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## ELM PLACE MEETING LARGELY ATTENDED

### Enthusiasm Marks Start of School Fund Campaign Mon- day; Urge Co-operation

The plan of the Citizens' committee on grade school education in Elm Place and Green Bay road to provide extra funds for operating the schools until the next quadrennial assessment three years from now, was unfolded to an interesting audience of several hundred citizens and parents last Monday evening at a mass meeting held in Elm place auditorium.

Mayor Lewis sold his audience on Highland Park, a fine place in which to live. E. C. Wolcott, noted authority on Boy Scout and playground activities, said in effect that one boy or girl is worth a million dollars. R. Arthur Wood told of the school board's predicament in finances. William Reay, a man of much school experience, endorsed the program from the platform. And, finally, Mr. Murray told the citizens what would be necessary if the plan to raise money failed.

#### Alternative Prospect

What would happen if the school fund campaign failed?

Either our schools would have to  
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## Fourth Time Elected Stock Exchange Head

R. Arthur Wood of Highland Park was elected a few days ago to serve his fourth term as president of the Chicago Stock exchange. He was named without opposition and is the first to be elected to the office four consecutive terms.

## Women's Golf Program at Sunset Valley Club

The program for this season for the women members of Sunset Valley Golf club, as announced by the committee on Sport and Pastimes, is as follows:

- June:  
3—Best three holes out of nine holes.  
10—"Hoodoo Day" and one club putter.  
17—Least number of putts for nine holes.  
24—Blind Bogey, guest day.
- July:  
1—Qualifying for handicap tournament.  
5—First round matches.  
15—Second round matches.  
22—Third round matches.  
29—Finals in handicap tournament.
- August:  
5—Flag contest.  
12—Ladies' two ball tour some.  
19—Invitation day for city clubs.  
26—Club championship qualifying round.
- September:  
2—First round championship matches.  
9—Second round championship matches.  
16—Third round championship matches.  
23—Finals in club championship matches.

**Special Events**  
July 14—North Shore Open.  
September 7—Mixed Two Ball Foursome.  
The ideal weather last Tuesday brought out a large number of the women who enjoyed an excellent luncheon together following a morning of play, and all stayed either for bridge or another nine holes of golf in the afternoon.

## Help Elm Place--Green Bay to Carry On

When a community like Highland Park has schools like Elm Place and Green Bay Road with a notable reputation for progressive policies and modern methods of education there should be no doubt of popular support when the rallying cry is sounded.

Every citizen of District 107 is proud of these schools, proud of their history and of their achievements and standing as one of the finest public school units in the country, in both system and accomplishment. Every resident of Highland Park would regret any backward step in its management or course of study. They are Highland Park institutions and among the city's distinguishing features. Surely there can be no possibility of lack of financial support for such schools.

The Press has every confidence that the citizens and taxpayers of District 107 will not fail the schools in the present crisis. They have manifested their interest in the schools and their faith in their future before; they can be relied upon to stand by them again. Let us all help Elm Place and Green Bay Road schools to carry on.

## Graduation Exercises At High School To Be Held June 12; Program

Annual commencement exercises of Deerfield-Shields high school will be held on Thursday evening, June 12, at 8:15 o'clock, in the high school auditorium. Dr. Louis L. Mann, Ph.D., of the Chicago Sinai congregation and a Chicago-university professor, will be the speaker. His subject will be "Education and Life."

There will be also two student speakers. Wilda Miessner, the student highest in scholarship in the class, will speak on "The Bard of Mantua," and William Ellis, second in scholarship in the class, will have as his subject "The Program of Peace."

The high school orchestra, under the direction of Mrs. Manning, will furnish music, and the Boys Glee club, under the direction of Mr. Dinkeloo, will sing. Miss Virginia Engels will play a piano solo. The invocation and  
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## J. M. Appel's Leave on Two Months Trip Abroad

Mr. J. M. Appel, president of the Highland Park State bank, together with Mrs. Appel and Mr. and Mrs. Ervin T. Geist of Joliet sailed Tuesday, June 3 on the "S. S. Columbus" of the North German Lloyd line for a two months trip abroad. They have reservations for the Passion Play at Oberammergau on June 22 and will hit the high spots on the continent, followed by an auto tour covering the British Isles. Return passage will be on the Bremen leaving Southampton on July 26.

