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"Buck" Program Now Well Under Way Here

Merchants and Citizens To Find Mutual Benefit in New Plan To Stimulate Business; Interest in Project Still Growing

Since the announcement of the Highland Park "Buck" program last week, "Bucks" are being widely distributed in the community. More than fifty business establishments in Highland Park are actively engaged in dispensing the valuable "Buck" certificates with their sales, and an unusual amount of enthusiasm has been reported on the part of recipients.

"Bucks" are given free of charge with purchases made in the majority of local stores and also with payments made on charge accounts. These "Bucks" will be used as "money" at the Highland Park Buck auction sale which will be held the night of Monday, June 17, in the Elm Place auditorium. At this auction large quantities of valuable merchandise, contributed by the participating local merchants, will go under the hammer to the highest bidder — in "Bucks" — not money. Two bicycles, which will be bought with Bucks at the auction sale, are now on display in the windows of Duffy & Duffy and J. B. Garnett & Co.

Residents are requested to "ask for Bucks" whenever and wherever purchases of any kind are made. The Highland Park Buck campaign is sponsored by the Highland Park Chamber of Commerce.

QUINTET TO ENTER NATIONAL CONTEST

Five High School Orchestra Members To Compete at Madison

Five members of the Deerfield-Shields high school orchestra are going to Madison, Wis., May 18 to participate in the national contest, having won a superior rating at the State contest April 27 at Chicago Heights. This is the first time that a group of freshmen girls ever won such an honor in the Music department.

The members are: Rosemary Holm, violin; Patty Dickinson, violin; Peggy Bingham, cello; Gale Bray, bass viol and Sharlee Mayer, piano. The numbers are, Sarabande, Handel, Minuet Mozart. Miss Mannings is accompanying them to the contest.

Virginia Hardacre a senior and a member of the orchestra won a partial scholarship in violin at Rockford college. She is planning to major in music.

Martie Clark a junior and a member of the orchestra is planning to spend her summer at Interlochen, Michigan, continuing her musical training. The National Music camp is located there and affords splendid opportunities for students interested in music.

The quintet played at the assembly at Elm Place school on Monday morning. Patty Dickinson, Sharlee Mayer and Gale Bray are graduates from that school.

ELM PLACE P. T. A. TO ELECT OFFICERS

Nine Vacancies To Be Filled for 1935-36 Season; Howell Murray To Talk

Election of officers will be held at the next meeting of the Elm Place school P. T. A. on Tuesday, May 21 at 3 p. m. in the Jesse Lowe Smith auditorium.

The nominating committee will present the following officers for the 1935-36 season: President, Mrs. Francis Knight; vice president, Mrs. Robert Williams; secretary, Mrs. N. E. Bankston; treasurer, Mrs. Veit Gentry; publicity chairman, Mrs. Lester Olson; program chairman, Mrs. S. E. Farquar; social chairman, Mrs. A. M. Rosenthal; lower grade membership chairman, Mrs. Frederick Carpenter; upper grade membership chairman, Mrs. M. D. Bullard. Mr. R. H. Price will preside at the meeting.

Following the business meeting, Mr. Howell Murray, president of the school board, will give a short, informative talk on "The Financial Status of School District 107."

Card Party, Friday at St. James Hall

A card party sponsored by the Sunset Mission Club will be given Friday evening, May 17, at 8 o'clock in St. James Hall in Highwood. The proceeds of the party will benefit St. Therese Hospital. There will be a prize for each table and a door prize. Everyone is invited to attend.

Musical Program Tonight

A special musical program is to be given by a student group from the Moody Bible Institute of Chicago on Thursday evening at the First United Evangelical Church. This service is being sponsored by the young people of the Sunday School and Christian Endeavor. The public is cordially invited.

Leonard E. Loos To Address Lions

Leonard E. Loos, assistant superintendent of schools in Lake Forest and president of the Kiwanis Club there, will address the Highland Park Lions Club at their luncheon today (May 16) at the Green Tea Pot.

Mr. Loos has chosen as his topic "What Difference Does It Make?" — a subject pertaining to service clubs and their functions.

Robert Roeber, in charge of this week's meeting, asks all members to make a special effort to attend this meeting and hear from the neighboring "service club" president.

V. E. Landwehr To Open Store Here Tuesday

V. E. Landwehr, formerly owner of the Richland Market in Glencoe, will open a farm and dairy store next Tuesday, May 21, at 537 Central avenue.

The store will be supplied with fresh shipments of milk and cream daily from Woodstock and with butter and eggs by daily shipments from Wisconsin.

High School Prom To Be Held Saturday

A complete sell-out of the tickets for the 1935 Deerfield-Shields Junior Prom, which will be held Saturday, May 25, at the Moraine hotel, has been announced by the ticket committee.

The floor show will include Ross Lundquist's orchestra, George "Bump" Hansen and Vivian Campbell in several songs, and Louis Dal Ponte in a tap dance.

