

### "Life with Father" Continues Long Run At Blackstone Theatre

"Life With Father" will continue the seven remaining weeks of its scheduled engagement at the Blackstone Theatre, with Lillian Gish and Percy Waram in the leading roles, Producer Oscar Serlin announced in New York today.

"We would like to set at rest any rumors that Miss Gish will leave the cast of 'Life With Father' before the completion of our run in Chicago," Mr. Serlin said. "Her present contract to appear in 'Life With Father' does not expire until June first, and as there is no thought of altering or cancelling this contract, there can be no question of her leaving the company at the Blackstone Theatre.

"This statement is made necessary by repeated news stories to the effect that Miss Gish has accepted an offer to appear in a motion picture version of 'Ladies in Retirement,' and that the start of production on that picture would necessitate her withdrawal from 'Life With Father' before the completion of its Chicago run. It is now likely that the picture will be deferred pending Miss Gish's availability or that someone else may be selected to play the part for which she was under consideration. That is something we are in no position to determine.

"With only seven weeks more to play before breaking every long-run record in the history of the Chicago theatre, and with thousands of playgoers still planning to see the comedy before its departure on May 24th, we have our hearts set upon carrying it on to the brilliant conclusion of its 66 week stay.

"Miss Gish will be at liberty to go to Hollywood on June first, if she so desires. In the interim, we are taking the necessary steps to obtain the services of an equally distinguished actress who will appear in the role vacated by Miss Gish after June first.

"The Chicago company of 'Life With Father' subsequently will fill the 40 weeks of touring time that has been laid out for it."

Mr. and Mrs. Armando Scornavacco, 550 Railway avenue, are visiting in Medford, Wis., with relatives and friends.

Armand Renassii, Highwood, is a surgical patient at the Victory Memorial hospital, Waukegan.

Mr. and Mrs. Wysocky and children visited relatives in Somonauk this week.

Paul Muzik, 132 Highwood avenue, Highwood, is a surgical patient at the Victor Memorial hospital, Waukegan.

Highwood will observe Clean-up Week the week of May 5. Three days of the clean up program will be given over to Wards 1 and 2 and the last three days centered on Wards 3 and 4.

CHICAGO AND NORTHWESTERN RAILWAY announce a change in train schedules effective Sunday, April 27th. For full particulars see Ticket Agent.

### Mrs. Mary Viventi, Highwood, Buried

Mrs. Mary Viventi, 63 of 246 Burchell avenue, Highwood, died Friday night in Lake County General hospital. She had been in ill health for more than a year. Funeral services were held Monday morning in St. James church, Highwood. Members of the Highwood Fire department, of which Mrs. Viventi's son Guido, is a member, attended the services in a body, dressed in their uniforms.

She was born in Rome, Italy, and came to the United States 35 years ago. She was prominent in the affairs of St. James church.

Surviving are her husband, Stanley; a son, Emil Nanni, by a previous marriage, Guido, Anton and Elvira, all of Highwood.

### FORT SHERIDAN COLUMN

Mrs. Lotus Beaver, Fort Sheridan, is a surgical patient at the Victory Memorial hospital, Waukegan.

Fort Sheridan is to have three new chapels. Each one will seat 400 soldiers, and will cost \$21,220. They will be constructed on the reservation within the next 30 to 90 days.

Officers and enlisted men of the 50th signal battalion, who have been in winter training at Camp McCoy, Wis., since November 14, have returned to their home station, Fort Sheridan, for summer training.

Lieut. Col. Karl E. Hocker is now in command of the 61st coast artillery. He succeeds General Homer, who, since his promotion from Colonel to Brigadier General, has assumed command of the Fort. Col. Hocker comes from Fort Leavenworth, Kansas.

### Joseph P. Card Dies in Virginia

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon at the Highland Park Trinity church for Joseph P. Card, 36, of Saxe, Virginia, former Highland Park resident. Rev. Christoph Keller will officiate.

Mr. Card passed away at his home, Sylvan Hill Farm, Monday. Death was very sudden. He is the son of Mrs. Mary F. and the late Joseph B. Card, of this city.

He is survived by his wife and two sons, William Joseph, 7, and Michael, 4; three sisters, Mary F. Card and Ruth Dorothy of Highland Park and Katherine Sutherland Campbell, Los Angeles, California, and a brother, Richard, Terra Haute, Indiana.

### Modenese Society To Hold Banquet Sunday

The Modenese society of Highwood, will hold their thirty-fifth annual banquet and entertainment, Sunday afternoon, April 27, at two o'clock at the Labor Temple.

An interesting entertainment of singing and tap-dancing has been arranged for the afternoon by chairman Second Natta. Mayor Charles Portilia of Highwood and Mayor Frank Ronan of Highland Park have been invited to attend.

### Arrow Petroleum Company Opens North Shore Branch in Wilmette

Arrow Petroleum Company announces the opening of a North Shore office at 1126 Central Avenue, Wilmette.

