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ASK VOTERS TO APPROVE SCHOOL EXPANSION PLANS

Board to Submit Building Program, Caring for Increased Enrollment, April 14

At a special meeting of the Board of Education held Thursday evening in the Skokie School the general plans for a comprehensive building program for the quadrennium just beginning were finally discussed and passed upon, and in response to petitions received, an election was called for Saturday, April 14, at which time the voters of the village will be given the opportunity to authorize the Board of Education to issue the necessary bonds for carrying out this program.

Embraces Whole Village

The program embraces all parts of the village. It calls for the completion of the unfinished parts of the Greeley School. It calls for the building of a gymnasium at the Hubbard Woods School, the only school in the village which does not now have any indoor play facilities, and for the ultimate addition of four more class rooms to the Hubbard Woods School. It calls for the addition of a new unit at the Skokie School, to provide additional library facilities, a cafeteria, shops, showers, locker rooms, and new classrooms, to take care of the rapidly increasing enrollment. Finally it provides for the erection of a new school on the Northwest site already owned by the Board of Education, west of Grove and south of Edgewood Lane extended (formerly Prairie Avenue).

While the program as a whole was adopted Thursday night, detailed plans for the buildings and additions have not been finally passed upon, although blue prints by Hamilton, Fellows and Wilkinson for the Hubbard Woods gymnasium and the Skokie addition are in the hands of the Board of Education.

"The most rapid growth in the village is taking place in the northern part at the present time and particularly in the northwest," Superintendent Washburne explained. "This necessitates a more extensive building program in this part of the village than in the southeast, where population is increasing slowly and where there are actually extra rooms available in the Greeley School."

Expansion at the Horace Mann School is no longer possible on account of the full use of the school property, the limited play space, and the construction of the present building. Increased growth in the Horace Mann region will have to be taken care of by the Skokie School and by Hubbard Woods and Greeley it was explained.

Vote on Five Proposals

President Ballard explained that it was not the intention of the Board to build all these units at once, but that a comprehensive program for the entire quadrennium had to be considered in connection with each building, even when the buildings were built or added to only one at a time, gradually as needed. "The approval of the voters of the entire bond issue is necessary," he said, "in order to let the

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Prof. C. W. Braden to Speak at Men's Class Hour Sunday

Professor C. W. Braden of Northwestern university will be the speaker at the Men's class of the Winnetka Congregational church Sunday morning, April 1, and for several successive Sundays.

The series of talks will deal with the great non-Christian religions of the world. What, if anything, have these religions to offer to Christian people of Christian communities, is expected to form an important consideration. Professor Braden's initial talk will be a general survey of the subject. Subsequent dates will be devoted to specific religions. Those who have heard Professor Braden are aware that he not only speaks from a thorough knowledge of his subject, but that he presents it in most lively and interesting fashion.

There will be no meeting of the class on Easter Sunday, but meetings will be resumed as usual on the following Sunday, April 15. The hour is 9:30 a.m. The class invites all men to its meetings.

Christ Church Guild to Hold Meeting on Monday

The monthly meeting of the Woman's Guild and Auxiliary of Christ church will be held Monday, April 2. The meeting will begin with a Celebration of the Holy Communion in the chapel at 9:30, at which Dr. Arthur Rogers, rector of St. Mark's church, Evanston, will make an address on "Mary and Martha." The usual sewing meeting will follow this service, after which luncheon will be served at 12:30. At 1:15 o'clock the women of the parish will meet for their last session of the Lenten Study class, under the leadership of Mrs. Joseph Halstead of Evanston.

The rector's Bible class will be held on Wednesday morning of next week at 10 o'clock at the home of Mrs. George S. Parker, 200 Linden street.

\$3,000 OUTSTANDING

Community House Fund Campaign Secures \$9,000 to date, while Ultimate Goal is \$12,000

Captains and canvassers in the Community House annual maintenance campaign have thus far turned in slightly more than \$9,000. A considerable proportion of the prospective contributors have been seen, but there are still many who have not subscribed, due to absence from the village or other causes.

The goal at the beginning of the campaign was \$12,000, and the finance committee is still in hopes that the remaining \$3,000 may be secured from persons both old and new, in the community, whom the canvassers have been unable to see. The committee requests that such contributions be mailed or taken to Community House, George Wolf, treasurer. If information is desired, phone Mrs. J. D. Pierce, assistant treasurer at Winnetka 2281 or call up your zone captain.

