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PLAN HOSPITAL FOR CATHOLIC CONGRESS

TEMPORARY INSTITUTION

Will Be Located at Mundelein To Care for Thousands of Visitors to Eucharistic Meet

Establishment of a hospital capable of taking care of ailments of the millions of visitors expected in Lake county for the International Eucharistic conference June 17 to 24, is one of the tasks to be carried out by the committee at Mundelein, in this county, in its work of preparing for the great convention.

The hospital to be strictly modern will have operating rooms, X-ray apparatus, pulmotors and similar equipment. It will be located on or near the grounds of the seminary of St. Mary's of the Lake.

Arrangements for the big hospital, which will be only temporary in character, are being made by a committee headed by Rev. Fr. J. S. Green of Chicago.

A large staff of doctors and nurses will be on duty at all times at the hospital to take care of the ailments or injuries of the multitude which it is expected will be the largest ever gathered on the western hemisphere. It has been announced that more than 400 doctors and 1,200 nurses and orderlies have enlisted in the work of keeping the visitors in good health. Some of these will be stationed in eight first aid stations to be established in Grant park while services are being held there during the first three days of the congress.

As further proof of the vastness of the undertaking it is understood that a field four by nine miles in size will be necessary for parking space for automobiles while more than 800 persons will be assigned to police streets, roads and gatherings in Lake county alone, while the congress is in session in Mundelein.

COMBAT MEDAL MEN AT ANNUAL DINNER

Wilmette Postmaster One of the Members Honored; Cited in World War

The annual dinner of the Combat Medal Men's association was held Monday evening, February 22, at the Sherman hotel, in honor of National Commander McQuigg of the American Legion.

The Combat Medal Men's association is composed of members of the American Legion who, at some time during the World War, distinguished themselves for heroic deeds and valor. The citations of these men were read to an audience of 1,000 guests.

Included in the list of these distinguished heroes was the name of Joseph E. Shantz, Wilmette postmaster, who received numerous medals and citations for his bravery while a lieutenant in the 33rd Division. His citation stated, "that after being wounded in the head by shell fire he continued in command of his men until he received still further wounds enabling him to carry on his meritorious work." He was later commissioned to the rank of captain for his bravery, which rank he held the balance of the war.

WAUKEGAN BANK TO ERECT NEW BUILDING

Securities Savings to Build Seven Story Structure; Estimate Cost \$500,000

Final details for the erection of a seven story modern bank and office building at 210 to 214 Washington street, Waukegan, by the Security Savings bank were completed in a meeting of members of the board of directors and stockholders of the institution, last evening. After survey of the bids the officials of the banking concern voted that the bank act as the general contractor in erection of the building and sub-contracts were let to a number of firms.

Estimated cost of the structure is about \$500,000 it was announced. Work of razing present structures on the site of the proposed building will be started soon.

LIBERTYVILLE PLANS BIG DAY IN JULY

Plans for a "Libertyville Day" to be held about the twenty second of July this year under the auspices of the Libertyville American Legion post were launched Tuesday night at a meeting of the Legion members held at the Libertyville club rooms.

According to reports, if tentative plans are carried out, the event will surpass the well known elaborate festivities which mark "Lake Villa," "Highland Park" and "Lake Forest Days."

WORK PROGRESSING ON GLENCOE CHURCH

Addition to Union Edifice Costing \$80,000 Going Forward In Good Shape

Work on the addition to the Glencoe Union church is progressing very satisfactorily, it was said this week. The new building, which is being erected at a cost of \$80,000, will more than double the capacity of the present church building and will provide space for the large number of activities in which the church membership engages. The architect who designed the addition is John Archibald Armstrong, of 335 Green Bay road. It is expected that the building will be completed by early summer.

Alterations to be made in the present Sunday school rooms together with the space devoted to this purpose in the new building will provide for a Sunday school of four departments. The present Sunday school rooms have a capacity of less than 200 with only six class rooms. The new school will have a capacity of at least 500 with 22 class rooms.

