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BIDS FOR PAVING ST. JOHNS AVENUE

LAUREL TO SHERIDAN
Range From \$27,932 to 29,893
And Are Filed For Inspection;
Other Business of Council and Board

Regular meetings of the city council and the Board of Local Improvements were held on Friday evening, Jan. 9, in the City hall. The chief feature of interest at the improvement board session was the reception of bids for the paving of St. Johns avenue from Laurel avenue to Sheridan road with reinforced concrete pavement. The bids received were as follows:

Amount of Bids
Chicago Heights Coal company, \$28,667.15; Western Improvement company, \$29,340.80; Edward M. Laing, \$29,893.75; James Cape & Sons company, \$29,233.85; Arcole Construction company, \$27,932.20; Jaicks Bros., \$29,643.64; Highways Construction company, \$29,139.85.

On motion of Member Cheney the bids were placed on file in the mayor's office for public inspection, as provided by ordinance, before an award should be made.

James L. Fyfe, engineer, presented a report for the Fitzgerald Construction company, engaged on the Sheridan road bridge job. Special Assessment No. 261, showing the company entitled to payment of \$3500 on account of labor and materials. On motion of Member Cheney the amount was allowed.

Time Extended

On motion of Member Cheney Charles M. Porter company was granted an extension of time to April 1, 1925, for completion of contract of Special Assessment No. 273, and that the contractor pay all additional engineering and inspection fees caused by the extension.

On motion of Member Cheney the Charles M. Porter company, the Highways Construction company, and Angelo Monaco be notified to proceed with their work under original contracts with the city, as provided under Special Assessments 281, 282, and 283. Another motion also prevailed granting the Charles M. Porter company, extension of time to July 1, 1925, for completion of contract under Special Assessment No. 281, and that the contractor pay all extra engineering and inspection fees made necessary by the extension.

City Council Meeting

The city council meeting was a brief one, the principal business being the presentation by Commissioner Cheney of bills and payrolls for the period, Dec. 1, 1924, to Jan. 1, 1925.

The bills totalled \$7432.04 and were distributed among the several departments as follows: Public affairs, \$1475.67; accounts and finances, \$224; public health and safety, \$2413.28; streets and public improvements, \$810.29; public property, \$1403.22; local improvement advances and expenses, \$68.20; job orders, \$27.00; liability insurance premium, \$662.79; snow plow, \$283.26; new books and fixtures for public library, \$963.21; emergency and contingent, \$194.75; maintenance of autos, \$76.35; city plan, \$800; refund of building permit, \$29.34.

On motion of Commissioner Cheney Mr. Everett L. Millard was granted refund of \$5 on account of over-payment of auto license fee. A motion also prevailed allowing Mr. James L. Fyfe payment of \$480 for engineering services on South Sheridan road bridge in connection with Special Assessment No. 261.

FREE LECTURE ON CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

By Miss Lucia C. Coulson, C. S., of London, England, This Thursday Night

First Church of Christ, Scientist, of Highland Park, announces a free lecture on Christian Science by Miss Lucia C. Coulson, C. S., of London, England, member of the Board of Lecturership of the Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, Boston, Mass., at the Church Edifice, Hazel avenue, east of St. Johns avenue, Thursday evening, January 15, at eight o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend.

COMMUNITY SERVICE MEETS MONDAY NIGHT

The annual meeting of the members of Community Service will be held Monday evening, January 19, at the Community building, 380 Central avenue. The meeting will be called promptly at 8 o'clock. Members are urged to attend.

PARISH DINNER IS PLANNED FOR TONIGHT

Trinity Church to Hold Annual Meeting; Church Service League Election

There will be a parish dinner in Trinity Church parish house this Thursday at six thirty o'clock followed by a social hour. It is hoped that all members of the congregation, especially new comers will be present. Reservations for the turkey dinner may be made by calling Mrs. Cusaden or Mrs. George A. Mason. At eight o'clock that evening there will be held the annual parish meeting for the election of wardens and vestrymen for the year 1925.

At the annual meeting of the Church Service league held on Monday last, Mrs. George A. Mason, who for several years past has most efficiently filled the office of president of the organization, resigned in favor of Mrs. Frederic A. Cusaden who assumes her new duties with the assurance of the loyal support of the entire church membership. Mrs. Mason's chief reason for resigning the presidency of the local organization is that she has been chosen president of the diocesan branch of the Woman's auxiliary, a position of honor and responsibility which demands a large share of her time and energy.

