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ON ALL NEWSTANDS 5c

Horner To Attend Citizenship Meeting

State Executive Expresses His Approval of Plan Which Originated Here

Gov. Henry Horner has indicated his desire to attend the citizenship day rally to be held at Deerfield-Shields high school Friday evening, Nov. 1, at 8 o'clock, and barring any unforeseen eventualities will be present on that date to participate in the event.

Gov. Horner's interest in the program dates from the time he was sent a copy of the proposed plan while it was still in the formative stage. It coincided so exactly with his ideas of what such a program should contain that he had copies made of it and sent to schools throughout the state requesting them to follow the plan as laid out by the local high school.

The program, arranged by Richard L. Sandwick, chairman, will stress as an important part of good citizenship the importance of protecting life and property. Mr. Sandwick states that it is the bounden duty of every loyal American and good citizen to fulfill his obligation to the community, state and nation in this respect.

As an added feature for the day there will be a special meeting of high school students in the morning at which time a brief address will be made and special motion pictures shown on safety subjects.

Because of the many outstanding and entertaining features arranged for the mass meeting in the evening and to which everyone is invited, a large attendance is assured.

There is no admission charge and as the program will start promptly at 8 p.m. everyone is urged to come early and enjoy the concert by the high school band which will precede the main program.

The complete program follows:
Music..... High School Band
Selections..... Legion Drum Corps
Ritual of Patriotism..... E. L. Gilroy
with the following poets of the American Legion cooperating: Dumaresq Spencer, Stoney-Smith, Deerfield, G. A. McKinlock, Lake Bluff, Evans-Watkins, Auxiliaries of each of the above: Spanish War Veterans and the Boy Scouts.
Introduction of Distinguished Citizens.
Community Singing Leader, George Scheuchspflug; pianist, Robert Bridges.

Reading of Prize Essays:
"The Benefits of American Citizenship" (High school students competing). Medal presented to winner by Harry Alston of Dumaresq Spencer American Legion Post.
"Good Citizenship," competed for by the young men and women who became of age in 1935. Cash prize of \$25 presented to winner by Mrs. Carleton Harkness, regent of North Shore Chapter, D.A.R., Lake Forest College.
Address, "America the Beautiful" by Rev. Thomas Anderson, pastor, Wellington Avenue Congregation Church, Chicago.
Retiring the Colors and singing of "Star Spangled Banner" first and last stanzas.

Those attending program are invited to remain for a dance in the gymnasium.

Legion Will Sponsor Many New Features For "Safety Week"

The Dumaresq Spencer post of the American Legion in Highland Park who have joined with Mayor William M. Dooley in sponsoring Highland Park Safety Week beginning Oct. 27 will take an active part in the many events to take place during that week.

Commander Gilroy announces that over a thousand booklets will be distributed giving the new state traffic laws and which will be in addition to more than a thousand safety nursery rhyme color picture books to be given out to the children in the primary grades of the schools. Special posters have also been secured and are available to any organizations or firms who may wish to display these.

Commander Gilroy also has arranged to take part with the Legion in several of the many interesting programs during the week and wishes to join H. B. Alston, Americanism officer of the Legion and recently appointed chairman of the Highland Park Citizens Safety committee in expressing sincere appreciation to the many organizations and citizens who have so enthusiastically joined the announced program for greater public safety in Highland Park.

Hallowe'en Party for District 107 Schools

A Hallowe'en party will be given for pupils of the Green Bay Road and Elm Place schools, Thursday evening, Oct. 31, from 7 to 9 o'clock in Sunset Park. Special stunts are being planned and parents are urged to attend. Children must furnish their own masks and costumes and will meet at 7 o'clock in front

WOMEN VOTERS HEAR DR. LEWIS E. MERIAM

Next Meeting of Local League To Be Held Wednesday, November 20th

The opening meeting of the Highland Park League of Women Voters took place last Wednesday, October 16. Dr. Lewis E. Meriam, eminent specialist in the United States on civil service spoke on "Good Employes, Good Public Service." Dr. Meriam is a member of the staff of Brookings institute, Washington, D.C., and is visiting professor of political science at the University of Chicago this year. He describes himself as a "service man" because of his long years in the employ of the United States government. He was assistant chief of the Children's Bureau under Julia Lathrop and has served in many other key positions. He said in part:

"America is the most amazing country in the world for taking on new inventions but the most conservative about its government. Unlike the British we work on theory, not on practice and many of our theories were worked out by our ancestors before the industrial revolution.