Space for offices for Paul M. Mitchell, director of religious education, Miss Ruth Goss, secretary, and a large study for Dr. Douglas H. Cornell will be provided in the addition. In the basement of the new building there is a social room which will connect with the gymnasium of the present church building in such a manner that both rooms can be thrown together and used as one when the occasion demands.

ATTENDS DEDICATION OF ATHENS LIBRARY

Prof. John A. Scott of Northwestern University Goes to Greece in April

It is announced that Professor and Mrs. John A. Scott of Northwestern university will attend the formal dedication of the Gennadios library, recently erected through substantial aid from the Carnegie Foundation, at Athens, Greece. Dr. Scott is head of the department of classical languages at Northwestern university and is a member of the managing committee of the American School of Classical Studies in the Grecian city. Professor Edward Capps, of Princeton, is chairman of this committee and will also attend. The dedication ceremonies will take place April 23 and will be a formal university function. Mr. Gennadios, a Greek capitalist interested in classical education, gave his famous library to the school in Athens with a provision that an adequate building be erected for it. This condition has been met, through the interest of the Carnegie Foundation, Dr. Scott states. Before returning, Professor and Mrs. Scott may visit Egypt and Jerusalem but have not yet made out their itinerary.

RESERVES DECISION IN THE DURAND CASE

Supreme Court Judge Thinks It Should Be Ruled Upon By Entire Court

In an effort to procure a writ of supersedeas in behalf of Jack Durand, convicted on a charge of robbery, and now serving time in Joliet penitentiary, Attorney Elmer V. Orvis of Waukegan presented his case to Judge Edward De Young of the Supreme court Thursday. The hearing was held in Chicago.

The Waukegan attorney submitted his briefs and the case was taken under advisement by the Supreme court judge. He indicated that because of the defendant already being in a penal institution it was a matter that should be ruled upon by the entire court and not by one member of the court. He is to give his decision before March 17.

According to Attorney Orvis, Judge De Young intimated that if he should definitely decide the matter ought to be aired before the Supreme court, as a whole, he would submit it to this body on the first Monday in April.

GARDEN CLUB MEETS FRIDAY AT WILMETTE

Talk By Mrs. Ewer on Arrangement of Flowers Chief Feature

The Wilmette Garden club will hold its monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. C. E. Bixby, 1104 Ashland avenue, Wilmette, Friday, March 5.

Early each year, the club chooses an annual to be raised during the summer months by each club member, and the reports of the varying degrees of success make an interesting meeting in the early fall. The choice of seeds is made at the March meeting.

The main program, a talk by Mrs. C. D. Ewer, on "The Arrangement of Flowers" is to be followed by an informal reception for the new members.

BRIEF NEWS ITEMS FROM LAKE COUNTY

NEIGHBORHOOD JOTTINGS

Interesting Happenings About This Part of North Shore and Vicinity; County Seat Doings

Catherine, one day old infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Munroe of Diamond Lake, was smothered during one night last week, when she became enmeshed in the coverings on the bed, in which she had been placed alongside of her mother.

In an effort to save the Zion bakery building one fireman was overcome and \$6,000 worth of property was destroyed before the fire department, working with its new engine, could get the flames under control.

Another record price was set for real estate in this county last week, when the property of Judge Ben H. Miller and Charles A. Bilinski, on the north shore of Diamond Lake, consisting in all of 8 1/2 acres was sold to William E. Geweke, of Chicago, for \$2,000 an acre.

Mrs. Hilda Lystlund, 65, of 1017 Pennsylvania avenue, Waukegan, died suddenly last week, just after she had stepped into an automobile driven by her son-in-law, James McGrain. Death was almost instantaneous and is believed to have been due to heart disease.

Death terminating a visit to the home of a son, closed the useful life of Waukegan's only centenarian resident, Johnny Wysocki, 926 Lincoln street, who died last week in Joliet, Ill., at the age of 102 years after an illness of but a few hours.

The town of Antioch is to have a new high school as the residents of that community have voted to raise \$65,000 worth of bonds for the new institution. Out of 336 votes cast, 267 voted in favor of issuing the bonds. Work on the new building will be started as soon as the weather is favorable.

