

CITY COUNCIL HAS ADJOURNED SESSION

NAMES HOLMES COUNSEL

Create New Office of City Attorney and Appoint Bowen W. Schumacher; Salary List Passed

After considerable discussion the city council in adjourned session, Tuesday evening, appointed Samuel M. Holmes corporation counsel, and adopted an ordinance creating the office of city attorney and appointed Bowen W. Schumacher to that office. The annual salary ordinance was ordered filed and an ordinance amending Section 47 of the Highland Park city code with reference to duties of the corporation counsel was passed. The salary of the corporation counsel is to be \$1,800 a year, instead of \$2,400, as formerly, and the salary of the city attorney \$1,200. The salary of the city treasurer is to be \$1,200, instead of \$900. He has to pay \$975 fee for his surety bond. The vote on each of these propositions was: Ayes, Brown, Reay, Zimmer; nays, Lewis, Gourley.

Before action on the appointment of corporation counsel, Mr. Holmes tendered his resignation as acting corporation counsel, which was accepted.

The bond of City Attorney Charles F. Grant and also that of Edward Moroney, chief of police, were approved.

Plats of Ridge Heights subdivision Continued on page 5

INSTALL NEW FIXTURES IN THREE LOCAL STORES

Earl W. Geall and Co., are installing this week a new soda fountain and new store fixtures. When they are entirely installed the store will be completely rearranged so that the drug department will be separated from the soda section.

The Robert W. Pease pharmacy has also just installed a new soda fountain and new fixtures.

Tony Frauenhoffer's barber shop on North Second street has just recently been remodeled and a complete set of new fixtures installed. These are some of the many changes being made in the business section.

MANY ATTEND STAG PARTY AND DANCE

The stag party and entertainment for members of the Highland Park Chamber of Commerce yesterday afternoon and evening at the auditorium of the Highland Park Woman's club attracted a large number of the businessmen and their friends and a very pleasant affair is reported. The afternoon was spent in a general get-together session, members dropping in from time to time and informal discussion and social conversation were the principal features. There were many present all evening and dancing and a vaudeville program of interesting features were enjoyed the ladies being invited for the evening.

T. E. PIERSON RESUMES UPHOLSTERY BUSINESS

Mr. T. E. Pierson who has been in the upholstering business for many years in this city and who spent the past year and a half in Florida has returned to Highland Park and will resume the upholstering business at his old location, 388 Central avenue. His many patrons will be pleased to learn of his return to Highland Park.

MAY DANCE MAY 28 BY CIVIC ASSOCIATION

A May dance, under auspices of the Northbrook Civic association will be given at the school assembly hall on Saturday, May 28. It will be given for the purpose of purchasing uniforms for the Northbrook Baseball team. The music will be by the Pompano Jazz Kings, formerly Druggan Cowboys. Refreshments will be served.

JUVENILE MYSTICS TO GIVE CARD PARTY

Five hundred, euchre and bunco will be the games played at the card party to be given Friday evening, May 27, by the Juvenile Mystic Workers. Prizes will be awarded and delicious refreshments will be served. The party will follow their regular meeting.

BUSINESS HOUSES TO CLOSE MONDAY

On Monday the business houses of this city will all be closed. The local post office will also be closed and there will not be any mail deliveries.

SPANISH WAR VETERANS PLAN SERVICES MONDAY

On Monday morning, May 30 at eight o'clock, all Spanish American War veterans and veterans of other wars and any organization so desiring are asked to report to the Highland City hall and march to Ft. Sheridan where a Memorial service will be held. They will meet the band and

Lay Corner Stone of Bethany Evangelical Church Next Sunday

The congregation of the Bethany Evangelical church, now worshipping in the old Ebenezer church building on South Second street, announce the plans for the laying of the corner stone of their new church next Sunday.

The service will be in charge of the pastor, and Presiding Elder Rev. A. J. Byas, will bring the message and officiate in laying the stone. Visiting pastors from the nearby Evangelical church will assist. Following is the program as arranged to date:

Opening of service—C. F. Schriver.

Invocation—Rev. Mr. Geil, pastor of Northfield Evangelical church.

