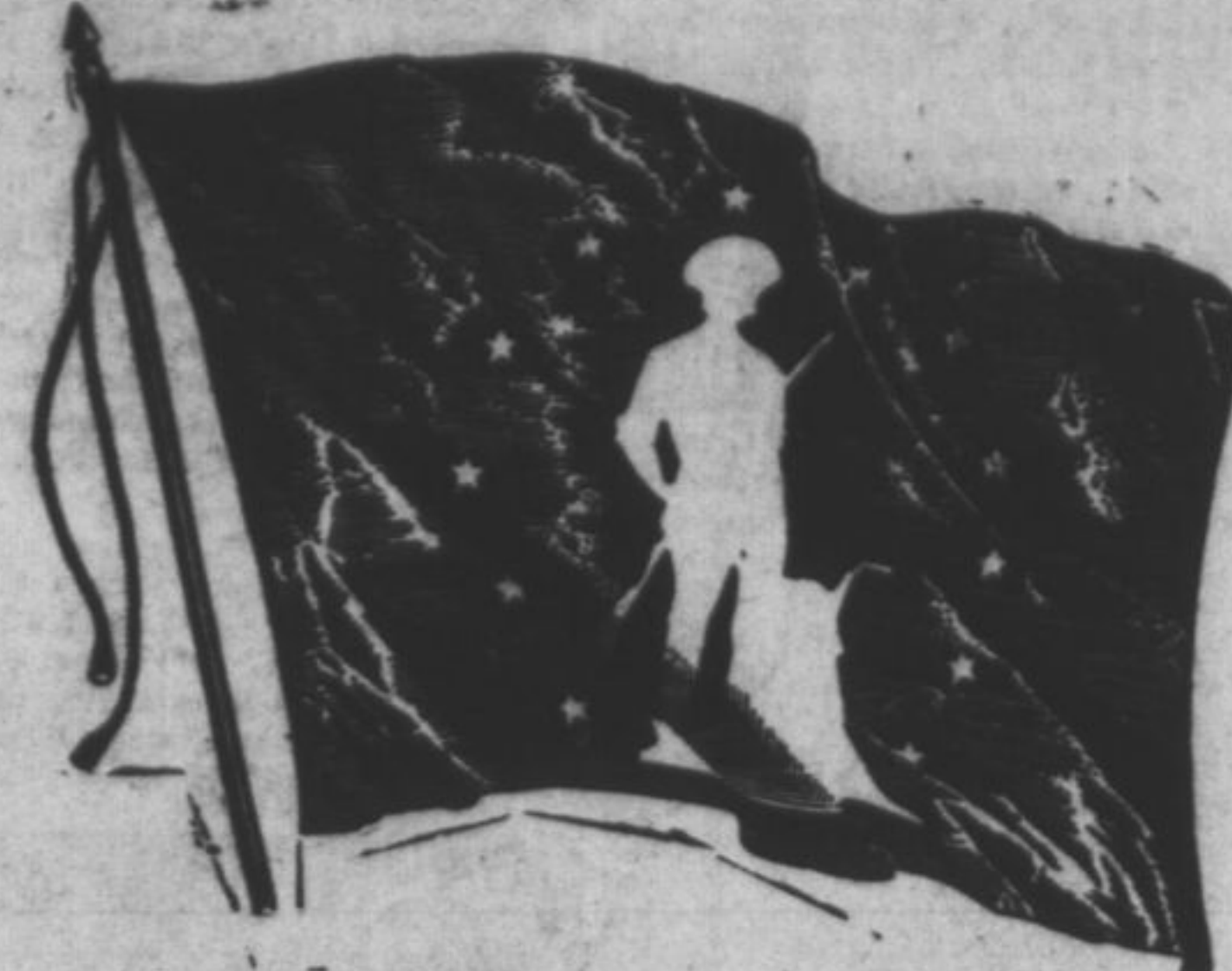


SYMBOL OF PATRIOTISM



MINUTE MAN FLAG HERE.—This is the new Minute Man War Bond flag, designed by the Treasury Department for firms and organizations which attain more than 90 percent participation in War Savings Bonds purchases by their employees or members through a systematic purchase plan. The Minute Man is embossed in white on a blue background, surrounded by thirteen stars, representing the Nation's thirteen founding States. When companies, labor unions, and other organizations top the 90-percent figure, they will receive a special Minute Man Certificate of Award signed by Secretary Morgenthau, the State Administrator, and the State Chairman of the War Savings Staff, the Treasury Department announced. This certificate entitles the recipient to fly the flag, which is being manufactured in various sizes and is sold by licensed suppliers at a nominal price.

