

## MOLENDI PRESIDENT HIGHWOOD C. OF C.

### Chosen Head of Group of Officers for Ensuing Year; Plan Activity

Raymond Molendi was elected president of the Highwood Chamber of Commerce Wednesday evening, Feb. 11, when the officers for the ensuing year were elected by the chamber. The complete list of new officers is:

President—Raymond Molendi.  
Vice-president—Dominick Panerelli.

Secretary—Albert Axt.  
Treasurer—Julius Laegeler.  
Board of directors—Sam Santi, F. L. McOmber, Otto F. Fisher.

The new officers will be formally installed at the regular meeting of the chamber to be held on Tuesday evening, Feb. 24.

#### Active and Progressive

The Highwood Chamber of Commerce is an active and progressive organization of Highwood business men and citizens with the best interests of their city in mind, and it has always taken a leading part in every movement for the welfare of the city and its people.

Under the administration of President Molendi and his colleagues the chamber plans to continue its progressive policy, and one of the first moves will be to institute an intensive membership campaign with a view to adding as many new members as possible to its list.

In all matters in which the welfare and interests of the city of Highwood are involved the chamber's new officers plan to take an active part and with the co-operation of the members will endeavor to make the ensuing year one of the best in the history of the chamber.

### Fred Moon Injured in Auto Accident

Mr. Fred Moon who was seriously injured in an automobile accident early in February has returned to his home from Nashville, Tenn., where he was confined to the Baptist Memorial hospital. He is getting along nicely, and hopes to resume his duties as assistant postmaster at the local office in a short time.

Mr. Moon, with Arnold Peterson of this city, and Messrs. Inman and King of Zion City had gone on a trip to Monticello, Ark., and were returning home, when the accident occurred. They were driving along when the car slid off the road near Wilson, Ark., and in trying to get back onto the road, the car swerved into a sign board, tipping it completely over. The body of the car was a total wreck, and all of the men were badly cut and bruised.

#### Bunco Party, Feb. 25

The Lady Vikings are sponsoring a benefit bunco party at Witten hall on Wednesday evening, Feb. 25. Prizes will be given and refreshments served. The public is most cordially invited to attend.

## Community Service Gym Classes Arouse Widespread Interest

Much interest is centered around the Community Service "Gym" classes now organized and membership in the classes may yet be secured by calling the office of Community Service, H. P. 858, in the Chamber of Commerce.

The Business and Professional Men's group will meet in the boys gymnasium of Deerfield-Shields high school each Wednesday evening from 7:30 to 8:30 and Coach J. A. Peel has consented to lead this group.

The class in athletics and gymnasium activities for young women will meet each Wednesday evening in the girls gymnasium of the high school beginning 7:30. Membership in these classes is open to residents of the school district.

The class term is 10 weeks. Both classes will begin Wednesday evening Feb. 25.

The woman's gymnasium class of the Lincoln school district will meet again on Monday, Feb. 23 at 8 p.m. This class now has a good enrollment and is led by Mrs. Raymond Watts.

The generous co-operation of the different public school boards in extending their recreation facilities to local residents has been very much appreciated. All the gymnasiums are being used four evenings and generally to full capacity in leisure time programs.

The recreation office in the Chamber of Commerce is now working out programs for small special groups from churches and neighborhoods.

### Harold Fossum Makes Golf Mark in Florida

Harold Fossum, golf professional at Lawsonia Country club, Green Lake, Wis., and well known in Highland Park where he has relatives and many friends, drove his way to a record recently on the Highland Lakes club, near Avon Park, Florida, making a score of 71, the lowest in the history of the club, according to the Avon Park Times. He also holds the record at Pine Crest club with a 68 and won the Lake Placid Open tournament this winter easily with a 78 score. In the foursome in which he made the record score at Highland Lakes, and their opponents Charles Nordberg, a golf pro at Lake Forest, Ill., and Harold Hall, a New Yorker.

### Mrs. Hale Presents Costume Recital

Mrs. Forbes-Robertson Hale gave a costume recital on comic characters in Shakespeare, before the members of the Highland Park Woman's club on Tuesday afternoon. The program was very delightful and greatly enjoyed.

Mrs. Hale is probably the most sought-after woman on the American platform today.

She began her stage career at the age of 17 under Sir Henry Irving. Later she played with Sir Gerald du Maurier, Sir John Hare, Sir George Alexander, with Sir Johnston Forbes-Robertson and in 1907 came to America with Dame Ellen Terry.

