

DR. WOLCOTT RESIGNS AS TRINITY RECTOR

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Hewitt, congressman from New York and afterwards mayor of New York city. Mr. Hewitt was manager of Samuel Tilden's campaign for president and a son-in-law of Peter Cooper, the candidate of the Greenback party. Mr. Wolcott relates many interesting reminiscences of his experiences during that summer.

Mission Among Indians

Late in 1879 Mr. Wolcott was sent back to the Dakotas and volunteered with two other young clergymen to go to the new Pine Ridge Indian agency, where the Ogallala Indians of the Sioux nation were located. There were nine or ten thousand of the wildest Indians on the plains in this region who could speak no English and were often on the warpath. The three intrepid missionaries established a mission and schools and for the first year they never once slept in a bed, taking their rest rolled in blankets and buffalo robes in the tents. They were reported killed several times, but they managed to carry on and the work became gradually easier.

In 1880 Mr. Wolcott was placed in charge of the mission after having been ordained to the priesthood. There were numerous schools and missions in his charge, and he built the first church at the agency with money donated by Mrs. J. J. Astor of New York, who was interested in the work among the Indians. Thirty-eight years afterwards Dr. Wolcott was present at the consecration of a new church there and found the Indians self-supporting and self-respecting and 95 per cent of them members of Christian churches, orderly and law-abiding, an interesting and notable experience in one lifetime of a man who had known the region when all its people were wild and uncivilized.

Opens Boys' School

In 1881, because of his father's ill health, Mr. Wolcott returned to Iowa, where his parents lived, and remained there three years doing parish work at several centers in the state. He was married, Sept. 1885, to Miss Elinor Louise Smith, of Batavia, Ill., and that September he opened and organized a church boarding school for boys at Davenport, Iowa, under the supervision of Bishop Pery of Iowa. This school Mr. Wolcott conducted successfully for seven years.

In the summer of 1891 he was threatened by a nervous breakdown and spent an extended vacation in China and Japan and was in the latter country at the time of the great earthquake of 1891, as severe as the one in 1923 in Nippon, but with less loss of life because it centered in a more sparsely populated district. In China he was far up the Yangtze river during the anti-foreign riots of that period.

On his return home in 1892 he was unable to continue the boys' school and came to Chicago. On the first Sunday he was in the city he was requested by Bishop McLaren of Chicago to conduct a service at Highland Park and this led to an invitation to him to be rector of the local church. On Jan. 31, 1892, he accepted a call to Trinity church and has been rector until the present time. He has seen the parish and the community generally grow and expand tremendously and he has done well and faithfully his part both as pastor and citizen in aiding the extension of both.

Prominent in Civic Affairs

In civic affairs Dr. Wolcott has long been prominent. He became a member of the board of directors of the Public Library in 1893 and has been its president since 1906. He was elected a member of the township high school board in 1898 when the school occupied two small rooms over Brand's paint store. He held the office for 18 years and resigned. He was later persuaded to accept the secretaryship of the board, the duties of which office he has performed faithfully and efficiently until the present time.

In the diocese also Dr. Wolcott has held positions of trust and responsibility. He was examining chaplain to the bishop from 1896 to 1921 and member of the standing committee of the diocese from 1904 to 1917. He received the degree of Doctor of Divinity from the Western Theological Seminary in 1906.

Trinity Church

The original edifice for Trinity church was a frame structure which was burned to the ground Dec. 30, 1899, and the following spring erection of the present structure was begun, and it was consecrated and first used on Easter Day, 1901. The Parish House was built in 1912.

In 1906 Dr. Wolcott began the work of the church in Glencoe and continued in charge until the congregation there erected a church and called a resident minister. In Lake Forest also he began a mission in 1898 and had charge of it until the present church was erected and a resident clergyman placed in charge. During the war Dr. Wolcott was president of the War Camp Community Service.

