzari and others.

Saturday afternoon, July 19—Orchestra program.

Saturday evening—Double program, "The Secret of Suzanne," with Bori, Martinielli, Basola and others...

Sunday, July 20—Afternoon orchestra program, with Jacques Gordon, soloist.

Sunday evening—"The Barber of Seville," with Pareto, Tokatyan, Ballester, Rother, Ananian and others.

Monday, July 21—Evening orchestra program, with Virgilio Lazzari and Jacques Gordon, soloists.

Tuesday, July 22—"Andre Chenier," with Lauri-Volpi, Danise, Easton, Aleock, Bourskaya and others.

Wednesday, July 23—Double program, "La Legende du Point d'Argentan," with Bourskaya, Sabanieva, Rother, D'Angelo...

Thursday, July 24—Afternoon Children's program at 3 o'clock. Orchestra program opening. After intermission, Fisher's Miniature Comedy Circus...

Friday, July 25—"Tosca" with Florence Easton, Danise, Martinielli, D'Angelo, Paltirineri, Ananian and others.

Saturday, July 26—Afternoon orchestra program. Saturday evening—"Martha," with Pareto, Bourskaya, Lauri-Volpi, Lazzari, Ananian.

Sunday, July 27—Afternoon orchestra program, with Carl Brueckner, soloist.

Sunday evening—"Madame Butterfly," with Florence Easton, Ina Bourskaya, Lauri-Volpi, Ballester, Paltirineri and others.

Conductors during the week are Gennaro Papi, Eric DeLamar and Louis Hasselmann. Stage director, Armando Agnini.

GREEN MILL CLEANERS OPEN OFFICE HERE

The Green Mill Cleaners, of which Mr. O. G. St. Peter is proprietor, and whose plant is located in Waukegan have opened an office at 508 Central avenue. They are fully equipped to handle dry cleaning in all lines.

ROYAL ARCH DEGREE CONFERRED JULY 29

Local Chapter Gets Permit to Use Deerfield Temple For Convocation

Owing to the fact that the new Masonic Temple building is under construction here the Royal Arch chapter has received permission to confer degrees in the Deerfield Masonic Temple, on Saturday, July 19.

The convocation will open at two o'clock p. m. and the Royal Arch Degree will be conferred upon three groups: at two o'clock and four o'clock in the afternoon, and at eight o'clock in the evening.

Grand High Priest, J. C. Ferrin, may be present and we also hope to have with us Excellent Companion, Edward A. Kuehnsted, who was our instructor in Chicago and also Excellent Companion Alfred H. Whitman, inspector of the Fourth district.

PLAYGROUND DRAWS NUMEROUS CHILDREN

Attendance Good and Features Attractive; More Games Are Needed

Attendance at the playground continues good this week, Miss Mary Daniel, the director reports. The average is 40 in the forenoon and 60 in the afternoon; evenings about 75.

Magazines are in great demand and the plan made last week for these and discarded games, etc., is renewed. These, if donated, will be of great value in the playground work.

BENT ALSO IS LIFE SAVER; HIS RECORD Rescues Two Kittens; Has Reputation as Humanitarian in Evanston

When the Highland Park fire department the other week saved nine lives in one batch by rescuing a kitten from a tree, folks thought that was the record, but the fire boys have nothing on H. D. Bent, well known realtor with offices on West Central avenue, and also Evanston alderman, recently, according to the same ratio, Alderman Bent rescued 18 cat lives in two groups of nine each, by saving a couple of kittens from asphyxiation in Evanston, according to reports and he takes the palm.

Seriously however, Mr. Bent is a humanitarian. Not long ago it came to his notice that a crippled girl in Evanston had to pass over a very bad piece of pavement in going to and from school and through his influence the city's street department was directed to immediately make such repairs as would facilitate the child's passage. This was done.

N. S. GARDEN CLUB TO HAVE FIELD TRIP

Prof. Heath of Northwestern U in Charge of First Afternoon Meeting, July 22

The first afternoon meeting of the North Shore Garden club will be held Tuesday, July 22nd in the form of a field trip with Prof. Heath of Northwestern university in charge.

They will visit the native wonders of the beach near Waukegan. Cars of the Highland Park station at 11:00 a. m. Each member is asked to bring a basket luncheon.

URGE CLUB MEMBERS TO ATTEND CARD PARTIES

A chain card party is being held each Wednesday afternoon at two thirty o'clock in the Woman's club auditorium.

The first card party which was given proved a success and each member of the club who is interested in the social activities of the club is requested to pass the word along, each week, whether or not it is possible for her to attend.

