

# WINNETKA TALK

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## VOTE TOTAL HERE TO SHATTER ALL RECORDS

### Hoover Destined to Receive Overwhelming Majority in New Trier, Say Dopesters

With another political campaign drawing rapidly to its close, voters in New Trier township are destined to shatter all previous high percentage voting records at the polling places Tuesday, November 6. That this unprecedented ballot will register an overwhelming majority for Herbert Hoover is universally admitted by local political dopesters.

Virtually all of the campaign activity in the township has been confined to the state and county tickets, the only marked exception being Winnetka's very own battle over the relative merits of the two Presidential nominees. In this village the women have taken charge of the campaign during the past few weeks, established Hoover and Smith headquarters and solicited support under the banners of the Women-for-Hoover and Women-for-Smith clubs, respectively. It has been a merry fight with the Hoover adherents obviously destined to have the better of the deal when the ballots are counted.

#### Wind Up With Rally

Winnetka's campaign, insofar as speech-making is concerned, terminated with a great rally last evening, marked by an old-fashioned torchlight parade, headed by a band, which assembled at the Village hall and proceeded to the Woman's club building where such notable pro-Hoover speakers as Catherine Waugh McCulloch, president of the Illinois Woman's Enforcement league, noted lawyer and leader in the Democratic party; Congressman Morton D. Hull, and U. S. Senator Frederick Steiwer were scheduled to speak. Outstanding Winnetka leaders on the speakers' program were John R. Montgomery and Frederick Copeland.

Wilmette launched considerable activity in the final weeks of the campaign, the Republicans and Democrats each establishing headquarters. Several meetings have been held, the speakers being, for the most part, state and county nominees.

#### See Big Hoover Majority

That New Trier will roll up a tremendous majority for Hoover is a foregone conclusion, according to local Republican leaders, who also predict that Glenn, Emmerson, and the entire Republican state ticket will not be far behind the standard bearer. The only exception noted in this connection is the recent movement toward Floyd E. Thompson, Democratic candidate for governor. Mr. Thompson spoke before a crowded house at Winnetka last week and appears to have a sizable following from within the Republican ranks along the shore.

Of especial interest to New Trier voters is the letter sent out this week by the New Trier Republican committee, comprised of precinct committeemen and other leaders, making unqualified endorsement of candidates in the county election who in the primaries were aligned against the Crowe-Galpin-Eller faction which suffered all but complete obliteration at that time.

The letter shows the New Trier  
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## Get Out the Vote!

That is the slogan of the Winnetka Women Voters' league in its busy preparations for intense activity on Election Day next Tuesday.

The league members have completed a well defined organization designed to get every eligible Winnetka voter to the polls next Tuesday.

To secure an accurate record of the results of their efforts, the league members will maintain a painstaking check of every voter entering the polling places on Election Day.

Winnetka has a two-fold interest in achieving a high vote percentage next Tuesday. The primary purpose, of course, is to imbue every citizen with a sense of patriotic duty, while a secondary, but none the less important, objective is that silk flag award of the Winnetka Izaak Walton league to the New Trier Village which polls the highest percentage of its qualified vote next Tuesday.

The village winning the Izaak Walton flag three times becomes permanent possessor of the coveted trophy. To date Kenilworth has twice taken the award, while Winnetka has topped the field on one occasion. It will be an uphill battle for Winnetka to wrest the prize from Kenilworth this year since the unprecedented registration augurs an exceedingly close contest. But, Winnetka revels in just such a fight. The Winnetka Women Voters' league will see to it that the Izaak Walton league award comes back to our village.

The league wishes to announce that automobiles will be available throughout the day next Tuesday to carry voters to the polls. Such transportation may be obtained by calling Mrs. A. M. Ferry, Winnetka 716.

## Busy Campaigner



Mrs. Robert Gay, 938 Sheridan road, has been having an extremely important part in the activities of the Winnetka Women's Hoover-for-President club. As vice-president in charge of headquarters at 571 Lincoln avenue, Mrs. Gay has assumed a heavy responsibility in these hectic days of campaigning.

## Auction Dwyer Home Today to Provide School Play-ground

The house on the old Kate Dwyer property on the northwest corner of the Horace Mann school block will be sold at public auction at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon. The Dwyer property was acquired recently by the Winnetka School board for the purpose of enlarging and beautifying the Horace Mann school grounds. The following letter concerning the auction today has gone out to all parents in the village from Carleton W. Washburne, superintendent of schools:

"Please don't forget the auction on the Dwyer property on the southeast corner of Elm and Birch streets at 2:30 Saturday afternoon. You will remember that the Board of Education is trying to sell this house which it acquired with the property, in order that it may use the proceeds toward grading and repairing the newly acquired playground and improving the old.

"Miss Dwyer's house will be open for inspection all day Saturday up to the time of auction."

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## 3,000 VILLAGERS ROMP AT HALLOWE'EN PARTY

Just Read on, You Few Who Weren't There, and See What a Great Time You Missed

By Beth Stutson

Who-o-o, Who-o-o-ee, crash! The witching hour of 7:30 has come and the doors of Community House are opened to three thousand little spooks, witches, and... "Limbs of Satan" that usually roam abroad on Hallowe'en night.

They had been gathering in the church yard since 6:30 o'clock that night, the babble of their high-pitched voices stirring the workers inside locked doors to feverish activity so that the sprites would not be disappointed in having the thrill of a lifetime when the doors opened.

Before they could quite catch their breath after shoving through the door, the Pied Piper in the guise of a Scotchman carrying a bag-pipe and dressed in kilties, plaid, socks, and spats led the way into the gymnasium to the six-ring circus there. Two young contestants seated on a slick log held up with wooden horses belabored each other with a punching bag until one fell off and the victor was awarded with a stick of candy. The tight rope offered a challenge to all, though it sent many a patron unceremoniously sprawling onto the floor.

#### Chamber of Horrors

But oh, the chamber of horrors! What a challenge it offered to the most mischievous, the bravest, even the most hard-boiled small boy and girl there. A blindfold, a swift slide down a shoot, only to be scooted through a long tunnel with all kinds of hard things in it, prickly electric shocks, cold water, burning paint... all over within five breathless minutes, and the brave sat down to watch his comrade come through. Sat down? Only to rise again from a shockingly wired bench.

In the room of mystery the younger set of the village fished for dimes and nickels that never came to the surface, and tried to stick arrows in a hole for a stick of candy. After these disappointments, the victims had to walk the plank for their lack of skill. First aid in room two, right across the hall!

The gentler, though wetter sport of apple bobbing, used up three crates of Jonathans. A whole load of favors was disposed of, though the recipients had to go through the horror of squeezing the hand of a man who had walked the plank seven years ago in the south seas.

#### Just Kids Again

For the older generation, who had to come along just to see that the children were safe, you know, there was a man with a real gazing crystal, and a real gypsy with her corps of assistants. For the tiny tots there were many attractions such as an old witch who really wasn't as bad as she looked and who went around putting jelly beans and candy corn in the palms of all the little children. You can't be too careful about these witches, though, they have such awful faces.  
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