Singing—Congregation.

Scripture Lesson—Rev. Mr. Grimme of Prairie View.

Singing—Primary S. S. classes.

Prayer—Rev. J. W. Davis of Barrington.

Singing.

Address—Rev. A. J. Byas of Chicago.

Announcements and Offering—Pastor

Publishing of Contents and Depositing of Box.

Greetings from Highland Park and Neighboring Churches.

Laying of Stone—Rev. A. J. Byas.

Prayer—Rev. A. P. Johnson of Deerfield.

Singing.

Benediction.

The time is two-forty-five Sunday afternoon, May 29, and the place is Laurel avenue and McGovern street.

LARSON BROS. INSTALL BIG SPRINKLER SYSTEM

Larson Brothers garage is being equipped with a complete sprinkler system for fire protection. The sprinklers are being installed on both first and second floors and also in the basement and in every nook and corner of the big garage where there might be possible outbreak of fire. An immense quantity of piping is being used in the installation, as the building is 110 by 140 feet in dimensions, and a 6 by 8 inch tee was necessary for connection with the water mains to give sufficient supply for the system. It is expected that about a month will be required to complete the installations, and when it is finished the building will be thoroughly protected from danger of fire.

MEMORIAL EXERCISES ON MONDAY MORNING

Monday morning, May 30, at 11 o'clock Memorial day services will be held at the Memorial Tablet in the park at Laurel, Prospect and Linden avenue. A very impressive ceremony is assured and members of families of deceased service men are invited to attend. The Legion members will assemble at Witten hall at 10:45 a. m. and march in a body to the park. The program includes a short talk by a prominent citizen of Highland Park and the whole ceremony will not last over one-half hour.

Sunday morning services, May 29, will be held at the Bethany Evangelical church on Second street at 11 o'clock.

LITTLE GIRL DIES; FUNERAL WEDNESDAY

Margaret Jane Allison, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Allison, 345 Orchard lane, died Saturday, May 21, aged two years, four months and 14 days. The funeral was held Wednesday morning, and burial was in North Shore cemetery. Cecil Summers, Jr., little son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Summers, Sr., formerly of Highwood, died Friday, May 20, in Detroit, Mich. Burial was in North Shore cemetery on Monday, May 23.

L. O. O. M. TO VISIT MOOSEHEART SUNDAY

At a meeting of Highland Park lodge No. 446 Loyal Order of Moose held last Monday, final arrangements were completed for a pilgrimage visit to the great institution at Mooseheart. All members and their families and friends are welcome to join in this trip.

Arrangements have been made with the superintendent at Mooseheart which will enable those who attend to see the things which are most interesting.

All those having cars and those wishing to attend are asked to meet Sunday, May 29, at 8:30 a. m. at the City hall. For further information call Mr. A. R. Esmis, phone 381 and 1918.

GOLF CLUB PRESIDENT ENTERTAINS FRIENDS

President E. M. Laing of the Sunset Valley Golf club had three foursomes as his guests on Tuesday and despite the rain they report a very enjoyable time. It was pretty damp at times and some of the scores were unmentionable as a consequence, but the party really had a good time and greatly enjoyed their genial host's hospitality.

Bona Fide Paid Circulation of The Highland Park Press

Following is the bona fide, sworn to, paid circulation of The Highland Park Press for May 19, 1927:

HIGHLAND PARK	
Post Office	2256
Ravinia Post Office	176
Newdealers	
Albert Larson	105
North Shore Line	80
Pratt's Agency	50
Sweetland's Pharmacy	25
H. P. Pharmacy	80
H. P. Press Counter Sales	140
	480
HIGHWOOD	
Post Office	215
Heart's News Agency	150
Mcomber's Pharmacy	15
	380
DEERFIELD	
Post Office	275
Knaak's Pharmacy	20
Frost's News Agency	20
	315
Illinois Miscellaneous, Chicago, Ft. Sheridan Waukegan and papers going to Highland Park people that are away	
	275
Total Net Paid Circulation	3881

I, Paul L. Udell, swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

PAUL L. UDELL.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this twenty-fifth day of May, 1927.

