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W. B. CLARK DIES ON MONDAY; RITES TODAY

HAD OPERATION SATURDAY

Stomach Ulcers Cause of Death; City Employee Many Years and Highly Esteemed; Funeral Today

Walter Burton Clark, assistant foreman of the city water department and an employee of the city of Highland Park for eighteen years, died at 9:45 o'clock Monday morning, in the Highland Park hospital, following an operation for relief from ulcers of the stomach, which was performed on Saturday afternoon. His condition was precarious throughout. He had been well for some time but remained at work until last Thursday, city officials report.

Walter Clark was a native of Highland Park and had resided here all of his life. He was born here January 17, 1881, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Clark, well known residents. His father died about thirty-four years ago; his mother is still a resident of this city.

Widely Esteemed

He attended the Elm Place school and after leaving school he was employed by the city. He was efficient and faithful and remained in the city's employ, gaining in experience and worth, and at the time of his death he was assistant foreman of the water department. He was highly regarded by his fellow employees and city officials generally because of his integrity and industry and many fine qualities. In Highland Park and vicinity he had many warm friends whose esteem he had won and held throughout his long residence here, and among them there is deep sorrow that his useful life has been brought to a close. He was a member of the Loyal Order of Moose and in that organization had many good friends.

Relatives Living

Mr. Clark was married about seven years ago to Miss Amelia Krantz, who survives him. There are no children. Other near relatives living are two sisters and one brother. They are Mrs. Nellie Barrett of Seattle, Wash.; Mrs. Lily Campbell of Indianapolis, Ind.; and George Clark of Highland Park. One brother, Chauncey Clark, is dead.

There is deep regret throughout the community at the passing of this estimable citizen and the relatives have the sincere sympathy of all at this time. In the city hall many expressions of warm regard and real sorrow were heard this week at the death of Mr. Clark who had been so long associated with the water department and whose value as a faithful and reliable employe of the city was generally recognized.

Funeral Is Today

The funeral service was held at 9:30 o'clock this morning at St. James church, Highwood, and interment made in the North Shore cemetery.

OSSOLI CLUB LECTURE PROVES INTERESTING

The first of a series of six lectures by Mrs. Anthony French-Merrill on "Current Events and Book Reviews" was given this morning, Thursday, Oct. 20 in the Highland Park club. All present were greatly pleased with the lecture and also with the appearance of the recently renovated club house. The decorations are very gay and attractive and met with exclamations of approval.

The remaining five lectures of the course will be given to all non-members of Ossoli club. For information call Mrs. Col. Clark, Mrs. Jared Johnson or Mrs. Edkins.

ELM PLACE AUDITORIUM SOON TO BE COMPLETED

Indications are that the front of the Elm Place auditorium for which a fund was raised by subscription earlier in the year will shortly be started, as letters have been sent out to contributors stating that the goal has nearly been reached and that the P.T.A. is going to assist in raising the small amount yet remaining to be secured. It is reported that the plans for the addition are being considered and that the contract probably will be awarded in a very short time.

LECTURE SERIES TO OPEN IN NOVEMBER

If you are interested in child study, either from a mother's point of view or a teacher's you will wish to hear the course of lectures the Woman's club are sponsoring by Frederick Pierce, who has an international reputation as a psychologist. He will be able to give many helpful suggestions in his three lectures. Mr. Pierce spent some time abroad lecturing, as well as in all the principal cities in the United States. The course will be held Nov. 7, 14, 21 at 3:30 p.m.

Begin Proceedings For Widening And Repaving Green Bay

The long awaited and greatly needed improvement of North Green Bay road is finally in prospect. The board of local improvements at its regular meeting on Monday evening in the city hall originated the project and a public hearing on the plan will be held on Monday evening, Nov. 7.

The plan as originated by the board contemplates a ten-inch concrete pavement, thirty feet in width from Central avenue north to the city limits near Bloom street, with curb and gutter and other necessary accessories. The estimated cost, according to the original report of the engineers is \$143,842. The cost will be taken care of by special assessment in as far as possible.

Widening and repaving of this street, one of the principal thoroughfares along the North Shore through Highland Park will be an improvement which will be welcomed not only by local residents, but by those of neighboring cities on the shore and by the traveling public in general.

