

Consolidation of District—

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Highland Park should set an example in good citizenship by demonstrating how neighboring school districts could consolidate and operate in unity.

Mr. Avery Jones, who spoke against consolidation, told of the fine job that the 107 school board had always done; of the needs that district 107 itself would have in the future that could be taken care of by its own resources; of the fact that 107 would become a minority group in the consolidated district; and of many of the assets that 107 would contribute to the consolidation.

Mr. Philip Ringer, who favored consolidation, pointed out that in his judgment it made no substantial difference to the tax payers that district 107 had more past assets to contribute to the consolidated district, but that he was only interested in the future operation of the schools. He pointed out that he believed that district 107 could have the services of a superintendent as well as a principal, like at present, at no extra cost to the district. He further thought that new fields of construction could eventually be opened to the consolidated district that 107 could not have alone.

Mr. Horace Vaile, in closing for the opponents of consolidation, stated that he was sure that all of the speakers agreed that everyone in Highland Park wanted the best possible education for their children, and that it had always been the policy of the 107 school board to levy the maximum permissible rate for educational purposes and to spend all or more than the taxes actually collected. He said that his study of the budget of district 107 convinced him that there would be practically no savings in operations under a consolidated district and that any new fields of instruction could only be paid for by eliminating something presently given to our 107 pupils. This was true because everyone had agreed that consolidation in itself would not provide additional funds for either district.

The meeting was then thrown open to questions from the floor. It was pointed out that the City of Highland Park contained more than the two elementary school districts involved in this discussion and the question was asked why all of these districts were not included. Another question brought out the fact that the teachers in the 107 district had overwhelmingly voted against consolidation, and it was further developed that the employing of special service teachers could be shared with 108 even if the districts remained separate entities, as presently 107 had plans to share a special teacher with one of the schools in Lake Forest. Further questions brought out the fact that everyone thought that the 107 schools at the present time were well run and that the children were getting a good education.

Just before the close of the meeting, Mr. Sherer, the moderator, reminded all present that post cards on the question of consolidation were about to be sent out by the P.T.A. council which was composed of the two presidents of the 107 P.T.A.'s and the four presidents of the district 108 P.T.A.'s. The council had agreed that if the majority of persons returning the post card ballots in each district were in favor of consolidation, the present outstanding petitions would be completed and steps taken to hold a vote on consolidation. Conversely if a majority of the ballots returned in either district was opposed to consolidation, then the council would stop the consolidation matter completely. Mr. Sherer urged all present to mark and return their post cards and asked them to pass the information gained at the meeting on to their neighbors and friends.

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Herald Christmas Season At USO-Salvation Army

A Christmas greeting card received recently from Pvt. David Hennessey, stationed somewhere in the South Pacific, heralds the coming of the holiday season. Mrs. G.I. is finding what nice things can be made in our Hobby shop. More power, Mrs. G. I. . . .

Last Wednesday night, week, a soldier boasted of eating six pieces of pumpkin pie. . . . What a man! . . . Soup's on every evening, now, at the unit thanks to Jen's Cozy Nook in Highland Park. . . . We wish to express our thanks to the gracious donors of cookies, cake and other nice things from friends who remember our hungry soldiers. . . . While we have no regular shopping service, we are glad to help service people find articles needed by friends overseas. We have boxes for mailing, too.

BETHANY PHILATHEA TO MEET TUESDAY, NOV. 21

The monthly meeting of Bethany Philathea will be held at the church Tuesday, Nov. 21, at 8 p.m. for the annual election of officers. Movies planned for this time have been postponed until some future time. Hostesses are Mary Sleeman, Mary Umbach, Mabel Vetter, Eloise Weil, Sadie Wessling and Gertrude Zenko.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH (Evangelical and Reformed)

Green Bay at Homewood G. A. Pahl, Jr., Pastor Sunday, Nov. 19— 9:30 a.m. Sunday school and Adult Bible class. 10:30 a.m. Morning worship. Subject: "What Keeps Religion Going?" Thanksgiving Day, Nov. 23— 10:30 a.m. — Union Thanksgiving Day service at the Betanwyng Day service at Bethany Evangelical church, Laurel and McGovern. Sermon by the Rev. Gustav A. Pahl, Jr.

SEE THE NEW GOSPEL FILM "BUILD HIGHER" SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 19 7:30 p.m. Winnetka Bible Church 886 Elm Street A Church for those who love God's Word Community Thanksgiving Service Thursday, November 23—11 a.m.



Fairbanks, Alaska, reports a shortage of ice for home use. Now if they only had Servel refrigerators. . . .

One of our customers recently sent in the following KIND WORDS:

"Our furniture was in storage for over a year and the thing I missed most was my Electrolux box. No service calls on it in over 10 years. We never had enough hot H2O while gone either. Lots here and not expensive."

Printers Ink magazine says "Postal clerks read up, not down. Don't write special delivery or air mail above address. Place all instructions under name of city."

Please suggest and correction in the name, initials, and address used on your gas bill.

Out in California, a new record oil well depth of 15,500 feet has been set.

