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## BUSINESS MEN HEAR ADDRESS BY RECTOR

REV. CHRISTOPH KELLER

**Makes Fine Talk on "Words" at Regular Meeting of Chamber of Commerce; Improvements Urged**

The feature of the monthly session of the Highland Park Chamber of Commerce Tuesday evening was an eloquent and interesting address by the Rev. Christoph Keller, rector of Trinity Episcopal church on the subject, "Words." The address was heard with marked appreciation by the large number of members present. It is given in full herewith.

At the business session following the usual fine dinner at the Green Tegot, there were present 68 members, and two new members were admitted, Robert Schneider and G. J. Dinkelo of the Deerfield-Shields faculty.

### Urge Improvements

A number of motions urging improvements in various civic lines were made and carried and will be referred to the city administration for action with the recommendations of the chamber, which desires to cooperate with the council in such matters. The motions, in brief, urged: That street light in the business district be made more powerful, and an all-night lighting system for the entire city be instituted; that next time a member of the Appeal Board is appointed, he be a business man and resident with business property in the city; that Green Bay road from Stipes corner to the county line be widened to 40 feet and repaved and made a boulevard; that mushroom light be placed at Second and Central and at First and Central; that the North Shore Line be asked to repair the pavement on St. Johns, between Central and Laurel; that sidewalk from Elm to Vine on First street be repaired and that several pieces of sidewalk on Skokie avenue be installed; that stop and go lights be placed at St. Johns and Central avenues.

### Letter of Thanks

It was directed that a letter be sent the city council expressing the thanks of the chamber for the installation of a stop and go light at Green Bay and Vine and for the successful way in which the city administration has secured action by the Northwestern railroad in the matter of an agreement to widen the viaducts at Bloom street and Sheridan place.

The president was authorized to write Congressman Chindblom urging that an appropriation be put through congress for the construction of a 40-foot roadway through Fort Sheridan, and to communicate with the Highland Chamber of Commerce and the Lake Forest Kiwanis club asking them to co-operate in an effort to obtain action on this plan.

A letter of thanks was received from the Ravinia Opera Company thanking the chamber for its donation of \$200 for the present year and for its guarantee of a similar sum for 1929.

### Fine Address

The Rev. Christoph Keller's excellent address follows:

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## MUSIC CLUB QUARTETTE WILL GIVE PROGRAM

The quartette of the Highland Park Music club consisting of Mrs. Byron Howes, Mrs. A. L. Mills, Mrs. Lawrence Myers and Mrs. L. R. Rigdon, under the direction of Mrs. Walter Livingston Vance will give a program for Elm Place P.T.A. at their next meeting, which will be held on Wednesday, Nov. 21 in the kindergarten room of the school. The pupils and teachers will also talk on the "Value of Field Trips and Their Work." All members are urged to attend.

## ROTARY CLUB HEARS NAVAL OFFICER TALK

Lieut. Erickson of Great Lakes Speaks at Monday's Meeting; Attendance

The feature of the regular session of the Highland Park Rotary club Monday noon at the Morraine hotel was an interesting talk by Lieut. Erickson of Great Lakes Naval training Station. His address was heard with interest and appreciation by the members who were all present. The club is maintaining its good record in having 100 per cent attendance at each meeting so far since the attendance contest began several weeks ago.

## W. C. T. U. REGULAR MEETING NOVEMBER 20

The Women's Christian Temperance union will hold their regular monthly meeting on Tuesday, Nov. 20 at the home of Mrs. E. S. Hall, 310 Oakwood avenue at two o'clock.

## Woman's Club Will Meet Nov. 20 Plans Musicales Nov. 27th.

On Tuesday, Nov. 20, the Highland Park Woman's club will hold a business meeting and memorial service at the club rooms. The memorial exercises in memory of departed members will be at 2 o'clock, and the business session will follow, with committee reports and proposed revision of by-laws to be discussed.

A feature of the meeting will be an address by A. Eustice Haydon, director of Comparative Religion, Northwestern university. Prof. Haydon spoke at the Child Study convention at the Palmer house in Chicago last spring and his services as lecturer on these topics are always greatly in demand, so that the talk at the Woman's club promises to be unusually interesting. He will present the philosophy of religion in the light of modern scientific knowledge and our problems in the modern world.