Victory Week June 7

Every one of the eight days from June 7 to June 14, the period proclaimed by Governor Dwight H. Green as "Dedication to Victory" week in Illinois, will have its own special name and meaning.

June 7, the opening day, has been named "Unity Day." More than five hundred local councils of defense throughout the state will take part in the day's activities. Special church services are being planned.

At 1 P. M., on June 7, Governor Green will deliver a "Unity Day" address over a statewide radio network. At 1:24 P. M. bells will ring and whistles blow as signal for traffic to halt at 1:25 P. M., exactly six months after the first bombs fell on Pearl Harbor, and for all persons to pause for one minute and face the West in silence.

Other days of the week are designated as follows:

"Home Heroes Day"

Monday, June 8, "Home Heroes day"—All men and women of past wars and of the present war will be given tribute on this day. Honor rolls will be unveiled in public squares and buildings, and other veteran activities will be staged. Arrangements are being made for parades, band concerts, community gatherings and minute speeches in theaters.

Women's Dedication

Tuesday, June 9, "Women's Dedication Day"—Dramatic acknowledgment will be given to the role of women in our war effort. The ceremonies will reach their climax in the special tributes paid the mothers of sons now in the armed services and to Gold Star mothers of men who made the supreme sacrifice in this war or in the first World War. Women's clubs, war relief organizations, Red Cross units and other women's war effort organizations will take part.

Youth Dedication

Wednesday, June 10, will be featured as "Youth Dedication Day." Boy and Girl Scout troops, 4-H Clubs, Future Farmers of America and other youth organizations will parade or assemble in demonstration of their part in America's war effort and their contribution toward the building of a better and safer world in future years.

Farm and Industry

Thursday, June 11, "Farm and Industry Day" is being planned for and dedicated to agriculture and industry. Noon patriotic meetings will be held at individual plants, culminating in community assemblages in the evening. Farm programs are being planned for simultaneous observance by farm advisers and farm groups.

Labor-Home Front

Friday, June 12 will be "Labor and the Home Front Day." The close collaboration of labor and business in war work on the home front will be emphasized. Labor organizations, local

Safety Week June 7

The State Safety Lane equipment of the Division of Highways for the inspection of motor vehicles will arrive in Highland Park and be installed on the east side of First Street, north of the C and N. W. freight house, from June 8 to 13 inclusive.

By special arrangement with the state of Illinois, a complete unit of the state equipment will be in operation each afternoon and evening and all private car owners in Highland Park may have their car tested by experts without any charge or obligation whatsoever. Every car passing the test will receive an official sticker and should the owner happen to be involved in an accident or violation during the year it will entitle him to the benefit of consideration he would not otherwise enjoy. Stickers will be given by the police department to any cars with faults if corrected within two weeks and several of the service stations are planning to give a special discount during that time.

It is hoped and expected that all car drivers and owners will take advantage of this opportunity to check up on their cars which will add materially in the reduction of motor accidents in our city.

Chambers of Commerce, commercial clubs and civic groups will take part in a demonstration of unity and record of accomplishment.

Gen. MacArthur Day

Saturday, June 13 will be "General MacArthur and Civilian Defense Day." The thousands of men and women who have volunteered for civilian defense work will participate. A statewide broadcast is being planned to carry the graduation exercises from the Air Raid Wardens School at Jacksonville. Parades, band concerts and other patriotic exercises are being planned by various communities.

Flag Day

The week will culminate with the observance of "United Nations and Flag Day," Sunday, June 14. The American descendants of the people of many nations who came to our country to find liberty will celebrate the day with meetings and parades. Special committees are being named to arrange for the display of the Stars and Stripes on all public buildings, stores and homes.

Governor Green pointed to the crucial importance of the times in his Dedication to Victory Week proclamation.

"Before our eyes, these days, bright new pages are being added to our national history," the proclamation said. "Once more America is battling in the cause of liberty. On land, on sea, in the skies our fighting men are carrying on our heroic traditions."