The list of zone captains is as follows:

1. Erskine Wilder, 1011 Hubbard lane.
2. Charles L. Byron, 768 Foxdale avenue.
3. Glen C. Bull, 500 Maple avenue.
4. Benjamin J. Kellum, 429 Maple avenue.
5. Robert W. McKisson, 490 Hawthorne avenue.
6. Lee Walker, 458 Sunset road.
7. Robert S. Hammond, 1217 Asbury avenue.
8. William T. Bacon, 860 Auburn road.
9. F. B. Thomas, 680 Walden road.
10. Harry A. Craig, 592 Provident avenue.
11. A. C. F. Gedge, 1106 Elm street.
12. Paul O. Macqueene, 1034 Ash street.
13. Joseph H. Brown, 350 Forest avenue.
14. John N. Ott, 17 Indian Hill road.
15. Business district: Hubbard Woods, Herbert W. Paulson, 1155 Chatfield road; Winnetka, William Wersted, 562 Lincoln avenue; Indian Hill, Edward A. Anderson, 566 Center street.

Announce Passion Week Services at Local Church

Special services in commemoration of the last week of Christ's earthly life will be held in the First Scandinavian Evangelical church, 886 Elm street, Winnetka, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of Passion week. The service on Wednesday evening will be conducted in the Swedish language, the Rev. Hjalmar Ekblad of Chicago speaking. The pastor will speak on Thursday evening on "The First Communion Service," after which the Lord's Supper will be observed. On Good Friday the theme will be "Christ Crucified."

William J. Fisher to Return Home April 3

William J. Fisher, 388 Chestnut street, Winnetka, a member of the Chicago Civic Opera company, is expected to return home on April 3 from the west, following a tour with the Opera company which started in Chicago last January and extended through the east, south and western parts of the United States.

DON'T FAIL TO VOTE AT VILLAGE ELECTION

Next Tuesday Is the Day to Cast Your Ballot for Our New Village Officers

Tuesday, April 3, Winnetka will hold an election of its own, entirely separate and distinct from the general primary which will be held a week later, or on April 10.

It is important that the citizens of Winnetka should note that there are to be two balloting, for otherwise there is the likelihood that there will be confusion and many will miss the opportunity to vote for Village officers because of the greater publicity which is being given to the general primary.

"We wish very much to have all of the citizens of Winnetka vote next Tuesday," said Mr. Ralph Snyder, chairman of the Village Caucus, "because we believe that they owe it to the candidates who have so willingly agreed to give of their time and energies to the service of the Village during the next two years. While there is no active contest of the ticket which the Village Caucus has nominated, there is a great moral benefit to the candidates and to the Village in having an active demonstration of interest by the citizens whom they will serve."

Here are the Candidates

The candidates nominated by the Village Caucus and to be balloted upon election are as follows:

Village Trustees—Carl Easterberg, William B. Moulton, R. H. Schell.
Village Clerk—Stella Winslow.
Village Treasurer—William E. Davis.
Village Marshal and Collector—Theodore Flynn.
Police Magistrate—(to fill unexpired term)—Byron A. Nelson.
Library Trustees—Carrie B. Prouty, H. A. De Windt.

A specimen ballot showing the ticket is shown elsewhere in this issue of WINNETKA TALK.

The polling places for next Tuesday's election are as follow:

The Polling Places

District 4—Polling place, F. A. Reid, 954 Linden avenue, Hubbard Woods.
District 5—Polling place, Henry Klauke's, 917 Linden avenue, Winnetka.
District 6—Polling place, Community House, 620 Lincoln avenue.
District 7—Polling place, C. T. Northrop's office, 556 Center street.
District 8—Polling place, Christ Church Parish House, Oak and Linden streets.
District 9—Polling place, store at 8 Carlton building.
District 10—North Shore Country Day school.
District 11—Polling place, Shelter House in Indian Hill station park.
District 24—Polling place, Ilg's Florist shop, 857 Pine street.
District 25—Polling place, Fire station, Ridge avenue and Ash street.

SHOW VOTING FILM

Mrs. John N. Vander Vries, president of the Winnetka League of Women Voters, announces that a one-minute film on "The Importance of Voting" will be shown with the motion picture at Community House Tuesday evening, April 3, in preparation for the Primary vote. The feature film that day is Ken Maynard in "The Wagon Show."

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