FRED RUBLY, Notary Public.

MR. ADVERTISER:

For your information, there are, by actual count 2515 homes in Highland Park, 595 in Highwood, and 424 in Deerfield, making a total number of homes in the three towns 3534.

Our Total Net Paid Circulation is 3881

Do not be deceived by FALSE, SILLY and ABSURD statements. We invite any advertiser to come in on any publication day and check the accuracy of our statement. The people of Highland Park want The Highland Park Press, they buy it and pay for it. Come in and look over our subscription cash book. It will surprise you.

The pay roll of The Highland Park Press is over \$1,200.00 a week — over \$60,000 a year. You get 95% of that, too. Think it over.

VOTES FOR POPULAR ATHLETES RECEIVED

IN H. P. PRESS CONTEST

Balloting Starts With First Votes for Leading Deerfield Athletes; Send In Ballots

Balloting in the Highland Park "Collegians" Most Popular Amateur Athlete contest has started and already the Press readers are selecting their choice for the honor.

Oliver Lindenmeyer, football and basketball champion, and a member of Deerfield-Shields high school was the first to receive a ballot. The coupon good for ten votes, naming Oliver came in last Thursday afternoon and but a short time later another for the same man filed, giving him a lead of 20 votes before any one else started.

"Moon" Stipe was given a choice with ten votes and last night they started coming in for William Daugherty. These three boys are popular football and basketball athletes, being stars in football and basketball. They (Continued on page 4)

DEIBLER CHAIRMAN HERE FOR C. M. T. C.

Capt. Joseph Deibler, Highland Park agent for the Chrysler line of automobiles, has been appointed town chairman for the Citizens Military Training camp, with headquarters at Fort Sheridan again this year for this area. Captain Deibler will receive applications from local young men desiring to enroll for the camp. Boys from 17 to 24 years are eligible and the camp is from July 28 to August 28. The physical and educational benefits of this training camp work are too well known to need emphasis here, as many young men can testify who have enrolled in previous years. Address Mr. Deibler 22-24 South First street, Highland Park, Ill.

LEGION MEMBERS AT MEMORIAL EXERCISES

The American Legion members will attend the Memorial services Sunday morning, May 29, at eleven o'clock at the Bethany church, S. Second street. They will meet at Witten hall at 10:40 a. m. and march to the church in a body.

On Monday morning, May 30, they will assemble at Witten hall again and march to War Memorial monument on Laurel avenue, where a brief service will be held. Members should make a special effort to be present on both occasions.

AUDITORIUM PLAN AT RAVINIA GAINS

RAISE FUND AT MEETING

More Than \$22,000 Pledged For Project on Monday Night and Prospects Promising; Some Features

Ravinia's public school auditorium and community center project is fast becoming a reality. Enthusiastic citizens of Ravinia are pledging generous sums to provide the Ravinia school with a much needed addition which the school board wishes to see built but which it finds itself unable to finance. The board expects to put up half the necessary sum—\$65,000 or \$70,000—and the community is raising the other half.

Just how much Raviniaites want an auditorium was demonstrated Monday night when the community house was packed with citizens who assembled at the call of Ravinia's civic organizations to express themselves on the auditorium project. In a very short time \$22,360 had been pledged by less than a hundred people. It was apparent that the full sum would be forthcoming from the rest of the community as soon as the need was made known.

Eight teams of workers are now visiting every resident of Ravinia to present the cause of the auditorium and afford an opportunity to participate in this inspiring community undertaking. James Cady Ewell is the aggressive generalissimo of the pledge seekers while Alfred K. Stern Continued on page 5

OPEN NEW WURLITZER MUSIC STORE JUNE 1

Selvi G. Carlson is to Be in Charge; Special Features Are Promised

Selvi G. Carlson will open the new North Shore Wurlitzer Music store in the McKillip building, 546 Central avenue, Highland Park, on Wednesday, June 1, the date having been changed from May 15, a misunderstanding with the contractor, having caused the announcement of the original date, the management announces. On the opening date several special features will be offered for entertainment of visitors, and the public is urged to inspect the new store which is intended to serve all North Shore territory. Among the special features will be one of the leading orchestras of Chicago, a leading movie and stage star, etc., handsome souvenirs will be distributed, it is announced.

