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VILLAGE TO HAVE NEW VEHICLE TAX

Ordinance Read at the Council Meeting Tuesday Provides for Tax on All Vehicles.

In the absence of Mr. Merrilies, who is in northern Wisconsin on his vacation, Mr. Herdman was called on to act as clerk at the regular meeting of the board of trustees held in the village hall Tuesday evening.

The first part of the meeting was taken up with the reading of communications and the granting of building permits. A resolution was passed to purchase new equipment for the street department using the balance of a fund that had been donated by some of the citizens for the upkeep of the village in general. It was decided to purchase three horses and a suitable number of substantial wagons. In order to properly house the new property it was decided to build a small barn on the village property at Linden and Oak streets.

Upon motion made by Trustee Northrup and passed by the other trustees, the men who have been serving on the police force for more than one year will be given two weeks' vacation with pay. The only men who will profit by this are Officers Joe Pekarski and Val Uedelhofen.

An ordinance for a tax on all vehicles was read and posted and will no doubt go into effect in the near future. The tax for all vehicles as provided for in the ordinance is as follows:

- One horse vehicle, \$3.
- Two horse wagon or vehicle, \$6.
- Three horse wagon or vehicle, \$9.
- Four horse wagon or vehicle, \$15.
- Six or more, \$20.
- Motor bicycles or tricycles, \$2.
- Automobiles or motors of 35 H. P. or less used for the transportation of people, \$10.
- Automobiles or motors of more than 35 H. P., exclusive of trucks, coaches or buses, \$18.
- Auto trucks, coaches and buses, \$20.
- Auto delivery wagons used for light delivery and conveying loads of less than one ton, \$15.

AT CHRIST CHURCH.

The Rev. F. D. Budlong, rector of St. Marks church, Boston, and the father of Rev. Frederick G. Budlong the rector of Christ church, will be the special preacher at the eleven o'clock services at Christ church Sunday, August 3.

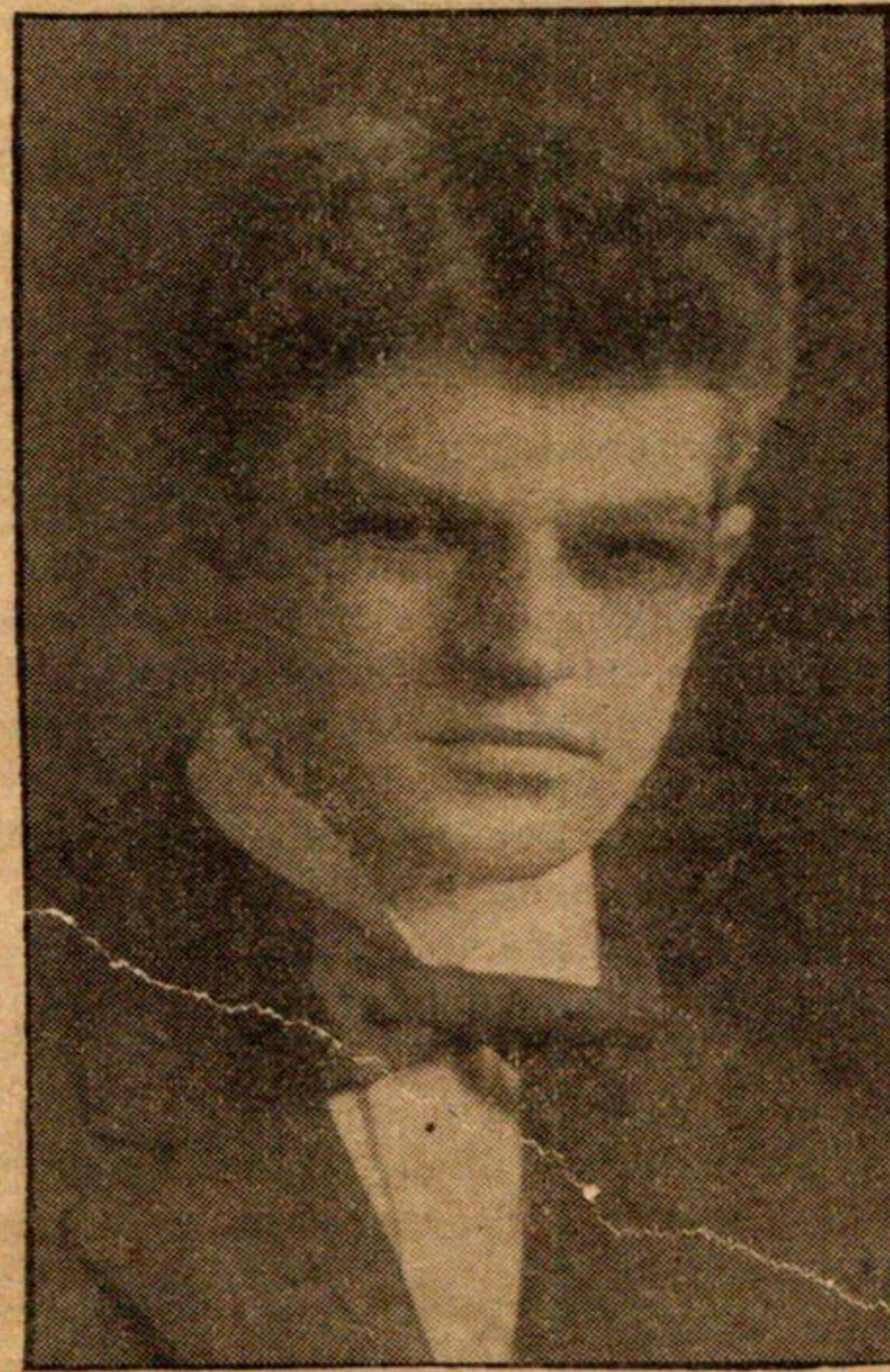
SAVES UNKNOWN MAN.