In the summer of 1900 he and Mrs. Wolcott visited England and in 1921 they spent several months in China and Japan. They have three children, Mary, wife of Lyman P. Prior, head of the Jacksonville Musical college of Jacksonville, Fla.; Roger, who has

URGES CARE OF OIL BURNERS; AVOID FIRE

Chief Hoskin Says Soot Should Be Cleaned Out Regularly to Prevent Trouble

Timely suggestion is made by Fire Chief E. C. Hoskin regarding the care of oil burners in the matter of fire prevention precautions. The chief urges all users of oil burners to see that the burners are kept clean of soot, which collects about the fire pot and chamber and may ignite in case anything goes wrong, causing much more smoke damage than would otherwise occur. If the soot is cleaned out regularly from the furnace and flues and the oil burner mechanism is given regular inspection and care, danger of fire damage from this cause will be greatly reduced, Chief Hoskin declares.

NOTICE

Public notice is hereby given that there will be a special meeting of the stockholders of North Shore Trust Company at the banking office of said North Shore Trust Company on Tuesday, December 29, 1925, at 4:30 p. m., for the purpose of passing upon the question of increasing the number of directors of said North Shore Trust Company from five to seven.

Signed, A. W. VERCOE, W. E. BLETSCH, FRANK G. GARDNER, Directors of

39-41 North Shore Trust Company.

NOTICE

Supplemental Special Assessment Notice No. 286.

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested that the City Council of the City of Highland Park, County of Lake, and State of Illinois, having ordered that a supplemental special assessment be levied to pay the deficiency of the cost of the work and interest for paving St. Johns Avenue, from Elm Place to Central Avenue and East Park Avenue from Sheridan Road to St. Johns Avenue, which improvement was provided for by an ordinance passed heretofore on the 1st day of August, A. D. 1924, and the lawful expense of such proceeding, the ordinance for said supplemental special assessment being on file in the office of the City Clerk of said City, and having applied to the County Court of Lake County for an assessment of the costs of said improvement, according to benefits, and a supplemental special assessment thereof having been made and returned to said court, the final hearing thereon will be had on the 12th day of December A. D. 1925, or as soon thereafter as the business of the court will permit.

Said supplemental special assessment is payable in one installment. All persons desiring may file objections in said court before said day, and may appear on the hearing and make their defense.

V. C. MUSSER, Officer appointed to make said assessment.

Dated at Highland Park, Ill., November 25th, A. D. 1925. 39-40

NOTICE

Supplemental Special Assessment Notice No. 274.

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested that the City Council of the City of Highland Park, County of Lake and State of Illinois, having ordered that a supplemental special assessment be levied to pay the deficiency of the cost of the work and interest for paving St. Johns Avenue, Kincaid Street, Comstock Place, Briarwood Place, Woodland Avenue, Oakland Avenue, Ashland Avenue, and Lambert Tree Avenue, which improvement was provided for by an ordinance passed heretofore on the 17th day of August, A. D. 1923, and the lawful expenses of such proceeding, the ordinance for said supplemental special assessment being on file in the office of the City Clerk of said City, and having applied to the County Court of Lake County for an assessment of the costs of said improvement, according to benefits, and a supplemental special assessment thereof having been made and returned to said court, the final hearing thereon will be had on the 12th day of December A. D. 1925, or as soon thereafter as the business of the court will permit.

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been in government service in China since 1914 and the Rev. Leonard Wolcott, a graduate of Williams college and the General Theological Seminary, who is in charge of extensive missionary work among the Igorrots in North Luzon, P. I.

Greatly Beloved

Dr. Wolcott has had a long and varied career, in which his effort to do good to his fellow men in many ways has been continuous and in a great degree successful. In Highland Park the value of his work and influence is beyond estimate, and while his many friends regret that he is severing connection with the church as rector, they are hoping that he may maintain a home here where he and his good wife have for so many years been so greatly beloved. That they may be spared many more years of health and happiness is the sincere wish of the entire community.

NO MAIL DELIVERY ON CHRISTMAS DAY

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Articles easily broken or crushed must be crated or securely wrapped. Use liberal quantities of excelsior, or like material, in, around, and between the articles and the outside container.

