

The Public Forum

March 1st, 1922.

To Winnetka Property Owners:

The preservation of Winnetka's trees, both on private and public property, is a matter which should be of deep interest, not only to the Village authorities, but to every property owner whose home is made more beautiful and attractive by the presence of trees.

A survey of the entire village recently made by the Village Forester, Mr. Thomas J. Lynch, has revealed a really serious condition due to the presence of oyster shell scale, cottony maple scale and tussock moth. This menace can only be removed by the general spraying of all infected trees in the community. After a careful consideration of a report to the Village Manager by the Village Forester, supported by an independent investigation by the Department of Agriculture of the State of Illinois, we are convinced that the condition warrants an official statement by the Village Council, through the Committee of Streets, Drainage and Forestry, and we, the undersigned members of such Committee, desire to endorse the action of the Village Forester in urging property owners to properly protect their trees. This work has been commended also by the Village Improvement Association.

A list of licensed firms competent to handle tree spraying can be obtained on application to the Village Office. The Village Forester will inspect the trees of any property owner, and will furnish information relative to spraying, without charge.

The co-operation of a large number of property owners has been secured in this work, but the proper protection cannot be obtained unless spraying of trees on private property can be made general throughout the village. There is no disposition on the part of the Village authorities to force property owners to protect their trees, but it is desired to impress upon our citizens that the welfare of our trees is in danger, and that proper preventive measures can be taken at very small expense.

It is hoped that this public statement of the position of the Council in this matter may result in a general co-operative movement to combat the tree pests which have caused the loss of many valuable trees in other communities.

Yours very truly,
Walter F. Wallace, Chairman.
Harriet W. Huddle
J. D. Pierce
STREETS, DRAINAGE AND FORESTRY COMMITTEE.
Winnetka Village Council.

Mrs. Willoughby G. Walling, of Private road, left this week for a two week's outing in Florida.

BIBLE CLASS SOCIAL EVENING BIG SUCCESS

A rousing evening of genuine good-fellowship marked the first social evening held under auspices of the recently organized and already full fledged Sunday Morning Men's class at Community House Thursday of this week.

The program was provided by the

famous Apollo quartet, a group of singers who have recently been secured for Radio-concert work.

The class, which had its inception about three months ago, has grown in membership from less than twelve men to a present roll approaching the 100 mark. It is the aim of the class officers to bring the membership up to 300 within a few months.

Meetings are held every Sunday morning at Community House beginning promptly at 9:45 o'clock, and terminate in time to permit the men

to attend services at the churches of their choice.

William Ayer McKinney is the class leader. Prominent leaders in various fields of activity are frequent speakers at the class meetings. Every man in Winnetka has a standing invitation to attend the class session and place his name on the membership roll.

Mr. David Lasier, 721 Lincoln avenue, has gone east on a three week's business trip.

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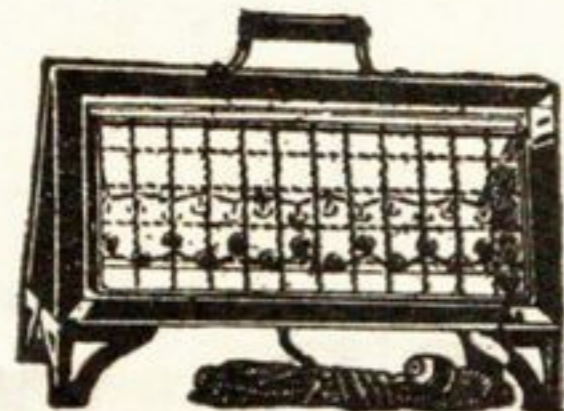
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VILLAGE OF WINNETKA NOTICE OF ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that a GENERAL ELECTION is to be held in the VILLAGE OF WINNETKA on **TUESDAY, APRIL 4th, 1922**, for the purpose of voting for the following officers:

**THREE VILLAGE TRUSTEES
ONE VILLAGE TREASURER
ONE VILLAGE CLERK
ONE VILLAGE MARSHAL AND COLLECTOR
TWO VILLAGE LIBRARY TRUSTEES**

That for the purpose of holding said election the Village of Winnetka shall be divided into four election districts or precincts as follows:

PRECINCT NO. 1—Shall be bounded on the north by the north limits of the Village, on the east by Lake Michigan, on the south, east of the Chicago and Northwestern Railroad, by the center line of North Avenue; on the south, west of the Chicago and Northwestern Railroad, by the center line of Fig Street, and on the west by the westerly limits of the Village.

That the office occupied by Wm. Aitken, located at 1065 Gage Street, in the Village of Winnetka, is hereby designated as the polling place in PRECINCT NO. 1 for the purpose of holding said election.

PRECINCT NO. 2—Shall be bounded on the north, east of the Chicago and Northwestern Railroad, by the center line of North Avenue; on the north, west of the Chicago and Northwestern Railroad, by the center line of Fig Street; on the east by Lake Michigan, on the south by the center line of Elm Street, and on the west by the westerly limits of the Village.

That the office occupied by Clark T. Northrop, 556 Center Street, in the Village of Winnetka, is hereby designated as the polling place in PRECINCT

NO. 2, for the purpose of holding said election.

PRECINCT NO. 3—Shall be bounded on the north by the center line of Elm Street, on the east by Lake Michigan, on the south by the center line of Willow Street and on the west by the westerly limits of the Village.

That the office occupied by Thomas J. Lynch, located at No. 2 Prouty Annex, in the Village of Winnetka, is hereby designated as the polling place in PRECINCT NO. 3, for the purpose of holding said election.

PRECINCT NO. 4—Shall be bounded on the north by the center line of Willow Street, on the east by Lake Michigan, on the south by the southern limits of the Village, and on the west by the westerly limits of the Village.

That the store known as Indian Hill Inn, located on Winnetka Avenue near Wilson Street, in the Village of Winnetka, is hereby designated as the polling place in PRECINCT NO. 4, for the purpose of holding said election.

That for the purpose of said election the polls shall be open at the respective polling places above mentioned at the hour of six o'clock A. M. and shall remain open from such hour until the hour of six o'clock P. M., on the said fourth day of April, 1922.

STELLA WINSLOW, Village Clerk