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First Monday of Each Month Brings Waste Paper Pick-Up

The first Monday of every month is announced as the day when the waste paper curb pick-up will begin, to continue through Friday of that week.

March 6 is the date for the next collection. The same schedule will be followed as in February.

"Every house in Highland Park will have a pile of paper at its curb on the collection day, we hope," said Mrs. Philip Ringer, division 8 salvage chairman. "And more paper must be saved by everyone if we are to reach the nation-wide goal of 667,000 tons a month needed for peak production of war material, and containers for food, medical supplies, and ammunition for shipment to the battle fronts all over the world."

How to Prepare Paper

To save waste paper for easy handling: Newspapers—fold flat, the way the paper boy sells them, and tie in bundles 12 inches high.

Magazines—tie in bundles 18 inches high.

Cardboard boxes and cartons, from the largest to the smallest—flatten them out and tie in bundles 12 inches high.

Wastebasket paper—empty match packs included—pack down in a bag or box so that it can be carried. Keep a carton for this near desk or some other convenient spot on each floor of house.

The pickup route is:

- Monday, March 6—Vine avenue and north to city limits, east of tracks.
- Tuesday, March 7—Vine avenue to Beach street, east of tracks.
- Wednesday, March 8—Beach street to County Line road, east of tracks.
- Thursday, March 9—Central avenue to County Line road, west of tracks.
- Friday, March 10—Central avenue north to city limits, west of tracks.

World Day of Prayer Will Be Observed Feb. 25 at Y.W.C.A.

Highland Park will observe the World Day of Prayer with a one-hour worship service at the Y.W.C.A., 374 Laurel avenue, on Friday morning, Feb. 25. An invitation is extended to all women. Mrs. Virgil Musser is chairman of the committee planning the devotionals which will open promptly at 10:30 o'clock.

All churches were invited to send representatives to the meeting of the planning committee so that many denominations are represented. Announcements have gone to all women's organizations.

Choir Music

Music by a robed choir will be in charge of Mrs. Lible Hawley and Mrs. Arthur Byfield. Mrs. Gilbert Fuller is arranging the altar. Hostesses from all the churches are on a committee headed by Mrs. Leslie Brand, Mrs. George Hinn and Mrs. Baker Hamilton. Mrs. Orville Wessling's announcement committee, including Miss Laura Cross, Mrs. Clinton Fritsch, Mrs. Harry McCure and Mrs. Everett Fontaine, is sending special invitations to the local pastors, WAC and Wave members, service men's wives, and the Interfaith group.

Arrangements are being made to care for pre-school or younger school age children so that no mother who wishes to come for the hour of prayer will need to stay home because this first Friday in Lent happens to be a school holiday.

This Day of Prayer was originally sponsored by the Council of Women of the Federated Churches.

Open Friday Night Services At Temple With Chaplain Shulman

At North Shore Congregation Israel, Glencoe, on Sunday morning, Feb. 20, Rabbi James A. Wax will speak on "The Controversy About the Houston, Texas, Congregation." The 11 o'clock services are held in the temple, Lincoln and Vernon avenues, Glencoe.

Friday evening services will be instituted at North Shore Congregation Israel beginning February 25. Friday night services in place of Sunday morning will be tried by the congregation until the end of the current season.

Plan Reception

Chaplain Charles E. Shulman, rabbi of North Shore Congregation, will preach the sermon and conduct the initial Friday night services. Chaplain Shulman is stationed at the U.S. Naval Training station at Newport, R.I. A reception in his honor will be given in the temple lounge following the services.

Presbyterian Women Hear Chaplain Jonas At Luncheon Monday

The speaker at the luncheon meeting of the Woman's association of the Highland Park Presbyterian church, Monday, Feb. 21, will be Chaplain Otto K. Jonas, post chaplain at Fort Sheridan. He will speak on "The Work of the Army Chaplain."

