

URGE NECESSITY OF LARGE VOTE TUESDAY

Contest for Office of Marshal and Collector Adds Zest to Village Ballot

Tuesday, April 6, is election day in Winnetka.

Four village trustees are to be elected—three for two-year terms—one for one year. In addition, a village treasurer, a clerk, a marshal and collector, and two library trustees are to be elected.

The Village ticket chosen at the caucus on March 15 is contested in only one office the village marshal and collector. Theodore Flynn, the choice of the Village ticket and the present incumbent, is being opposed by Daniel Connolly, running as an independent.

What might otherwise be a quiet and uneventful election is thus given an issue that promises to make the balloting an interesting one, with a much larger vote than would otherwise be the case.

Important Issue

Members of the Village Caucus committee, in support of their candidates, have appealed to the voters of Winnetka pointing out that the contested office is a much more important one than is apparent on the surface. The village marshal and collector, according to the committee, is not only responsible for the collection of considerable sums, but legally also has authority over the village police force, though, by common consent, that authority has not been exercised during recent years. Theodore Flynn, the Caucus candidate, has held the office for a number of years and, as pointed out by the Committee, has served satisfactorily and has fulfilled two important pledges made before each election and now renewed:

1. To waive the 2% collection fees on all Village special assessments to which he would be entitled by law, accepting, instead, a small fixed salary.

2. To permit the Village council to direct the Village police force.

The opposing candidate, according to the Caucus committee, has not publicly, nor as far as they know privately made these pledges or any other calculated equally to benefit the public. The committee also stresses the fact that it has been the accepted practice in Winnetka for many years for the office to seek the man, rather than the man the office. It ascribes to this well-settled policy the past excellence of our Village officials, and the complete absence of partisan politics and attending abuses so common in American municipal affairs.

The complete list of candidates for the various offices is as follows:

Village Trustees, (Two-Year Term)

(Three to be chosen)

Donald F. McPherson
R. H. Schell

Carl J. Easterberg

One-Year Term

Mary Langworthy

Village Treasurer

William E. Davis

Village Clerk

Stella Winslow

Village Marshal and Collector

(One to be chosen)

Theodore Flynn

Daniel Connolly

Library Trustees

Edward R. Lewis

Dudley K. French

The polls will be open Tuesday morning at 7 o'clock, and will close at 5 o'clock. Polling places are as follows:

Where to Vote

District No. 4—Office of F. A. Reid, 954 Linden avenue.

District No. 5—Glenetka garage, 917 Linden avenue.

District No. 6—Community House, 620 Lincoln avenue.

District No. 7—Clark T. Northrop office, 556 Center street.

Township Supervisor Opens New Offices

Offices of the New Trier Township Supervisor, Mrs. Gertrude M. Thurston, have been established in the new Village hall at Winnetka. The office telephone number will be Winnetka 2500.

The township office will be open daily to all persons having any business to transact with the supervisor. It will also be the meeting place for the regular monthly sessions of township board of auditors.

Tuesday Storm Brings Death to Winnetka Youth

A portion of the roof of a box car standing on the siding in the railroad yards in Winnetka, was whisked into the street during the storm Tuesday afternoon, striking Melville Stephen Dean, the eleven year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Melville C. Dean, of 1109 Gage street, Winnetka, on the head, killing him instantly.

The accident occurred about 5 o'clock as the Dean boy, in company with Clarence Dahl, a son of Mr. and Mrs. John Dahl, of 988 Linden avenue, also of Winnetka and William Danby, Jr., a son of Mr. and Mrs. William Danby, of 285 Woodlawn avenue, Glencoe, were returning to their homes from attending a picture show at Community House, Winnetka.

They were passing along what is known as Team road, on the east side of the Chicago and North Western tracks and were at a point a short distance north of Pine street, when the accident occurred. The Dahl boy was also struck by one of the timbers but was not injured.

The body of Melville Dean was removed to the Scott chapel, 1022 Davis street, Evanston, where the coroner's inquest was conducted Wednesday afternoon and where funeral services will be held this afternoon at 3 o'clock, conducted by Dr. J. W. F. Davies, of the Winnetka Congregational church. Burial will be at Memorial Park cemetery.

Besides the parents, two brothers, Warren and Robert and four sisters, Dorothy, Muriel, June and Betty, survive.

ELECTED TO CIRCLE OFFICE

The Walden Road circle held its annual meeting at the home of Mrs. Frederick Hinkel, Monday. Bridge was the diversion of the afternoon after the short business meeting, during which the following officers for the ensuing year were elected: Mrs. H. D. Hill, chairman; Mrs. Robert Mehren, program chairman; Mrs. Lyman Weld, treasurer; Mrs. Ralph Buteau, sewing committee; Mrs. William Clark, secretary.

District No. 8—Parish House, Oak street, just west of Linden street.

District No. 9—R. A. Hoagland office, No. 2 Prouty Annex.

District No. 10—North Shore Country Day School, 301 Forest street.

District No. 11—E. E. Stults realty office, 460 Winnetka avenue.

District No. 24—Ilg's Florist Shop, Center and Pine streets.

District No. 25—Winnetka Fire department, Ridge avenue and Ash street.

In connection with the election it is pointed out that new residents in the village can combine their vote with an opportunity to register for this and the other elections which follow at later dates, since the judges of the Village election will be the same as those who will preside at elections to follow.

GIVE FINAL CONCERT

Fantasy for Piano and Orchestra Offered in Final Appearance of Symphony Players

The last concert of the season by the Symphony Players, George Dasch, director, will be given Tuesday evening, April 6, at New Trier auditorium. On this occasion a Fantasia for piano and orchestra, by Helen Sears, will be heard for the first time in this vicinity, with Agnes Hope Pillsbury at the piano.