While delays may occur to hamper proceedings, there is no doubt that this notable and necessary improvement will eventually be carried into effect, and it is believed that this can be done within the next year under favorable conditions. The preliminary work has been done and prospects are now excellent for the success of the project, it is believed.

CHILD GUIDANCE GROUP AT ELM PLACE MONDAY

The first meeting of the Child Guidance class of the Elm Place Parent-Teacher association will be held Monday at 3:30 in the Kindergarten room. This group will study practical problems of child management. A more advanced group met last Monday under the leadership of Mrs. Carl Pfantstiel to discuss an outline of various psychological theories. The mothers of the older children meet with Mrs. Loewenstein, the second Monday of each month. The P. T. A. has organized these three classes to meet the growing interest in child study among the parents in Highland Park. The topic for Monday, Oct. 24, is "Habit." The chief way in which children can be influenced for good is to help them form useful habits. The conditions under which good habits can be encouraged and harmful ones destroyed will be the subject of the discussion. The meeting is open to the public, although it is planned especially for parents of children in the lower grades of the school. The leader of this group is Mrs. Frank Pitt.

HIGHWOOD DRIVE FOR BOY SCOUTS NEXT WEEK

The drive to raise Highwood's share in the Character Building work of the North Shore Area council, Boy Scouts of America, will be conducted next week from Tuesday to Saturday inclusive. At a joint meeting of the troop committees of troops 36 and 37, teams composed of business men were chosen to canvass the wards of the city. Arthur Kjellquist was named captain of the team in the first ward, Andrew J. Walsh, captain in the second ward, and John Meyers, Sr., captain in the third ward. It is hoped that with such live wires for leaders that Highwood will easily "go over the top" in this drive for the furtherance of Boy Scout activities in the city of Highwood.

H. P. CLUB OFFICERS ARE ENTHUSIASTIC

The officers and committee members of the Highland Park club say the fruit of their labors culminate in a beautiful club interior Tuesday evening when President Thomas H. Sheridan entertained them at dinner in the new club rooms.

The unanimous feeling expressed in most enthusiastic terms was one of complete approval and no little surprise. Every one had had his own idea of what the finished interior would be, but all of them fell short. The stage is set for the opening dinner dance on Friday, Oct. 28, and Mrs. Russell advises the Press that she has more than 300 reservations.

CARD PARTY AT MASONIC HALL OCTOBER 25TH

The Pythian Sisters of Highland Park will hold a card party Tuesday evening, October 25, at Masonic hall. Luncheon and five hundred will be played. Prizes will be awarded and refreshments will be served. An invitation is extended to all members and their friends.

LADIES' AID GIVE SUPPER THIS EVENING

The Ladies' Aid Society of Grace M.E. church will hold a supper this evening (Thursday) at the church at 6:30 o'clock. An invitation is extended to the public to attend.

REP. WEISS DIES AT HOME IN WAUKEGAN

END WHOLLY UNEXPECTED

Due to Blood Clot in Heart as Result of Leg Injury; Prominent in State Politics; Funeral Thursday

News of the death of State Representative William F. Weiss at his home in Waukegan Monday forenoon was received in this community with many expressions of sorrow. Mr. Weiss had many friends here who had followed his successful political career with deep interest.

Death closed his years of service to the district at 11:30 Monday morning. It was entirely unexpected. The end came a moment after he had returned from the Chicago session.

Representative-at-large for the state of Illinois and a friend of many years standing, during which Mr. Weiss had expressed his belief that he would recover fully within a few days from an injury to his leg from which he had suffered for several weeks.

News Causes Sorrow

News of the death of the attorney and legislator swept through the county rapidly, bringing sorrow to the great host of friends and admirers all of whom characterized the passing of the man as the close of a life full of service to his state and his city.

Death was due to the formation of a blood clot in the calf of one leg and which eventually was carried in the blood stream to the heart, in the opinion of the physician who had been attending Mr. Weiss. The scientific name for the condition is given as coronary thrombosis.

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BARNETT STYLE SHOP IN McKILLIP BUILDING

The delightful corner store room in the new McKillip building, at Central and Green Bay has been leased by the Barnett Style shop of Evanston, which will open a beautifully appointed and completely stocked ladies' dress shop about November 1, or thereabouts. The decorations will be in the Moroccan design with everything giving the atmosphere of a colorful empire and all its wealth of color and beauty of garment. Merchandise will be kept in special cases and all the modern facilities and convenience are included in the equipment.

