

LET CONTRACT FOR NEW SEWAGE PLANTS

Work Soon to Be Begun in Highland Park, Lake Forest, North Chicago

Contracts for the Cary avenue disposal plant in Highland Park, a new unit at Lake Forest and an addition and repairs to the North Chicago plant, on June 26, were awarded the A. A. Alexander and Repass Brothers, a contracting firm from Des Moines, Iowa, by the board of trustees of the North Shore Sanitary district. The bid of the Des Moines firm was \$207,500 for all the construction work, on the three separate projects.

Deduct Large Sum

On the Cary avenue, Highland Park plant, the Alexander-Repass firm offered a bid of \$115,000; \$35,000, for an addition to the Lake Forest plant; and \$63,000 for the repairs and additional unit at North Chicago. This would bring the total figure to \$215,000, but a reduction of \$7,500 was offered if the three bids were awarded them. The next bidder was \$3,000 higher.

Will Hire Locally

According to John Oliver, of Highland Park, the president of the board of trustees, the Alexander - Repass Co., have a reputation for good workmanship, and have made a practice of employing local labor, and buying their material from local firms, wherever their enterprises were being carried on.

The aim of the sanitary board is to get the construction work under way by July 1. It is especially important, say the trustees, that the work be started on the Cary avenue plant, since contents of that sewer now flow untreated into the lake near the municipal bathing beach, and are a menace to health. Residents of Highland Park and the Ravinia residential district are eager to have the work completed.

All Projects Needed

The North Chicago and Lake Forest additions and repairs are also badly needed, and are being urged continually by influential citizens of the two towns.

An allowance for beginning work on the Waukegan plant was made in the recent tax levy of the board, and a conference between the city council and the sanitary board will take place very shortly, it is understood.

Expect Waukegan Banks to Be Reopened Shortly

Depositors in both the Waukegan National and the Waukegan State bank on Tuesday received information that left them confident that both banks would re-open rather than go through the slow process of liquidation, says the Waukegan Times.

Waukegan State stockholders, it is said, have advised large depositors, such as officials, that the problem of opening the bank will not be involved or far removed, and that a complete reorganization can be announced in a shorter time than most people believe.

On the other hand the stockholders of the Waukegan National are waiting for the receiver to complete his appraisal of assets so that a plan for reorganization can be submitted.

Prominent Local Young People Are Wed During Week

Last Saturday afternoon at four-thirty o'clock, Sarah Wood, daughter of Gen. and Mrs. Robert E. Wood was married to James R. Addington, son of Mrs. Keene Addington, in Trinity church. The bride's uncle the Rt. Rev. Ernest M. Stires, Bishop of Long Island read the service.

It was an all white wedding, the bride wearing white satin, with a Vionnet neckline and a tulle veil wreathed with orange blossoms and carrying lilies of the valley. Her bridesmaids, Winifred Wheeler, Virginia Waller, Lelia Withers, Corda Palmer, Betty Smith, Ann Elizabeth Walsh and Mary Wood, and the maid of honor, Frances Wood, all wore sheer white organdy and carried bouquets of Easter lilies. Gordon Kelley was best man and the ushers were Calvin Fentress (who took the place of Frederic McLaughlin II whose family is in mourning), John Simpson, Watson Armour III, James Heyworth, John McCauley, John Hampton Barnes of Philadelphia, Dustin Grannis and Robert E. Wood II. A reception followed the ceremony at the home of the bride's parents. Upon their return from their wedding trip the young couple will reside at 220 E. Pearson street, Chicago.

Greer-Bahr

The marriage of Miss Tanis Greer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Greer of Deerfield and Mr. Hans Bahr, son of Mr. Fritz Bahr of this city took place Tuesday morning, June 30 at eleven o'clock at the home of the bride's grandmother, Mrs. Greer in Ardmore apartments, Chicago. Mr. and Mrs. Bahr will reside in the Bahr apartments on Laurel avenue, upon their return from a honeymoon trip.

Norcross-Morriss

Miss Marion Ruger Norcross, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Norcross, became the bride of Dr. William Haviland Morriss, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Hayles Morriss of Providence, R. I., last Thursday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock at Trinity church, the Rev. Christoph Keller reading the service. A reception followed at the home of the bride's parents, on Central avenue. The bride wore a white satin gown and bridal veil, and carried a bouquet of lilies of the valley, roses and sweet peas. Her attendants Caroline E. Schofield, the maid of honor, and the bridesmaids, Mrs. Stephen Y. Hord and Miss Emily Norcross wore green chiffon gowns with cream color straw garden hats. They carried sprays of Joanna Hill roses and daisies. Henry H. Morriss of Ruxton, Md. served his brother as best man and the ushers were William J. Ruger, Jr., George Allen Mason, Jr., Rodney Starkweather Mason and Dr. John R. Norcross. Dr. Morriss and his bride will live in Wallingford, Conn., after August 1.