This composition in its present form had its premier in April, 1925 at Memorial hall, Washington, D. C. It was played by the Navy orchestra and Miss Pillsbury. The composer conducted.

Miss Sears was born in Chicago and has lived in Kenilworth since the founding of that village by her father. She studied in Berlin with Jedliczka for two years. Later she worked in Paris with Moskowski Duvernoy and Harold Bauer. Her theoretical work has been done in Chicago under the tutelage of Adolf Weidig and J. Lewis Browne. In recent seasons Miss Sears has worked at the MacDowell Colony at Peterboro, N. H.

The soloist, Agnes Hope Pillsbury, is a native of New England, born in Bangor, Maine. After studying piano for a number of years in Boston, she went to Vienna where, for four years, she was a pupil of Leschetizky. She has taught piano in Chicago for the past fifteen years and for several seasons has had charge of the music at Notre Dame summer school. Miss Pillsbury has given numerous recitals in both New York and Chicago.

Tuesday evening's program will be as follows:

- Symphony No. 4, D. Minor, Opus 120
Robert Schumann
- Introduction—Allegro
- Romanza
- Scherzo
- Finale
- Fantasy for Piano and Orchestra Helen Sears
- Intermission
- Symphonic Poem, "Phaeton" Camille Saint-Saens
- (a) "Evening in the Mountain" (Opus 68, No. 4) String Orchestra, Oboe and Horn (Oboe obbligato played by Alfred Barthel) Edward Grieg
- (b) "Country Dance" (From Opus 63) String Orchestra Edward Grieg
- Duet for Flute and Clarinet, "Entr'acte" (Opus 12) (Alfred Quensel. Played by Alfred Quensel and Sam Evenson.
- Overture, "Carneval" (Opus 92) Antonin Dvorak

Service Men Will Hear of War Risk Insurance Matter

H. E. Malloy, chief of co-operation, division of Insurance at the Veterans' Bureau, Chicago, will speak Monday night, April 5, before Winnetka Post No. 10, American Legion on the subject, "The Conversion of War Risk Insurance."

All war risk insurance must be converted by July 3, 1926, which allows only three months for more than a million persons to convert their insurance. The subject of Mr. Malloy's talk is of immediate importance to every former service man who kept up his government insurance. All former service men in Winnetka are invited to attend this meeting which will be held in the Legion room at Community House beginning at 8 o'clock.

Preceding the meeting, members of Winnetka Post will have dinner together with Mr. Malloy as their guest. The dinner will be at the Community House at 6:30 o'clock. All men wishing to attend the dinner are requested to notify A. A. C. Gedge, 543 Lincoln avenue, Phone Winnetka 1544.

TITO SCHIPA OPENS MUSIC CLUB SEASON

World Famous Tenor to be First Artist in 1926-27 Program of Artist-Recitals

Tito Schipa, the celebrated tenor, who opens next year's series of Winnetka Music club Artist-Recitals, was born at Lecce, Italy. Schipa's parents thought him destined for the priesthood. But at an early age he broke away from his religious studies and entered the conservatory at Lecce for piano study. He then became an accomplished musician and composer before his voice matured, after which he took up singing in the same institution.

He made his debut in "La Traviata" in southern Italy. He won such repute in the smaller cities that he was called to Milan, where he again made his debut in the same opera and also sang in "La Sonnambula" with Mme. Galli-Curci.

He thereafter went to Spain, where his fame as a tenor was supplemented by the introduction of some of his compositions by the Royal Symphony orchestra of Madrid. For his great art he was decorated by the king of Spain. He has likewise been decorated by the king of Italy. From Spain Schipa traveled to South America, where he duplicated the laurels he won in Italy and Spain. From Buenos Aires he came to Chicago, making his debut, again with Galli-Curci, as premier lyric tenor of the Chicago Opera company, where his outstanding achievements have established him as one of the truly great personalities of the music world. He was a great favorite at Ravinia last season.

Schipa has a tremendous operatic repertoire which alone would have made a career great enough for almost any tenor. But he was not satisfied. That difficult branch, concert singing, appealed to him irresistibly. It is perhaps, the hardest branch of all. Alone on the stage the artist must make each song a picture without the aid of brilliant costumes, scenery, orchestra, or action. Yet in that field Schipa has also secured phenomenal triumph. This is his fourth season in concert work, in which field he is possibly even more popular than in opera.

Renewals of subscriptions for next year's series of these recitals was taken during the last concert two weeks ago. While the series is not yet fully subscribed, it will soon be oversubscribed. Those who dislike disappointment should send in their subscriptions at once to Mrs. Bessie Grant, at the Winnetka State Bank.

North Shore Art League to Hold Spring Showing

The North Shore Art league will hold its annual dinner and exhibition at the Winnetka Community House on Thursday evening, April 15, it was announced this week. The affair will be held in the Rudolph Matz hall. Each producing artist or sculptor will be limited to two works never before publicly exhibited, it was said, due to the lack of space. After the dinner a noted artist from Chicago will lecture and the exhibition will be viewed. The election of officers will be held at the May meeting. The league announces that John Bryn well known Chicago sculptor, is to start a class in modeling for beginners and advanced students about June 20. Those wishing information about the class may telephone Winnetka 554, it was announced.

LOSES BROTHER BY DEATH
Lloyd C. Whitman of Hill road, was called to Boston this week by the death of his brother, Bayard Whitman, in that city.