NORWEGIAN SERVICE AT LUTHERAN CHURCH

An annual event of importance to the members of the Lutheran church on Central avenue is its Mission Festival, which is held in the fall of each year. The coming Sunday is the day set aside for this purpose.

The special feature of this year's celebration is to be a service in the Norwegian language. For this purpose the Rev. J. A. Molstad of Chicago has been invited to conduct a double service in the evening. At 7:15 he will preach a sermon in the Norwegian and at 8 in the English language. As far as is known there has never been held in Highland Park a service in the Norwegian language.

This is to be a practical demonstration of one phase of mission work, namely the department of Foreign Tongue Mission at Home for the benefit of such immigrants who have not yet gained a full command of our language.

EXPOSITION COMMITTEE EXPRESS APPRECIATION

Several prizes which were not claimed Friday evening of last week at the Better Homes exposition at the Woman's club, may be obtained by the winners, it is announced, by presenting the necessary credentials to Mrs. Robert Seyfarth, South Sheridan road, phone 621. Mrs. J. B. Garnett, chairman of the finance committee of the Woman's club, and the many members who worked to make the exposition so great a success, wish to thank the people of the community for the loyal support and cooperation given the project.

ELM PLACE EVENING SCHOOL STARTED

Evening school for foreign men and women started at Elm Place school last Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. Classes in reading, conversation, spelling, writing and citizenship, lasting one hour and a half are being conducted. Miss Kirkland is back again this year and is in charge of the advanced class in reading and citizenship. Miss Tschirgi is conducting the elementary class and the writing class. Mr. Van Dyke is in charge of the intermediate class in reading, conversation, and spelling. Thirty men and women attended the school Tuesday evening, and there will be room for a few more in each of the classes.

NO APPROPRIATION FOR TRAFFIC SIGNS

CAN'T INSTALL THEM NOW

Council So Informs Chamber of Commerce; Other Matters at Last Meeting; Divide on Appointment

At the regular meeting of the city council Monday evening several matters of importance were attended to, and the session was an important one in many ways. It is expected that in about two weeks the time of the meeting of the council will be changed from 5 o'clock Monday evening to 7:30 o'clock Monday evening of each week. An ordinance to this effect probably will be passed at the next meeting.

Resolution from the Chamber of Commerce asking for stop and go signs at St. Johns and Central and Green Bay and Central was read and the clerk was instructed to notify the chamber that as there was no appropriation made for this expenditure, the installation could not be made at present.

Communication Referred

The communication presented by representatives of the Parent-Teachers association of the Lincoln school requesting the city of Highland Park to either place a traffic policeman or "stop and go" sign at the corner of St. Johns avenue and Lincoln avenue was referred to the department of public works. The city clerk was directed to inform School District No. 108 that it would be impossible to grant their request to waive the building permit fee on the Ravinia school addition.

Commissioner Gourley moved that School District No. 108 be granted a permit to place a temporary frame building on Kincaid street in accordance with their request and that a time period for said occupancy be placed at six months.

The building inspector was granted permission to employ a draftsman for the purpose of completing the city plats with instructions to not expend more than the amount appropriated for this purpose. The building inspector was also authorized to take up the matter of a revised method of street numbering with the Planning commission. The petition for replacing the sign board at the corner of

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DRAMATIC CLASS AT H. P. WOMAN'S CLUB

The Highland Park Woman's club held its first meeting of the season on Tuesday afternoon at two-thirty. Should attendance be an indication of the interest manifested in the club, its actions, and the principle for which it stands, there will be an immediate need for additional space. The large assembly hall was filled from stage to main entrance and so the Chicago Art Theatre presenting "Will o' the Wisp," "The Proposal," and "The Jubilee" played to a more than capacity house.

Equally dramatic was the reading by Mrs. Carl Bingham, chairman of the membership committee, of the names of seventy-seven members who have been enrolled since last meeting.

The new president, Mrs. Raymond Stevens made a gracious speech of welcome, which was received with great enthusiasm.

Following the program the social committee served ice cream, cake and coffee.