Chaplain Jonas is a graduate of the Harvard School of Divinity. He has been on duty at Fort Sheridan since July 25, 1942, where he has carried on the work at Chapel One and supervised the activities of other post chaplains. He now holds the commission of captain.

Prior to entering the army, Chaplain Jonas held pastorates at Springfield and Sharon, Massachusetts. As a student at South Beloit, Ill., his home town, he was active in athletics, setting several track records, and excelling in pole vault and broad jump.

One of the special features of the luncheon meeting will be the presence of a group of women in uniform representing the various activities of women's war work.

The program for the day is as follows:

- 10 a. m., Red Cross sewing—Hospital dressings—Knapsack library.
- 12 noon, Chancel service, conducted by Mrs. Arthur S. Ridenour.
- 12:30 p. m., Luncheon.
- 2 p. m., Program—Chaplain Otto K. Jonas, speaker.

Gas Ration to Be Issued in City

Effective March 1, 1944, all gasoline rations—"A," "B," "C," "D," "E," "R," "T," gasoline deposit certificates, and inventory coupons, will be issued by the Central Issuance office in the Chicago Metropolitan area.

There has been a growing concern over the loss of gasoline ration currency through robberies of ration boards and the Washington office has insisted that Central Issuance offices be established in metropolitan areas for the issuance of all types of gasoline rations.

Black Markets Operate

The Washington office states that robberies of ration boards has to date put 100,834,000 gallons of illicit gasoline into the hands of black market operators. They state that it has proven to be almost impossible to provide adequate protective facilities to the local War Price and Rationing boards, especially when the standards must be continuously raised to meet the more daring criminal attempts. The plan for issuance centers concentrates the problem of safeguarding into one location where protective facilities can be made air tight.

The Local War Price and Rationing boards will retain all their present powers to approve or reject applications, determine the amount and timing of rations, etc.

In order to avoid confusion and delay, it will be necessary for applicants to file their applications for renewal at least ten (10) days before the expiration date of their present rations. This is most important.

Tire inspection records must be attached to the application forms for transmittal to the issuance center.

Call of Child Care Committee Answered By 70; 500 Needed

Seventy Chicago women have responded to the urgent call of the Child Care committee, OCD, for women volunteer child care aides to assist in the patriotic drive of service in war nurseries according to a report from Miss Mary E. Murphy, chairman. Registrations for a special training course, to start March 6 at the University of Chicago and National College of Education, Evanston, are being taken at the Volunteer Office, 53 W. Jackson boulevard. Appointments for interviews should be made in advance by calling WABash 0528.

According to a survey made by the committee, 500 women are needed immediately to serve in war nurseries. Miss Murphy has asked that all Chicago home-makers examine their schedule to see if they can arrange their time to give six hours weekly to this important work on the home front. Volunteers can give service twice weekly in periods of three hours each if they wish.

From Highland Park, Mrs. T. R. Loeb is a volunteer registered for child care course.

GEORGE WASHINGTON'S PRAYER

Almighty God we make our earnest prayer, that Thou wilt keep the United States in Thy holy protection; that Thou wilt incline the hearts of the citizens to cultivate a spirit of subordination and obedience to the government; to entertain a brotherly affection for one another and for their fellow citizens of the United States at large.

And finally, that Thou wilt most graciously be please to dispose us all to do justice, to love mercy, and to demean ourselves with that charity, humility and pacific temper of mind which were the characteristics of the Divine Author of our blessed religion, and without a humble imitation of whose example in these things we can never hope to be a happy nation.

Grant our supplication, we beseech Thee, through Jesus Christ our Lord.—Amen.

Offered by Washington after his first inauguration in St. Paul's Chapel, Broadway and Vesey Streets, New York. This prayer now hangs framed in the pew which he occupied in that chapel.—The Youth's Evangelist.

Fund Raising Campaign Planned By Local Red Cross

Highland Park residents will be asked to contribute \$40,000 to the American Red Cross in the annual fund raising campaign to be held next month.

