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NAME CHAIRMAN FOR BETTER HOMES DRIVE

**Mrs. H. G. Kornblith Appointed
to Head Local Committee;
Is for Nation Campaign**

Mrs. Howard G. Kornblith has been appointed to head a committee of local citizens for the purpose of planning a Better Homes campaign in Highland Park, Illinois.

This appointment was made from the national office of Better Homes in America in Washington, D. C., which each year sponsors a nationwide program for the improvement of housing conditions. The organization is headed by Secretary Wilbur who succeeded President Hoover as its president. Mr. Hoover now serves as honorary chairman. Dr. James Ford is in active charge of the campaign.

Better Homes in America is a non-commercial, educational organization which has for its object the improvement of housing conditions and the promotion of a wholesome type of home and family life. Its program is adapted to local needs by each of the thousands of committees which have been established in cities, towns, and villages throughout the country. The campaign is sponsored locally by parent-teacher associations, woman's clubs, civic associations and in some communities by schools and colleges, as a part of their educational program.

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H. P. Music Club Meets Wednesday, February 26

The Highland Park Music club will meet at the home of Mrs. George W. Roberts, 912 S. Sheridan road at 2:30 o'clock on Wednesday, February 26, with Mrs. W. K. Harrison, Miss Ida Knaak, Mrs. A. O. Mason Jr. and Mrs. E. H. Plummer assisting the hostess.

A novel feature of the program will be a group of Szecho-Slovakian folk songs sung by Mr. Milo Kral in costume, Mrs. John R. Todd at the piano. There will also be readings by Mrs. W. M. Plant, Jessie Wood Sincere at the piano; a violin group by Mrs. Franz Lipp, Mrs. John R. Todd at the piano; a group by Mrs. Lawrence Meyer, contralto, with Mrs. Paul Downing at the piano; and a piano group by Mrs. Emmerson Lewis.

Most Ex. Master's Degree, H. P. Chapter

Immediately following the short stated meeting of the Highland Park Chapter, No. 226, R.A.M., on Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock, the most excellent master's degree will be conferred. Refreshments will be served at the conclusion of the ceremonies.

Woman's Club Hears Talk on Books; Board Of Managers Meeting

Mrs. Clifford Wood, novelist and lecturer, gave a delightful talk on "Books and People" before the Woman's club on Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Ward defined book values in relation to life, using many recent works as illustrations of various types. Among the books reviewed were, "Coronet" by Tomroff, "The Galaxy," "Laughing Boy" by La Forge, "A Farewell to Arms" by Hemingway, "They Stopped to Folly" by Glasgow, "All Quiet on the Western Front" by Remarque.

Board of Managers Meeting
The board of managers of the H. P. Woman's club will meet Monday, February 24, at 9:30 a.m. at the home of Mr. Carleton Harkness, 352 Prospect avenue.

Art Exhibit
A special interest is attached to the paintings now exhibited in the club gallery, as they represent the work of a new exhibitor in the community, also a resident of Highland Park. Mr. Harold Schultze, member of the faculty of Elm Place Grammar school, is the artist whose work is on view. The work is most interesting, varied in subject matter, forceful in style, quite modern in treatment, and pleasing in effect. These pictures have been hung in the American and Chicago art exhibits and will be on display here for two weeks.

Highwood Organizing Band; Being Sponsored By Improvement Assn.

Highwood is to have a band. At a meeting of the Highwood Improvement association Tuesday evening it was enthusiastically voted to sponsor such a project. Already the organization is under way with 24 members of the band listed, and more applications expected. Aldo Biagi was appointed director of the new band and Postmaster East its business manager. Highwood is always progressive, and with an organization like the civic improvement association always ready to promote community welfare plans, the city is always sure to be in the front ranks of improvement in every way. The band proposition is regarded as a splendid feature of this progressive program.

Dance Held Tonight

Time flies—get all the enjoyment you can out of the Thursday evening dances at the Odd Fellows hall. Don't forget El Sheridan is still playing hot peppy music for the crowd.

