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MEMORIAL DAY TO BE CELEBRATED LOCALLY

Ceremonies at Memorial Park in Morning; All Invited; Deerfield Program

Memorial Day, May 30, the day when we remember the brave men and women who have given their lives for their country, will be generally observed in Highland Park on Thursday. All places of business will be closed part or all of the day, and fitting ceremonies will be held at Memorial park, corner of Laurel and Prospect avenues.

These ceremonies are in charge of the Dumaresq-Spencer post of the American Legion and will start at 9:45 o'clock, according to announcement sent out by H. A. Hansen, the post commander.

All churches, fraternal orders and other organizations are invited to take part and all are requested to assemble at Witten's hall at 9:30 and march to Memorial park. The Elm Place school band will furnish music.

The Memorial day address will be delivered by the Rev. Mr. Seimason of Bethany Evangelical church.

This is the day which is sacred to the memory of those who died in the service of their country, that this generation and all succeeding generations might enjoy the privileges which these heroes bought with sacrifice, bloodshed and death. It is a day that all should remember and observe, and the local Legion post urgently requests as many of the people of Highland Park as possible to meet with them in the morning to help in the Memorial day observance.

Ceremonies at Deerfield

At Deerfield Memorial day rites also will be held. The assembly will be at the school at 8:30, where a selection will be given.

Mrs. G. E. Bliss Heads N. S. Wellesley Circle

Mrs. George E. Bliss of Highland Park was elected chairman of the North Shore Wellesley circle at the final meeting of the season Tuesday, May 21, at the home of Mrs. Ralph Brown in Winnetka. Those chosen to serve with her as officers of the circle were:

Mrs. James P. Fleming of Winnetka, first vice-chairman; Miss Mary Louise Schneidhelm of Wilmette, recording secretary; Mrs. T. O. Morgan of Evanston, corresponding secretary.

Mrs. David Mackie of Chicago played a program of piano selections during the afternoon, and Mrs. Fleming and Miss Schneidhelm presided at the tea and coffee urns.

Report William Grant Improving This Week

Mr. William Grant, well known resident and father of Vice-president C. G. Grant of the Highland Park State bank, who has been quite ill recently, was reported somewhat improved this week.

Lions Club Charter Night Next Monday Evening; Features

The local Lions club is preparing for a big time on the evening of Monday, June 3, at the Green Teapot, which will be charter night for the club when official presentation of the club will be made. The International officers of the Lions are expected to be present. A dinner will precede the ceremonies and program, and dancing will follow.

The program will include music by the Jack Williams orchestra and some other local talent from "Student Stunts" will provide entertainment, and a good time is promised all who attend.

The Lions are expecting delegations from other clubs in Waukegan, Evanston, Winnetka, Niles Center, DesPlaines and elsewhere, and the event promises to be one of the most important of its kind held here.

PROPOSE INTERESTING ACTIVITIES FOR YEAR

H. P. Woman's Club Board of Directors Meet Monday; Plan for 1929-30

At the meeting of the board of directors of the Highland Park Woman's club held Monday at the home of the president, Mrs. Erastus R. Phelps, many interesting proposed activities for 1929-30 were outlined by the chairmen of the various committees. The members of committees and departments and the club calendar will be announced soon.

French classes will meet every Tuesday at the club house beginning October 8. Classes will be held from 9-12, being divided into three groups providing for beginning, intermediate and advanced students. Mrs. Ralph Greenlee is chairman of the committee and M. Jean will be the instructor.

Mrs. Maurice Lieber will have charge of the class in current events and Parliamentary law. This class will meet Fridays at ten o'clock at the club house, beginning in October. Mrs. Arthur Raff is chairman of the committee sponsoring this work.

The Garden club will meet the third Wednesday of each month, except during November and December, at ten o'clock. This work continues during the summer months. Mrs. Ed. Sfeele is president of the Garden club and Mrs. Kellogg Speed is program chairman.