She remains of course, a member of the local organization and will be ready at all times to advise and assist new officers.

MISS MARLEY PRESENTS PUPILS IN RECITAL

Musical Given On Wednesday Afternoon At Home of Mrs. William Reay

On Wednesday afternoon, January 14th at four o'clock at the residence of Mrs. William Reay on Hazel ave., an informal piano recital was given by the pupils of the Highland Park Music school, Ethel Lathrop Marley, director. Those appearing were: Dorothy and Marian Bard, Josephine Blanchard, George, Madeline and Mae Bliss, Martha Buhl, Delphine Foley, Marion Flinn, Mae Flynn, Marion and Ralph Greenlee, Katherine Haislip, Helen Koon, Jamie Marsh, Dania Mavor, Jane Neumann, Emily Norcross, Francis & Patrick Odell, Irvin and Nancy Reay, Hugh Seyfarth, Louise Smith, Helena and June Stockwell, Antoinette Templeton, Isabelle Tennant, Hester Ann Thomas, Julia and Mildred Watkins, Jane Wilcoxson, Jean Williams, Hugh Wolf, Arthur and Robert Wood and Lucille Wright.

JOHN GLASS DIES IN NEW YORK SATURDAY

Former Resident Is Victim of Pneumonia; Funeral Held Yesterday

John Glass, a retired newspaper advertising agent formerly representing The New York Herald in Chicago, died Saturday night in his apartment in the Hotel Marguery, 270 Park Avenue, New York. He was sixty years old and had been ill of pneumonia for the last ten days.

Mr. Glass, who was a close friend of the late James Gordon Bennett, was widely known all over the country in newspaper circles. In addition to the New York Herald, he represented the Columbus News, the Indianapolis Star, the Cleveland Plain Dealer, the Detroit News and the Pittsburgh Dispatch. Two years ago he retired and traveled extensively in Europe, returning about six weeks ago.

His home was in Highland Park. He is survived by two brothers, Charles and Frank, who live in London, Ontario, where he was born. A son, Thomas, took his body to London Sunday for burial. The funeral was held yesterday morning.

Y. M. C. TO ATTEND SKI TOURNAMENT

Charter North Shore Bus to Cary; Few Reservations Still Remain

The Young Men's club of Highland Park have chartered a North Shore bus to take the members who desire to go, to attend the Ski meet at Gary on Sunday. There are still a few reservations left. The bus will leave Highland Park at eleven o'clock Sunday morning. Anyone desiring to attend may communicate with Lloyd Larson.

GARNETT'S TO HOLD JANUARY CLEARANCE

The annual January sale of Garnett's Dry Goods store begins today and continues during the remainder of the week. Many attractive values are offered in this sale.

FEDERATED CLUBS TO MEET HERE JAN. 20TH

10TH CONGRESSIONAL DIST. Representatives of Women's Organizations To Be Entertained by Local Organizations

The Federation of Clubs of the Tenth Congressional district will hold its mid-year meeting in Highland Park on Tuesday, January 20. The Highland Park Woman's club being the hostess club on this occasion.

This is an all day meeting, the morning session beginning at 10 o'clock. Luncheon will be served at 12:30 o'clock, reservations for which accompanied by check, must be in the hands of Mrs. Harry Paul, 708 Ridge-wood drive, not later than Saturday, January 17.

This is the first time the local clubs have had the privilege of entertaining the Tenth district in Highland Park, and members of both the Ossoli and Highland Park Woman's clubs are urged to attend.

The program in full follows:

Morning Session
District meeting—10:00.
Greeting—Mrs. W. C. Shipnes, president of the Highland Park Woman's club.

Response—Mrs. Frederick W. Blocki, president Tenth district.
Minutes—Mrs. A. F. Reichmann.
Roll call—
Reports of officers—
Announcements—
Nominating committee—Art. 3, sec. 11.

"The Coming Generation," Dr. Lena K. Sadler.
Tenth district song—Bronson Circle double quartet.
Adjournment for luncheon.

Afternoon Session, 2:00 O'clock
Music Trio—Waukegan Woman's club.
"Some Educational Problems," Mrs. W. S. Hefferan, member of the board of education.