NEW TRIAL PROBABLE IN ROOSTER LAWSUIT

Court Defers Hearing on Motion and May Grant; Settlement Is Possible

Circuit Judge Edward D. Shurtleff last week delayed the hearing for a new trial in the Rooster case to which the plaintiff, Lenora Kingley, 10 years old, of Chicago was awarded only \$1 damages by a jury over until March 13.

Judge Shurtleff has already indicated that he would grant a new trial. The court expressed a desire that in the meantime the parties get together and settle the matter out of court and stop further litigation proceedings.

Lenora had an eye pecked out by a rooster owned by Emil Wienieckie, a farmer living near Barrington. The girl's father brought suit for \$20,000 damages.

SKOKIE LINE TO BE READY BY JUNE 1ST

Annual Report of Company Indicates New N. S. Line Branch Soon Finished

Construction of the new Skokie valley main line of the Chicago North Shore & Milwaukee railroad has progressed so rapidly that it will be in complete operation by June 1, according to the company's annual report, issued a few days ago.

The new additional main line, the report says, will directly connect Mundelein with downtown Chicago and downtown Milwaukee virtually a month before the Eucharistic congress at Mundelein, which is expected to attract more than 1,000,000 people from all parts of the world. The new line will also provide a new high speed outlet for through traffic from Chicago to Milwaukee and will permit enlargement of the company's merchandise dispatch service.

A total of 18,229,160 passengers, an increase of 1,057,975 as compared with 1924, was carried in 1925 on the combined transportation facilities of the company. Operating revenue in 1925 was \$6,850,165, an increase of \$651,178 over 1924.

KENILWORTH TO HAVE NEW STREET LIGHTS

CONTRACT LET LAST WEEK

Cost to Exceed \$100,000 and Work to Be Started Immediately; Ornamental Fixtures

At a meeting of the Kenilworth board of local improvements, held last week, the contract for the construction of the new street lighting system to be installed by the village was awarded to the Electrical Contracting company of Chicago. The successful bid was \$72,877.11, which amount includes only the actual cost of construction. Engineering fees and other costs connected with the improvement will bring the total cost to at least \$100,000, it was thought.

Plans for the new system were drawn up early last fall, after the new system installed by Wilmette had been completed and put into operation. A public hearing on the proposed improvement was held and a referendum was taken in the village, resulting in an overwhelming majority in favor of the improvement.

Operation by Aug. 1. The contract for the work of installation will be signed ten days after the date it was awarded and work will probably begin immediately, it was thought. The contract specifies that the system shall be put into operation by July 30, 1926.

According to the specifications, there will be 368 octagonal, reinforced concrete standards, bearing bronze, lantern type fixtures. These will be installed in a "staggered" arrangement along the streets, and will be very ornamental. The original estimate of the total cost of the improvement was \$118,800, but it is now thought that the cost will be less than the estimate.

BUILDING ACTIVITY SEEN IN GLENCOE

Permits Issued for Erection of Seven Residences and One Office Building

residences and one office building, the residences and one office building, the value of which totals \$108,000, have been issued by the village of Glencoe since February 15, all of which indicates unusual activity in the building line there during the coming spring and summer. Permits issued are as follows:

Paul L. Battey, for a two-story dwelling of cinder concrete blocks and stucco, at 465 Skokie road, \$25,000.

A. J. Ruby, for a two-story dwelling of frame and brick, at 185 Park avenue, \$23,500.

Thomas I. Simpson, for a two-story dwelling of stucco, at 1024 Eastwood road at Skokie Heights, \$16,000.

F. A. Cooper, for a two and one-half story dwelling of brick and stucco, at 599 Washington avenue, \$16,000.

Andrew Hostnick, Jr., for a two-story dwelling of stucco, at 140 Linden avenue, \$13,000.

Paul L. Battey, for a two-story frame dwelling of frame and stucco, at 385 Sunset Lane, \$12,000.

North Shore Ice company, for an office building of tile or brick at 303 Scott avenue.