All articles easily broken or damaged must be marked fragile. All parcels of a perishable nature must be plainly marked "perishable."

Articles likely to spoil within the time reasonably required for transportation and delivery will not be accepted for mailing.

Addresses should be complete, with the house number and name of street, post office box or rural route number. A return card should be placed in the upper left hand corner of every piece of mail.

No parcel may be more than 84 inches in length and girth combined. For delivery locally and in the first, second and third zones, 70 pounds is the maximum weight, in all other zones, 50 pounds.

Mailing Time

Christmas gifts and cards addressed to points within one day's travel should be mailed not later than December 20; within two days' travel, not later than December 19; within three days' travel, not later than December 18; for more distant points for local delivery should be mailed not later than December 22.

Parcels and envelopes may be indorsed "Please do not open until Christmas."

The early mailing of Christmas cards is just as important as parcels. Millions of these cards, separate and in envelopes, are mailed each Christmas, consequently, great congestion and delay occurs in large post offices. Therefore if you want your Christmas greetings to reach your relatives and friends, "mail early." Insure your parcel post mail.

The use of the 25 cent special handling stamp, in addition to the regular postage, on parcels to be mailed by parcel post, will expedite the delivery. All parcels containing this stamp will be handled the same as letter mail.

Shop now and mail early. There will be no delivery of mail throughout the United States on Christmas day.

GRACE M. E. CHURCH

North avenue and Lauretta place. Rev. William B. Doble, minister. 9:30 a. m. Sunday School. 10:45 a. m. Morning worship. Rev. J. W. Percy will speak on the "World Service League."

8:00 p. m. Junior and intermediate leagues. 6:30 p. m. Epworth league. 7:45 p. m. Evening service. Wednesday, Dec. 2, at 7:45 p. m. mid-week service.

The quarterly conference announced for this evening has been postponed one week by the district superintendent.

ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH

West Central avenue. W. F. Suhr, pastor.

Thanksgiving Day: German service at 10:30. English service at 11:00. Sunday: Sunday School at 9:30. German service at 10:30. English service at 11:00. On the day after Thanksgiving the Luther League will give an entertainment in the assembly room at 8:15.

ZONING COMMISSION WILL HOLD MEETING

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vision of land, the surveys as described in the letter, so far as then completed would be found to be executed more thoroughly and systematically than any previous one.

The letter points out also that the entire expense of preparing the design for the arrangement of the land being subdivided by the company which Mr. Hawkins represented would not exceed \$1,987, and the expense of transferring the plan to the ground would be about \$1,500.

Land Then Worth \$200,000

The value of the land in question was placed by the letter at \$200,000—some difference from its present value.

And here is a feature which has always aided greatly in making Highland Park an ideal city of suburban homes. It is especially pointed out in this letter that "the striking and characteristic natural feature of the locality is the prevalence of deep and wide ravines, whose almost precipitous sides are closed with vigorous growth of trees and shrubbery. These ravines are exceedingly picturesque, and in arranging roads and lots in their vicinity we have endeavored to secure their most attractive effects for the benefit of the public, instead of destroying it, as is usually done, by cutting them up into lots and keeping them out of sight by carrying roads at a distance from them. So far as possible we have carried roads along the banks, following their windings and opening a series of attractive views from the different turns."

Effort to Conserve Beauty

The letter contains more to the same effect regarding the effort made to preserve the natural beauties of the region, and the document is of especial interest in that it shows that even in that early day, Mr. Hawkins and those interested with him in the development of Highland Park had an eye to the great natural beauties of the region and used every effort to preserve them so as to produce a delightful rural effect in laying out a residential suburb.

Will Be Continued

How well these pioneers succeeded is evidenced by the present beauties of this city's location and the manner in which these features have been conserved. To them is due the gratitude of the present inhabitants for their splendid work along this line, and it is for the purpose of maintaining and in as far as possible increasing these beauties that the present zoning ordinance was adopted.

