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NO PREFERENCE FOR VETERANS IN FEDERAL HOMESTEAD PROJECT

BY DAN HUNT
Editor, The Lake County Legionnaire

Because of the many requests for information as to the possible preference of veterans on the Federal Government Homestead farms in Lake County and to clarify the situation, at least as far as the veterans are concerned, the writer obtained a personal interview with William E. Webster, of Libertyville, connected with the government project in this county.

"Many people," began Mr. Webster, "have the mistaken idea that this is exclusively a relief project and that only those families on relief will be permitted to take advantage of the government's offer a farm home. There is not a bit of truth in this supposition, for the project is self-amortizing, that is, it pays off in a stipulated period of time.

"In the first place the head of the family must be working and earning at least \$700 per year and not more than \$1,000 a year, and not over 50 years of age. In the second place there is no provision made for any preference to any class of citizens or veterans unless they come within the wage and age category mentioned.

"The cost to the owner will be \$4,000 each, more or less, according to the size of house necessary. The (Continued on page 9)

Joe Proctor Passes State Bar Examination

Joseph L. Proctor, Jr. of Highland Park, was informed last week by the State Board of Law Examiners that he has successfully passed the Bar examination, and was directed to appear before the Committee on Character and Fitness, preliminary to his appearing before the Supreme Court of the State of Illinois at Springfield for the purpose of being sworn in as a licensed attorney-at-law.

He is a native of Highland Park, having lived since his birth at his present address at 618 S. Green Bay road, Highland Park. He is the son of Joseph L. Proctor, who, before his retirement, was an important figure in the wholesale shoe business in Chicago.

He attended the Lincoln Grammar school and Deerfield-Shields high school in Highland Park, having graduated from there in 1924. During the time he attended high school at Deerfield-Shields, he was editor-in-chief of The Deerfield, the Deerfield-Shields high school annual. He and Gordon Manning inaugurated the publishing of the school paper which is now called The Shorelines, of which he was editor-in-chief.

He later attended and graduated from Cornell university at Ithaca, New York, in 1929 there completing the courses of arts and sciences and engineering. Thereafter he attended John Marshall Law school at Chicago, from which institution he graduated in June of this year with the degrees of Bachelor of Laws and Doctor of Laws.

During his attendance at John Marshall Law school, he won several prizes for high scholarship. Among the prizes were several very important sets of law books, which he prizes very highly among his possessions. He was also elected to the honorary scholastic society of the Order of John Marshall, which is equivalent to the honorary Order of Coif in other law schools. This is an honor very much coveted by law students. As a prerequisite to election, the student must be among the highest ten per cent in scholarship during his entire law course.

It might also be mentioned of Mr. Proctor, that he was an officer of his class every year during his law school career, and served as a member of the editorial staff of the college annual. He is a member of the Zeta Psi, a well-known social fraternity, and was president of his chapter during his senior year at Cornell.

Mr. Proctor has already associated himself in the practice of law with Attorney V. Wm. Bridle, who has office in the North Shore building, Highland Park. He is not only very well known among his contemporaries as a fine fellow about town, but is reputed to be a first-class golfer. He says that although golf has been his hobby in the past, that his hobby from now on is going to be the practice of law.

Mr. Robert Kees of Lake Forest will preach at the Lake Forest M. E. Church next Sunday morning and at the Highland Park M. E. Church in the evening.

Lake County Youth Conference To Be Held September 7th

A great Young People's Field Day will take place at Hastings Lake on Thursday, Sept. 7. All young people of Lake county, regardless of denominational affiliation are invited to attend. This special occasion is being planned and carried through by the Young People's division of the Lake County Council of Religious Education. Rev. Wm. Rule of North Chicago, Miss Olive Frantz of Deerfield and Rev. F. Baldus of Waukegan are working out the program, which promises to be inspiring and challenging to all young people. The program will begin at 8:45 a.m. and will close around a campfire in the evening. Both luncheon and dinner will be served on the grounds, the camp facilities of the Irving Park Y. M. C. A. will be used throughout the day. A part of the afternoon will be used for swimming, boating, hiking and general recreation. The young people of the Highland Park churches are urged to see which church can enroll the largest number of young people. Reservations should be made with Miss Olive Frantz as soon as possible.