## Candidates on Township Ticket File Petitions For Deerfield Offices

Possibility of an opposition ticket to the slate of Supervisor William J. Obee in the Town of Deerfield, dwindled when the candidates filed petitions Wednesday, and political leaders intimated that this would probably end the filings.

Obee is at the head of the Citizens ticket, with four candidates for assistant supervisor associated with him. Two are members of the board, William E. Bletsch and Charles Harbaugh, and two are new in this field of political service. William Witten and Sam Santi.

Obee, Bletsch, Harbaugh and Witten are all residents of Highland Park, while Santi, a police magistrate in Highwood, is a resident of Highwood. Santi is in the race for the short term, Town Clerk Albert Larson stated. Hold-over assistant supervisors are A. W. Vercoe and Paul L. Udell. The increase in population in the last decade is responsible for adding the two new members from that district.

If Obee is returned by the Town of Deerfield he probably will be the next chairman of the board of supervisors. He has been guaranteed the support of a large number of members who are not up for re-election.

### Block Prints Exhibit Interesting Display

An exhibit of interest to Highland Park residents is a group of 36 block prints, works of Mr. Charles A. Wilimovsky.

Mr. Wilimovsky who is an American artist of Bohemian ancestry is one of the best instructors that the Art Institute has.

In 1908 he as a student was awarded the traveling foreign scholarship. He remained abroad four years, studying.

The first purchaser of one of his prints was Mr. William M. Chase the renowned American painter and teacher.

The Bibliotheque National of Paris has a representative print of his on its walls.

The Great National Galleries of Prague, Bohemia honored him by buying 20 of his prints.

He is represented in the Kansas City Museum, Springfield, Mass., Art association and Chicago Museum.

Mr. Wilimovsky is a member of the Chicago Etchers society, the Print Workers of California and the Association of Painters and Sculptors of Chicago.

### Radio Singers Appear on Program Sunday

The Lindmulder Brothers need no introduction to many of the homes of this city, as they are frequently heard over the radio. Their many friends will be happy to hear and see them in person at the Bethany Evangelical church next Sunday evening at the 7:45 service.

#### Directors Meet

The Highland Park Chamber of Commerce held a director's meeting in the Howard-Udell Cafeteria Wednesday.

## REGULAR MEETING OF CITY COUNCIL

### Session Monday Night Devoted to Routine Matters; Pro- ceedings Noted

At the regular meeting of the city council Monday evening consideration of routine business matters occupied the time. In the absence of Mayor Lewis Commissioner Lyle Gourley was appointed mayor pro tem. Members present were Commissioners Brown, Gourley and Zimmer.

The resignation of the Rev. Frank Fitt as a member of the Library board was accepted and a vote of thanks extended to him for his years of service on that board.

#### Bills Approved

Bills and payrolls covering the period from Jan. 1 to Jan. 31 were presented and approved. The bills reported were as follows:

Department of Public Affairs	\$ 1,979.88
Department of Accounts and Finance	257.76
Department of Public Health and Safety	5,873.34
Department of Streets and Public Improvements	1,853.46
Department of Public Property	3,419.76
Local improvement advances and expenses	118.97
Emergency and contingent	27.50
Maintenance Autos	370.13
Job Orders	99.76
Liability insurance	467.10
City hall bond expenses	180.00
City plan	200.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$14,847.66</b>

Reports of the Building department and Police department for the month of January, 1931, were ordered placed on file.

The report of Herman Schwery, justice of the peace, showing collection of fines to February 1, 1931 in the amount of \$333.00 was ordered placed on file.

Requests of the Fire department for permission to hold the annual firemen's dance on March 17, was granted.

#### Accept Petition

The property owners' petition for the division of special assessment levied against Lot 11, First Addition to Ravinia Forest for paving a connected system of streets in the southeasterly portion of Highland Park under Warrant No. 300, was accepted and the corporation counsel was instructed to present said petition to the county court for approval.

Commissioner Zimmer moved the approval and acceptance were accorded a plat entitled: "Banta's subdivision of the east 132 feet of lots 103 and 106, and the west 79 feet of lots 104 and 105 of South Highland Addition to Highland Park."

### Revival Meetings at First U. E. Church

Revival meetings will be held at the First United Evangelical church every evening next week, Saturday excepted. Rev. Paul Gordon, of Dixon, Ill., will preach. He is a young man with a burning message for these times. The Raedeke trio, of Chicago, will sing on Wednesday evening. The services will begin each evening at eight o'clock.

#### Hold Board Meeting

The regular monthly meeting of the board of managers and the advisory board was held at the Highland Park hospital on Tuesday evening.