"The Best We Can do For This Generation," Dr. James H. Hutton.

THOMAS MEIGHAN IN "TONGUES OF FLAME"

At H. P. Theatre 3 Days; "Reckless Romance" Also "Tomorrow's Love"

The following pictures will be shown at Highland Park Theatre next week.

Tonight, Richard Dix and Jacqueline Logan in "A Man Must Live"; Friday and Saturday, Agnes Ayres, Pat O'Malley, Raymond Hatton and a big cast in "Tomorrow's Love"; Sunday and Monday, Wanda Hawley in "Let Women Alone"; Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, Thomas Meighan in his latest production "Tongues of Flame"; Friday and Saturday, T. Roy Barnes, Harry Meyers, Sylvia Breamer and a big cast in "Reckless Romance." Matinee Thursday and Saturday. See program on back page of this paper.

JUNIOR LEAGUE TO HOLD PLAY HERE

"The Sleeping Beauty" To Be Given at Elm Place School, January 28

The Junior League players are coming once more to Elm Place auditorium on January 28th at four o'clock presenting this time, their lovely new production of "The Sleeping Beauty." It is hoped that no child will miss this opportunity to see these talented players make alive for them the land of the fairy tale.

The grownups too, will be eager to enjoy this artistic performance. Tickets may be obtained at Pease or Gessl' drug stores or at the Elm Place school.

JUNIOR AUXILIARY TO POSTPONE MEETING

The regular monthly meeting of the Junior Auxiliary of the Highland Park Woman's club has been postponed indefinitely. Though cards have been sent out to members announcing the meeting, members are asked to disregard the notice. Further announcement will be made later.

MASQUERADE BALL AT ODD FELLOWS HALL

On Saturday evening, January 17th, the third annual prize masquerade ball will be given in Odd Fellows temple, under the direction of the Boosters club. Music will be furnished by Duffy's orchestra. Prizes will be awarded, the most clever and prettiest costumes.

GEORGE OLIVER HILL REACHES LIFE'S END

DEATH CAME LAST FRIDAY

Young Man Taken While Life Is Full of Promise; Funeral Monday; Other Deaths In Past Week

George Oliver Hill died Friday morning, Jan. 9, at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hill, 53 North Green Bay road, following a long period of ill health.

The funeral services were held on Monday afternoon at the home of the parents, and were largely attended. Rev. J. G. Finkbeiner of the Ebenezer Evangelical church officiated. Miss Millie Brown sang appropriate selections with Miss Charlotte Brand as accompanist. The floral offerings were many and beautiful. The pall bearers were Carl Wahlen, Albert Wahlen, Richard Wahlen, Fredolph Wahlen, David Erickson, Fred Gieser. Burial at the Memorial Park cemetery.

Born Here

George Oliver Hill was born in Highland Park, Feb. 17, 1897, and at the time of his death was aged 27 years, 10 months and 22 days. As a child he attended the Elm Place school, from which he was graduated, entering the Deerfield-Shields high school, where he successfully completed the four-years course. Following graduation from this school he attended the Gregg business college in Chicago, and later he studied for a year at the University of Illinois. While there the United States entered the World war, and young Hill abandoned his studies to enlist and was assigned to duties connected with the Medical corps, which he performed with patriotic devotion and enthusiasm.

Illness Halts Career

Following the close of the war he completed the course of a public accountant and for four and one-half years was auditor for the Central division of the Red Cross in Chicago. Ill health curtailed his promise of a useful and successful career. Several months ago he went to Milwaukee for medical treatment, remaining until Oct. 18, 1924, when he returned to the home of his parents, where he received tenderest care of parent, wife and sister, but despite all that medical skill and careful nursing could accomplish, he gradually grew weaker until the end.

The Relatives

On Sept. 26, 1918, Mr. Hill was united in marriage to Miss Estelle Jones of Chicago. She and two daughters, Martha Jean and Marion Vendla, survive. Other relatives living are the parents; two sisters, Helen Hill and Mrs. Ethel Bergstrom; and a host of friends mourn his loss.

In early life the decedent attended the Ebenezer Sunday school and was greatly interested in the study of the scriptures, and throughout his illness he manifested implicit trust and a loving father and a true friend. Though his life was comparatively brief, the years allotted him in the Divine Providence were well and wisely spent. His life was full of purpose, and such a life is not lived in vain, be the years few or many. The many friends of the family extend sincere sympathy.