"Since 1883 we have recognized the necessity of trained personnel in public service. The spoils system was not introduced by the founding fathers but has come with the increasing complications of our national life. In Washington there are some activities handled as well as in any other country in the world. An example of this is Boulder dam, an amazing feat done by the Reclamation Service which is a government 'career' service."

Dr. Meriam gave a fascinating account of public administration in Oklahoma which he investigated personally, where public servants were shifted with each change of administration and those who were neither trained for the position nor had ability, were put in high positions because of their political influence. He asserted that whatever the defects of the merit system they do not compare with the defects of the patronage system.

The league will hold its next meeting Nov. 20 in special honor of its new members. A program is being arranged to give new as well as old members a graphic account of what the national, state and local leagues are actually doing. Each member will be entitled to bring one guest free to the luncheon which will be served at 12 o'clock at the Y.W.C.A.

A speaker from the national league will bring news of activities in Washington and the State of Illinois. Mrs. Marc Law will give a brief review of the accomplishments of the league in Highland Park and Mrs. Frank Selfridge, Mrs. Walter Rubens, Mrs. George Carr, Mrs. E. M. Greenberg, Mrs. Clarence Balke and Mrs. George Galdzik will tell of the work of their departments.

Ravinia Woman's Club Dinner Dance Nov. 2

Saturday, November 2, is the date of the Ravinia Woman's club dinner dance.

The same excellent orchestra that played for last year's parties will be engaged and a good dinner is planned.

All reservations must be in by Wednesday, October 30. Telephone Mrs. Frank Wales, H.P. 2065 or Mrs. Eugene Kern, H.P. 4066.

Lions Club to Hold A Hallowe'en Party

A dinner dance followed by games and entertainment will be held for Lions club members, their families and friends next Tuesday evening, October 29 at Sunset Valley club.

The club holds a party each year, and program chairman, Bob Ahsbach, promises a good time to all who attend. Each member is reminded to bring a guest.

Schumann Club to Entertain

The Schumann club of Ravinia will meet in the studio of Berenice B. Bentley on Woodland road Saturday afternoon, Oct. 26 at 3 o'clock. Miss Barbara McHenry, violinist, of Evanston, will be a guest of the club. Jane and Katharine Falley of Evanston will assist the hostess.

PROCLAMATION

Whereas, it is our bounden duty as true Americans and good citizens to safeguard and protect life and property it becomes our solemn obligation not only to the community, state and nation but to humanity as well, to give serious consideration to ways and means of preventing the constantly mounting toll of death and destruction that is following in the wake of the ever increasing accidents due to greater speed, traffic and congestion.

To the end that we may fulfill this obligation to the best of our ability and take an active part in the national movement for greater safety I call upon every individual citizen, and every organization, church and school in our community to join and participate in the beginning of a permanent program for greater safety in Highland Park and its vicinity.

To inaugurate and mark the beginning of this program I, WILLIAM M. DOOLEY, Mayor of the City of Highland Park, do hereby proclaim the week of October 27th, to be Highland Park Safety Week and request that all individuals and organizations sponsor, attend and promote activities dedicated to the cause, during that week.

As a means of accomplishing this program I do hereby further proclaim the appointment of a Highland Park Citizens Safety Committee to be composed of each member of the clergy, the principal of each school and a duly appointed representative from each patriotic, civic and fraternal organization, which committee shall as a body and through the groups it represents, study and report from time to time all matters pertaining to public safety, as they affect our community.

As a further part of this proclaimed appointment I announce the establishment of a Commission of Public Safety, to be composed of three city officials and two representative citizens and whose duty it shall be to receive reports and recommendations from the Citizens Safety Committee and to accomplish ways and means of best making provision.

All this with the avowed purpose of exerting our every effort to insure greater safety to the life and property of every individual person in our community and in which I feel confident all will join, cooperate and dedicate their best efforts.

WILLIAM M. DOOLEY, Mayor

Campaign Rally To Be Held October 30

PLANS PROGRESS FOR ADULT EDUCATION

Registration to Be Held at the High School on November 4th from 7:30 to 10

Plans are rapidly coming to a head for the Adult Education classes which representative groups from the entire community are sponsoring. Registration night will be on Monday, Nov. 4, from 7:30 to 10 p.m. at the Deerfield-Shields high school. Every one is cordially invited to come, meet the sponsors of this project, talk over the work or activity offered in the classes with the instructors and register. Class work will start Nov. 11.

The high school board represented by Mrs. Herbert Smith and Mr. Sandwick, are in co-operation with the Adult Education council whose president is Mrs. Leslie Schaeffer, has arranged the following program.