ADVANCE PLANS FOR HIGHLAND PARK DAY

STUDEBAKER-SIX IS PRIZE IS IMPORTANT PROJECT

Handsome Offer by J & L Garage Company; Other Specials And Special Prizes of Cash; Parade

Preparations for observance of Highland Park Day, Aug. 13, are going forward rapidly, and indications are that in number of attractions, volume and size of prizes, extent of parade and attendance this year's civic holiday will surpass all previous ones.

This car is purchased from the J. & L. garage, which has agreed to donate \$230 to the Business Men's association, believing that the publicity obtained through the offering of this fine car as the chief prize of Highland Park Day is worth that sum.

Special Prizes This was announced at a meeting of the Highland Park Day committee held Monday evening, and at this session also it was decided that special prizes of \$10.00, \$15.00 and \$25.00 be given in addition to the multitude of merchandise prizes to be awarded during the day.

The big parade in the forenoon promises to exceed those of previous years in both size and variety of entries. Effort is being made to have all local businesses and other activities represented, and many decorated automobiles and special floats are being prepared.

The baseball game will begin at 11 o'clock, according to report made at this meeting, arrangement to this effect having been made with the teams which are to play.

Games and Races The track and field committee is arranging for all sorts of games and races, etc., and prizes will be offered in each event.

Dancing afternoon and evening will be provided for with good music and an excellent floor, and it is expected that this feature will attract many. Everything points to the biggest and best Highland Park Day celebration yet held, and all local people are invited to participate and bring their friends, the more the merrier.

The committees of the Highland Park Business Men's association in charge of the various phases of the holiday arrangements are:

List of Committees General chairman—Clarence Witt, Paul L. Udell, William Guyot. Publicity—J. B. Garnett, Paul L. Udell, Herman Denzel.

Decorations—S. A. St. Peter, Elmer Clavey, Wm. Guyot, George Bowden.

Parade and band—Albert Larson, S. A. St. Peter, F. Humer, John Peter.

Track and field—William Guyot, Lyle Gourley, E. F. Pratt, F. Humer, Miss Mary Daniel, playground director.

Building and grounds—Walter Meierhoff, Edward Laing, Arthur Moran, Clarence Witt. Speakers—Herman Denzel.

Public safety—Frank W. Sheahan. Refreshments—William Witten, William Becker, Hans Bakke.

Finance—Charles F. Grant, Howard Huber. Prizes—James Collins, E. Moldaner, E. Greenwald, John Peters.

Dancing—Arthur Person, O. S. Springer, Clarence Witt. Automobile prize—J. W. Simons, Charles Dennett, John L. Udell, Thomas Welsh, Robert Pease, Andrew Decker.

Baseball—Edward Laing, Paul L. Udell.

LEGION POST AIDING WITH BONUS BLANKS

Ex-Service Men May Get Help Certain Evenings At the City Hall

Dumaresq Spencer Post No. 145 of The American Legion wishes to announce that it is now ready to aid all ex-service men in the filling out of the federal bonus blanks.

Men are requested to report on the following evenings from 7:30 to 10 p. m.: Tonight, Thursday, July 17, Monday night, July 21; Tuesday night, July 22; Wednesday night, July 23; Thursday night, July 24, at the city hall.

VOTE ON H. S. BOND ISSUE ON TUESDAY

IS IMPORTANT PROJECT

Present Favorable Time to Buy Site in Lake Forest; Need of Assembly Hall Is Emphasized

Interest is widespread in this great Deerfield-Shields high school district over the special election to be held next Tuesday, July 22, on the proposition to issue bonds to the amount of \$200,000, at 4 1/2 per cent to finance the erection of a much needed assembly hall at the high school, also to authorize the purchase of a site in Lake Forest for an additional high school or junior high building to be built when the increasing population of the district makes another such school necessary.

The polling places will be in the east building of the high school at Highland Park, in the city hall at Lake Forest and in the village hall at Deerfield. Polls will be open from 7:00 a. m. to 5:00 p. m., daylight saving time.

Is Good Business It is especially emphasized by those familiar with real estate conditions that the plan to buy a site for another school in the north end of the district at the present time is good business.

A tract of about 12 acres can be obtained on Noble avenue, Lake Forest, within easy distance from the center of population of that section of the district at a price of about \$42,000. This means that this tract can be bought today at a reasonable price, but with the rapid subdivision of territory in all this part of the North Shore it will not be long before acreage property anywhere near population centers will be unobtainable at any price.

Hence, it is believed wise to make this purchase as soon as possible in order to save the district money, as the rapid increase in population of the district will soon make necessary another school building in that section.

