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JOSEPH LEUER DIES SUDDENLY AT HOME

Highland Park Business Man for Past 33 Years Succumbs to Heart Attack

Joseph Leuer, well-known and respected business man of Highland Park for the past 33 years, died suddenly at his home, 567 Homewood avenue, Saturday morning at 2:40 o'clock. He was 70 years of age.

Although Mr. Leuer had been in failing health for some time, he had been feeling fairly well of late, and his death came as a shock to relatives and friends. Saturday morning he complained to Mrs. Leuer of feeling ill; Mrs. Leuer helped him downstairs in order to give him air; but Mr. Leuer died in her arms, presumably of a sudden heart attack.

Funeral services were held Monday morning at nine o'clock from the Church of the Immaculate Conception, with the Rev. Father O'Neill conducting. Interment was made in Mooney's cemetery. The pallbearers, all personal friends of the deceased, were: Herman Denzel, John Patten, William Schmidley, George Schwalbach, Joseph Stipe, and Vitorio Menoni.

Born in Germany
Mr. Leuer was born in Cologne, Germany, Feb. 17, 1861. In 1885, at the age of 24, he emigrated to America alone, settling in the Glen View neighborhood. In 1898 he came to Highland Park and engaged in his trade as a shoemaker. Later, after the advent of the automobile, Mr. Leuer conducted a taxi service, which expanded into the garage and general automobile repair service now carried on by two of his sons, Herman and Joseph.

In addition to his wife, Mr. Leuer leaves nine living children to mourn his passing: Margaret, William, Mrs. Daniel Barrett of Maywood, Gertrude Catherine Sienna of Louisville, Ky., Mrs. Catherine Petik, Joseph, Herman, Helen and Florence. Margaret, Helen and Florence are at home.

Members of Rotary Club Hear Talk by Mrs. Flynn

Harry F. Kelley was in charge of the Rotary club luncheon meeting, which was held on Tuesday noon of this week instead of Monday because of Labor Day. Mr. Kelley introduced Mrs. Flynn, secretary of the Highland Park social service committee, who outlined the work of the committee in aiding the unemployed.

Local Lions Club Host to Winnetka Club Today

The Highland Park Lions club will host today to members of the Winnetka club at a luncheon at the Sunset Valley clubhouse. Luncheon will be followed by a golf tournament over the Sunset Valley course.

Deerfield-Shields Twp. Sunday School Meeting, Lake Forest, Sept. 20

On September 20, at two-thirty o'clock, the Deerfield-Shields Township Sunday School association will convene in the Lake Forest Methodist church, corner of Deerpath and McKinley streets, Lake Forest. There are twenty Sunday schools in this district and all are members of the association. Each church in the district is urged to send teachers and representatives to the meeting.

A splendid program has been planned which combines the spiritual, the practical, and social phases of Sunday school work. There will be a display of handcraft completed by children in the Vacation Church schools in the district. Then there will be round table discussions on practical phases of Sunday school work conducted by Mrs. Samuel Simmonds, children's superintendent for the Lake County Sunday School council and Rev. Edgar Johnson, district superintendent for Young People's work. Rev. F. G. Piepenbrok of the St. Paul's Evangelical church, Deerfield, will give the inspirational address on "The Challenge of the Sunday School Teacher." The Young People of the Bethany Evangelical church, Highland Park, will conduct the worship service.

Rev. Joseph H. Taylor of Highland Park is president of the association. Teachers, officers, and parents of the churches in the township are cordially invited to attend the meeting.

Police Capture Spooner Bandits After a Battle

Two "spooner bandits" posing as officers were seized by Highland Park police Sunday as they were in the act of taking money from a couple in a parked car. As Policeman Dennis Driscoll and John Nizzi arrested the pair, one of the bandits struck Driscoll, and attempted to seize his gun. The two bandits, James DeWitt and William Kieser, were subdued after a brief battle.

Complaints have been received at Highland Park police headquarters concerning these two men for some time, and two officers arrested the pair while cruising in the neighborhood frequented by the "spooner" robbers.

The two youths, both of whom live on County Line road near Highland Park, are being held in the Highland Park jail. They were viewed Tuesday by victims of recent holdups.