Election Contest Is Filed by Candidates Defeated April 19th

Filing of an election contest suit in the circuit court on behalf of the three candidates for commissioners defeated in the regular city election in Highland Park, April 19, is reported from Waukegan, the report stating that the suit was filed by Attorney Ernest Gail, in behalf of Mrs. Nanine G. Hopkins, Will Krumbach and John Oliver the defeated candidates for commissioners. The bill asks summons returnable to the October term of the circuit court. The defendants named are William J. Brown, Robert R. Bosworth, William M. Reay, Julius Zimmer, and Lyle Gourley. Dr. Bosworth was a candidate but was defeated. He is not a complainant in the suit. The report from the county seat states that no attack is made on the vote given Mr. Gourley.

The charge is made, according to this report, that the tally sheets do not show the correct vote and that in the 4th and 5th precincts discrepancies are to be found.

The winners, the bill claims, did not get in excess of 1,700 votes, which would not have been enough to elect.

The winners were certified by the retiring council shortly after the April 19 election. The result of the vote was reported as follows: Gourley 2,389, Zimmer 2,239, Reay 2,192, Brown 2,072, Oliver 2,023, Bosworth 2,022, Hopkins 1,898, and Krumbach 1,791.

Attorney Gail is out of the city this week on a vacation and could not be seen. The city of Highland Park has not yet been officially notified of the contest, which will involve a recount of the ballots cast in the April election.

NAME CHAIRMEN FOR H. P. DAY COMMITTEES

Are Urged to Attend Meeting at Elks Club Tuesday Night To Talk Plans

Preparations for the observance of Highland Park day are already under way, with the appointment of committee chairmen and a meeting to be held at 8 o'clock Tuesday evening at the Elks club further preliminaries will be discussed. All committee chairmen are urged to attend this meeting. Clarence H. Witt and Paul L. Udell are the general chairmen and Raymond Gould is secretary. The chairmen of the several committees have been named and the full list of committee members will be announced soon. The committee chairmen are as follows:

Finance—Charles F. Grant; publicity—Hugo Schneider; speakers—Herman Denzel; public safety—Frank Sheahan; parade—George Bowden; decorations—Albert Larson; prize drawing—Howard Moran; auto prize drawing—J. W. Simons and John L. Udell; dance—L. R. Rigdon; band—S. A. St. Peter; baseball—Robert Greenslade; games—Sam Fell; refreshments—Joseph Berube and Hans Bakke; grounds—Louis Berube; concessions—Louis Berube.

TWO PIANO RECITALS BY H. P. MUSIC SCHOOL

Miss Marley Presents Her Pupils at Trinity Parish House, May 27 and June 3

Piano and violin students of Highland Park Music school, Ethel Lathrop Marley, director, will appear in two Friday evening recitals, May 27 and June 3, at 8 o'clock at Trinity Episcopal Parish house, 201 Laurel avenue, Highland Park.

Those students appearing May 27 are: Doris Hansen, Jean Tennant, Alfred Pfantstiel, Barbara Tennant, Edward Norcross, Isabelle Denzel, Suzanne Traub, James Garnett, Charmin Hatie, Frances Odell, Mary Lois Nelson, Barbara Emerson, Betty Udell, Robert Wood, Isabelle Tennant, Norman Porter, Katherine Denzel, Marion Finn, Margaret Cox, Jefferson Bennett, Katherine Haislip, Margaret Denzel, William Hansen, Jean Ericson, Lucille Wright, Marion Greenlee, Louise Smith, Janet Gaidzik, Clover Benson and Lola Robinson.

Those appearing June 3 are: Jean Butz, John Kraft, Peggy Boynton, Karl Hansen, Felicite Buhl, Mary Lee Reay, Pauline Davis, Helen Jean Abercromby, Martha Jane Thomas, Martha Buhl, Helen Koon, Cody Pfantstiel, Jean Snobbie, Nancy Reay, Mary Mavor, Gladys Koon, Mae Bliss, Eunice Hall, Marion Bard, Madeline Bliss, Barbara Shippes, Peggy Ghidde, Dania Mavor, Katherine Davis, Hester Ann Thomas, and Mary Grote.