Assembly Hall Needed The Assembly Hall at Deerfield-Shields was authorized in 1914, but owing to lack of sufficient funds the district has delayed its erection 11 years.

Now this hall is badly needed; in another year or two it will be an absolute necessity, and everybody interested in the progress of this great school will agree that there has been no haste in securing this essential additional facility. Now the time has come to take action, and the school board is simply asking the voters of the district to approve their proceeding with the erection of an Assembly Hall, long ago authorized by the district.

District Growing Rapidly The Deerfield-Shields district is large in scope, larger, perhaps, than many realize. It extends from Lake Michigan west along the Lake county line, at the south end a distance of about 16 miles, thence north about 18 miles and thence east about nine miles to the lake.

This is an extensive territory, much of which is settled and much more now being subdivided, so that it will not be long before it will show 100,000 population, and in a few years 200,000. Hence, it is clear that the school authorities are using good judgment and foresight in making plans now to take care of the rapidly increasing school population.

Bonds At Premium At the present splendid status of such bonds and the fact that they are non-taxable, the proposed assembly hall securities are likely to sell at a good premium, and this is an added feature in favor of the action proposed.

BANDITS GET \$225 AT LAKE SHORE CLUB

Six Masked Men Bind Engineer And Take His \$25 and Rest From Member

Six masked bandits raided the Lake Shore Country club at 5 o'clock Sunday morning and escaped with \$225 dollars, according to reports to the local police. Of this amount \$200 was taken from a member of the club and \$25 from the engineer, who was bound by the yeggs and placed in the basement, when they feared he might give the alarm. No trace of the robbers has been discovered, but Cook county authorities are following up the case.

MILK DRIVERS UNION ANNUAL PICNIC, 23rd

The annual picnic of the Milk Driver Union No. 753 will be held Wednesday, July 23rd, at Dam No. 1 Forest Preserve near Wheeling.

There will be games, races, eats, drinks, bathing, boating and fishing. All members and their families are urged to attend.

ANNUAL BASKET PICNIC CONFERRED JULY 19

Invite Public to Attend and Inspect Camp; Many Interesting Speakers

An invitation is extended to the public to attend the annual basket picnic at Arden Shore, Tuesday, July twenty-second. Luncheon will be served at twelve-thirty in the McGregor Adams Memorial library. The library was built for Arden Shore a number of years ago, by Mrs. J. McGregor Adams. She has rebuilt it this year; two new screened porches, new benches and book shelves being added as well as redecoration of the entire building. It is planned to have the building entirely completed by next Tuesday.

Among the speakers for the day will be Mrs. Jos. J. Siddall, president of Glencoe; Miss Anna Belle Ferrier, superintendent; Miss Steward, health teacher; Miss Blankenheim, in charge of the Little Cinderella's and convalescent girls; Miss Lindquist, in charge of undernourished; Miss Bowen, Miss Rosenthal, Miss Poppen, Miss Phillips, Miss Foster and Mr. Underwood.

Mrs. Harold C. Gifford is chairman of the local Arden Shore committee and Mrs. Harry A. Sellery is chairman of the Ravinia committee. Other interested Highland Park women are Mrs. Robert B. Gregory, Mrs. George A. Mason, Mrs. J. Spencer Glidden, Mrs. Gerard Van Schaick and Mrs. Ward W. Willitts.

DOUGLAS MacLEAN IN "THE YANKEE CONSUL"

To Be Shown Thursday and Friday; "Thy Name Is Woman" Shown Two Days

The following pictures will be shown at Pearl theatre next week:

Tonight and tomorrow night Jackie Coogan in "A Boy of Flanders"; Saturday, Tom Mix in his latest and best "The Heart Buster"; and "The Chronicles of America"; Sunday and Monday, Mary Philbin in "Fool's Highway" based on Owen Kildare's story "My Mamie Rose"; Tuesday and Wednesday, "Thy Name Is Woman" featuring Ramon Novarro and Barbara La Marr; Thursday and Friday, Douglas MacLean in "The Yankee Consul"; Saturday, Charles Jones in his latest comedy-drama "Against All Odds"; and the twelfth of "The Chronicles of America" "The Puritana," Matinee Saturday. See program on local page of this paper.