An effective organization is being groomed under the leadership of Dr. Louis Sherwin, minister of Highland Park Presbyterian church, who has been named chairman of this year's drive. Names of the special gifts committee and other workers will be announced next week.

"In spite of the fact that our quota is 25 per cent higher than the amount collected last year, we have complete confidence that our campaign, under the able guidance of Dr. Sherwin, will be a successful one and our minimum quota of \$40,000 easily met," E. A. Menke, general chairman of the Highland Park Red Cross committee, said yesterday.

League Women Voters To Discuss Post War Employment Feb. 23

"From War to Work," is the subject of the League of Women Voters meeting Wednesday, Feb. 23, at 1:30 at the Community center. Mrs. Edward Mix, state chairman of the department of government and economic welfare, will lead a discussion on post war planning for full employment. League members and anyone interested in attending will take part.

Background material for the discussion is available at the public library. The league particularly recommends the following three articles: "Wanted: 10,000,000 Jobs," Atlantic, September 1943; "U.S. in a New World," Supplement Fortune, December, 1942; "From War to Work," Survey Graphic, May, 1943.

This is the first of three meetings grouped under the heading, "A Look to the Future." Subsequent meetings will deal with delinquency and public health.

Republican Women Hear Dineen Watson at Their Annual Meeting

The Women's Republican Club of Highland Park had its annual meeting on Monday, Feb. 14 at 2:30 p.m. at the home of the president, Mrs. Florence Thomas Dingle, 515 So. Sheridan Rd., at which officers for the coming year were elected. The principal speaker was Mr. Dineen Watson, Republican candidate for U.S. senator from this district. Other members of the club to speak, with their subjects, are as follows:

Mrs. C. W. Balke—"County Affairs and Permanent Registration"; Mrs. Frank O. Paisley—"Importance of the Women's Vote"; Mrs. Arthur F. Vye—"The Soldier's Vote" and Mrs. Norman Meiners—"The 75th Birthday of Highland Park." The meeting was followed by tea.

Leap Year Party Be Sponsored Feb. 19 By American Legion

Service men have been invited to attend the "leap year" party to be given Saturday evening, Feb. 19, by Dumaresq Spencer post of the American Legion in the Masonic temple.

Featured in the evening's floor show will be a tap and toe dancer, a rumba dancer, monologist and a singer who has performed over NBC. Dance music will be furnished by the Novelaires, and there will be stunts suitable to the leap year occasion.

At midnight, a buffet style lunch will be served. Harry Eichler is chairman in charge of the party. All members of the Legion and their wives are invited to attend.

Housewives Urged By Governor to Save Fats

Governor Dwight H. Green has presented to Thomas J. McHugh, executive secretary, War Production board, General Salvage branch, state of Illinois, a statement regarding the needs for increased cooperation between the housewives of Illinois and the meat dealers operating within the confines of our state as follows:

To the Citizens of Illinois:

As Governor of Illinois, I urge housewives and meat dealers of the state to redouble their efforts to salvage used household fats. A larger portion of the used household fats is necessary for the production of explosives, medical preparations, and essential civilian commodities.

Fats are now the nation's No. 1 most critical salvage material. We are not saving enough for our military uses. If we do not increase our supply of fats, we will deprive our soldiers of needed ammunition, medical equipment, and chemical preparations that are so necessary to speed the day of victory.

For every pound of used household fats not saved, a soldier on the battlefields will be deprived of 150 machine gun bullets. For every five pounds of used kitchen fats not saved, a sailor fighting submarines will be deprived of a 100-pound depth bomb charge. Fats are vital materials of war.

The recently announced plan to give two additional brown ration points for each pound of used household fats is a splendid one and should be an added incentive to the thrifty and patriotic housewives of Illinois.

In the past, whenever the nation has called for an all-out effort, Illinois has never failed to respond. As Governor, I urge the wholehearted cooperation of all citizens in the intensified program for the savings of an additional amount of used household fats.