C. C. HEYDECKER DIES IN SAN DIEGO, CALIF.

Former States Attorney of Lake County and One of Founders of Modern Woodmen

Christian C. Heydecker, aged 80, former states attorney of Lake county and one of the founders of the Modern Woodmen of America, of which national order he was for 15 years a director, died Wednesday night, Feb. 24, in San Diego, Cal., whither he and his wife had gone in December to spend the winter.

By his death Lake county loses one of its pioneer residents and one of the men who for many years was among the most prominent in politics and in fraternal society activity. For, besides being one of the founders of the Modern Woodmen of America and for years a director in the national organization, Mr. Heydecker was always active in the local lodge of Woodmen, in the Royal Neighbors, the Masons and other fraternal and civic organizations. For many years he was president of the Browe School Reunion association near Wadsworth and at the time of his death still held that honorary position.

Dirty Staff "They sat around telling smutty stories all evening." "It must have been a chimney-sweep convention."

PURPLE CLASSIC TO BE HELD MARCH 19-20

Invitations Sent to Many High Schools for Interscholastic Meet

Invitations to Northwestern university's annual track interscholastic were sent out this week to every leading high school in the country. The classic is to be held March 19 and 20, this spring and is expected to bring together the cream of the country's track performers.

A number of schools have already signified their intention of sending teams to the meet. Cedar Rapids will be represented by its star track team and Atlantic City will send its championship swimming aggregation. High schools from the state of Wisconsin will be entered. Heretofore these schools have been barred due to a ruling of the state athletic association.

Every Chicago high school will enter its track and swimming team. These schools send a large number of able performers each year. With the addition of the Wisconsin schools the largest entry list in the history of the event is expected.

PROPERTY MOVING IN HUBBARD WOODS

Several Vacant Business Sites Change Hands Recently; Report Buys

Business real estate in the Hubbard Woods section has been quite active during the past few months, and this section, along with the north shore, in general, is looking forward to an exceedingly good year in real estate activity. Following recent sales of vacant business property in that area are reported: 100 by 150 feet on the west side of Linden, fifty feet south of Scott avenue, was sold for Norman Dean to Otto VonSegerlund. The southwest corner of Linden and Merrill, 50 by 150 feet was sold for Mrs. Emma Linville. Fifty by 150 on the west side of Linden, 150 feet south of Gage street, was sold for Dr. J. E. Fonda to Jevne Hagan, of the State Bank of Chicago, and the fifty foot lot directly south of the last named piece was sold for Walfred Lind, also to Mr. Hagan. The 50 by 150 lot on the west side of Linden, 75 feet north of Tower road and running through Tower, was sold for Mr. Walfred Lynn.

LATE PROCEEDINGS IN PROBATE COURT

Hearings and Orders in Settlement of Estates, and Docket Entries

Judge Martin C. Decker spent an entire day in probate court last week, hearing the following matters:

John M. Donley et al minors—Inventory approved.

Anton Blazevez et al, North Chicago—Letters of guardianship issued to Rose Blazevez, mother. Bond of \$1,000.

Ann Elizabeth Vasey, Wauconda—Final report approved. Estate closed.

Lucile Gaddis et al, Zion—Third report of guardian approved.

William Walker, Lake Villa—Inventory and appraisement bill approved.

Paul Gehrke, Town of Avon—Inventory approved.

Henrietta M. Horton, Lake Bluff—Letters of Administration issued to Fred E. Horton. Bond of \$1,000. Proof of heirship taken. Appraisers appointed.

TELEPHONE MANAGER HOST TO EMPLOYEES

Henry B. Gates, commercial manager of the north shore district of the Illinois Bell Telephone company, was host to eleven employees in the commercial departments of the Wilmette, Winnetka and Glencoe exchanges at a dinner given in the Central cafeteria at Wilmette Wednesday evening of last week. Following the dinner there was a conference at which business problems were discussed. This meeting was held in the offices of the Wilmette exchange.