BANK TOURNAMENT AT SUNSET VALLEY

The Peoples Trust & Savings bank of Chicago through the efforts of Mr. Edw. Hintz, had an enjoyable day of golf at Sunset Valley Golf club on Wednesday, Oct. 12. There were thirty-two real golf fans who braved the rain, cold weather and high winds to compete in the bank's annual golf classic.

At six o'clock a very tasty dinner was served after which the fight pictures of the Dempsey-Tunney boxing contest were shown in the lounge room of the club house.

The caddies of Sunset Valley had their annual tournament Monday, Oct. 9, Alex Wolack taking first honors, and Tom Nelson and Ray Bonson, were tied for runner up.

The fine weather of last Sunday found a large number of golfers on the course. The fall care of the grounds is now in progress, also the construction of a number of grass tees.

ROYAL ARCANUM HOLD DIVIDEND NIGHT OCT. 24

The next regular meeting of Highland Park Council No. 1066, Royal Arcanum, will be held Monday evening, Oct. 24. This will be known as Dividend night. All members are urged to attend this meeting and receive their check. The dividend amounts to 8% per cent of the annual premium.

Noted Orchestra In Benefit Concert For The Local Hospital

One of the outstanding musical features of the present season in Highland Park will be the appearance at the Elm Place auditorium of the Chicago Business Men's orchestra on Sunday afternoon, Oct. 30, for the benefit of the Highland Park hospital. The program will begin at 3:30 o'clock.

This is a very meritorious project and one which should have the enthusiastic support of every friend of the hospital and of the community in general, for whose use and benefit the institution was organized and is maintained. The program will be announced later, and it is assured that this fine orchestra will present one of the finest concerts heard here in a long time.

The outgrowth of the old University Club orchestra originally numbered twenty-five members. The Chicago Business Men's orchestra is now a full symphony orchestra, consisting of eighty-five members, all professional and business men. No professional musicians are employed with the exception of the conductor, Clarence Evans, of the Chicago Symphony orchestra.

Rehearsals are held every Friday evening from six to nine o'clock, with an average attendance of seventy-five members. Included in its repertoire are all of the symphonies and overtures of the standard artists.

H. P. WOMAN'S CLUB HOLD FIRST MEETING OCT. 18

Three Plays Presented; Large Attendance; Mrs. Stevens, President, Speaks

Miss Mary Page has been engaged by the Highland Park Woman's club to give dramatic lessons to the children of the members of the club. This class will be held at the club house on Saturday mornings.

Miss Page is an exponent of the French school of acting as brought to this country by the late Mrs. Millward Adams from the Conservatory of Paris.

Her private class gave two very charming plays this summer on the lawn of her home overlooking Briar-gate golf grounds. Those who saw these plays were most delighted and are looking forward with pleasure to the production by the club children.

A further notice of the class will be in next week's Press, but any one desiring information will please call Mrs. C. E. Timson, Deerfield 248.

There will be a meeting of this committee Monday afternoon, Oct. 24, in the club house at three o'clock.

DANCE SATURDAY AT WOMAN'S CLUB

The annual dance of the Junior Star club will be held Saturday evening at the Highland Park Woman's club. As this is a benefit affair it is hoped that there will be a large attendance. The well known Blue Bird orchestra will furnish the music during the evening and this together with a delightful floor should be an endowment to all those who enjoy an evening of dance. The public is cordially invited to attend.

LEGION AUXILIARY TO ELECT OFFICERS

The American Legion auxiliary will meet at Witten hall on Thursday afternoon, Oct. 27, at two o'clock to nominate the officers for the coming year. As the auxiliary try to follow the lead of the Legion post as nearly as possible they will nominate a meeting earlier and nominations will be made from the floor. All members are urged to come and help choose those who will carry on the good work of the American Legion auxiliary.

MRS. DUFFY AND SON CONTINUE BUSINESS

The insurance business which for years conducted by James H. Duffy will be continued by Mrs. James H. Duffy and James H. Duffy, Jr., under the name of the Duffy Insurance agency, with the same offices in the State Bank building, phone H. P. 79. It is announced by the new firm that all policies are being rewritten at expiration, no policy being allowed to lapse. It is believed that the excellent business which Mr. Duffy enjoyed will be continued under the new firm's management.