Rev. Frank Fitt to Be Commencement Speaker

The Rev. Frank Fitt, former minister of the Highland Park Presbyterian Church, will speak on "Paying One's Debts" at the Deerfield-Shields high school commencement on Thursday evening, June 13.

Mr. Fitt was well known here during the many years of his service as minister of that church.

Annual Garden Fair at Ravinia May 25

The annual garden fair, given by the Ravinia Garden Club, will be held on the village green, Ravinia, all day Saturday, May 25th. Garden plants, trees, shrubs, and other garden articles will be sold.

Spring Clean-Up Work

Local spring clean-up work now going on includes the painting of the wire fence surrounding the Railroad Men's home. The work adds much to the appearance of the landscaping about the property. Local men are being employed to do the work.

TISBO CHANGES HIS PLEA TO "GUILTY"

Milani Bandit Has Change of Heart After Hearing Preliminary Testimony

After hearing testimony presented by Dean Milani and Thomas Jameson, Anthony Tisbo, on trial in the circuit court at Waukegan on a charge of robbing Milani's tavern last January, changed his plea from "not guilty" to "guilty" and threw himself on the mercy of the court. The court's mercy consisted of a sentence of from one to twenty years. He will be taken to Joliet within the next 10 days. The sentence was pronounced by Judge Ralph J. Dady last Tuesday morning.

Previous to his change of heart, Tisbo had stoutly maintained that he had never been in Milani's and knew nothing of the robbery except what had been told him in Waukegan after he was arrested.

Tisbo, who is a butcher by trade, admitted that he was one of four men who invaded the Milani tavern and stole a large sum from the proprietor and other persons. Three other men who were indicted with him are serving terms in other prisons on other charges. John Pietrzak and Harold Jankowski are at Joliet, while Michael Monczynski has a long stay ahead of him at Waupun, Wis.

Milani testified and told of how the four men had entered the place. (Continued on Page 7)

Ravinians Protest Against "The 101 Ranch" Transients

Stating that the property in Ravinia on Roger Williams avenue, known as "The 101 Ranch" has no regular tenants, and is used as a rendezvous by transients whose drinking and untidiness make their presence an undesirable spectacle for school children who must pass the "ranch" on the way to school, residents of Ravinia, requested the city council at its meeting Monday night to take action to eliminate the nuisance.

The matter was referred to the corporation counsel and the chief of police.

From Ravinia also came a request that the council hold up the issuance of a permit to construct a doctors office and residence on Woodland road until owners of adjoining property have an opportunity to file their complaint before the board of appeals of the Zoning board. As the building inspector had already refused the permit, the request was filed.

Highwood Indians Elect New Officers

In order to attain greater cooperation from its members, the Highwood Indians elected new officers at their regular meeting held last week, with the following results: president, Harold Glandt; vice-president, Silan (Pie) Traini; secretary, Fred Bertucci; treasurer, James Magnani; athletic director, William Bernardi; sergeant at arms, "Babe" Molinari; marshal, Ed Malpelli; and trustees, Alfredo Bertucci, Nello (Zeke) Campagni, and "Babe" Ronchetto.

On Sunday, May 19, the Indians baseball team will play "Doc" Kings Colored Giants on Highwood Field. Last year the Giants succeeded in giving the Indians a defeat. However, this year the Indians are a much stronger group and if successful pitchers are secured will return the Giants to Chicago with their first defeat of the season.

A small admission charge will be made to cover expenses.

Board Considers Plans For School Field House

Two sketches of the proposed field house for the high school athletic field on West Park Avenue were submitted to the high school board of education at their last meeting, on Tuesday evening. Architects have been instructed to secure estimates on both of the sketches which are being considered by the board.

The next meeting of the board will be held Monday afternoon, May 29, when bids on the Lake Forest school will be received and opened. At this time, the board members will also consider plans for the landscaping of the new school grounds. Members of the Lake Forest Garden Club are to meet with the board in the near future to lend their aid in the landscape planning.

Give Dinner Tonight

The Ladies of the Grace M. E. Church are holding a supper this evening (Thursday) in the church parlors. Everyone who is familiar with the fine food served at the dinners which are given by these ladies will certainly not want to miss the one this evening.

F. P. Hawkins, First Mayor, Dies Tuesday

Funeral Services Held Monday for Man Who Was One of the Founders of Highland Park; Was Elected Mayor Here in 1869

COMMERCE CHAMBER HOLDS TUES. MEETING

Arthur Perrow Speaks; Several Business Matters Brought Up For Discussion

Arthur Perrow, general auditor of the Illinois Bell Telephone Company addressed the chamber of commerce meeting Tuesday evening at the Green Tea Pot on "Man Power and Business." After defining his topic the speaker emphasized the development of capabilities, relation of proper supervision of employees over employees, and a more thorough acceptance of responsibilities.