The public is most cordially invited.

RAVINIA COMMITTEE MET LAST FRIDAY

There was a meeting of the town of Ravinia committee, of the Ravinia club, at the home of the chairman, Mrs. Harvey S. Pardee, on Cary avenue, Friday afternoon, May 20.

More will be said about this meeting in next week's issue of The Press. This article had to be cut for lack of space.

AN OPEN LETTER BY MAYOR LEWIS

DISCUSSES HIS POSITION

Points Out He Is Forced to Accept Things He Does Not Favor; Writes of Salary Increases

The following open letter to the citizens of Highland Park was received this morning, stating the mayor's views on certain subjects and signed by him:

To the people of Highland Park: When you elected me to the office of mayor, a few weeks ago, I believe you looked to me to inaugurate the progressive reforms which I had promised.

Immediately after election Messrs. Brown, Reay and Zimmer held meetings which Mr. Gourley and I were not requested to attend and apparently at such meetings decided to act as a bloc. On Monday evening of this week, another meeting of the three above named commissioners was held and the annual salary ordinance was completed by them. Neither Mr. Gourley or I were notified of this meeting. This salary ordinance was presented to me ten minutes before the council meeting on last Tuesday evening. After the meeting was called to order, Mr. Reay introduced the ordinance and moved that it be placed on file for inspection. It was carried three to two, Mr. Gourley and I voting against it.

The ordinance provided salary increases for the police and firemen of which I heartily approve, but it also provides for fees for the Corporation Counsel in addition to his regular salary. In the Highland Park Press of January 27, 1927, the statement was made that Judge Edwards had ruled that the city had no right to pay fees to the Corporation Counsel in view of the fact that he receives a regular salary from the city. In the (Continued on page 4)

ELKS TO JOURNEY TO DES PLAINES LODGE

Large Number Plan to Go Friday; June 14 Flag Day Exercises to Be Held

There will be a regular meeting of Highland Park lodge 1362, B.P.O.E. Friday evening at which time one trustee for a five-year term to fill vacancy, will be elected. After the meeting as many members as can will go to Des Plaines where the lodge there will initiate about 100 members.

June 14, the lodge will hold Flag Day services and have some prominent speaker deliver the address. The girl scouts, boy scouts and the American Legion, will participate.

The medals in the junior and senior contest for the best essay on the flag will be awarded on that day, and a beautiful flag will be awarded to the school winning in the junior contest.

FLOOD SUFFERERS TO BENEFIT BY DANCE

Sheridan Lodge No. 662, I. O. O. F., will give a dance Thursday evening, May 26 in Sunset Park, for the benefit of the flood sufferers. Music will be furnished by El Sheridan's orchestra and Druggan's Cowboys.

It is hoped that the attendance will be large at this dance as the entire proceeds will go toward the flood victims fund.

DANCE TO BE GIVEN AT SUNSET PARK

On Monday night, Memorial Day, May 30, in the beautiful outdoor pavilion at Sunset Park, a dance will be held under the auspices of the Highland Park Social club. The Bluebird orchestra will furnish the music.

O. E. S. TO ENTERTAIN WORTHY GRAND MATRON

Campbell Chapter No. 712, O. E. S. will entertain Ida M. Stacy, worthy grand matron on Wednesday afternoon, June 15, at Masonic hall. Luncheon will be served at noon. All members of the Eastern Star are invited to attend.

J. STONEWALL MOVES TO LARGER QUARTERS

Mr. J. Stonewall who took over the upholstering business of Mr. T. E. Pierson about a year and a half ago will move on June first from 388 Central avenue to their new location at 17 North Second street.

On account of the growth of his business he has found it necessary to move into larger quarters.

BAKERY SALE TO BE HELD SATURDAY

A bakery sale will be held Saturday in Meierhoff's Hardware store under the direction of the Woman's Missionary society of the Bethany Evangelical church. There will be all kinds of cakes, cookies, rolls and other delicacies offered for sale.