

Dividend Notice

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS of Public Service Company of Northern Illinois has declared the regular quarterly dividend of \$1.50 per share on the Company's 6% Preferred Stock, \$1.75 per share on the 7% Preferred Stock, and \$2.00 per share on the Common Stock, payable May 1, 1929, to stockholders of record, at the close of business, April 15, 1929.

A. E. PATTON, Secretary

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Technical Engineers Visit Here Saturday

Three hundred men have been working for more than three weeks on the gigantic task of building the "Own Your Home" exposition that will open Saturday, night April 27, on the city water works property on Chicago avenue near Michigan boulevard.

The immense tract, made available by the City of Chicago as an encouragement to home ownership, is being transformed into a great garden where home owning wares will be displayed in brilliantly colored structures of unusual design.

Carpenters, bricklayers, plasterers, painters, glazers, roofers, plumbers, electricians, mechanics, engineers, landscape gardeners, interior decorators, artists and architects, and crews of laborers are hard at work. The preliminary landscaping is finished and the skeletons of the great exhibit buildings can be seen from the windows of Gold Coast apartments.

Buildings Feature

The exposition buildings themselves will be feature exhibits, according to Marvin E. Ellinwood, vice president of the Chicago Real Estate board, under whose auspices the show is held. They are being constructed

with great care, chiefly because they are destined to remain permanently on this site, which will be used for the home show from now on until the World's Fair; and they may be used by the city for departmental exhibits or charity affairs when the home show is not in progress. This is one way of demonstrating the proper use of materials, products and processes that will be on display inside the exposition gates, so salesmen can take doubtful visitors to a nearby window and point to what he has all up and working.

Advanced Facilities

Provision has been made for the most advanced facilities for exhibit booths. All booths are being wired for service, with all lines encased in metal conduits in order to give absolute protection against fire hazard. Laying the net work of plumbing pipe alone is a big job in itself, for the great plot must be drained in case of rainfall and all pipes must be laid below the frost level so they will not freeze next winter. Water and waste facilities are being provided in every booth. Huge ventilating fans will be installed in the eight towers that will surmount the exhibit buildings, so there will be no chance of customers' spirits flagging from lack of fresh air.

And late Friday night the exposition banners of blue and white silk will be raised on the glittering towers, and this will be the last touch before visitors are permitted to check into the fairyland of homes.

Teachers Convention Is Held at LaGrange

Public schools in all of the north shore villages were closed Monday, April 22, when the Illinois State Teachers' association, Lake Shore division, comprising schools in Lake county and Cook county, excepting Chicago, held its annual meeting at LaGrange.

There were two general sessions at the convention, one in the morning from 9:30 to 10:45 and another in the afternoon from 1:30 to 3 o'clock. Dr. Frank E. Baker, president of the State Teachers' college, Milwaukee, Wis., addressed the morning session on the subject, "The Background of Youth." Dr. Edward Howard Griggs, lecturer of national prominence, spoke on "Education for Leadership" at the afternoon session.

Aged Man Found Dead at Glencoe Last Week

J. G. Wright, 63, retired Chicago business man, living with his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Meincke, 635 Washington avenue, Glencoe, was found dead last Thursday night on the lawn of the Meincke home by J. L. Emerick, 614 South avenue, who notified the Glencoe police. The body was removed to an undertaking parlor in Evanston, and Mr. and Mrs. Meincke, who are visiting at Biloxi, Miss., were notified. Mr. Wright's death was attributed to heart disease.

Prehistoric races of man are illustrated by busts of the Pithecanthropus erectus, the Neanderthal man of La Chapelle-aux-Saints, and the Cro-Magnon man, in an exhibit in Stanley Field hall at Field Museum.

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