BUILDING CONCRETE STREET, DEERFIELD

Kapschull-Davis Co. Constructing It For McGuire & Orr and Ender Family

The first reinforced concrete street in Deerfield village, outside of the state-aid hard roads, is being laid for McGuire and Orr and the Ender family at an approximate cost of \$25,000. The contractors are the Kapschull-Davis Co., who built the Highland Park-Deerfield road last year. The new street is named Eugene street. It is a modern cement road, seven inches in thickness and reinforced with wire mesh. A center joint will be provided along the middle line of the highway and also a transverse joint every 30 feet to eliminate uneven cracking of the concrete. An integral curb also is a feature of this road. It is believed that this notable example of public spirit and progressiveness will encourage further construction of good roads in Deerfield.

PROGRAM NEXT WEEK AT H. P. THEATRE

"The Code of the Sea" Tuesday & Wednesday; "Ridgeway of Montana"

Highland Park theater will present the following pictures next week:

Tonight, Matt Moore, George Fawcett, Patsy Ruth Miller and a celebrated cast in "The Breaking Point"; Friday and Saturday, "One Law For The Woman"; Sunday and Monday, Rod La Rocque and Jacqueline Logan in "The Code of the Sea"; Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday, May McAvoy, George Fawcett and a great cast in "The Bed Room Window" a mystery story; Friday and Saturday, Jack Hoxie in "Ridgeway of Montana" also "A Royal Pair." Matinee Thursday and Saturday. See program on back page of this paper.

PYTHIAN SISTERS TO PICNIC SUNDAY

The Highland Park Pythian Sisters will hold a basket picnic at Diamond Lake next Sunday, July 20. The Knights of Pythias are invited to attend and bring their families.

They will meet at the Chicago and Northwestern railroad station on the west side of the tracks at one o'clock p. m.

COUNCIL ADVANCES NEW IMPROVEMENTS

PAVEMENTS AND SEWERS

Sessions of City Fathers and Improvement Board Held July 11; Important Features

Several important improvements, comprising paving and sewer extensions were acted upon at the regular meetings of the City council and the board of local improvements Friday, July 11.

In the absence of Mayor Hastings Acting Mayor Cheney presided, and other members present were Commissioners Card and Gourley.

Mr. Millard, representing owners of property on Green Bay road overlooking the Bob-O-Link Golf club, entered complaint against the construction of a water tower on the premises, and Acting Mayor Cheney appointed a committee consisting of Commissioner Card, Corporation Counsel Holmes and City Engineer Windes to confer with the officials of the club and the property owners interested for the purpose of working out a plan satisfactory to all concerned.

The council then recessed while the board of local improvements held a meeting, with Commissioner Cheney, on motion, acting as president of the board.

Improvement Board Session A resolution was adopted authorizing the corporation counsel to prepare an ordinance with estimates and recommendation for passage for the construction of a reinforced concrete pavement in Orchard street, from and connecting with the present pavement in St. Johns avenue west to a line 49 feet west of and parallel to the easterly line, extended, of Waukegan avenue, public hearing and legal notices, etc., having all been taken care of according to law.

Another resolution adopted, provided for the preparation by the corporation counsel of an ordinance, estimate and recommendation for passage for the construction of a reinforced concrete pavement in St. Johns avenue, from Elm place to Central avenue, and in East Park avenue, from Sheridan road to St. Johns avenue, all legal technicalities having been complied with.

Similar action was taken regarding the proposed paving of Second street from Laurel avenue to Elm place and in Laurel avenue to Elm First street to Green Bay road.

Advertised For Bids A resolution was adopted providing for the advertising for bids on the contract for the Southeast system of sewers, which bids will be received (Continued on page 7)

PRESS IS BIG PAPER THIS WEEK; FEATURES

Frequent Increase in Size of This Journal Indicates Its Popularity

Special attention is called to the size of this issue of the Highland Park Press. In this issue is included the assessment roll for Deerfield township, West Deerfield and Highland Park city. In addition there are several large advertisements of progressive merchants, besides the usual large amount of local and other news. The Press is nothing if not progressive, and the fact that every now and then it is necessary to increase its size from 16 to 18 pages indicates its steady growth and popularity in this territory.

MOTORISTS WARNED OF THROUGH STREETS

Police Instructed to Arrest Drivers Who Cross Without Stopping

The city ordinances provide that automobiles and other vehicles shall come to a full stop at signs before entering upon or crossing Sheridan road, Central avenue and Green Bay road. There are many violations of this ordinance, and the police department has been instructed to arrest all offenders.

RYAN'S ROMEO TO PLAY HERE SUNDAY

Another Good Ball Game Is In Prospect For This Week End, Report

Another good baseball game is promised for next Sunday on the Elks field, when Jimmie Ryan's Romeo from Chicago come out to cross bats with the Elks players. The Romeo are a fast bunch, and the local fans are assured a good exhibition next Sunday afternoon when these two good nines meet.