Sisterhood to Hold Card Party Aug. 11

The Sisterhood of the North Shore Congregational Israel will hold a card party on Tuesday, August 11, at two o'clock at the Moraine hotel.

Arrangements for an enjoyable afternoon are being made by the ways and means committee of which Mrs. Louis Suekoff is chairman.

H. P. Crescents to Play Two Games; St. James on 4th; Lake Forest, 5th

The Highland Park Crescents newly revamped team consisting of only local youths will face a heavy schedule over the week-end. For on Saturday they battle the St. James team of Highwood, on the following day they take on the Lake Forest Young Men's club. Both of these games will be played at Sunset park at 3 o'clock.

It so happens that the new members of the Highland Park squad all played for the Deerfield-Shields high school, Bob Skidmore who held down the backstop position for the Bluebacks is doing the catching; John Shelton, another prep star, is on first; Jack Allen, the stocky third baseman with the bullet peg, has his position all sewed-up.

These players together with Carl Becker, Bub Wagner, and Caesar Pasquesi give the Highland Parkers an almost perfect infield.

Strong Outfield

In the outfield, Charles Swan and Charles Dixon are the only newcomers. But they will have to go some to beat out Albert Carr and Skinny Sorenson of their positions.

As for the pitching, the Crescents will have to rely on James Hickey and James Somerville. Both are right-handers and have plenty of speed and control.

Lost to Foresters

Playing in last Sunday's terrific heat the Crescents had to bow to the Young Men's club of Lake Forest 10 to 5. Although the score suggests a runaway, it was a very close game all the way.

The locals started off in the first inning as if they were going to win the game. Jackie Allen, second man up, doubled over the center fielder's head. The next man up struck out. Then Abe Carr doubled down the left field line to score Allen. That ended the Crescents scoring till the eighth when hits by Pasquesi, Carr, Dixon, Shelton, and Somerville produced four more runs.

While you are attending Legion days, July 4 and 5, don't forget the two games, one with St. James and the other with Lake Forest, both being played at Sunset park.

Western Union Begins Sale of Money Orders

To meet the constant demand of Highland Park residents for a money order to be mailed or sent by methods other than the telegraph, local Western Union offices began the sale Wednesday of American Express money orders, it is announced by Pauline R. Soberg, local manager of the telegraph company.

Western Union main and branch offices in all parts of the United States inaugurated the service at the same time. Offices of the American Express company will act as branches of Western Union in the sale of telegrams, cablegrams and telegraphic money orders.

This service will in no way conflict with the Western Union telegraphic money and gift order service, which annually transfers \$275,000,000 in small amounts, and comprises about 93 per cent of the nation's telegraphic money orders.

RAVINIA PROGRAM DURING THIS WEEK

Famous Operas Given and More Offered During Remainder of This Week

Fourteen operas in sixteen days is to be Ravinia's record, according to Mr. Eckstein in connection with the repertoire for the second week, for "The Barber of Seville," "Faust," "La Boheme," "Lohengrin," "Samson and Delilah," and "La Rondine" are being given this week.

On Sunday night "The Barber of Seville" was particularly apt, for the rollicking gaiety of Rossini's sly old score provided the perfect relaxation for a Sunday evening. Sunday afternoon featured a concert by the Chicago Symphony Orchestra, with Eric DeLamarter conducting, and Daniel Saidenberg, violoncellist as soloist.

Those who were unable to attend the first-night performance were delighted that "William Tell" was repeated Monday night with exactly the same cast.

Tuesday's Fine Bill

Tuesday night's performance of "Faust" placed a particularly fine cast in the famous opera, and not the least of its charms was that Marguerite was sung by Yvonne Gall, who is as French as Gounod's conception of the ill-starred Teutonic heroine Edward Johnson had the title role.

A great favorite held the stage on Wednesday night, when "La Boheme" was sung with Lucrezia Bori as the wistful Mimi and Mario Chamlee as the Rudolfo whose soaring tenor touches the beloved narrative with unwonted tenderness.

"Lohengrin" Thursday Night

Lovers of German opera have a particular treat in store on Thursday night, for this season "Lohengrin" is to be augmented by the inclusion of the second act, which has not hitherto been given at Ravinia. This decision opens new and brilliant vistas in the justly famous production, for it gives added opportunities to that greatest of Elsas, Elisabeth Rethberg, and allows a deeper insight into the Ortrud of Julia Claussen as well as a comprehensive study of the new Telramund, who is Alfredo Gandolfi. Edward Johnson, whose knightly air and superb tenor have long given the title-role its ultimate meaning, will again be heard, as will Louis D'Angelo as the King and Mr. Cehanovsky as the Herald. Mr. Haselmans will conduct.

Children's Concert

The second of the children's concerts is given on Thursday afternoon, July 2, when the Chicago Symphony Orchestra plays under the direction of Eric DeLamarter, and "Huckleberry Finn" is performed by the popular Jack and Jill Players.

Friday Night

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ELISABETH RETHBERG



MARIO CHAMLEE