Because of war uses, butane, a by-product of oil refining, is no longer available to us for gas manufacture. We have switched to use of propane which means an 11% increase in our cost of that portion of gas made with propane. Your rate is not increased.

We need a typist in Winnetka. Good opportunity to learn bookkeeping.

North Shore Gas Co. "THE FRIENDLY PEOPLE" TOM CLARK Manager

WELCOME TO CHURCH

BETHANY EVAN. CHURCH

Laurel and McGovern Lester H. Laubenstein, minister Sunday, Nov. 19— 9:30 a.m. Sunday school in all departments under the general supervision of Dr. E. D. Fritsch. 11 a.m. Divine worship. Rev. Lester H. Laubenstein will speak on "Finding the Lost Book." 2:30 p.m. Special rehearsal for the Bethany choristers. 6:45 p.m. Evangelical Youth Fellowship. Tuesday, Nov. 21— 8:00 p.m. Monthly and annual meeting of Philathea. Wednesday, Nov. 22— 5:00 p.m. Junior class in Christian Education. 8:00 p.m. Senior choir rehearsal. Thursday, Nov. 23— 10:30 a.m. Union Thanksgiving service here. Rev. Gustave Pahl, Jr., of St. John's Evangelical and Reformed church will preach the sermon. Ministers of the co-operating churches will participate in the service. Saturday, Nov. 26—1:00 p.m. Rehearsal of Bethany choristers.

FIRST UNITED EVANGELICAL CHURCH

S. Green Bay at Laurei R. S. Wilson, pastor. Tel. 1731 Thursday, Nov. 16—School of Prayer. Friday, Nov. 17—School of Prayer at 8 p.m. Junior night. Sunday, Nov. 19— 9:30 a.m. Bible school for the entire family. 10:45 a.m. Morning worship. The pastor will bring a Thanksgiving message at this service. 7:00 p.m. Christian Endeavor, Marguerite Spangler leading.

REDEEMER EVAN. LUTHERAN CHURCH

587 W. Central H. P. Platzer, pastor Friday, Nov. 17— 8:00 p.m. Men's club in the assembly hall. Earling Zaeske, will be the speaker. Saturday, Nov. 18— 10:30 a.m. Young People's Bible class. Sunday, Nov. 19— 9:30 a.m. Sunday school. 9:40 a.m. Adult's Discussion group. 10:30 a.m. Morning worship. The nursery staff will care for young children in the assembly hall. 8:00 p.m. Evening worship in Lake Forest. Wednesday, Nov. 23— 10:30 a.m. Thanksgiving service.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST

387 Hazel Avenue This Church is a branch of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.

The Sunday morning service is held at 11 o'clock and the Wednesday evening meeting, which includes testimonies of Christian Science healing, is at 8 o'clock.

Subject of next Sunday's lesson Sermon, "Soul and Body." Small children are cared for during Sunday church service.

Sunday school is open to pupils up to the age of 20 years, and is held Sunday morning at 9:30.

"Thanksgiving" will be the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Thursday, November 23.

The Golden Text is "Thanks be unto God, which always causes us to triumph in Christ, and maketh manifest the savour of his knowledge by us in every place" (II Cor. 2:14).

A free public reading room is maintained by this church at 43 N. Sheridan road which is open daily from 9:30 o'clock in the morning to 5:30 in the afternoon, and on Saturdays until 9 o'clock. On Sunday the reading room is open from 2:30 to 5:30. Here the Bible, and all authorized Christian Science literature, may be read, borrowed or purchased.

Services Saturday for Mrs. Frank Paisley

Funeral rites were held at the Graceland chapel, Chicago, last Saturday, for Mrs. Frank Paisley, 2177 Lakeside place, Highland Park, with interment at Graceland cemetery. Mrs. Paisley was born in England 63 years ago, lived in Canada for six years, then moved to Chi-

cago where she lived until 15 years ago, when she made Highland Park her home.

She is survived by her husband, a daughter, Mrs. Frances P. Snow, of Glencoe, two brothers and one sister.

Sunday Eve. Club

Next Sunday evening the North Shore Sunday Evening club will move for one night to the gymnasium for a lecture by Burton Holmes on "Mexico Today," illustrated by colored motion pictures.

Want Ads

CATERING Large or small parties Good cooks Let us plan your dinner or party. R. C. McCULLOUGH Glencoe 1594

Lost

LOST: Lady's cluster diamond ring. Sentiment. Reward. Ph. H.P. 3025.

For Sale

FOR SALE: Girl's three-piece winter outfit, size 7. Reasonable. Call H.P. 1599.

DAHL'S Auto Reconstruction Co. Dynamic Wheel Balancing Body & Fender Repairing Auto Painting - Blacksmithing 322 N. First Highland Park 77

Advertisement for North Western Gas Co. featuring the slogan 'THERE'S A BREAK IN THE CLOUDS' and 'This Thanksgiving Season, perhaps more than any other, should be a time for giving thanks to a kind Providence for the good things that have come to us.' The ad includes a large illustration of a man and a child sitting on a bench, looking out over a landscape with sheep. The text describes the company's services and expresses gratitude for the support of its customers during the war.