Deerfield Legion Post Holds 3-Day Carnival

"We want everyone to have a good time!" said Marshall A. Potenger, general chairman, Tenth Annual Carnival of Deerfield Post No. 738, when making the announcement of the affair which will be held at Jewett park, Deerfield, August 16-17-18.

The following program will be observed:

7 p.m., Friday, Aug. 16
Children's costume parade. Assemblies at Masonic temple grounds, march to Jewett Park under police traffic regulation. Prizes: Most attractive girl, boy; most original girl, boy; best represented character, girl, boy; most comical girl, boy. Groups: Most attractive, original, comical, historic. Best decorated doll buggy, velocipede, automobile, wagon or bicycle. Judges: Mrs. Chester A. Wolf, Mrs. Harry A. Muhlke, Mrs. Walter B. Metcalf.

12 o'clock midnight, Friday, Aug. 16: Free prize award.

3 p.m., Saturday, Aug. 17: Children's races, Jewett park.

6 p.m. Saturday: Softball game, Jewett park.

12 o'clock midnight, Saturday: Free prize award.

1 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 18: Horse-shoe tournament, Jewett park.

3 p.m. Sunday: Baseball game.

8 p.m., Sunday: The Sod Busters of WLS.

12 o'clock midnight, Sunday, Aug. 18: Free prize award: Registration booth awards: Five grand prize awards: General Electric 6-tube car radio; chrome-finish balloon tire bicycle; Sunbeam Mixmaster with juicer; G. E. Moderne electric flat-iron; and Silcox coffee-maker, with electric stove.

Continuous Features
Auto Show: The newest and finest in automobiles, exhibited by local dealers.

Dancing every evening, under management of Deerfield Fire Department.

Rides, games, bingo, under management of Deerfield Chamber of Commerce: Registration booth, with many prizes, including a special group from North Chicago Veterans' hospital, and refreshments, both under management of American Legion Auxiliary: Beverage booths, under management of local taverns: other booths too numerous to list under supervision of the American Legion.

Members of the Legion and Auxiliary are exerting every effort to assure an unusually fine and interesting celebration, and invite the public to come. Renew old acquaintances, and have a good time, at the Legion's Tenth Annual Carnival.

Rotary Club Hears Talk on Cocker Spaniels

J. A. Blow, of Blow's Kennels addressed members of the Highland Park Rotary Club on cocker spaniels and other breeds of dogs at the meeting of the club held Monday noon at the Moraine hotel.

Mr. Charles Grant, who was in charge of the program, introduced the speaker.

1936 License Plates To Be White on Black

Black and white will be the color scheme for automobile plates in 1936, Secretary of State Edward J. Hughes announced today. Contract for manufacturing plates was awarded to C. H. Hanson Company of Chicago.

The contract calls for the manufacture of approximately 1,300,000 passenger plates and 200,000 truck, motorcycle and trailer plates. The specifications are for 24 gauge steel.

The numerals on the plates will be white on a black background. "ILLINOIS 1936" will be below the numerals instead of above as on the 1935 plates. This change is made to thwart any attempt to defraud the state by painting this year's plates to conform with the 1936 colors.

Secretary Hughes called attention to the fact that passenger car plates this year will cost less than heretofore. The reduction is as follows:

\$ 8.00 plates reduced to \$ 6.50
\$12.00 plates reduced to \$10.50
\$20.00 plates reduced to \$17.00
\$25.00 plates reduced to \$22.00

Motorcycle fees are reduced from \$4.00 to \$3.00.

Social Service Needs

As autumn comes on, the social service will need double and single mattresses, rugs, kerosene lamps, and coal or wood stoves. Anyone having any of the above articles, is requested to call the Social Service, and they will be called for.