William C. Kimball
William C. Kimball died Jan. 11, in the hospital. He had been staying with his son, Charles H. Kimball. He was born April 28, 1858, in Superior, Wis., and his home had been in Oshkosh, where the funeral was held on Tuesday, Jan. 13.

Mrs. Martha Anderson
Mrs. Martha F. Anderson, wife of Oscar Anderson of Winnetka, died Jan. 9, in the local hospital. She was born May 13, 1867, in Norway. The funeral was held Tuesday afternoon, and burial was at Memorial Park.

MEMBERSHIP DINNER OF Y. W. JAN. 29

The membership dinner of the Y. W. C. A. will be held Thursday evening, January 29th at the Presbyterian church. Members of the board and committee members may procure tickets at the "Y" headquarters. Members will get their tickets at the regular meetings of the clubs.

SENIOR CLASS HOP SATURDAY, JAN. 17TH.

The annual senior class dance at the high school will be held Saturday, January 17, and plans are under way which promise a very enjoyable affair. The seniors are privileged to invite guests. The hours are from 8 to 11 p. m. but doors will be closed at 8:45.

"FASHION" TO BE GIVEN AT ELM PLACE SCHOOL

North Shore Theatre Guild, 2nd Play Here Jan. 23; Mrs. Byfield in Cast

When the North Shore Theatre Guild presents "Fashion," in Highland Park, January 23rd, there will be an imposing array of North Shore talent in the cast including Mrs. Arthur Byfield of Highland Park who will be cast as Milennette.

The play, a satire on an ambitious mother who tries to bring nobility into the family by marrying her daughter to a count who later turns out to be bogus, is full of comical situations and lines. The production also includes a dozen songs of the period which are sung at various intervals and accompanied by a special orchestra.

Special scenery has been designed for "Fashion" by Aleya Curtis who has succeeded Gregory Foley as producer for the guild. The scenes of which there are eleven have been executed by the play production classes of the school of speech at Northwestern university.

The guild has been fortunate in procuring Howard Mumford Jones of the University of Chicago, for director of the play. Mr. Jones has been connected with the University of Texas since 1916 and is well known for his writings as well as his directing ability. He is the author of "A Little Book of Verse," "Gargoyles," "The Shadow," a translation of Heine's poem, "The North Sea," and other things.

Tickets for the guild play are going fast and promise to surpass the enormous seat sale for "The Enchanted Cottage," earlier this season.

MRS. BERTHA GRIESE OF HIGHWOOD DIES

Death Occurs Jan. 12; Funeral Is Friday; Brief Sketch of Woman's Life

Mrs. Bertha Griese, wife of Fred Griese of Highwood, died Jan. 12, in the Lake County hospital, Waukegan, following about five days of illness due to tumor. The funeral will be held at the home at 10:30 Friday. Rev. Suhr officiating, and burial will be in the Eden cemetery. Mrs. Griese was born in Germany, May 26, 1873, and came to America 33 years ago. She was married first about 38 years ago to Herman Sogman, and her marriage to Mr. Griese was solemnized Dec. 1, 1904. He survives and the children are Albert and Edward Sogman, Mrs. Elsie Urban and Mrs. Helen Wiegle, by the first marriage; and Mrs. Edith Croyle, Fred Griese, Jr., Arthur, Alma and Dorothy Griese, by the second marriage. There are four brothers and two sisters, Otto and Albert of Chicago, Edward of the Deerfield-Shields high school recently and pleased the students with very humorous selections.

The money for this evening's entertainment was raised by a bazaar given by the Community club last April. A small charge will be made at the door and will not really cover the enjoyment those who attend will get.

"THE NARROW STREET" TO BE SHOWN 2 DAYS

Irene Rich in "This Woman," Tues. & Wed.; "Oh Doctor" For 2 Days

Next week's program at Pearl Theater will include the following pictures:

Tonight and tomorrow night, Claire Windsor, Frank Keenan, Lloyd Hughes in "The Dixie Handicap"; Saturday, Tom Mix in "Teeth"; Sunday and Monday, Dorothy DeVore & Matt Moore in "The Narrow Street"; Tuesday and Wednesday, Irene Rich, Louise Fazenda, Ricardo Cortez, Clara Bow, Marc McDermott and Creighton Hale in "This Woman"; Thursday and Friday, Reginald Denney with Mary Astor in "Oh Doctor!"; Saturday, Robert Agnew and Peggy Shaw in "Gold Heels." Matinee on Saturday. See program on local page of this paper.