### Woman's Club Musicales

Members of the Woman's club are looking forward with deep interest to the musicale which is to be held Tuesday, Nov. 27, at 8:30 in the evening when a delightful program is to be presented including selections by Michael Press, distinguished Russian violinist and composer.

Mrs. Annette Jones and Mrs. Thomas Sheridan will give two piano selections, including "eight variations pour deux pianos sur le theme du Minuet op. 99 de R. Schumann, par Mario Tarenghi, Op. 40." Mrs. Arthur Byfield will sing two groups of songs.

This promises to be one of the most delightful programs of this type presented here in many months and a large attendance is expected.

## HIGHWOOD DEFEATS CARDINALS 25-0 SUNDAY

Score Four Touchdowns in Brilliant Display of Strength

The Falkner Cardinals, one of the strongest football teams in Chicago, were easily defeated by the Highwood eleven, who passed, ran the ends and plunged through the Cardinals to amass 25 points. The visiting team was never in a position to score and all their gains were made by passes.

The first quarter started off as though Highwood would score immediately. Allens returned a punt 25 yards. Then Cronkhite plunged for 20 more, but the Cardinals held and punted out of danger.

But in the second quarter Highwood resumed its march down the field to score when Cronkhite plunged over for the touchdown.

Early in the second half Highwood scored again when Boylan returned a punt 20 yards and Bellei with two long runs carried the ball to the Cardinals 15 yard line. From there Allens went over for the second touchdown.

Then Dever added another score with a long run around right end.

In the last quarter a steady advance from midfield ended in another Highwood touchdown.

The game was played fast and hard, and both teams used many substitutes. De Long and Fink were taken out because of injuries, this being the first game either has failed to finish this season.

The ideal football weather brought out a good crowd, who left well satisfied with the results of the game.

## POLICE SEEK MAN WHO SLUGGED GIRL

OTHER ATTACKS REPORTED

Lake Forest Teacher's Skull is Fractured by Thug; She is Recovering; Two Other Cases Reported

Despite the offer of rewards totaling \$5,000 no trace has been found so far of the thug who struck down Miss Edna Kelley, Lake Forest school teacher, on Saturday night, fracturing her skull and nearly causing her death. Two other young women of the North Shore, Miss Rosebud Axt of Highwood and Miss Genevieve Cook of Highland Park, were accosted by men the same night, but managed to shake them off and escaped injury. On Sunday evening another similar attempt was reported to the police.

### Skull Fractured

Miss Kelley was struck with some heavy instrument and her skull was found to be fractured when she was taken to the Alice Home hospital, Lake Forest. She was returning to the home of her father, Alex Kelley, a building contractor, at 169 North Wildwood road, when she was struck down from behind. If robbery was the motive of the assailant he was frightened away before he could carry out his plans, the police believe.

### Rewards are Offered

The Lake Forest council, of which Leslie A. Kelley, a brother of the victim, is a member, was called into special meeting Sunday afternoon and voted to offer a reward of \$4,000 for the man's capture. Another \$1,000 was added to this sum by State's Attorney A. V. Smith of Lake county after Mayor A. B. Dick Jr. had communicated with him and requested his aid in the investigation.

Chief of Police Tiffany of Lake Forest, led a posse of officers, including some from Highland Park and Highwood, in an all-night search of the lonely sections of the countryside, but no trace of the man was found. A pair of pliers which were found near Miss Kelley was seemingly the only clue in the hands of the police. It was in Highland Park that that Miss Genevieve Cook, 17 year old daughter of William J. Cook a lumberman, and Miss Rosebud Axt were accosted by a strange man on Saturday night.

