

RUSSELL IN FAVOR ROAD BOND ISSUE

County Highway Supt. Issues Statement Offering Arguments For Proposed Plan

The following statement regarding the proposed county road bond issue, to be voted on April 13, is issued by Charles E. Russell, county highway superintendent:

The proposed \$730,000 road bond issue, to be decided by Lake county voters at the polls Tuesday, April 13, should be supported by the voters of Lake Forest and Highland Park.

Much of the present heavy truck traffic and a great volume of motor car traffic between Chicago and Milwaukee that now passes through these two communities on Sheridan road will be diverted by way of the Waukegan road when the bond issue passes. For one of the most important projects planned by the county from the sale of these bonds will be the paving of a five mile gap in the Green Bay highway from the present end of the pavement, in the southern end of Benton township, to the state line, connecting with the pavement again on entering Wisconsin.

True, this gap is one of the projects for which paving is planned by the state from the \$100,000,000 bond issue. But when the work will be started is largely indefinite—authorities do not anticipate action for two or three years at least—and in the meantime Lake county would be responsible for the heavy maintenance costs of the old road. By passing the bond issue and paving the gap in Green Bay road now, and securing the refund from the state at a later date—Lake county will benefit by the saving that is sure to result from use of the new pavement, far earlier than if the county had waited for the state to complete the route.

And much of the annoyance caused by the present traffic through Lake Forest and Highland Park will be largely eliminated at an early date.

Lake county, too, is in direct competition with Cook and DuPage counties in attracting the suburban residential population of Chicago and a complete system of paved roads is perhaps the greatest means of drawing this population and bringing an added increase in land values. Cook county has provided five million dollars to be used in the next two years for the expansion of its highway program and DuPage county is just completing a road system, financed by a \$1,300,000 bond issue. These counties realize the value of good roads to their future development.

Ask any real estate dealer what Lake county's present paved roads have profited land owners in the county. Charles E. Russell, county superintendent of highways, recently declared that, since 1918, when the comprehensive system of highways was started, more than fifty million dollars in profit from real estate sales has been recorded. And any realtor will tell you that this estimate is even too low. Many declare that the profit has been double that amount and that is not even considering the property that has risen in value and has not been sold.

This prosperity has been reflected in Lake Forest and Highland Park in the past and will show additional returns in the immediate future if the \$730,000 bond issue for more roads in Lake county carries on election day, April 13.

ART LEAGUE TO OPEN EXHIBITION APRIL 15

Expect Fine Showing of Paintings and Sculpture by North Shore Artists

The North Shore Art League, an organization for the promotion of good art in these North Shore towns, will hold the second annual exhibition of the work of its members, beginning April 15, 1926, at Community House, Winnetka.

All members of the North Shore Art league in good standing will be entitled to show two pieces of work. Original conceptions in either painting or sculpture, oil, pastel, water-color, etching and black and white will be accepted.

Exhibits must be at Community House, Winnetka, not later than April 10.

The exhibition will open Thursday evening, April 15, with a dinner in Mats Hall, Community House, Winnetka. Many noted artists and critics in the art world will be there; and there will be music and entertainment—a gala night for art.

The art spirit of the North Shore towns has proven itself with the Art league, as it has with other undertakings, such as music, drama and literature.

The study class, meeting two evenings a week, working from a life model, with Mr. George Oberbauer instructing, enjoyed capacity attendance.

The monthly talks, by able men, as Mr. Allen E. Philbrick on etching; Mr. Walter Sargent on painting; Mr. W. L. Timmons on composition, are some of the things the North Shore Art league offers to its members. There are four classes of membership: life, active, producing, and junior. These are open to anyone interested in the promotion of good art.

The North Shore Art league has members in Winnetka, Kenilworth, Indian Hill, Winnetka, Hubbard Woods, Glencoe, Braeside, Ravinia, Highland Park, Lake Forest and Lake Bluff.

John Vennema, vice-president, Winnetka; Allen E. Philbrick, secretary, Winnetka; and Mrs. Edw. A. Brion, treasurer, Glencoe.

DEDICATE HOSPITAL AT GREAT LAKES MAY 17

Dress Pageant of U. S. Wars to Be Feature; Legion Posts to Have Charge

The eighth U. S. Veterans hospital, located west of the Great Lakes Training station will be officially dedicated May 17, 1926. The eighth district of the American Legion is to be in charge of all ceremonies.

This hospital is now in operation and caring for mental cases of the U. S. Veterans bureau, and at this time the general public will have an opportunity to see the most up-to-date hospital for this class of patients, the public will have a chance to see what is being done in handling this large problem of caring for men who gave more than their all.

The program of the day will include music, men in uniform, invocation by the Rev. Dr. J. G. K. McClure, address by Judge K. M. Landis, benediction by the Rev. Fr. McCarthy, the various public officials will be on the platform and following the benediction there will be the presentation of the dress pageant, invocation at 2 p. m.

The dress pageant will be presented by one hundred seventy-five men, who have given much time and study in their many years of doing this work, the pageant will be a description of the historical events of the U. S. in our wars. This is a rare opportunity as this presentation is seldom witnessed by the general public.

Transportation companies are making preparations for the handling of the large crowds expected on this day, auto route will be via Waukegan road to the west side of the hospital, the exercises and presentation will take place in the open on the west side of hospital, in event of bad weather one of the former drill halls located near

the hospital will be used. The auto route will be the same.

On Sunday, April 11, a preparatory inspection will be made by the American Legion, and those desiring to make the trip can meet the committee at the hospital, or join the auto procession leaving the headquarters of the Geo. Alexander McKinlock Post at 1:30 p. m.

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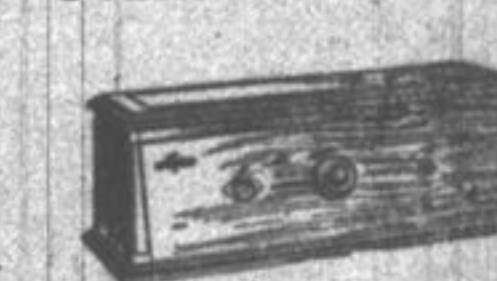
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