Eastern Star Meets

The regular meeting of Campbell Chapter No. 712 O.E.S. will be held next Wednesday evening, June 5. All members are urged to attend.

Many Attend Dance

Many members and friends attended the May party given last evening (Wednesday) at the Briergate Golf club.

Sunset Valley Golf Club Rates Changed For Non-Residents

Owing to the large number of non-residents registering on Sunday forenoon, the rates have been changed.

Three hundred fifteen registered for the first time on Sunday.

Entries are still coming in for the north shore open which is now only three weeks off.

All memberships in the golf club expire June 1st. If you have not renewed your membership do so at once, otherwise you will be required to pay a green fee.

At Sunset Wood

Sunset Wood was the scene of much activity in the evenings during the last week. Last Friday there was a game of indoor ball, practice games of cricket and soccer and in addition the fennis court was in use.

The first dance of the season will be given Thursday evening. The dance begins at 8:30 and runs until 11:30 p. m. Come early and get your membership cards.

Much interest is being taken in the cricket games that are being played. Last Sunday Oak Park club defeated the Highland Park club with a score of 68 to 42. The breaks of the game apparently were all against Highland Park.

Religious Education Convention July 18-20

"Quincy, in the heart of the Great Valley, beautiful in location, parks and homes, with the mighty Mississippi flowing by, will be host to a thousand Christian Illinois men and women June 18, 19, 20.

At that time the Illinois Council of Religious Education, successor to the Illinois Sunday School association, holds its annual convention, which is in reality, an intensive training school in newer methods for teachers, older Sunday school pupils, superintendents, officers, vacation Bible school and leadership training leaders.

Any Christian worker is welcomed as a delegate and the homes of Quincy citizens will be opened for their entertainment at a nominal fee while the business men are rapidly completing arrangements to make the stay of the visitors pleasant as well as profitable."

