

## COUNTY COMMITTEES MEET AND ORGANIZE

### Republicans Re-Elect Przyborski Chairman; Democrats Choose John O'Keefe

At a meeting of Lake county republican precinct committeemen and workers who filled every bench in the circuit court room, all of the incumbent officers of the county central committee were re-elected Monday afternoon.

Chairman Max Przyborski, unanimously named for another two-year term as the county party head, conducted the meeting with rapidity and despatch in order to clear the court for the opening of the criminal trial call, and the important business was accomplished without a break in its tempo. In quick order Benjamin Miller of Libertyville was unanimously re-elected vice-chairman; R. W. Churchill of Grayslake was re-elected secretary and Ira W. Holdridge of Waukegan was put back as treasurer.

As the climax of a year-long discussion, Mayor Walker Atkinson, of North Chicago, committeeman of the newly formed 24th Waukegan precinct, moved that the executive committee be increased from five to seven members, including the officers and three others. The motion was unanimously passed and the chairman named Calvin Trowbridge of Lake Forest, Elmer Clavey of Deerfield, and A. N. Tiffany of Antioch to supplement the officers on the executive committee.

#### O'Keefe Heads Democrats

The temporary county Democratic organization was made permanent Monday when the Lake County Democratic Central committee met in the supervisors' room in the court house to elect officers and name delegates for the state convention to be held at Springfield this Friday, April 18. John O'Keefe of Highland Park was re-elected chairman, Joseph Jandrich of North Chicago, was elected secretary to replace C. J. Wightman, who has been temporary secretary since the reorganization of the Democrats this winter, and Mrs. Frances Moody of Highland Park was elected treasurer.

### Rabbi Heller to Be Speaker Sunday

Rabbi James G. Heller of Cincinnati, one of the most brilliant of the younger Liberal Jewish rabbis, will occupy the pulpit of Rabbi Kopald at North Shore Congregation Israel, Lincoln and Vernon avenues, Glencoe, next Sunday morning, April 20 at 11 o'clock.

Dr. Heller, though still a young man, has the distinction of occupying the pulpit made famous by Dr. Isaac Mayer Wise, founder of Reform Judaism in America.

Dr. Heller's theme will be: "Our Factory Civilization."  
All are cordially invited.

#### Card Party, April 23

The ladies social club of the Elks will hold a card party, Wednesday evening, April 23, in the club rooms on Laurel avenue. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

### Highland Park Moose Elect New Officers Installation April 28

Highland Park Lodge No. 446, Loyal Order of Moose held their annual election of officers last Monday evening at Witten hall. The following were elected for the ensuing year, E. Oddy of Lake Forest as dictator, John Walker as vice-dictator, Carl Knigge of Deerfield as prelate, Charles Sheahan as treasurer, and Arthur Vetter as trustee.

Installation of the newly elected officers will take place at the regular meeting to be held at Witten hall on Monday evening, April 28. P. Kelly, Great North Moose of Mooseheart Legion will be present at that time and will act as installing officer.

An invitation has also been extended to Waukegan and North Chicago lodges to be present on this night and so the committee in charge is hoping that the members of Highland Park lodge will turn out 100 per cent.

#### 10th Anniversary

On August 10 Highland Park lodge will observe their tenth anniversary. Plans are now under way for a grand celebration, notices being sent to the members from time to time regarding its progress.

#### Visit Mooseheart

Sunday, June 8, has been set aside for the lodge as a body to make its annual pilgrimage to Mooseheart, "The City of Childhood." This will also give the many friends of the lodge an opportunity to attend and see the splendid work being done by one of the greatest fraternal societies in the world.

### National Hearing Week to Be Held May 1-8

The Chicago League for the Hard of Hearing has recently organized a Hearing Aids committee for the installation of hearing aids in the theaters and churches of Chicago and suburbs.

There are 300,000 deafened people in the city cut off from enjoying public entertainments by partial deafness, a large proportion of these could attend theaters and churches were these institutions equipped with hearing apparatus.

The State and Lake theatre is the only one so far which has done so.

The Deerpath theatre of Lake Forest is among the first in the suburbs to remember the Hard of Hearing.

The Aleyon will soon follow suit, and will surely be repaid by the gratitude and special attendance of the Hard of Hearing.

Do people of normal hearing realize what it means to be deprived of the privilege of enjoying a good cinema.

Mr. Edison says "It is really tragic about the movies, since the talkies were introduced, there is little left for the deafened to enjoy in a public way."

May 1-8 is National Hearing week will not the friends of the Hard of Hearing come forward and help restore this pleasure by signing the petition in circulation for the installation of hearing aids in the theatres and churches.