INTAKE PIPES ARE LOCATED BY DIVERS

City to Complete Plat of Its Water System in the Near Future

The two intakes for Highland Park's water plant, whose exact location has been unknown for many years, have been located, and marked and will soon be indicated on a plat now being drawn up by Phil Cole, city engineer.

The two intakes, one of which is a 16 inch pipe laid in the 1890's, and the other a 20 inch pipe laid about 1910 (the dates have not been exactly ascertained) were not, as far as can be discovered, plotted for city reference, and it was felt that although they are performing in a very satisfactory manner, it would be wise to have their location definitely known, so that in case any difficulty should arise, there would be little danger of the city being without water.

The work was done in the following manner. Frank Efling of Kenosha, a professional diver, followed a line out into the lake which was determined from two known points on the twenty inch line. A transit was erected on the shore at the end of a line drawn perpendicular to the course. As the approximate distance of the intake from the shore (3700 feet) was known, it was possible to determine by triangulation where the boat was at the point where the intake was supposed to be. As a matter of fact, it was found within 100 feet of the predetermined spot.

The second intake, which extended into the lake for approximately 2100 feet was located in the same manner, after which, as in the case of the first one, it was marked with a white flag until such time as a complete plat of the system shall have been completed.

The diving equipment used consists of a 40-foot gasoline powered boat, a gasoline driven air compressor and winch and a crew of four men, two of whom are divers. The one who does the actual diving is in constant communication by telephone with the tender on the surface who directs the operation. Mr. George Prindle, head of the water department, was able in this manner to receive first hand information and answers to definite questions regarding the condition of the intakes as the work progressed.

The same crew which did the work at Highland Park is at present engaged in salvaging the steamer Wisconsin, which sank near Kenosha with a valuable cargo some years ago.

Truck Controversy Not Yet Decided

Ask Change in Routing Plan Suggested at Last Meeting

No definite decision has as yet been reached in the two-year controversy between the Willet trucking company and the North Shore Property Owners association regarding the use of the residential streets for hauling freight.

The present proposal is practically the same as that suggested by Mayor Dooley of Highland Park and explained in the Highland Park Press with the important exception that the company wishes to use Skokie Highway only as far as Central avenue and route their trucks over Green Bay road from that point north.

As was explained in last week's issue of The Press, councils of the various North Shore towns are powerless to prevent such use of the city streets if the Illinois Commerce Commission elects to grant a franchise.

Two Highland Parkers Awarded Scholarships at U. of Chicago

Chicago, August 14.—Two recent graduates of the Deerfield-Shields high school were awarded scholarships to the University of Chicago, according to an announcement made here by university officials. The awards were made on the basis of the qualities of leadership, character, and achievement in studies as evidenced by the high school records of the scholarship applicants.

A one-year honor entrance scholarship, valued at \$300, and covering tuition in the university for one academic year was awarded to Harriet Nelson of 640 Skokie avenue, Highland Park. The University's Committee on the Award of Scholarships was impressed by the fact that in addition to graduating as valedictorian of her class, Miss Nelson gained equal distinction as a leader in extra-curricular activities. She was president of the Girl's club, a member of the student council, the chorus, the National Honor society, and was recently awarded a medal of honor as being the most representative student in the Deerfield-Shields high school.

James A. Lytle, of 825 Forest avenue, was awarded a one-half year scholarship to the university. In addition to maintaining a high scholastic average, Lytle was a member of the basketball and baseball teams and of the student council. When Lytle was a member of the basketball and baseball teams and of the student council. When Lytle matriculates at the University of Chicago this autumn, he will be the second member of his family to attend the institution, having been preceded at the university by his father.

Both scholarship winners will study under the university's famed New Plan of education. The New Plan, now entering its fifth year of operation, aims to familiarize the student with the whole realm of human knowledge before the student enters the period of professional training. In discarding many of the traditional forms of educational compulsion such as class attendance, the New Plan encourages individual initiative and allows exceptional students to progress as rapidly as they wish.