The high school will be open Monday evenings from 7:30 to 10:00 for a period of twenty weeks, two terms of ten weeks each. In addition, there will be another evening, to be announced later, for extra athletic activity. The tuition will be nominal, payable on registering. Persons living outside the township may also enter the classes on payment of a nominal fee. Purely social classes such as contract bridge and social dancing will be arranged on a self-supporting basis. Students now attending the high school may not attend these adult classes.

The program will be largely recreational. Arts and crafts, wood working, music and physical education. One or two academic or business courses may be included if there is enough demand. A few classes for which there is most demand and for which the best instructors are available will be organized at once. Others will be added from time to time. There is a limited budget which may perhaps make it necessary for some classes to be self-supporting or to have volunteer instruction. Many adult schools have found it possible to operate entirely with volunteer teachers. It is the hope of the sponsors of this community project that some of Highland Park's talented citizens will offer their services.

The plan will be kept flexible, to admit of various ways of working out a program as wide in scope as the community may desire.

The classes already proposed are: wood working, drawing, painting, arts, chorus, orchestra, German rhythmic dancing, dress making, English usage, typing, badminton, volleyball, pottery, modeling, costume design, home decoration, art appreciation, photography, weaving, metal work, dramatics, the speaking voice, public speaking, millinery, English for new Americans, languages, book reviews, current events, tap dancing, social dancing, folk dancing, class piano lessons, lip reading, first aid, nature study, child study, home economics, parliamentary law, contract bridge.

Rasmussen Shoe Shop Opens This Week

"Ing" Rasmussen, who for many years operated a shoe store in Highland Park, will hold the grand opening of his new store at 389 Central avenue on Friday and Saturday of this week.

The store will be ultra modern in every respect and will feature high grade shoes at moderate prices. Included in the extensive stock carried will be the well known Bostonian and Red Cross brands.

This new shoe shop, designed to meet with present day needs and buying tendencies will offer residents the opportunity of purchasing their footwear in the type of store ordinarily found only in the larger cities.

Free souvenirs will be provided for everyone on the opening days.

Charles Waite Dies After Long Illness

Charles Waite, 78, of 225 N. Second street died yesterday morning at his home after a long illness. Funeral services will be held at the home Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment will be in Memorial Park cemetery.

Mr. Waite, an old-time resident of Highland Park, was for many years, an employee of the Northwestern railroad. He is survived by his sister, Clara Waite, of Highland Park and a brother Edward Waite of Chicago.

Northmoor Club To Be Scene of Meeting of Community Chest Workers

The Northmoor Country club on Edgewood road will be the scene of the big campaign rally and dinner on October 30 which will mark the opening of Highland Park's first Community Chest campaign. All workers in the big drive to collect a fund of \$41,700 for the Community Chest will receive final instructions at the meeting, and immediately will begin the city-wide solicitation for subscriptions to the chest. The campaign will continue through November 11.

This will be Highland Park's initial effort to consolidate in one big drive the campaigns for funds which heretofore have been waged by the individual welfare agencies. Expressive of the purpose of the Community Chest is the slogan adopted for the campaign: "Give Once for All!"

Alfred T. Sibley, president of the Community Chest, will preside at the dinner meeting. He will review briefly the growth of the Community Chest organization and the purpose of the campaign. General Robert E. Wood, president of Sears Roebuck & Co. and chairman of the Community Chest, will issue the call to the workers for intensified effort during the progress of the campaign and Mayor William M. Dooley, honorary president of the chest, will speak for the city in urging support of the drive. Alfred K. Stern and Samuel M. Hastings, co-chairmen of the Special Gifts committee, which has already begun its work, will report briefly on the progress of the committee's efforts, and Herbert E. Kerber, general chairman of the Campaign committee will outline the general plans for the campaign.

All of the speeches will be brief to permit ample time for the workers to receive full instructions on their duties of solicitation. After the speeches, the workers will meet, by districts, to receive instructions. (Continued on Page 5)

Garden Study Club Will Meet October 28

The Highland Park Garden Study club will meet Monday, Oct. 28, at the home of Mrs. Louis V. Francoeur, 910 Lincoln avenue.

At this time an interesting program of study for the year will be arranged. Plans have been made to give club members an opportunity to study indoor plants, both arrangement and care, as well as all angles of garden care.

New officers elected at the last meeting will take their chairs. They are: president, Mrs. Louis V. Francoeur; secretary, Mrs. Simon Ruzhich; treasurer, Mrs. Edwin T. R. Murfey.

Following the meeting tea will be served. The club wishes to thank residents of Highland Park who have so kindly donated flowers and jams for the Plant, Flower and Fruit guild. During the summer months members of the club have taken turns receiving donations at the North Western station and the response has been very generous.