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## "A BIT OF SPAIN" IS FASCINATING PROGRAM

On Tuesday Nov. 13 the Ossoli club had as its guests the members of the Highland Park Woman's club and of the Woman's Civic club of Ravinia. Ossoli was most fortunate in securing Senorita Maria Virginia Fernandez de Chabas who gave a fascinating talk on "A Bit of Spain." Senorita Nunez in her Spanish costume was a charming picture, and she was most clever in her choice of material, and most vivid in her presentation. One lived with her the scenes she pictured, one felt the atmosphere of the old Spanish cities, one realized the result of centuries of tradition upon modern Spain. Senorita Nunez gave two dances. The Spanish Bullfight, and La Gilana con Naipes, with much La grace and beauty of interpretation.

## ARREST MAN ON CHARGE OF PASSING BAD CHECKS

Richard Merrill, who is said to hail originally from Morris, Ill., was arrested this week by local officers in Chicago on a charge of passing bad checks. One on the North Shore Music ship and the other on Keil's grocery, both for \$8, upon purchase of merchandise. The arrest was due to sharp memory of Mr. Adams of the music shop, who recalled, after the man had left the shop, that he had recently seen him at a party in Chicago. He investigated and found that the man was still staying where he suspected, and Mr. Adams went in with an officer and recovered the sheet music purchased and the man was returned to jail here. He is being held for hearing.

## INFANT WELFARE OPENS CHRISTMAS GIFT SHOP

The Infant Welfare is opening a Christmas gift shop for a few days on Saturday, Nov. 17 on East Central avenue opposite Gell's. Hand-woven linens, woolens and tufted bedspreads and baby blankets. Hand carved frames, painted toys, and book ends made by the mountain workers of Tryon, North Carolina will be for sale. The profit in the sale of these articles not only benefits the Infant Welfare, but also gives employment to the mountain workers in whose interest this industry was created.

## REPORT PROGRESS IN Y. W. CAMPAIGN

RAISE MORE THAN \$4,000.00

Initial Gifts and Results of Team Workers' Efforts in Past Week; Drive Continues; Lists

The Y.W.C.A. campaign started Monday morning Nov. 12 and on Tuesday at 12:30 all the workers met at the Y.W.C.A. assembly room for luncheon. There was great enthusiasm among all the workers and those that have been working for the success of the Y.W.C.A.

Mrs. Carl G. Bingham presided at the meeting, in her very capable and charming manner. She introduced all the chairman that have been working for the last few months on this campaign. Rev. Frank Fitt asked the blessing. A good luncheon was served by the luncheon committee.

Songs were sung led by Mrs. Frank Horn and Mrs. Pardee, pianist. A report of the judges on the slogan committee was given by Rev. Fitt, chairman of the judging committee. The slogan chosen was "Keep the 'Y' Door Open." From this slogan the words of the campaign song were

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## SUGGEST MANY NAMES FOR N. S. MUSIC SHOP

In the contest being staged by the North Shore Music Shop, Selvi G. Carlson, proprietor, the following names have been suggested:

Carlson House of Music, Selcar Music Shoppe, The Melody Salon, The Harmony Shop, The Harmony Music Shop, Harmony Home, Dream World Music Store, Sunset Music Store, Rainbow Music Store, Ye Olden Music Shoppe, The Highland Music Shop The SSS Music Store, (Service, Satisfaction, Selection), The Highland Park Music Store, The Home Town Music Shop, Carlson's Music Shop, Selvin Music Shop, The Neighborhood Music Shop, Central Music Shop, Convenient Music Shop, Central Avenue Music Shop, The Highland Park Harmony Shop, The Up to Date Music Shop, The Melody Home, Our Melody Shop, The Lost Chord, The Harmony Music Parlor, The Triangle Music Store, the Melody Box, the Cosmopolitan Music Parlors, The New Era Music Shop, The Carlsonian Melody Shoppe.

## N. S. WELLESLEY CIRCLE WILL MEET NOVEMBER 20

A departure will be made next week from the usual trend of meeting of the North Shore Wellesley circle. Its members will gather Tuesday, Nov. 20, in the Orrington hotel ballroom, Evanston, at 2:30 o'clock. Miss Lena McCauley, art editor for the Chicago Evening Post, will conduct a gallery tour of the current art exhibit held by the University Guild and the Evanston Art commission, an exhibit consisting of water colors by a group of the leading women water-color artists of America.