Communications from James Hamilton Lewis and Ralph Church in which both stated that they were in favor of the re-opening of the Great Lakes Naval Training Station, were read. Both Mr. Lewis and Mr. Church promised to support the proposal.

The chamber received an appeal from Mrs. L. B. Sinclair, asking its members to support the D.A.R. flag fund which is used to replace whenever necessary, the flag that flies at Central and St. Johns avenue. Communications from Margaret E. Byrn and H. & R. Anspach stressed the benefits which would accrue to Highland Park if it were possible to have certain additional North Western trains stop here during the afternoons. It is felt that with such an improved service, more people would be brought to Highland Park.

The subject of parking conditions in the downtown district of Highland Park was brought up and a motion was made that the chamber attempt to secure permission from the North Western Railway to allow parking along its right-of-way north of the freight house. It was further suggested that merchants refrain from parking their own cars in front of their places of business.

Among the guests present at the meeting were Mayor Dooley and Commissioners Brown and Taylor.

L. F. SCHOOL TO DRAW MANY NEW STUDENTS

"Of the group which entered Deerfield-Shields Township high school from the north end of the district as freshmen in the fall of 1934," says Mr. Sandwick, superintendent, there are now enrolled 50 boys and 48 girls; of those entering in the fall of 1933, there are now 55 boys and 25 girls; of those entering in the fall of 1932, there are now 41 boys and 23 girls. From the eighth grades there are now registered from the north end of the district, ready to enter Deerfield-Shields in 1935, 62 boys and 62 girls.

"Thus the effect of the new high school at Lake Forest on enrollment is seen in advance of opening," he continues. "This is the first time in years that girls in the graduating classes of elementary schools in the north end have equaled the number of boys. The total registration from these schools is unusually large."

"It is difficult to tell just how many of those enrolled for next year will enter our school."

"There is every reason to believe that this number will be considerable: (1) because the principal of the new school has been a private school man who knows just how to meet the needs of this type of student and parent; (2) because the school is expected to have the atmosphere and advantage of a country day school; (3) because the school will have teachers and equipment far superior to the average school; (4) because the presence of an excellent college in a city of great natural and social attractions will make Lake Forest an ideal residence city to which alert business executives and professional men with offices in Chicago will move to educate their children."

Garden Class Plants Shrubs on Club Grounds

Four hundred shrubs, forming a border around the grounds of the Highland Park Woman's club have been planted by the club garden class as their yearly donation to the club. Club members and friends are invited to inspect the new addition to the club grounds.

Frank P. Hawkins, 95, one of the founders of Highland Park, the city's first mayor, and the last to serve under the aldermanic system, died Saturday, May 11 at his home, 389 Laurel avenue, where he had resided for the past 67 years.



Frank P. Hawkins as he appeared when he was elected Mayor of Highland Park in 1869.

Mr. Hawkins had been a member of the East Park district and the board of education in Highland Park, was one of the founders of the public library there, and was a member of the Highland Park Historical society.



Frank P. Hawkins — from a recent photograph.

Until the time of his death he was active in the management of his Chicago real estate firm, Hawkins & Co. Surviving are a son, Richard, and two daughters, Mrs. Cella Schults and Miss Francis Hawkins, all of Highland Park.

Funeral services were held Monday at 2:30 p. m. at the Presbyterian church, the Rev. Louis W. Sherwin officiating. Interment was in Rosehill cemetery.

Reverend Sherwin paid the following tribute to Mr. Hawkins at the funeral services.

"It is not often that any of us meet on an occasion of this kind. It is not many times we meet to pay our respect to the memory of one who has lived 5 years beyond 9 decades. It is a long time. It is a worthy span of years. One who has borne the image of the earthy for 95 years has lived a good long life. And worthy of our respectful regard. "Perhaps one of the weak places in our American armor is our lack of touch with old people. Our country of young things puts much stress on young things. Life with us is such a thing of swing and vigor. We demand speed and push and movement. We gear our lives to the quick tempo of the teens and we sometimes forget the quiet and sanity of age. It is to be feared that even in our homes we do not have the same place for older folk that was one day the custom. Who does not remember a grandfather or a grandmother, an older aunt or uncle who had a way of mellowing life with a story, with oft told tales of other days. We are told it was an essential element in education of other days — this telling of things by age to youth. Our impatient day is not aware of this ministry of yesterday to today because we are intoxicated with an obsession about today. We may well fear that we are hardening tomorrow by divorcing today from yesterday. Let us refresh our thought and life today by thinking of what a balancing and safeguarding thing age can be in our midst. I am sure the family of Mr. Hawkins will be very much aware of this. "Of old New England stock, whose (Continued on Page 5)

Annual Plant Sale To Be Held on Saturday, May 25

The annual plant sale of the Garden class of the Highland Park Woman's club will be held Saturday, May 25 on the grounds between the North Western tracks and First street at Central avenue.

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