Zion Lutheran Church Holds Bazaar Oct. 25-26

The annual bazaar of the Zion Lutheran church will be held in the church parlors Friday and Saturday, Oct. 25-26. The various organizations have planned to have many things of special interest to its members and friends. The Dorcas society serves a spaghetti dinner on Friday evening. Many interesting things of handicraft can be procured as gifts for the coming holidays. The patronage of friends of the congregation is cordially solicited.

Highland Park Elks Announce Entertainment

The local Elks lodge announces an entertainment and stag at the Elks hall, located at Laurel avenue and McGovern streets tonight (Thursday) at 8 o'clock.

The entertainment will consist of a seven reel drama, "The Highway Patrol," with an all star cast and a Langdon Comedy contest. "Know the Traffic Rules" which offers five silver dollars as prizes.

Hoskin Honored at Firemen's Convention

Edward C. Hoskin, chief of the Highland Park fire department, was selected as a member of the state executive board of the Illinois Firemen's association at the close of the annual convention held last week at Waukegan.



Chief Edward C. Hoskin

Lions Club to Hear of Alaskan Trip

At the meeting this noon (Thursday), at the Green Tea Pot, the Highland Park Lions club will hear from one of its own members, Jack Davis, on his experience in Alaska.

He has made several trips up North, most of his travel being made by canoe. Last year the club enjoyed movies of a canoe trip made by Mr. Davis, and looks forward to another interesting meeting this week.

Opening of Highland Meat Market to be Held on Next Saturday

Grand opening of the Highland Meat Market at 8 N. Second street, with "Pete" Loesch and Adam Schmalz as proprietors is announced for Saturday of this week.

Three prizes are offered, tickets for which will be given on every purchase, regardless of amount. First prize will be a 12 lb. Premium ham, second a 6 lb. crown roast of pork and third, a 6' or 7 lb. leg of lamb.

The store will deal in the highest quality meats of recognized brands.

Alcyon Theatre Offers Three Splendid Shows

Theatre goers will see one of the month's best plays at the Alcyon theatre on Friday and Saturday. It is "The Irish in Us" with James Cagney and Pat O'Brian as the featured players.

One does not have to be a lover of Charles Dickens' works to enjoy the screen adaptation of his "David Copperfield," showing on Sunday, Monday and Tuesday at the Alcyon. Freddie Bartholomew, a young English boy who portrays "David" in his youth is excellent in the part. Edna May Oliver is perfect as David's aunt, and W. C. Fields provokes hearty laughter as Micawber.

Sincerity breathes power into "Jalna" which the Alcyon presents next Wednesday and Thursday, depicting the loves, hates and prejudices of the Whiteoaks family, screened from Mado de-la Roche's famous novel. Kay Johnson, Nigel Bruce, Ian Hunter, David Manners and Peggy Wood faithfully act out the book.

Local Masons Will Honor Past Masters

Local Masons are invited to attend a reception and dinner for the Past Masters of A. O. Fay lodge No. 676 A.F.&A.M. from 1870 to 1935. Dinner will be served at 6:30 p.m. and lodge will be opened on the Master Mason degree at 7:45. Past Masters will confer the degree.

Past Masters of the lodge are listed below: "E. B. Rambo, "John Middleton, "O. H. Morgan, "E. B. Weston, "D. M. Erskine, J. L. Day, "D. A. Holmes, "W. H. Wilmot, "K. R. Smoot, "F. B. Burgess, "L. O. Van Riper, "C. G. Phillips, Wm. J. Obee, "A. G. McPherson, "M. T. Culver, Fritz Bahr, "Irving Fisher, C. L. Harder, "W. J. Walter, "W. H. Thomas, F. R. Moon, E. L. Parrish, Henry Ewart, "Paul Roeber, F. L. Young, John Hay, R. Bricknell, Theo Knaak, Gerald Parker, A. Abercromby, M. M. Kutzer, "H. F. Clow, Wm. J. Brown, George Greene, Harold Root, E. C. Ohrmund, Albert Larson, E. C. Bleimel, E. D. Cribbs, R. W. Schneider, "Arthur Hollands, A. H. Stuppel, G. E. Robinson, "Charles Harbaugh.

*Deceased. †Affiliated.

Russell to Open Service Station

The new, modern service station on Skokie highway and Half Day road, being erected by Mr. Roy Russell is nearing completion.

This station will be equipped to give to the best of service in washing, greasing, and lubricating. It will also have a modern lunch room in connection.

Mr. Russell has built this station with the idea of giving the traveling public the best there is in service. Watch next week's issue of The Press for the opening announcement.