State Bank Beautifies Building; Flower Boxes

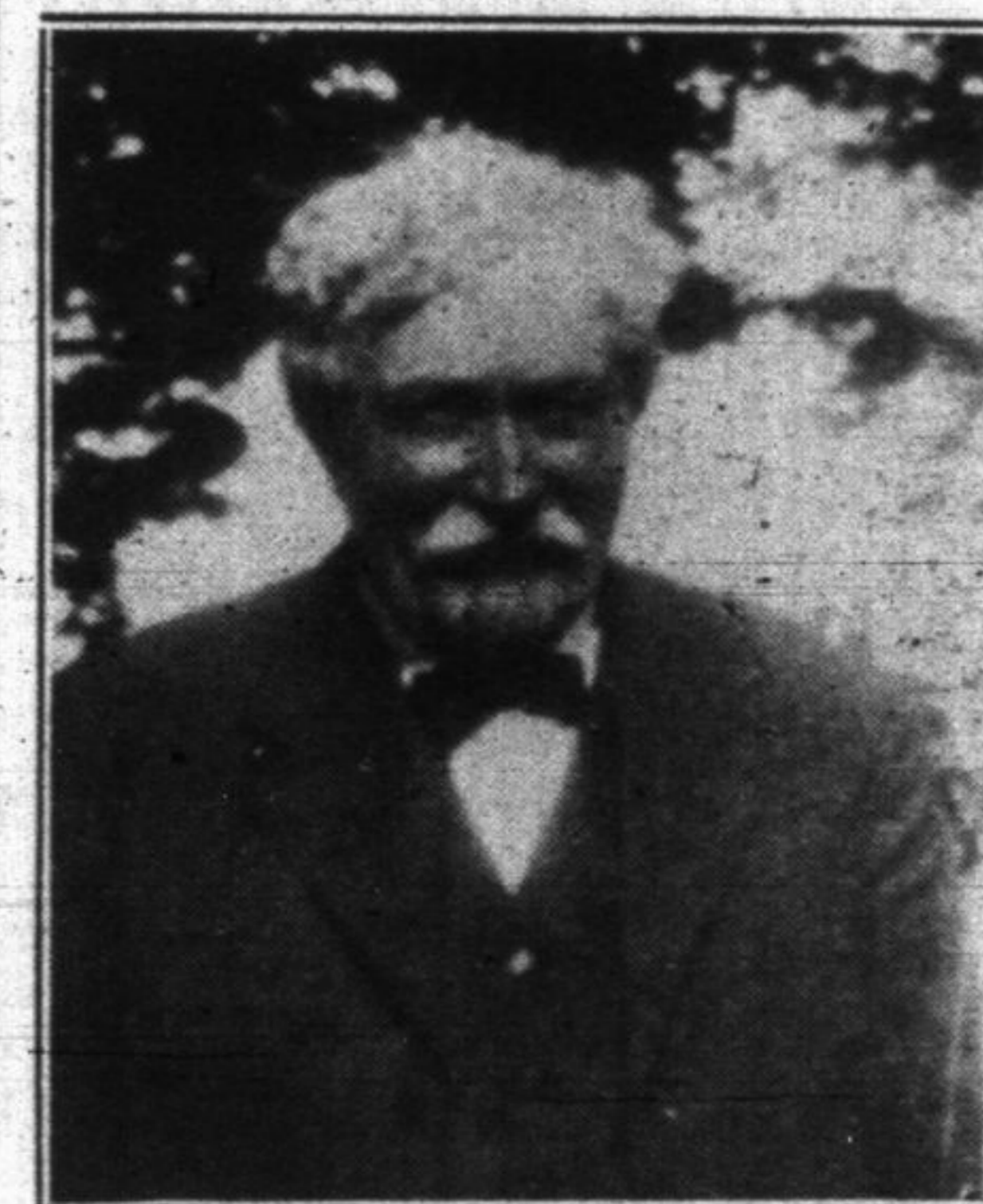
The Highland Park State bank has added much to the appearance of that section of the business district by the installation of window flower boxes and the effect is to brighten up the entire corner. It is a delightful innovation in the very center of the busy portion of town and adds a cheery note that is especially appreciated by all who have noticed the improvement. There have been many comments upon it and all very favorable.

MATHIAS ZAHNLE IS ACCIDENTALLY SHOT

Fatality at Gilmer Farm Saturday; Funeral Tuesday at Deerfield Church

The funeral of Mathias Zahnle, 74, township during his entire lifetime, who was killed accidentally by discharge of a .22 calibre rifle in the hands of a neighbor boy, at Mr. Zahnle's farm near Gilmer, was held at 9:30 o'clock Tuesday morning at the Holy Cross church, Deerfield, Rev. Father Fielding officiating, and burial was in St. Mary's cemetery, at Lake Forest. The funeral was very largely attended.

Mr. Mathias and his grandson, William Zahnle, a young boy, were staying at the Gilmer farm, where Mr.



Mathias Zahnle

Zahnle has preferred to reside in recent years. Saturday two neighbor lads, Russell and Lester Geary came to the Zahnle place to play with William, bringing a small rifle to shoot sparrows. Mr. Zahnle always was careful about guns, fearing accident to those handling them and never liked to have one about the place. However, he asked the boys to set the gun aside while they did a few chores which were to be done, and this they did, leaving the rifle in a bin.

Bullet Through Heart

Mr. Zahnle was working on a new brooder for chickens at the time, and after the boys had finished their work, they sat down at some distance, sending the younger Geary lad for the gun. In returning he was starting through a door near Mr. Zahnle. When in some manner the rifle was accidentally discharged, the bullet entering the aged man's left armpit and penetrating the apex of the heart. He died almost instantly, it is believed.

The boys summoned a doctor and relatives, and a son, Frank Zahnle of Grayslake arrived in about 20 minutes. Others also came, and in the afternoon an investigation was held by Deputy Coroner Penny of Libertyville, the verdict being that death was from accidental discharge of the rifle in question.

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