ADJUDICATION NOTICE

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the Subscriber Administrator of the Estate of Marie Mahen deceased will attend the Probate Court of Lake County, at a term thereof to be held at the Court House in Waukegan, in said County, on the first Monday of February next, 1926, when and where all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to present the same to said court for adjudication. FOX MAHEN, Administrator of the estate of Marie Mahen, deceased. Waukegan, Ill., Nov. 23, 1925. E. S. Gail, Att'y. 39-41

TONY SARG'S MARIONETTES

Highland Park Woman's Club Elm Place Auditorium Tuesday Afternoon and Evening DECEMBER FIRST

NITROGEN PRODUCT AT MUSCLE SHOALS

Soil Expert Says Total Output For Year Would Supply Two Counties

All of the nitrogen the much-discussed Muscle Shoals is capable of producing is fertilizer enough for only two Illinois counties, Dr. F. C. Bauer, soil expert of the University of Illinois, told the Mason City Farmers' institute in session here recently.

"Muscle Shoals is a magnificent plant, supplied with tremendous power," he said, "yet its capacity is

only 50,000 tons of nitrogen a year, and that is produced at considerable cost.

"The entire produce of the Muscle Shoals plant when completed and operating would just furnish the amount of nitrogen needed by McLean and Champaign counties in a single season were those whole counties to be put into corn, and the yield to be 65 bushels per acre."

Dr. Bauer states that if McLean or Champaign counties were planted with sweet clover, properly inoculated, either one would take approximately as much nitrogen from the air in one year as can Muscle Shoals.

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Only 10 minutes ride on bus that passes the door. P. L. Happ Store. NORTHBROOK, ILLINOIS. Groceries Meat Feeds Flour. Special Sale—Big Bargains. Nov. 30th to Dec. 5th 1925. With order 10 lbs. best granulated cane sugar for 59c. Fould's new size pkg. macaroni or spaghetti, 3 pkgs. for 27c. 5 cans kitchen cleanser for 23c. 4 15c pkgs. automatic soap chips for 52c. 3 15c cans ripe olives for 29c. 5 cans Campbell's tomato or vegetable soup for 49c. Honey sweet peas, 5 sift, 3 cans for 35c; 1 dozen for \$1.50. Early June picnic peas, 4 sift, 3 cans for 49c. Snyder's medium sweet peas, 3 sift, 3 cans for 54c. Richelieu Early June peas, 3 cans for 59c. Illinois Farm Country Gentlemen corn, 3 cans 35c; 1 dozen \$1.50. Snyder's Country Gentlemen Corn 3 cans 52c; 1 dozen \$2.00. Richelieu Little Kernel corn, 3 cans 59c; 1 dozen \$2.25. Snyder's No. 2 1/2 can tomatoes, 3 cans 42c; 1 dozen \$1.65. Snyder's No. 2 1/2 can tomatoes, 3 cans 52c; 1 dozen \$2.50. Snyder's cut Refuge beans, 3 large cans 52c; 1 dozen \$2.00. Snyder's Golden pumpkin, 3 large cans 52c; 1 dozen \$2.00. Beechnut canned spaghetti, 3 17 oz. bottles 49c. Beechnut or Snyder's catsup, 2 8 oz. bottles 47c. Beechnut or Snyder's catsup, 2 14 oz. bottles 47c. Raspberry, strawberry, peach and pineapple preserves—3 16 oz. bottles for 98c; 1 dozen \$3.80. Gold Medal or Ceresota flours, special—24 1/2 lb. sack \$1.29; 49 lb. sack \$2.55; 95 lb. sack \$5.00. FEED SPECIALS. Gold Medal scratch feed, no grit, per 100 lb. sack \$2.85. Gold Medal egg mash with dry butter milk, 100 lb. sack \$3.55. Clean cracked corn, per 100 lb. sack \$2.60. Special prices for the week on fresh or smoked meats. THE PLACE TO SAVE YOUR MONEY. P. L. Happ. SHERMER AVENUE. Phone NORTHBROOK 1.

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