Dwight H. Green, Governor.

War Effort Needs Tin From Tin Containers

"Many people are throwing tin cans in with their garbage," states Andrew Beck, superintendent of streets. "They are then unavoidably burned in the incinerator, and all that irreplaceable tin is lost."

Tin cans must be kept separate from garbage and trash, and given separately to the garbage collector or junior captain.

Prepare Properly

All tin cans properly prepared are sent to detinning plants, where they are urgently needed for conversion into war supplies.

The United States has virtually no native tin ore. The Japanese are in control of about seven-tenths of the tin sources of the anti-Axis nations.

Part of the tin which we count on for continuing the war must come from the nation's homes.

World Day of Prayer

In a year when every nation on earth is feeling unusual pressure and facing an unknown future, it is entirely fitting that on February 25 we observe the World Day of Prayer, using a worship service dedicated to the sharing of one another's burden the world around. Much of the beauty and significance of that World Day of Prayer lies in the fact that Christians all over the world from the Fiji Islands, the first place in the morning, to Alaska, the last place at night, are uniting in a service of prayer.

Regardless of differences in creed, denominations or faith; regardless of whether we meet in groups or pray in the privacy of our own homes, we meet on common ground as we lift our voices in supplication, bowing humbly in the presence of God, the only power strong enough to guide us into tomorrow's world of peace.

War Loan Drive Clears Top And Establishes High Record

Local Legionnaires to Help Veterans to File for Mustering Out Pay

Commander Arthur Johnson of Dumaresq Spencer post, No. 145, of the American Legion announces that Service Officer Ray Hayes will keep the American Legion offices, located at 21 N. Sheridans road, open every evening commencing Monday, Feb. 21, to Friday, Feb. 26, to assist veterans of World War II to file for their mustering-out pay.

1. Veterans who have been honorably discharged.
2. Veterans who have died since discharge (next of kin may apply).
3. Veterans if incompetent, the conservator should file.

Veterans Who Are Not Eligible

1. Veterans who were discharged at their own request for the purpose of seeking private employment, without overseas service.
2. Veterans who spent total period of service as a student at special schools.
3. Veterans who are entitled to retirement pay.
4. Veterans over the rank of captain.
5. Those with dishonorable discharges.

Directors' Board of Ravinia Woman's Club Names Committee

At the meeting last Wednesday, Mrs. Harry J. Van Ornum, president of Ravinia Woman's club, announced that the board of directors of the club had appointed as a nominating committee, Mrs. C. Longford Felske, chairman, Mrs. J. W. Barton, Mrs. Charles F. Grimes, Mrs. J. A. Nelson and Mrs. Gilbert K. Hardsacre to represent the board. The committee will report at the club's March meeting with a slate for the officers to be elected: First vice-president, recording secretary, treasurer and one director, all two year terms, and a corresponding secretary for the unexpired term of one year.

A special feature of the March meeting, in addition to the election, will be a hobby show sponsored by the arts committee in connection with the afternoon program, "Hobbies for Happiness," by Jean Picket Cochran.

Call Mrs. P. B. Garrett, arts committee chairman, H.P. 4233, and she will arrange display space for handicraft or collections.

If You Want to Vote In April Primaries

1. You must be registered.
2. If you have registered since permanent registration came into being you do not have to register again; but
3. If you have moved, you must drop a postal to Mr. J. B. Morse, County Clerk, Waukegan, Illinois, and give him your new address. Be sure to do this in long hand and sign your name.
4. If you have changed your name by marriage or otherwise, you must register again.

The place to register: Mr. Steele's office, 394 Central avenue.

The time to register: NOW through March 11, Monday through Saturday.

REMEMBER: No register, No Vote!

Highwood Legion Back Program for Support of World War II Veteran

Appointment has been made twelve men from Highwood to a state-wide committee by Leonard Esper, Illinois commander of the American Legion, to conduct one of the most important activities undertaken by the veterans' group in a decade.