Garden Class Meets

The Community Garden class of the Highland Park Woman's club will meet at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning, September 16, at the home of Mrs. J. P. Dennison of 203 S. Green Bay road. A short business meeting will be held and later interesting gardens will be visited.

Oak Terrace Carnival Nets \$1300 For School Equipment, Salaries

The three-day carnival sponsored by Oak Terrace school in Highwood, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, netted \$1,303.92, a sum which, when added to the tax levy, will be sufficient to take care of the faculty pay roll for the year. Guy Viti, president of the board of education, announced.

Hundreds of persons turned out for the carnival, which was held for the sole purpose of raising funds to carry out a balanced school program, and the committee in charge of the affair have unanimously pronounced it a success.

The percentage of taxes appropriated to the Highwood school is insufficient to meet the school budget, and the balance required is annually made up by entertainments sponsored by the school board.

Profits from this affair will assure payment of all teachers' salaries for the coming year and allow a slight margin for incidental supplies.

Further, the profit from the carnival will pay for hiring a manual training teacher for the first time. Shop equipment was purchased thru a donation of \$1,000 from the Highwood Civic association.

The president and members of the board feel that the success of such an undertaking is due to the loyal support of the people of the school district and they wish to take this means of expressing their gratitude to them. Such united efforts cannot but bring forth better conditions in our schools and better opportunities for our children.

Here is a letter from the president and members of the board:
To all donors, workers and patrons of the district:

We wish to express to you our sincere appreciation for your faithful co-operation during the recent Oak Terrace school carnival. We are certain that this affair could not have been such a tremendous success without your help and contribution. Your interest inspires us to work with increased energy for the realization of our common objective—the betterment of our schools.

Thanking you again, we remain,
Very truly yours,
Guy Viti, president,
board of education,
Anna Roth,
Arthur Kjellquist,
Albert Axt,
David Olson,
Gabriel Doretta,
Clarence Monahan,
Members.

Pi Delta Club Meets

The Pi Delta Business Girl's club will resume their meetings for the fall, next Thursday evening, September 15. All members are asked to be present, and all business girls of Highland Park, Deerfield and vicinity are cordially welcome to come, and see what the club is doing.

NORMAL ENROLLMENT IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Definite Figures Unobtainable Because of Holiday and Late Registration

Enrollment in Highland Park public schools is this year showing a normal growth over registration figures last year. Because of late registration in District 108, which includes Lincoln, Ravinia, Braeside and West Ridge schools, figures for these schools were not available as we go to press; but Superintendent Clark G. Wright reports an increased enrollment in all schools, evidenced by the enrollment at Ridge, where 49 pupils entered, an increase of 13 over 1930. Figures for all schools in the district will be given next week.

Oak Terrace school, Highwood, reported a registration of 611 pupils on Tuesday and Wednesday, an increase of 23 pupils, indicating a normal growth. Superintendent Wayne Thomas expects the total enrollment to reach 640 by the end of the school week.

Definite Data Unavailable
As we go to press the office of Superintendent Jesse L. Smith of District 107, which includes Elm Place and Green Bay schools, had not as yet compiled any data on their registration, completed Tuesday, and full report on these schools' enrollment will be given next week.

Similarly at Deerfield-Shields high school, where registration extended over a two-day period, definite figures were unobtainable until classes had started, and teachers were able to report on final makeup of classes. Freshmen here were registered Tuesday and upperclassmen Wednesday. The freshman class will number between 380 and 400 pupils.

Registration was retarded somewhat because of the Labor Day holiday, and the fact that many children had not returned from vacation until late.

Lake County Open Held at Glen Flora Sept. 16

Sponsored by the Waukegan Elks club, the Lake county open golf championship will be held at the Glen Flora Country club Wednesday, Sept. 16.

The contest will be 36 hole medal play and is open both to amateurs and professionals. Entrants must be residents of Lake county. An entry fee, which includes dinner, will be collected at the first tee. A number of prizes will be distributed to winners.

Some of the professionals already entered are: Jim Carberry, of Shore Acres; Austie Claeysens of Glen Flora; Willie Hunter and George Smith of Onwentsia; Charlie Nordberg of Deerpath; George Carney of Bonnie Brook; Terry McGovern of Columbian; and the Stupple brothers of Exmoor.