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**Elgin State Hospital Is  
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With the Elgin State hospital moving at the rate of one building a week into its 13 new structures, the hundreds of patients who have been sleeping on the floor and in chairs, for the past several years are being provided with beds.

This announcement was made here this week by the state department of public welfare in commenting on the progress of Gov. Louis L. Emmerson's building program for the biennium to relieve serious overcrowding at state institutions.

Just recently, the state opened new ward buildings at the Chicago State hospital, the Lincoln State school and colony, as well as one entirely new institution, the woman's reformatory at Dwight. Other new buildings will be occupied soon.

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**BRIEF NEWS ITEMS  
FROM LAKE COUNTY**

**Happenings About This Part of  
the North Shore; Doings  
at County Seat**

A coroner's jury returned a verdict of death from heart disease in the case of Herman E. Hicks, popular Wauconda "dance caller" who was found dead at the wheel of his car on the Mundelein-Wauconda road last week.

Building projects to an estimated value of \$1,777,175 have occupied Waukegan concerns, contractors and private owners, during the year of 1930, according to the total of building permits issued.

Antioch fair which paid out \$1,113 in premiums during the exposition of last summer will get \$893.56 as aid from the state, it was announced today. The check has been mailed.

The relief fund of the Libertyville-Mundelein chamber of commerce today was swelled decidedly when a check for \$200 was received from the employes of the North Shore line railway.

The retail division of the Waukegan chamber of commerce has asked the police department of that city aid in putting an end to panhandling and begging by professionals on the uptown street corners and in front of places of business.

A salary of \$300 a year was voted to Adam Detleff, Waukegan harbor master for the past two years, in a special action by the Waukegan city council last week. Detleff has served since the death of Captain Wilbur Gilson in 1928 without pay.

A smouldering cigarette butt thrown by a careless dancer onto an overstuffed davenport is blamed for a fire which ruined the interior of the Valencia ballroom, Waukegan, last week. Flames broke out an hour after the hall had been locked up for the night, and caused damages estimated at \$10,000 by Gust Gorgan, manager.

Mrs. Mary Martin died last week at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Lena Bidinger, 426 South Genesee street, Waukegan, at the age of 89 years and 6 months.

The Dodderidge farm, located three miles northeast of Libertyville, has been opened as a haven for the poor of Chicago. The widows, mothers and children of the metropolis are being received there, and close to 100 are at the refuge now. The farm is used during the summer as an orphanage. It will be a haven for the poor until May 1.

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