

### COUNTY ROAD BOND FUND IS EXHAUSTED

TOTAL OF \$730,000 SPENT

#### Announcement Made on Opening of Long Lake-Round Lake Road; List of Jobs Finished; Outlook

Opening of the Long Lake-Round Lake road last week marked an end to the 1926 \$730,000 road bond issue passed by the county and brought a cessation to highway construction on the part of the county.

The new road will be accepted by the state highway department for maintenance within 30 days it was predicted by R. H. Lobbell, county superintendent of highways.

The spring of 1928 will find the county without money for paving. Mr. Lobbell looks to three possible sources for revenue, however.

**Possible Revenue Sources**  
1—If the oil company injunctions filed to claim the money paid in on the defunct gas tax law are dissolved Lake county will have between \$40,000 and \$50,000 coming.

2—If rebates are paid on Rand road and a section of Grand avenue the county will get \$600,000.

3—If a new gas tax is enacted, which is likely at the next assembly, the county believes that it will be in force by July 1, 1929, with revenue by the spring of 1930.

"All of those three sources of income are reasonably certain. If a new gas tax passes it will mean that a new road bond issue can be brought before the public as a means of paying it will be assured" the highway chieftain stated.

**Work Completed**  
The \$730,000 road bond issue paved close to 24 miles of roads and built several culverts. The work was as follows:

- 1—Green Bay road from Yorkhouse church to the state line, 5.3 miles.
- 2—Deerfield road from Route 42 to the Old Mill road, 2 miles.
- 3—Long Lake-Round Lake, 1.5 miles.
- 4—Grayslake road from Center avenue to Route 21, about 1.3 miles.
- 5—Wadsworth road from Wadsworth to Green Bay road, 2.8 miles.
- 6—Millburn road from Hickory corners to Wedges corners at Grand avenue, 5.5 miles.
- 7—Ivanhoe to Grayslake, 4 miles.
- 8—Completion of Fox Lake route one-fourth mile.

#### BOARD OF REVIEW HAS MUCH BUSINESS, REPORT

##### Many Complaints from Property Owners Who Think Taxes Are Too High

Lake county property owners are rising in record numbers of protest against tax increases which they claim are beyond all reason. So far there are 160 complaints registered with the board of review which is busy at its task in the supervisors' room at the courthouse.

The deadline for complaints is Sept. 7 and during the next few weeks it is expected that this number will be almost doubled.

Thomas Murphy, chairman of the board of supervisors and head of the board of review pointed out Tuesday that the task ahead of the review board members is a great one. Last year, he said, there were only 77 kicks registered with the board. In a few days this year's kicks will be over 200.

Much of the protest, according to Chairman Murphy, is probably due to the boost in taxes occasioned by the increasing of values throughout the county last year which was re-valuation period.

The boost in values showed in the tax bills received by the property owners this year and when the board of review opened its doors there was a rush of those who seek some remedy for the situation.

It is pointed out by the board members that they will do all in their power to care for those entering protests, examine their complaints, look over the properties in question and determine if anything can be done about it.

#### North Shore News

Attired in an ivory satin dress trimmed in lace from her grandmother's wedding dress, Miss Mary Louise O'Connor was married Thursday night, August 16, to Philip Arthur May in St. Mary's church, Evanston.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John P. O'Connor of 718 Elmwood avenue, Wilmette, and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Philip E. May of 562 Sheridan square, Evanston. Her dress was in the popular style of uneven hemlines, and old lace was used to make a cape-like berth. Her veil was of tulle held to her head with a coronet of real lace brought from Europe last spring by the bride's mother. Her bouquet was of orchids and valley-lilies.

Miss Alice Slattery of Chicago was the maid of honor and wore a dress cut in the period style of orchid taffeta and chiffon. She wore a Juliet cap of tulle and carried an old-fashioned bouquet of flowers. Miss Margaret Spear of Evanston, dressed in a similar costume in pink; Miss Dorothea Garvey of Chicago, in green; and Miss Grace Boyle of Chicago, in peach, were the bridesmaids.