Washington Birthday Dance

North Shore lodge No. 171, A. F. of A will hold a Washington Birthday dance at Masonic hall on Saturday evening, February 22. All members and their friends are invited.

Radio Entertainer Is Featured at Meeting Of Local Rotary Club

At the weekly luncheon and session of the Highland Park Rotary club, Monday noon, in the Moraine hotel, the special feature was an hour of entertainment by Axel Christiansen, noted radio star from Chicago, who is regularly heard from station WGN and has been heard over other Chicago stations. His famous Swedish impersonations, his excellent musical ability and his fund of humorous anecdote were all utilized in his program at the Rotary meeting and greatly delighted his hearers, who report that Mr. Christiansen is one of the best entertainers they have heard.

This fine program was provided as a result of an attendance contest staged by the club in the last three months. The club was divided into two teams, headed respectively by Charles Hunter and Myron Rybolt, and the contest was to determine which side had the best attendance record in the time allotted. Rybolt's side won, and the other side as a penalty provided the Christiansen program, which was so much enjoyed. The members are agreed that the losing side showed notably good judgment in their selection.

Ossoli Club Business Session and Tea Feb. 25

The Ossoli meeting of Tuesday, February 25 at 2:30 is to be a business meeting followed by tea. The business is of such importance it was thought best to dispense with a program at this time.

Mrs. Elizabeth McCrystle Heath's musical analysis of "The Love of the Three Kings" was one of the most delightful programs of the entire year. The program committee is pleased to announce that Mrs. Heath will give another of these interesting analyses on Wednesday morning, February 26 at 10:30. The opera chosen is "Rosenkavalier" by Strauss.

Collette Soeurs Offers Unusual Service

A genuine service is offered to the women of the community by Collette Soeurs, dressmakers of Glencoe. Whether it be a new dress that is desired or a much loved old one remodeled or brought up to date, they will serve you well—as those who have taken advantage of the Collette service can testify.

Post Office to Close All-Day Saturday

The local post office will be closed all day Saturday, Feb. 22, which is Washington's birthday. There will be one collection of mail at 8 o'clock from the street boxes, this being the only collection of the day.

COUNCIL SESSION IS SHORT MONDAY NIGHT

Ordinance Extending Fire Limits Passed; Other Routine Business Done

The regular meeting of the city council on Monday evening was a short session, the only important matter being the passage of an amendment to the Highland Park Code, providing for extension of the city fire limits to correspond with the business section boundaries.

This ordinance was read at a previous meeting and was passed Monday evening on final reading. It amends Section 420 of the Highland Park Code of 1919, and it had remained on file for public inspection the full time required by law.

On motion of Commissioner Zimmerman a permit was granted the F. W. Woolworth Co. for the installation of a merchandise chute in the sidewalk in front of their store on Central avenue, said installation to be in accordance with the requirements of the building department.

On motion of Commissioner Reay D. D. Corrough was allowed payment of \$75 for secretarial services in connection with the Appeal board, and in accordance with the recommendation of the board.

The ordinance amending the code in regard to the extension of the fire limits was passed at this juncture, on motion of Commissioner Gourley.

On motion of Commissioner Reay the following estimates were approved and vouchers ordered issued in payment of the several amounts:

Joseph Cabonargi, general contract, city hall	\$4,500.00
Pauly Jail Building Co., jail equipment, city hall	1,120.10
James B. Clow & Sons, marble work, city hall	2,775.00

Col. Smith to Talk to Lions Club Today

At the regular meeting of the Highland Park Lions club, which is held at noon today, the principal speaker will be Col. A. V. Smith, state's attorney of Lake county and a candidate for nomination for congressman on the Republican ticket in the Tenth district at the April primary election. Col. Smith was invited to address the club by its president, Gerrit T. Thorne, and indications were yesterday that the meeting would be largely attended by members. The Lions hold their sessions at the Green Tea Pot at noon each Thursday.

Masquerade, February 27

Of course, you're planning to attend the Masquerade dance, February 27 at the Odd Fellows hall. El Sheridan and his band is planning a hot time for all. Prizes and the same peppy music. Don't forget!