

PLAYGROUNDS SHOW GROWING ACTIVITY

Indications That This Season's Attendance Will Exceed Last; Features

The summer will see a great increase in activities at the playgrounds of the various parks in the Highland Park East Park district. It has been found in the past that these playgrounds offered parents a wonderful opportunity to have their children well taken care of during the summer months, and the well-directed play activities of the children are a great stimulus to their development. The playgrounds are equipped with accessories for all kinds of games, and there is room for everything. The games are organized with a view to getting all the children engaged in some form of good physical exercise and developing initiative and skill.

Center of Activities

At Sunset park, which is a center of activities, the grounds are equipped for baseball, volley ball, tennis, horse-hoes, archery, track and field events, soccer, handicraft work, and a wading pool which is also used for beginning swimming classes. The directors organize hikes and picnics, and take the children to the beaches on Tuesday and Friday afternoons. Thursday afternoons will be spent at Ravinia where the weekly children's concert takes place.

Mr. Edw. M. Laing, the superintendent of parks for the Park board, has taken care to select for directors people who have had experience in

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Legion Carnival to Be Big Affair Next Week

The American Legion carnival to be held Thursday, Friday and Saturday of next week, July 3-4-5, in Sunset Park, promises to be one of the biggest events ever staged here. The committee announces many attractive features with numerous awards, including a Ford car.

There will be dancing every evening, with a splendid orchestra furnishing the music. If you have not planned anything for July 4th, don't forget the carnival in Sunset Park. The Legion needs your support. Why go out of town to mingle with crowds where you won't enjoy yourself when you can have one, two, or three days of real pleasure right here at home?

"Magic" Ford to Have 2nd Appearance Here

Today, tomorrow and Saturday, June 26, 27, and 28, the local Ford agency will have on display, the "magic Ford." This is a most wonderful performance which no one will want to miss. The "magic" Ford will do anything you tell it to do, in other words it is "the radio brain."

This will be its second appearance at Highland Park, the popularity of its first visit having created so much interest among Highland Parkers that it was thought worthy of a return visit.

Dedicate Rosenwald Memorial in Ravinia With Suitable Rites

Last Tuesday evening the Rosenwald memorial, situated at Roger Williams and St. Johns avenues in Ravinia, was presented to the city of Highland Park in memory of Mrs. Julius Rosenwald, who died last year. The ceremony was simple but impressive, and a large crowd attended it. This memorial, which is on the southeast corner of the main intersection in Ravinia, was designed by Jens Jensen, a landscape architect of note, who has his residence in Highland Park. The memorial consists of a large boulder, brought, according to Mr. Jensen, from near Madison, Wis., resting beside a pool lined with rocks, with flowers and shrubs planted in close natural harmony around it.

Mrs. Gertrude Deimel, president of the North Shore Garden club, presented the memorial to the Highland Park East Park district. It was presented as a beauty spot not only for those who love natural beauty now, but also for Mrs. Rosenwald, who always loved it. Everett Millard, president of the park board, accepted the memorial for the board. The park board plans to do some additional planting around the memorial, and it will be kept well-planted and neat.

Postmaster Schneider Re-Appointed for 3rd Term; Senate Confirms

Postmaster Hugo Schneider yesterday received a telegram from U. S. Senator Otis Glenn of Illinois, stating that the senate had confirmed Mr. Schneider's reappointment as postmaster at Highland Park. This marks the beginning of Postmaster Schneider's third term.

Earphones Ready For Deaf at the Alcyon

The installation of earphones for the hard of hearing, at the Alcyon, was completed this week and the instruments are available for public use starting Monday.

To insure its patrons every comfort, the installation was made in the Mezzanine. There will be no extra charge for the use of phones, which are equipped with separate volume controls.

The Alcyon, according to manager Strauss, is the first and only theatre on the North Shore to be equipped with this latest of modern inventions. Reservations for phones and seats may be made a day or two in advance in order to avoid disappointments.

A. P. Henkel Pilots Ship in Air-Tour

The all-state Indian air-tour completed their trip last Saturday with a ship piloted by a Highland Park pilot. There were 32 airplanes in the tour and they all completed the trip of 1200 miles in 12 hours without accident or injury to anyone.

The Highland Park ship owned by A. A. Henkel, with the inscription "Henkel Edge-lite Corporation of Chicago" was piloted by Allmen P. Henkel.

RAVINIA PROGRAM FOR COMING WEEK

Following Splendid Opening Indications are For Most Successful Season

Having enjoyed one of the most brilliant openings in its history, Ravinia opera is now well under way for the season of 1930, and there is every reason to believe that interest in this unusual operatic institution is now keener than it ever has been in the eighteen years it has been in existence. Splendid things have been



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promised for this, the nineteenth Ravinia year, and judging from the offerings which have been given during its first week, there is every indication that all past records will be broken during the weeks that are to elapse between now and the first Monday night in September.

The opening performances were galas in every meaning of that word and were attended by distinguished patrons of music drama, not from the Chicago metropolitan district alone, but from many parts of the United States and Europe. Otto H. Kahn, chairman of the board of directors of the Metropolitan Opera at New York, was among those present for the performance of "La Campana Sommersa" on the opening night, this having been the eighth time that he has attended a Ravinia opening as the guest of Mr. Eckstein.



MARIO CHAMLEE

Much in Store

There is much in store that will intrigue the interest of all opera lovers.

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Ermine Cleaners Enter Into Retail Field

Ermine Cleaners have just installed some new equipment including the Glovers system of reclaiming and repurifying naphtha. By the use of this system clothes are left oilless in the process.

The plant has been enlarged and about a year ago the business expanded into the retail line. Heretofore the business was conducted on a strictly wholesale basis. There are now retail stores maintained in Winnetka, Wilmette, Glencoe, Waukegan, and Highland Park.

The business was established in 1921 and has grown greatly within the past nine years. Mr. Otto Fisher is president of Ermine Cleaners.

Observe 400th Night

400th night was observed by Highland Park Chapter No. 226, R. A. M., last evening. The attendance was very good. C. A. Sanborn, high priest, is working hard to make this a memorable year in the lodge's history. All members are urged to help him.



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