Chicago. The ushers were Walter May, Edwin Berwick, Curtis Gibbs, John O'Connor, and Theodore Strehlow. The Rev. Francis J. Magner read the service. LeRoy Wetzel, director of the Paulist choir of Chicago, played the wedding march and the organ music during the service.

Following the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. O'Connor received for the young couple at their residence in Wilmette. Mr. and Mrs. May will be at home after September 6 in Evanston. They left after the reception for a motor trip through Canada and the east.

A busy round of engagements awaits Miss Mary Lothrop, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas M. Lothrop, who is to be married on Saturday evening, September 8, to Samuel S. Hill, Jr., son of Dr. and Mrs. Samuel S. Hill of Reading, Pa., at the Glencoe Union church.

On Tuesday afternoon, August 28, Miss Vera McDermid will entertain for Miss Lothrop at bridge and a miscellaneous shower. Mrs. John Sherman Root will give a bridge party on Friday, August 31, for Miss Lothrop and Mrs. Karl D. King, Jr., (Eugenia Moore); and on Monday evening, September 3, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Andrew Day are entertaining at a dinner dance at the Drake hotel.

Miss Alice Catherine Mills is to give a bridge party on Wednesday afternoon, September 5, and in the evening Miss Christine Baumann of Winnetka will entertain the bridal party at a dinner dance at the Vista del Lago. Mr. Mill's bachelor dinner will be given for him at the Harvard-Yale-Princeton club on Thursday, September 7, at the Skokie Country club.

Miss Leah Mildred Kinne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Kinne, 1324 Elmwood avenue, Wilmette, has chosen 8:30 o'clock, September 15, at the Wilmette Methodist church as the time and place of her wedding to Edwin A. Robson. Mr. Robson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence T. Robson of 6551 Laffin street, Chicago. The Rev. Horace G. Sith will perform the ceremony.

Miss Kinne has chosen her sister, Miss Ruth Verle Kinne to be her maid of honor. Her bridesmaids will be Miss Dorothy Fuller and Miss Beatrice Pence of Wilmette, Mrs. Donald G. Healey and Mrs. Kenneth Gordon of Chicago, and Miss Lydia Sprenger of Kenilworth.

The best man will be Kenneth S. Gordon, and the ushers chosen will be Donald G. Healey, William Gillespie, Daniel T. Nagle, and Bernard S. Black. A reception will be held at Westmoreland Country club after the ceremony.

Many parties have been given for Miss Kinne beginning with a party held early this summer by Mrs. Harvey Cole, formerly a resident of Wilmette who has moved to Oklahoma. She gave the party before leaving for her new home. On August 11 a personal shower was given by Miss Genevieve Cook in her home at 211 Broadway, Wilmette. Mrs. Huber Sargent of Chicago entertained Tuesday night with a bridge, and on last Saturday Mrs. Healy and Mrs. Gordon entertained at the Dental Arts club of Chicago with a luncheon and bridge.

Miss Frances Kendall will entertain next Wednesday afternoon in her home in Chicago. Miss Beatrice and Miss Marjorie Pence will entertain at their home, 826 Forest avenue, Wilmette, with a luncheon on September 1. Mrs. Robson will entertain with a

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party on September 6, and Miss Fuller will entertain September 10.

Miss Alberdah Helming of Lake Bluff entertained Saturday, August 18 at a luncheon and shower for Miss Jessie Louise Booth of Wilmette who will become the bride of Frederick Hagen of Hubbard Woods on September 8. The guests were college friends of Zeta Tau Alpha sorority sisters. Last Monday Miss Amy Hagen, sister of the bride-groom, and Miss Booth were joint hostesses at a luncheon and bridge at Miss Hagen's home, 1387 Scott avenue. The party was a personal shower for Miss Ethelwyn Penrith, whose marriage to Elisha Whitehead of Lake Bluff will take place September 20 in Christ church, Winnetka. Miss Booth will be a member of Miss Penrith's bridal party.

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