SHURTLEFF DENIES HIGHLAND PARK LIQUOR PETITION

Judge Shurtleff yesterday denied the petition of the Moraine hotel asking the circuit court to grant a petition restraining the City of Highland Park from interfering with the sale of liquor to guests of the hotel.

The case will probably be appealed to the Appellate court, Mr. Cushing, of the Moraine, said yesterday.

Before the election was held on April 16, according to the petition filed by Attorney A. C. McHenry, a petition was filed with the city asking that the proposition of retail liquor dispensing be voted on. The petition was filed on Feb. 15.

This petition, according to the attorney, should have had not less than 25 per cent of the legal voters in the community, and the street address should be alongside of each signature.

Attorney McHenry alleges that in many instances the signatures do not have any street or residence address, that in some cases ditto marks appear, and that some signed the petition more than once. There are approximately 5,000 legal voters in Highland Park and the petition for the election should have had at least 1,500 legitimate signers. A check-up of the signatures, the hotel claims, does not show that the petition for the election was legal.

On June 10 the Highland Park city council passed an ordinance prohibiting the retail of alcoholic beverages, and the ordinance was approved on June 18 and published June 20.

The hotel claims that it paid the state and federal tax for liquor dispensing in accordance with the state liquor law and has complied with the state law in every respect. It does not have a tap room or tavern on the premises, but has only served alcoholic beverages to its guests as appetizers or refreshments.

Hospital Equips Room For Hay Fever Victims

Of interest to hayfever victims is the announcement that the Highland Park hospital has equipped a room for our patients with an air guard which filters the pollen from the air.

The room, which will accommodate five persons, is pleasantly furnished with chairs and a chaise longue covered with a material which will not harbor dust. Such rooms have been adopted in other cities and many victims of the summer malady have found great relief in the respite from pollen laden air.

Dumaresq Spencer Post Installs New Officers

The Dumaresque Spencer post No. 145 of the American Legion held their annual installation of officers on Thursday evening, August 8 at the Legion hall. The following were installed for the ensuing year: Edwin Gilroy, commander; Miller Schriener, senior vice commander; Max Eckelman, junior vice commander; William Heinrichs, finance officer; Paul Webb, adjutant; Henry Hansen, chaplain; and P. E. Cole, trustee for three years.

Following the installation service a full outlined program was announced by the new commander, Edwin Gilroy, and committees were announced. A social hour and refreshments were enjoyed later in the evening.

Moose Lodge to Hold Three-Day Carnival

Highland Park lodge No. 446, Loyal Order of Moose will hold a 3-day carnival at Sunset park August 30, 31 and September 1.

Included in the various entertainments offered will be rides, games and dancing. Further details concerning the event will be published in a later issue of The Press.

SHAPRIO DRY GOODS

Announcement is made that the dry goods sale, being held at Shapiro's dry goods store, 41-43 Highland avenue, will be continued for the next few days.

Shoppers are urged to visit the store and inspect the various items which are on sale. A special feature of the event is the presentation of Oak Terrace school. Details of the offer and of the sale may be found in the advertisement on Page Three of this issue of The Highland Park Press.

Auxiliary Members To Attend State Convention

A number of the members of the Dumaresq Spencer unit No. 145 of the American Legion Auxiliary attended the district convention held at North Chicago on Aug. 4th. During the business session held in the forenoon, the election of district officers for 1936 took place. Mrs. Mary Chase of Antioch was re-elected district director. She reappointed all chairmen for another year. Highland Park's chairman is Mrs. P. E. Cole who will serve as finance officer for another term. Prizes for the winning publicity scrap books were awarded, the first prize going to Waukegan, the second to Libertyville and an honorable mention to Highland Park.