STATES ATTORNEY TO TURN IN LARGE SUM

States Attorney A. V. Smith of Lake county has turned over \$11,617.80 to County Treasurer Ira E. Pearsall, as the amount of fines and fees collected between Nov. 21, 1925, and Feb. 1, 1926.

This is about his average per quarter from bootie, gambling and vice fines.

In the five years and three months that he has been in office he has collected a total of \$244,401.14 in these kind of cases. In addition he has sent 176 men to the county jail to serve from 60 days upward. These penalties have been imposed mostly in liquor cases.

H. C. LYTTON & SONS OPEN EVANSTON STORE

NORTHSHORE HUB BRANCH

Located in Orrington Hotel Building and Beautifully Decorated; Convenience to N. S. Patrons

Henry C. Lytton & Sons, for 39 years operating The Hub store in the loop, will open a branch of the institution in Evanston on March 8th. It will occupy the first and second floors of the Orrington hotel building, with entrance on Church street and Orrington avenue, and is a beautiful contribution to the shopping center of Evanston. The opening will be greeted by the attendance of Mayor Bartlett and the taking of news reel pictures.

The store sets a new standard in store decoration for the North Shore. It is designed and decorated in Spanish style, with rich carpets, antique walnut fixtures and red leather cushioned furniture. The showcases resemble Spanish chests. Impressive entrances from each street and ten show windows carry out the Spanish design and unite in a massive display of hand-wrought iron grill work.

This store marks a new era for Evanston as a North Shore shopping center. Coming, as it does, right in the midst of the campaign conducted by the Evanston Chamber of Commerce to promote shopping in Evanston, it is bound to have a marked influence on the North Shore city's business development. There is no question that it strikes a note of metropolitan quality in the business life of the town. It becomes the bellwether of a flock of Chicago stores that have branches in what is fast outgrowing the character of being merely a suburb of Chicago.

Mr. George Lytton, vice president of The Hub, says the Evanston store is more than a branch, for by close co-operation with the main store it will give a service that practically brings the whole institution into the heart of Evanston. Besides, they have taken a step in architectural beauty that would be an ornament in the finest shopping center of any great metropolis, in this country or abroad.

CONVENIENCE FOR NORTH SHORE

"We came to Evanston because we wanted to make it easier for North Shore residents to get our service," said Mr. Lytton. "Congestion in Chicago's loop has reached a point where something had to be done to overcome it. We have grown tired of waiting for a subway and other transportation convenience that would ease traffic in the loop and detour those who had no business there. So, doing as Mohamet did, we have moved our mountain to the North Shore, thereby saving our North Shore customers the time and inconvenience of a trip to the loop. Conditions in the loop will be bettered before long, of course, but we couldn't wait any longer. If the people of Evanston show that they approve our project, it may be that we will reach out to the other communities. Our business was established in 1887—thirty-nine years ago. Our first expansion was in 1913, when we moved from the northwest corner of Jackson and State into our own building opposite, our present site. We are now entering on our second period of expansion, and it may prove far more important than our first."

"We are linking our fortune with that of Evanston, and are proud of having done everything possible to create a store that is a credit to Evanston and the North Shore and that will aim to live up to being what our slogan proclaims, 'The North Shore's Smartest Shop for Men and Boys.'"

Walter Heiers, moving picture star, will be at the Evanston store on Monday, March 8, to distribute gifts to all boys who come to the store.

GLENCOE FIRE DEPT. AUXILIARY MEETING

Officers Elected and Other Business Transacted; Session Last Week

At the annual meeting of the Glencoe Fire Brigade auxiliary the following officers were elected for the ensuing term of 1926:

President, D. E. Kissam; treasurer, James D. Lightbody; secretary, E. A. Meyer; directors, Messrs. Allen Meyer, Lightbody, Kissam, Dostal, Henry Patterson Pope.

This meeting was well attended and an important motion was carried asking the police department to instruct the people of Glencoe to dispose of all rubbish in order to avoid fires this spring.

Equipment of the Fire Brigade is in first class condition and each member of the brigade has been equipped with the new Glencoe uniform for efficient fire-fighting, it is explained.