

## COUNTY APPROVES ROAD BOND ISSUE

**Majority of 474 in Favor with  
Very Light Vote Out; Vote  
By Precincts**

Lake county in Tuesday's special election approved a bond issue of \$1,250,000 for road construction. The vote was very light, with only 8608 votes being cast in the county, according to unofficial count; of these 4541 were for the bond issue and 4067 against. The majority for the proposition was 474.

The proposition was defeated in Waukegan township, and Shields township gave a majority against it. In Deerfield township it carried by a small majority.

### Minority Vote

A normal vote for Lake county is approximately 20,000 and a presidential election will bring out 30,000 votes.

The county, as a result of the election, will advertise at once for bids on the bonds and then for contractors' bids on the first sections of 37½ miles of road to be paved with proceeds of the issue.

Later, an additional 24 miles will be paved with monies refunded by the  
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## Ravinia Garden Club Entertains Saturday

The Ravinia Garden club entertained five neighboring garden clubs last Saturday afternoon at its annual Guest day meeting in the Village house. Members from the Glencoe, Deerfield and Bannockburn garden clubs, Highland Park Community Garden class and Highland Park Garden Study club attended, and Mrs. James Cady Ewell, president of the Ravinia Garden club with Mrs. C. C. Brackett welcomed the guests and introduced them.

Mrs. Maud Jacobs of the Garfield Park Conservatory gave a splendid talk on "Continuation of Bloom in the Garden." Mrs. Jacobs, who always has so much valuable information to impart, is a great favorite among gardeners and they welcome every opportunity of hearing her.

A group of lovely songs, beautifully sung by Mrs. E. Christenson added greatly to the afternoon's program.

Refreshments followed, and Mrs. Frederick Fisher and Mrs. C. C. Brackett poured. The delicious cakes and cookies that were served were all donated by members of the club. Mrs. H. J. Lynn was in charge of the refreshments.

The meeting was considered one of the largest and most important of the year and its success is due mostly to Mrs. E. Gleason, program chairman.

## Little Girl Dies Here; Funeral Held Yesterday

Geraldine Theresa Clark, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Clark, 296 Prospect avenue, died April 30. She was born November 30, 1927. The cause of death was meningitis of non-epidemic type, according to the certificate of death. The funeral was held Wednesday and burial was in Graceland.

## Annual Pantomime May 10 by the Pupils of Mildred Haessler

The Court of King Cole, a Mother Goose play, will be the fifth annual pantomime to be given by the dance pupils of Mildred Haessler in the Ravinia auditorium Friday, May 9, at 4 p. m., and Saturday, May 10, at 8:15 p. m.

With costumes designed by Mrs. James Cady Ewell and a number of lines also devised by her, the production is expected to be as beautiful and fascinating to children and adults alike as in former years.

Students of nursery rhyme lore will find novel explanations in the course of the dance performance of such hoary problems as why the Knave of Hearts stole the Tarts and how it was Little Bo-Peep found her sheep. These and many other Mother Goose incidents have been incorporated into the pantomime with the addition of a few speaking parts for the child participants, who come from Highland Park and Ravinia homes.

Children of the community are selling tickets for the two performances, the proceeds from which are intended for the piano fund of the Ravinia auditorium. To stimulate the ticket sale Mildred Haessler has offered several prizes. The first is a full year's dance tuition to the child selling the most tickets. The second prize is tuition for one term.

In former years the annual performance has been repeated during the summer season on a children's afternoon at Ravinia Park. Last year the pantomime was entitled The Toy Shop. Others have been The Sleeping Beauty and Cinderella.

## Reads Own Poetry at Ravinia Woman's Club

At the April meeting of the Ravinia Woman's club Rowena Bastin Bennett read some of her recent poems inspired by our own beautiful Skokie valley, where she lives. Perhaps some Isaac Walton leaguer may respond to the plea expressed in the following poem:

### Will Not Some One Save the Skokie?

Will not some one save the Skokie,—  
Some one who is wise and rich,  
Lift his hand and halt the ditch,  
Ere the mother-marsh is dry  
And her lovely babies die,  
Ere the mother is made slave,  
Forced to nurse a race less brave?  
Will not some one save the Skokie?  
Rowena Bastin Bennett.

## Resumes Duties at North Shore Gas Co.

Gregory M. Sheahan, assistant division manager for the North Shore Gas Co., has resumed his duties with the company, having recently undergone an operation for appendicitis. His many friends will be glad to learn that he is able to be around again.

## Card Party May 8 Is Benefit Affair

A card party will be given by the ladies of St. James church, Highwood, Wednesday evening, May 8 at eight o'clock in the parish hall. This is for the benefit of the building fund. Bridge, 500 and bunco will be played with attractive prizes for each game.

## CIRCUIT THEATRE'S FINAL PRODUCTION

**"Lady Next Door" to Be Given  
in Highland Park May 15;  
Lake Forest 23rd.**

"The Lady Next Door," the final play of the season by the Circuit Theatre association, will be presented Thursday evening, May 15, in the Woman's club auditorium, Highland Park, and on Friday evening, May 23, in Durand institute, Lake Forest. In Highland Park reserved seats may be secured on and after May 8, at Pease's drug store, and in Lake Forest at Kraft's drug store on and after May 16. Subscribers are reminded that their season tickets will be valueless after this performance.

"The Lady Next Door," is a comedy of the home life of the average American citizen, written by Elmer Rice of "Street Scene" fame, is to be the fourth and last production by the Circuit theatre of the current season, and the managers of the association prophesy that it will close the season in an enthusiastic manner.

A cast composed entirely of North Shore residents is busily rehearsing for the production. Samuel S. Otis, vice president of the association and director of January's production of "The Return of the Soldier," is directing the cast, and, though several of the actors and actresses are new to the Circuit theatre stage, their ability enables them to give this real comedy a very interesting and complete production.

A very important role in the play is that of "Sister" Graham. "Sister," who is but fourteen years old, is what is commonly known as a spoiled child,  
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## Scout Hobby Show and Court of Honor Friday

The Highland Park Court of Honor and Hobby Show will be held this Friday, the 2nd, at 7:30 in the Elm Place school auditorium. Scouts throughout town have been working for the past month in getting together their varied hobby displays. On the Court of Honor program many awards will be given, the outstanding of which will be the Eagle Scout badge awarded to Dick Wickman of troop 33. He is the fifth Eagle Scout in his troop.

The programs will also include several short stunts, a ceremony of the Boy Scout and a short talk and other features. The interesting program is expected to draw a large crowd of city folks and scout parents. Everyone is urged to come.

## Fell Bros. Putting on Special Sale for Boys

Boys who wish to please mother on Mother's Day will take a little extra pains with their clothing. Fell Brothers are making this possible with an unusual sale for boys. Full details will be found on another page of this issue.

### Rummage Sale

The Ladies Aid of the Grace Methodist church are to hold a rummage sale May 14 and 15 at the store just south of Benny the Tailor, Waukegan avenue, Highwood. Come early and avoid the rush.

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