INFANT WELFARE TO MEET OCTOBER 25

The Ravinia, Highland Park Center of the Infant Welfare society will hold its regular monthly meeting, Oct. 25 at the home of Mrs. Ernest W. Sundell, 274 E. Central avenue, at two o'clock.

Every member is urged to attend and bring something for the rummage sale which will be held the following Thursday at the Community

LOCAL MEN AIDING BOY SCOUT CAMPAIGN

LARGE COMMITTEE BUSY

"Invest in Boyhood" Is Slogan and Effort Being Made to Increase Scope of the Work Locally

"Invest in Boyhood" is the slogan of the local committee of men at work this week in raising the funds to carry on the scout work in Highland Park and other North Shore towns.

Forty-one local men are serving on the various committees, helping to make scouting in Highland Park grow both in quantity and in richness of results in boy life.

The Committee

The committee consists of: Chairman, Albert P. Snite; treasurer, Walter McPeck; secretary, Paul Udell; educational chairman, Paul Udell; scout executive, Walter McPeck.

Members at large—N. H. Anspach, L. T. Baker, Philip Carey, Col. H. B. Clark, Rev. Frank Pitt, J. B. Garnett, Lyle Gourley, Hon. S. Hastings, F. J. Horn, Albert Larson, G. A. Mason, L. R. Rigdon, R. L. Sandwick, O. F. Schuette, Jesse L. Smith, A. I. Wolf, Gen. R. E. Wood, Clark G. Wright.

Troop 31—R. E. Herman, A. P. Snite, M. J. Traub, R. A. Wood.

Troop 32—H. B. Clark, R. T. E. Hastings, E. R. Phelps, Ernest E. West, Wm. Zimmerman, Jr.

Troop 33—E. J. McCarthy, W. W. Reichardt, Fred Rubly, Herbert Smith, Edward Strenger.

Troop 35—Harry L. Canmann, Earl K. Jerome, John H. Kraft.

A recent report to contributors, asking renewals of contributions was sent out by the committee and reads as follows:

Report to Contributors

"Dear friend:

"The activities of the Boy Scouts in the North Shore area and particularly in Highland Park have been greatly enlarged during the past year. On December 1, 1926, the North Shore Area council was formed and since that time the number of troops under its supervision has greatly increased.

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ANNUAL FALL BAZAAR AT ST. JAMES CHURCH

The annual fall bazaar of St. James church, Highwood, will open in the church hall on Wednesday afternoon October 26 with a card party. Bridge, 500, euchre and bunco will be played and attractive prizes being given for each game played. A Dutch market has been arranged by the Catholic Daughters of America club. The usual hand made fine linens will be on sale at the married ladies' booth. The basement will be turned over to the corno game and other interesting features.

On Thursday evening the famous chicken dinner for which the St. James bazaar are so very well known will be served, beginning at 5:30 and continuing until all are served. All home-cooked foods are served and the portions are generous,—two good reasons why no one should miss the delightful dinner.

Friday will be children's day, grab bags, candies, ice cream and games will offer the children "the time of their lives."

Saturday is the grand finale, and no one will want to miss the attractive events of this day.

WOMAN'S CIVIC CLUB HOLDS BRIDGE PARTY

At the home of Mrs. Joseph F. Gillen, South Green Bay road, a bridge party will be given by the social committee of the Wpman's Civic club of Ravinia on Wednesday afternoon, Oct. 26 at 2 p. m.

Everyone in the community is cordially invited to attend. It is hoped that new members will avail themselves of this opportunity of becoming better acquainted.

Tickets will be available at a nominal sum.

CARD PARTY OCT. 20 FOR ELKS AND FRIENDS

This evening, Thursday, Oct. 20, there will be a card party for Elks and their friends at the Elks club house.

Don't forget the Hallow'en dance, Saturday, Oct. 29, for members and friends. A good orchestra has been secured for the evening and all members are requested to be present.

ROYAL NEIGHBORS HOLD ANNUAL CONVENTION

The sixth annual convention of the Royal Neighbors of America will be held at Waukegan Thursday, October 27 at Masonic Temple. Luncheon and dinner will be served at the temple. Any member of the local camp who wishes to attend can make reservations by calling H. P. 127.