SECOND GORDON CONCERT AT LAKE FOREST SUNDAY

To Be Held at the Home of Mrs. Russell Hill; Splendid Program in View

The second of the series of the Gordon Quartette concerts will be given this week Sunday, Jan. 18, at 3:30 p. m., at the residence of Mrs. Russell Hill, 518 East Deerpath ave., Lake Forest.

The program will include Beethoven's Quartette in A Minor, Opus 132; The Unfinished Quartette of Chaussons; and a group of small pieces.

It is hoped all regular Highland Park subscribers and many former subscribers will attend. Single tickets at two dollars will be on sale at the door.

HOSPITAL CAMPAIGN LEADERS APPOINTED

LIST OF CHAIRMEN GIVEN

Plans For Drive Sunday, Jan. 25 For Institution's Operating Fund; Statistics Show Importance

Plans for Hospital campaign Sunday, January 25, 1925, are now in full swing. The campaign office, through the courtesy of the Mayor and Commissioners, has been established in the city hall, and a campaign executive committee has been partially organized, with the following personnel:

Campaign Chairman, Mr. Sellar Bullard.

Campaign Director, Mrs. Helen Farquhar Sanford.

Committee Chairmen: Advance Gifts, Mr. Frederick A. Watkins; Publicity, Mr. George A. Schofield; Speakers, Mrs. Wilson Kline; Office and Lists, Mrs. Moses Eisenstadt; Districting of City, the Rev. William F. Suhr and Mr. William H. Bowden; Campaign Dinner, Mr. George W. Rosetter. Other members of this committee are yet to be announced.

District City

It is proposed to divide the city and its environs into districts, necessitating the co-operation of twenty-five to thirty captains, who will choose a force of workers, numbering fully two hundred men and women. It is believed by the campaign executive committee that even a much larger force will be ready to respond when called upon to solicit on the afternoon of January 25th, for a community institution such as is the Highland Park hospital. Make your plans, Mr. and Mrs. Citizen, to be available to solicit or be solicited on Hospital Sunday.

A folder is being prepared with much interesting information concerning the hospital and with appealing illustrations of its equipment and work. These folders will be mailed to all homes in the community between now and January 25th.

Statistical Report

The Board of Managers of the Highland Park hospital presents the following statistical report of work done at the hospital from January 1924 to January 1, 1925:

AN ENTERTAINMENT AT RIDGE SCHOOL

Jesse Pugh, Humorist, to Appear Saturday Evening; Dance Afterwards

Jesse Pugh, well known humorist, will appear at the Ridge school on Saturday evening, at eight o'clock. Mr. Pugh gave a program at the Deerfield-Shields high school recently and pleased the students with very humorous selections.

The money for this evening's entertainment was raised by a bazaar given by the Community club last April. A small charge will be made at the door and will not really cover the enjoyment those who attend will get.

After Mr. Pugh's part of the evening's fun, the regular community social dance, which is given the third Saturday of each month, will be given. Music will be furnished by Mrs. Heybeck at the piano and Mr. Beckman at the violin.

NEW SKATING POND OPENED TO PUBLIC

Rink at High School Athletic Field Now in Use; Heated Waiting Room

The new ice pond at the high school athletic field is now in use and a heated waiting room for skaters is provided. The pond is open to the public, and during the recent moonlight nights many devotees of this exhilarating sport have been enjoying this opportunity to skate. It is expected that the pond will be largely patronized during the winter.

One-Minute Sermon

The Hebrew Library
The Bible is not a "Book." It is a library. It took a thousand years to produce it. Its authors are legion. It is history, legend, myth, prophecy, poetry, love-song, genealogy, letters, folk-lore, fiction. It is wisdom for the wise, to the superstitious it is superstition, to the truth-seeker it is truth, to the foolish it is folly. It is all things to all men. It is quoted alike by the slave-holder and the abolitionist, by the fighter and the peacemaker, by the polygamist and the monogamist, by the wine-bibber and the total abstainer. It is the most human of libraries and yet God speaks through it incessantly.