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### Representative Group Attends Dinner Given for Dr. Wm. John Cooper

A good demonstration of the possibilities of the high school as a community center was given last Thursday night at the dinner in honor of Dr. William John Cooper, United States Commissioner of Education, who was the speaker at the meeting of the allied Parent-Teacher associations held in the auditorium after the dinner.

Over one hundred persons accepted the invitation sent out by Mr. Sandwick in co-operation with the high school Parent-Teacher association. This group represented persons engaged in or interested in education and included County Superintendent of Schools and Mrs. F. Arthur Simpson, F. L. Bacon, superintendent of Evanston high school, Miss Ammerman of Lake Forest Day school, Jesse L. Smith, Clark Wright, members of local school boards and teachers, officials of Parent-Teacher associations of the district and of some of the Women's clubs.

All in all it was a fine group of community workers who ought to be gathered in such a pleasant way at the high school more than once a year. The managing committee had first considered holding the dinner at a hotel or tea room but it was decided that the purpose of the whole evening was to focus attention on our local educational system and that the entire affair should take place at the high school and be a demonstration of the high school in as many aspects as possible.

An excellent dinner was served in the high school lunch room under the direction of Mrs. Clark Wright. The household arts department co-operated by selecting a group of girls from Miss Campbell's classes, who assisted by setting the tables and serving the dinner. It was a pleasure to many of the guests to observe how beautifully the girls served and it added greatly to the significance of the dinner. The girls who took part in this demonstration were Janet McCaffrey, Catherine Berube, Catherine Zimmer, Loretta Schwalback, Leona Slack, Irma Llewelyn, Evelyn Murphy, Violet Johnson, Isabel Burris, Madeline Theilen, Anna Schwall, Anna Brandonisio, Margaret Wrenn.

### Passes Away at Home in Wisconsin

Mrs. Wilhelmina Steinkraus, died yesterday morning at the O'Connell hospital at O'Connell, Wis. She is the mother of Mrs. S. A. Roberts, Mrs. R. Erskine, Miss Anne Steinkraus. Her many friends in Highland Park will regret to hear of her death. Mrs. Steinkraus had many numerous visits to Highland Park and had made many friends here.

#### B.Y.'s Annual Dance

The B.Y.'s annual dance will be held Wednesday evening, April 23 at the Y. W. C. A., Laurel avenue. The public is cordially invited to attend. Joe Schneider's orchestra will furnish the music, and they certainly need no introduction.

## LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS IN SESSION

### Final Meeting of Year Held on Wednesday; Legislative Issues Noted

The Highland Park League of Women Voters met at the Presbyterian church on Wednesday, April 16. This was the last meeting of the year, and consisted of election of officers, and reports from the various committees. A full account will be given next week.

With primaries past, and general elections coming in the fall, it is well to look ahead to some of the probable legislative issues. These are well summer up in the March Illinois Voter, as follows:

"The tax situation in Illinois will undoubtedly be the foremost problem before the 1931 General Assembly. Even though a special session may be called this spring to consider a revenue amendment to be voted on in November and to give Chicago financial relief, nevertheless many of the state financial problems will await the incoming legislators. Uniform accounting for local governments, reorganization of state and (Continued on page 32)

### "ShowBoat" Coming to Aleyon Theatre

With the filming of the picture taking five months and the characters in the story aging forty-five years, the Universal super-talking picture, "Show Boat" will present to theatergoers at the Aleyon theater starting Monday, the acme of perfection in the art of adroit makeup.

The popular novel by Edna Ferber from which the story is taken covers almost half a century. The principal characters, most of whom are carried through to the end of the picture, are first seen in the Cotton Palace Floating theater on the Mississippi river.

After introducing Magnolia, daughter of the captain-owner of the Show Boat as a child of five, fifteen years elapse and Laura La Plante, star of the production, enacts Magnolia at the age of twenty. Most of the story takes place at this period. There is a final sequence in which Miss La Plante appears at the age of fifty. This is the first time she has ever appeared on the screen in elderly makeup.

In the youthful sequence Joseph Schildkraut is introduced in the role of Gaylord Ravenal, the river gambler who joins the Show Boat troupe. In the end, he, too, has aged.

Alma Rubens, as Julie, a member of the troupe in the beginning and the keeper of a notorious resort in Chicago in the main body of the story, also ages fifteen years. And Emily Fitzroy, as Parthenia Ann Hawks, mother of Magnolia, starts at thirty-five and passes away at eighty.

#### Associated with WIBO

Berthil Berg, former Deerfield-Shields student is now associated with station WIBO of Chicago, as chief television operator. He was former operator at station WCHI.