They are Fidel Ghini, chairman, Paul Musik, Nello Ori, Dr. N. C. Risjord, Fred Tibaldi, Antonio Santi, Gino Menzies, R. Clyde Cameron, Ernest A. Charles, Charles Wickstrand, Louis Sant and Raymond Suzzi.

These men will play an important role in Highwood in arousing general public interest in the campaign the legion has just launched at Washington to spur enactment of legislation especially designed for the rehabilitation of returning veterans of World War II, as well as the care of the dependents of those less fortunate.

Highland Park's 400 block chairmen carried the brunt of the Fourth War Loan, joined A. E. Patton, director, and N. S. Sharp, co-director, this week in bringing the local campaign to successful climax.

Sales of all classes, up to yesterday (Wednesday) totaled \$1,518,377 against the city's quota of \$796,200.

Worthy of particular note, the local War Loan committee points out, is the fact that Highland Park was assigned a quota of \$453,800 in E, F and G bonds to be sold to individual investors.

Total sales in this category during the drive have amounted to \$404,600, or 195 per cent of our city's quota. Sales of E bonds alone, ran 16 per cent of Highland Park's quota of \$376,400.

Outstanding Record

According to finance experts, this is an outstanding record in the face of disappointing reports on E bond sales from other cities and sections of the country.

Final official figures, according to Co-Director Sharp, will not be available until sometime after March 1.

"These figures will be released to us by the Treasury Department," Mr. Sharp said, "but it is certain that the totals will be revised upward."

Success of E Quota

"We are especially gratified in being able to report the success of our bond quota through the response of individual investors. This is an index of our community spirit. Each successive war loan drive has shown an increase in the number of people who realize that the best way to save money is to put it in war bonds."

Particular emphasis was placed on the work of the 400 block chairmen by Director A. E. Patton.

"Under the direction of the division chairmen, this body of men and women have performed an outstanding civic service," Mr. Patton said. "Selling war bonds cannot be done by remote control. It is a job calling for sacrifice of time and a lot of hard work. That they did not shirk their responsibilities is a tribute to their sincere patriotism."

"Plans are now under consideration," Director Patton concluded, "to properly recognize the work done by the block chairmen. Citations for distinguished service signed by Mayor Joseph Garnett, will be given to every worker. This honor was extended to the block chairmen of the Third War Loan."

Special Announcement

An announcement of importance will be made to all block chairmen in a special letter from Co-Director Sharp within the next several weeks, it was stated following a meeting of the local War Finance committee.

A personal tribute for his efforts in behalf of the Fourth War Loan, was paid to Director Patton by Permanent Finance Chairman George Hartman, which was seconded by Nils Clausen of the Lake County War Finance committee.

"Mr. Patton has given many of his days and every evening until almost midnight, to the Fourth War Loan," Mr. Hartman said. "It has been his inspired leadership that has enabled Highland Park to be so successful in both the Third and Fourth War Loan drives. Our community owes him a debt of gratitude."

Lenten Season to Be Observed By Redeemer Evangelical Lutheran

Every Thursday, during the Lenten season, beginning with February 24, the Redeemer Evangelical Lutheran church will conduct mid-week devotions. The Rev. H. K. Platzer will alternate in delivering the messages with the Rev. Paul Mundinger of Glencoe.

The complete series of six sermons will consider the Gospel preached by Isaiah as he pointed to the coming Messiah. Each sermon will take up a particular aspect. The first sermon topic is "The World Redeemer" based on Isaiah 42:1-8 and will be delivered by the Rev. H. K. Platzer.

Swimmers at Meet

The frosh-soph swimming team of the Highland Park high school, winners of nine out of ten meets, will take part in the Suburban Swim meet Saturday, Feb. 19.

LADY VIKINGS PLANS PARTY FOR FEB. 25

Independent Order, Lady Vikings, will sponsor a bingo party Friday evening, Feb. 25, at the Masonic temple at 8 o'clock. Prizes will be awarded.