Continued expansion of their business enables this organization—the largest distributor of fuel oil in the middle west—to bring its vast facilities—well known to Chicago and surrounding territory for 16 years—to North Shore users. For many years Arrow has been serving thousands of customers throughout Chicagoland with their requirements. Six bulk plants, strategically located throughout the territory and a new marine terminal (at which plant alone 15,000,000 gallons storage is under construction) enable them to serve users, large and small, by tank truck transport, tank car, or barge.

The Arrow Petroleum Company is a pioneer in the fuel oil business and consequently has met the test of time, acquiring an invaluable fund of experience that is reflected in a superior service to you.

Arrow brings to the North Shore a reputation for friendly service that will be a distinct asset to this community.

Mr. Howard E. Hanson, who has spent many years with Arrow and who is well experienced in the fuel oil business, is in charge of the North Shore branch.

The Arrow Petroleum Company of Wilmette takes great pleasure in announcing the appointment of Siljestrom Coal and Ice Company as its local sales agent. This company has been engaged in the fuel business in Highland Park for the past forty years.

### SANTI INJURED IN FALL

"Sony" Santi, bartender at a Highwood tavern, suffered two cuts on his forehead and one on his chin, plus a swollen eye, suffered in a fall against a peanut machine in a Highwood cab office. He was taken to the Highland Park hospital for treatment by Robert Smith, 313 Ashland avenue.

### WAUGH DIVORCE

A divorce was granted in Lake County Circuit court Thursday to Suzanne Waugh, 300 Washington street, Highwood, from Odell Waugh. The Waughs were married August 1929 and separated August 1939. She waived all claim to alimony. Her maiden name, Suzanne Saari, was restored.

### HIGHWOOD OFFICIALS

Mayor Charles Portilia of Highwood has named the following city officials: City collector, Joseph Scassellatti; City Attorney, Bernard Juron; Chief of Police, John DeSmidt; Fire Chief, Ollie Englund; Street Superintendent, Louis DiPalma, and Water Superintendent, Floyd Peterson. All the city officials, with the exception of Scassellatti, who is replacing Thomas Russell, who resigned, were reappointed.

Dr. N. C. Risord, 304 Railway avenue, Highwood, has been appointed general chairman of the Highwood Red Cross. Announcement of the appointment was made by James B. Forgan, chairman of the Chicago chapter, American Red Cross.

### Clay, Lakeview Avenue Designated Arterials

Clay and Lakeview avenues, Highwood, were named arterial streets, at the meeting of the Highwood council Friday night. These streets were designated arterials so that they might be improved with gas tax funds.

James Anderson, city engineer, was instructed to work out plans for a W.P.A. project to pave these streets and install watermains, sewers and sidewalks. The work can be done as a WPA project with gas tax funds providing the city's share of the cost, which is probably the way it will be handled. Anderson was also instructed to investigate the possibility that army officials at Fort Sheridan might offer that the work be done to improve the health of the reservation, which is adjacent to the two streets, and to provide another entrance to the Fort.

Thomas E. Russell, Jr., city collector, submitted his resignation at the meeting, and the council voted him an extra two weeks pay. His resignation is effective May 1.

### Evelyn Frankovich Dies

Little Evelyn Frankovitch, eight, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Frankovitch, 220 Washington avenue, Highwood, died at St. Therese hospital, Waukegan, following an appendectomy, Friday. Requiem high mass was sung at St. James church at 9:30 Monday, with Father John Ward officiating.

She is survived by her parents and a brother, Raymond, 11.

### Bonds and Stamps Go on Sale May 1st

The United States Defense Savings Bonds and Postal Savings Stamps will be placed on sale in the Highland Park Post Office at the opening of business on Thursday, May 1, as part of the national effort to make America impregnable.

The new Defense Savings Bond is similar to the familiar "Baby Bond," of which more than five billion dollars worth have been bought by more than two and a half million Americans since 1935.

To illustrate, a \$100 face value Defense Bond may be purchased on and after May 1, for \$75. In ten years, this bond will be worth \$100. This is an increase of thirty-three and one-third percent, equal to an annual interest return of 2.9 percent, compounded semi-annually. Any time after sixty days from date of purchase, the bond may be redeemed for cash, in accord with a table of redemption values printed on the face of the bond.

For the smaller investor who wants to buy a Government Bond on an easy payment plan, the post office will have a new series of Postal Savings Stamps, at 10c, 25c, 50c, \$1 and \$5. Each purchaser of any Savings Stamp higher than 10c will be given, free of charge, an attractive pocket album in which to paste his stamps until he has enough to buy a \$25 bond or one of higher denomination. Thirty million of these albums in a very attractive design are now being prepared.

Thus, even boys and girls, who save a dime or quarter, can buy the new Defense Savings Stamps, and thereby safeguard their own money and help their country.