## Auxiliary Pleased With Poppy Sale

The American Legion Auxiliary No. 501 of Highwood, wish to express their gratitude to the citizens of the community who so cheerfully and liberally contributed to the funds for the relief of the disabled veterans, their dependents and the dependents of veterans who have passed away.

## Ravinia Tennis Club Open Tournament To Begin June 8; Details

Saturday marks the invasion of the Ravinia Tennis club courts by the Chicago Town and Tennis club's "B" team. The Ravinia tennis team, composed of Seymour, Leaming, Frank and John Horn, Kuh, Kern and Gehr, has been practicing for the last two weeks very vigorously and hopes to make a good showing against this strong Chicago team.

The Ravinia Tennis club's open tournament, which is open to all Highland Parkers and friends, will begin on Sunday, June 8, instead of Saturday as previously announced as the courts of the club will be used for the match play with the Chicago Town and Tennis team. Entries to this tournament should be telephoned to Jerry Leaming at Highland Park 575 or Eugene Kern at Highland Park 4066 before Thursday night so that drawing can be made. Please be sure to give your full name, telephone number and street address so that you can be notified as to your opponent for your next match.

There are five courts in excellent playing shape at the club now and during the tournament those people entered in the tournament, but not members of the club, will be allowed the privilege of practicing for their tournament matches. This privilege is extended only during the period of the tournament.

A great deal of interest has been manifested in this tournament and many entries have come in in the last few days. The club is very desirous of promoting interest in tennis and will be glad to have Highland Parkers telephone their entries to the above named men.

## Lions Club Meeting Held Today at Noon

The regular meeting and luncheon of the Highland Park Lions club is held today noon at the Green Tea Pot. The Lions are growing in number and enthusiasm, and prospects for further expansion appear promising.

## LINCOLN AND RAVINIA SCHOOLS GRADUATION

### Former June 11, and Latter Is June 13; Class Plays and Graduate Lists

The Eighth grade graduation exercises of the Lincoln and West Ridge schools will be held Wednesday evening June 11, at 8 o'clock in the Lincoln school auditorium.

Following is the program and list of graduates:

**Program**  
Processional  
Invocation Rev. Frank Fitt  
Girl's Glee Club  
(a) Spin Maiden Spin Thomas Piser  
(b) Song at Dawn Offenbach  
(c) Homeward on the Flowing Tide  
Directors: Dorothy Jane Melville  
Alice Young  
Barbara Emerson  
Orchestra  
(a) Springtime Saenger  
(b) March of the Peasants Weber  
Boy's Glee Club  
(a) Massa Dear Negro Spiritual  
(b) A Sailing Song J. W. Calcott  
Directors: George McKillip  
Hugo Schneider Jr.  
Address—The Fork of the Roads—Rev. F. Fitt  
Chorus  
(a) Largo Handel  
(b) Glorious Forever Rachmaninoff  
Directors: Dorothy Clark  
William Henderson Jr.  
Presentation of Diplomas C. M. Vail  
President Board of Education, Dist. 108  
America the Beautiful

**List of Graduates**  
Pauline Elizabeth Davis  
Dorothy Evelyn Clark  
Alice Elizabeth Young  
Percy Wilfred Lloyd  
Margaret Elizabeth Fredrickson  
Rosemary Garst  
Rae Seidenbecker  
Dorothy Jane Melville  
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## Attractive Program at De Forest School

The little children for nursery school and kindergarten at the De Forest school will have a most attractive experience for the summer days.

Out-door activity and work, in spacious grounds, under expert guidance, rich opportunities to share with playmates the things vital to the interests of children between the ages of two and six years of age are all planned to develop the best and most normal environment for their daily play life. And this is all to be found right in the heart of Highland Park easily accessible to people from the north, south, east and west areas.

## American Legion Plans 3 Day Carnival

Dumaresq Spencer Post, American Legion, are planning a three day carnival to be held Thursday, Friday and Saturday, July 3, 4 and 5, in Sunset Park.

The Legion have held carnivals in years passed but this promises to be one of the biggest events ever given.

There will be the usual concessions with dances each evening, and lots of good entertainment. "A Ford for a Dime" will be one of the slogan's adopted for the carnival. Further details will appear in later issues of the Press.