Mrs. P. E. Cole, president.
Mrs. Robt. Greenalade, 1st vice president.
Mrs. Gus Norrien, 2nd vice president.
Mrs. Oscar Iverson, chaplain.
Mrs. David Johnson, treasurer.
Mrs. Tony Cantonia, sergeant-at-arms.
Mrs. E. M. Werner, historian.
District delegates: Mrs. Werner, Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. Mary McCarty, Mrs. Wm. Bowden and Mrs. Tony Cantonia. District alternates: Mrs. Arthur Bell, Mrs. Henry Eitner, Mrs. E. Rice, Mrs. Harry Chambers and Mrs. S. D. Shanafelt.

The election of delegates to the State convention was also held at this meeting. Mrs. Werner and Mrs. Cole were elected delegates, Mrs. S. D. Shanafelt and Mrs. Gus Norrien are the alternates.

Aug. 7 was the date of the Junior members picnic which was held in Sunset park. A good time was had by those who attended.

The regular business meeting for August was held on Thursday, Aug. 8th. Mrs. Cole reported a birthday of one of the unit's adopted orphans at Dorcas Home. Three cakes and a gift were given by the unit.

Mrs. S. D. Shanafelt, the rehabilitation chairman, reported a number of trips made to Veterans' hospital No. 105 at which time she took magazines, old silk stockings for the making of rag rugs and some books. Mrs. Shanafelt will gladly call for any men's clothing or magazines that any one wishes to send to the Veterans hospital. She can be reached by calling Highland Park 4013. Any one wishing to visit the institution may do so by notifying Mrs. Shanafelt.

Low Sarett Jr. Awarded A Scholarship at N. U.

Low Sarett Jr., valedictorian of the 1935 class at Deerfield-Shields high school, was one of the eight students to be awarded one of the Clarion DeWitt Hardy scholarships at Northwestern university for the year 1935-36.

Qualifications for the scholarships are based on scholastic achievements, interest in forensics, financial circumstances and health and character. Funds for the scholarships were provided by Owen L. Conn, an alumnus of the university in the class of 1915. They are offered to pay tribute to the professor whose name they bear since Mr. Conn said in creating them, "He contributed the most to my education."

The awards carry full tuition grants of \$300 with the privilege of enrolling in any of the schools of the university.

Alcyon Offers Fine List of Attractions This Week

Preaching no moral, seeking, instead, to entertain through the medium of high-pitched drama, "The Informer," is a picture that will leave a powerful impression. Victor McLaglen and Heather Angel are featured in this film which has a four star rating. Showing this Wednesday and Thursday evening.

Those who like to see an inoffensive little melodrama tinged with excitement and comedy, should see "Black Sheep," starring Edmund Lowe and Claire Trevor. On the Alcyon screen for Friday and Saturday of this week.

Katherine Hepburn will appear in "Break of Hearts," at the Alcyon on Sunday and Monday coming. Charles Boyer and Miss Hepburn, together with symphonic music and beautiful photography, give this highly sophisticated drama real entertainment value.

In a story that fairly bubbles with comedy, Joan Crawford and Robert Montgomery will come to the Alcyon next Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday in "No More Ladies." Adapted from the Broadway stage hit, the film retains all the fine drama and sparkling comedy of the original, with the addition of one of the finest screen casts of the year.

Highwood Scouts Return From Camp MaKaJaWan

Scout Commissioner Paul Muzik, Mrs. Muzik, and Roy Russell left Highwood on Friday, August 2, returning Saturday night August 3 with the twenty-one boys of Troops 36 and 37 of Highwood who had attended Camp Ma-Ka-Ja-Wan for the third period.

This trip and the one made two weeks before by Paul Muzik and Otto F. Fisher were made possible through the kindness of Michael O'Flaherty of Highwood, who loaned his new Ford V-8 truck for the purpose of transporting these boys to camp with as little expense as possible.

A very enjoyable and educational time was enjoyed by the boys and many merit badges were earned during their stay.

Ladies' Aid Meeting
The Ladies Aid of the Grace M. E. church, at North avenue and Loretta place will hold their regular meeting on Friday, August 16 at 2