Tea will be served. The hostesses for the afternoon will be Mrs. Charles Jerome Tippet, Mrs. Alexander H. Gunn, Mrs. Albert R. Ellingwood, Mrs. Wilson V. Little, Mrs. Alfred Newberry, Mrs. William E. White, and Mrs. Clarence V. Williams.

## MRS. EMILY PRYE DIES THIS MORNING

Mrs. Emily Root Prye of Michigan Avenue, passed away this morning at seven o'clock at her home, following a lingering illness of cancer. She was seventy years old, and had been a resident of this city for the past few years. She is the mother of Mr. Edwin E. Prye of this city who is her only survivor, besides a sister in California.

Eastern Star services will be held tomorrow (Friday) morning at nine thirty o'clock. Burial will be held in Prairie du Sac, Wis.

## RUMMAGE SALE TO BE HELD NEXT WEEK

The Philathea-class of the Bethany Evangelical church will hold a rummage sale Nov. 20 to Nov. 22 in the Goldberg building, corner of Central avenue and Second street. Anyone having articles to donate for this sale are asked to call a member of the class.

## PRIZE DANCE AT WITTEN'S SATURDAY

Due to the huge success of the prize dance held at Witten hall last Saturday, the Highland Park social club will hold another prize dance at Witten's this Saturday. Hot music will be the feature of the evening. Come up and try to win a prize. Dance every Saturday at Witten hall.

## May Place Another Traffic Signal At Green Bay and Vine

REPORTS SHOW PROGRESS

With one stop-and-go traffic signal installed at the corner of Green Bay road and Vine avenue, the city authorities are considering the advisability of placing others at main corners in the city.

The prospect is that when the work of swinging back the retaining walls of the viaduct at Vine avenue is completed, another traffic light may be placed on Green Bay, on the north side of Vine, so that traffic coming from the south may see it more readily than the one on the southwest corner of the intersection.

There is possibility that signal lights also may be placed at the corner of Green Bay and Central avenue and perhaps elsewhere in the city. The plan to put the lights at Central and St. Johns has been canvassed but so far no adequate methods of operating such lights where railway gates are continually being lowered and raised has been devised, and experts are of the opinion that the lights could not be operated at this point to advantage, except, perhaps, by man power.

The Northwestern railroad is shortening and swinging back the short walls of the viaduct at Vine avenue and has made an agreement with the city to widen the viaducts at Bloom street and on Sheridan place, the city to bear part of the cost. These improvements will greatly facilitate traffic through these outlets and make it more safe, it is believed by the authorities.

The traffic light at Green Bay and Vine, the first one to be installed in this city, cost in the neighborhood of \$350 for the complete mechanism, post and installation, it is reported.

## HIGH SCHOOL PLAY TO BE GIVEN NOV. 23

"A Little Journey" is Title of Production; Good Cast; Ticket Sale

Friday, Nov. 23, is the date of the Deerfield-Shields high school annual fall play, "A Little Journey," directed by Miss Zoe Comer.

The first two acts have already been memorized and the third act must be done by the end of this week. Briefly, the situation in the first act, is this: Julia Rutherford, a cold, sophisticated eastern lady, proud of her social position has lost all her money and is going west to live with her brother. She knows she will hate life out there and is despondent, even to committing suicide.

She loses her ticket and when about to be put off the train, Jim West, an old westerner, helps her out and then things start moving. If you wish to find the outcome of the fascinating plot, buy your ticket and attend the play.

Friday of this week, Nov. 14, reserved seat tickets for the fall play will be put on sale in the high school auditorium box office. The box office will be open from 8:00 in the morning, till school starts at 8:30, during both lunch periods, and from 3:15 to 3:30.

Tickets may also be reserved by phoning the Shoreline office at the high school any time after 1:00 p. m. Reservations will be held up to Thursday noon, Nov. 22, and no later.