Life Saver Tom Johnson had a busy time at the public beach last Sunday keeping trace of the bathers in the rough sea. He saved the life of an unknown man by rescuing him from the undertow.

WINNETKA'S NEW POSTMASTER TAKES CHARGE OF POSTOFFICE



Elmer E. Adams.



Arthur M. Klopfer.

Arthur M. Klopfer, Winnetka's new democratic postmaster, assumed his duties Saturday, succeeding E. E. Adams, who has been in charge for the last four years. Postmaster Klopfer has for the last thirteen years been employed by the Chicago and Northwestern Railroad company in Chicago. When he left the company's employ he was chief clerk in

the telegraph department. With his family he resides at 325 Linden street, Winnetka.

Mr. Adams has been named manager of the Winnetka Plumbing and Heating company, successors to John D. McKay. The new concern is an independent corporation and looks for success by giving its patrons the right kind of treatment.

PULMOTOR IS GIVEN TO VILLAGE BY HUBBARD WOODS WOMAN

Through the generosity of Mrs. John A. Jameson, of Hubbard Woods, the village of Winnetka now has an Edison pulmotor installed for use to resuscitate lake victims. The donation was made last week and the life-saving machine immediately placed in the fire station in that village. A telephone call to Winnetka "O" will bring the pulmotor for drowning, asphyxiation or any other accidental case, where there is a spark of life left.

The gift by Mrs. Jameson probably is one of the most practical donations that could be made to a village, especially to a municipality on the lake shore. Being the mother of three sturdy sons, Mrs. Jameson said that she felt impelled to make the gift so that it would be possible to revive victims of Lake Michigan and in other accidents.

"My sons like to go in bathing and I feel much safer when I know that the machine is accessible. I suppose that the mother instinct prompted us to make the gift, but I want every-

body to use and get all the benefits possible from the machine."

Such thoughtfulness is seldom witnessed as is shown in the donation by Mrs. Jameson. She has already received the thanks of scores of citizens for providing the costly machine, and no doubt she will be repaid on the first instance it is put in use successfully. It is the only life-saving machine along the north shore at present, between Highland park and Evanston. However, Wilmette has a lung motor ordered, which will be installed shortly.

A test of the machine was made Saturday night at the Winnetka village hall before the physicians and an interested crowd of villagers. It worked perfectly.

The Village has purchased a new wagon for the use of the Water and Light department. The decided change in appearance between the old wagon used and the new one deserves open comment.

RAVINIA CLUB MEMBERS ENJOY MANY PRIVILEGES

Mrs. C. G. Bolte Tells How One May Become Affiliated With the Ravinia Club.

By Mrs. Charles Guy Bolte.

The Ravinia Park organization has undergone such a complete transformation during its checkered career that a few words of explanation to the Dear Public are not untimed.

At present the organization is represented by two distinct branches, the Ravinia Company, and the Ravinia Club. The former is composed of men only, with Frank R. McMullin as president and Louis Eckstein as the moving spirit. These two are backed by a strong executive committee and Board of Directors.

The Ravinia Club is the Woman's branch of the organization and its membership consists of women, although mere man may attain membership upon presentation of proper credentials and the necessary ten dollars. In fact, everybody is welcome to membership in the Ravinia Club and the only qualification required are good will to the club and the payment of ten dollars in dues, which entitles the member to a book of forty coupons, each coupon being transferable and good for one admission to the park, while single admission costs thirty-five cents. The cover of the coupon book admits bearer to the entertainments which are given at the Ravinia Theatre every Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock and also admits one to the directors' meeting, which is held at 11 a. m. each Thursday in the Ravinia Casino. At this meeting all subjects conducive to the welfare of the Park and the comforts of its patrons, the main objects of the Ravinia club, are discussed.

The Thursday meeting of the club is followed by a luncheon served at 50 cents per plate, to which all members are invited. And, by the way, Mr. Welch has resumed management of the Casino, so that it is once more possible to obtain a palatable meal, well served, at the Park.

The Ravinia Club has charge of the Thursday afternoon special entertainments which precede the concert and which are free to the club members; others are admitted upon payment of 25 cents.

The Club is also responsible for the much needed toilet and rest rooms which are now being equipped in the space under the south end of the bank of seats facing the Stadium. This rest room will probably be opened to the public next week.

The Junior League is another branch of the Ravinia Club which has been started this year and which promises to be of great benefit to Ravinia Park in years to come, because

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