## RAVINIA SKETCH CLUB HAS ANNUAL EXHIBIT

The Sketch club of Ravinia will hold their annual exhibit from two to five on Saturday and Sunday afternoon, Nov. 16 and 17 in the village house. The exhibit will be up on Friday so that the school children may view the pictures while the following two afternoons the public is cordially invited to attend. This is an annual event and all the pictures were painted by local artists and are scenes which were painted during the summer.

## NEW WOMEN'S WEAR SHOP AT DEERFIELD

A new shop handling women's wear exclusively will be opened on Monday, Nov. 19, at Waukegan and Deerfield roads, Deerfield, by Miss Ardele Agardh. It will be known as The Rosemary Shop and is situated next door to the Deerfield pharmacy. Frocks, lingerie, hose and novelties will be in stock.

## BULLETIN

A report which appears in the Chicago papers this morning, namely that an employe of the Telephone Co. here was slugged in an alley when on her way to work last evening is not confirmed. No report has been made to the police and the manager of the telephone company, after checking with his employes finds this statement to be erroneous.

## ANNUAL MEETING OF SUNSET VALLEY CLUB

REPORTS SHOW PROGRESS

Dinner and Business Session Held November 12; President's Report Outlined Year's Activities

The Sunset Valley Golf club meeting on November 12 was the largest attended meeting in the history of the organization.

It being Armistice Day the Club-house was appropriately decorated for the occasion.

Forty-five sat down to the tables among them being a number of guests.

At the opening of the meeting the cups were awarded to the winners of the tournaments and medals to those who were the runner up.

Present Cup to Pro. Wm. Kelly, who has been the Pro for seven years, and has now accepted a similar position with the Countryside Country club, was given a cup as an appreciation of his services as Pro. It was a complete surprise to Mr. Kelly. Mr. Millard, and others who were present, spoke of Mr. Kelly's god qualities and all regretted that he will no longer be with the club.

Another surprise of the meeting was the presentation to Rena Nelson of a complete traveling case to show the clubs appreciation of her winning the junior championship of the Women's Western Golf association.

The officers placed in nomination by the committee were elected by acclamation. Mr. Laing stated at this time that this would be his last term as president.

Mr. Cross, who was elected vice-president, spoke of his coming to Highland Park and becoming interested in our golf course which he found so admirably suited to the needs of a golfer that he decided to

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## NEW STREET LIGHTING SYSTEM PLAN REVIVED

City Hall Gets Inquiries and Reports Project May Be Carried Out

Prospects that an improved street lighting system may be obtainable for Highland Park are seen in the revived interest being taken in the subject by local organizations, according to city officials, who state that several inquiries have been received lately as to the status of the project at the city hall.

It is pointed out by the officials that last spring a strong effort was made to interest the public in this plan by running a number of stories in the Highland Park Press asking readers to indicate the type of lighting system favored. Few responses were received and the matter has been more or less at a standstill since. However, if interest is sufficient, there is no reason why the project may not be carried to completion, city officials say, as the city administration is anxious to put through a plan, if support is adequate.

## CHARITY BALL AND SPANISH FIESTA DEC. 1

Play to Be Directed by Senorita Nunez; To Be at H. P. Club

Highland Park is taking on a touch of old Madrid as the women of Ossoli press preparations for the club's Spanish Fiesta and first Charity Ball at the Highland Park club, Dec. 1.

The proceeds of the event are to be given to the Ossoli scholarship and an endowment fund for the Highland Park hospital for the hospitalization of maternity cases. It also will provide for emergency calls.

The Spanish Fiesta is being produced under the talented direction of Senorita Maria Virginia Fernandez. Herself a native of Madrid, she is giving to this colorful little play a genuine touch of Old World reality with dances from Valencia and Malaguena, cigarette girls and men from Seville, bull fighters and lovely flower girls in the native costumes of the continent.

It is planned to have the play precede the Charity Ball which in itself will be one of the outstanding Ossoli events of the season, commencing promptly at 8:30 o'clock.

## DR. P. H. FURNO BUYS HOME HERE

Dr. P. H. Furno, who has offices in the Santi Building, Highland Park, has recently purchased a new home at 704 S. St. Johns avenue and has moved his family here from Chicago. We are sure Dr. Furno and family will find a welcome in Highland Park.