"Inspired by their deeds, our national will is set on victory. Nothing else matters. Until victory is ours, each passing day is a stern call to duty, a challenge to increased devotion."

Graduation Exercises Next Week

MacArthur To Be Honored June 14th

One of the mightiest demonstrations of Americanism and likewise the most colorful patriotic spectacle that Chicago has ever seen is to be held at Soldier Field at 2:00 p.m., Sunday, June 14, as a special tribute to Gen. Douglas MacArthur.

It will be an observance of Flag Day and United Nations Day, proclaimed by President Roosevelt, with Donald M. Nelson, chief of the War Production Board as principal speaker. Mr. Nelson will be introduced by Merrill C. Meigs, WPB Aircraft Division Chief.

This celebration is being sponsored by The Chicago Herald-American in cooperation with the United States War Savings Staff. It will belong to the city, the state and the nation—to patriotic Americans everywhere. It will serve to demonstrate to the world that Chicagoland and the great midwest section of our country today is unanimously behind America and behind Gen. MacArthur and all that he represents in the fight to uphold America as the torch light of freedom, justice, equality and humanity.

Unfurled Huge Flag

One of the thrilling features will be the unfurling of the world's largest American flag. Speeding across the huge Soldier Field arena on motor-cycles, twenty-six Marine Parachute Troopers will unfurl from their sacks a giant flag that will cover the whole arena.

Bob Hope, popular screen and radio comedian, will be master of ceremonies. He will head a brilliant entertainment cast of Hollywood favorites, stage and radio celebrities.

Eddy Duchin, his "Magic Fingers of Radio," his entire orchestra and June Robbins, featured vocalist, now appearing at the Empire Room, will all appear on the program in person.

Harry Richman, veteran singer of top-hit songs, now appearing at the Chez Paree, will also be one of the headliners.

Other honored guests and famous speakers will be John L. Sullivan, assistant secretary of the Treasury, Dr. Alexander Loudon, Netherlands minister to Washington; the Hon. Lewis Bernays, British Consul General for Chicago; Governor Dwight H. Green and Mayor Edward J. Kelly.

There will be spectacular demonstrations by the United States Army, Navy, Marine Corps, and Coast Guard, crack drill teams, music by massed military bands including that of Armin Hand and his national champion Band of Trade Legion Band. There will be colorful singing by societies representing various countries with many in their native costumes. There will be scores of drum and bugle corps.

Hundreds of lovely drum majorettes will perform simultaneously in one of the largest mass demonstrations of baton twirling ever staged.

A mixed chorus of 1,000 negro voices, the largest such chorus ever assembled, will sing patriotic songs in special arrangements under the leadership of Mabel S. Lewis.

There will be no charge of any kind for this entertainment and celebration. All seats will be absolutely FREE—first come—first served. The gates open at noon on June 14, and the program starts promptly at 2 o'clock.

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS the 7th of June will mark to a day, the expiration of six months since the treacherous attack upon the United States, and WHEREAS the 13th of June is commemorated as "General MacArthur Day" and the 14th of June is "National Flag Day," and WHEREAS Governor Dwight H. Green has designated the week of June 7th to 14th of the present year as "Victory Week" and Sunday, June 14th as "Flag Day" throughout Illinois,

NOW, THEREFORE, as Mayor of the City of Highland Park, in accordance with the action of the Governor of the State of Illinois, I hereby proclaim the week of June 7th to 14th of the present year as "Victory Week" and hereby request our Citizenry to help demonstrate during this week our united and invincible determination to serve America until victory is won.

FRANK J. RONAN, Mayor

Grade Schools of Highland Park, Highwood, Ravinia and Deerfield To Have Exercises.

Rally Starts USO Drive

Keyed to the highest pitch of patriotic determination, more than 400 workers for Highland Park's USO War Fund Campaign received their last minute instructions Tuesday evening at a "kick-off" meeting and entertainment held in the USO building auditorium.

From now on until our city's quota of \$8,500 has been successfully raised, according to campaign chairman William T. Jones, every block will be combed intensively under the direction of 12 district chairmen who will see to it that every family has an opportunity to make a contribution. These chairmen are: District No. 1, Mrs. Harold J. D'Ancona; District No. 2, Douglas J. Reid; District No. 3, Mrs. Harold G. Ray; District No. 4, Mrs. George B. Chapman; District No. 5, George C. Baldwin; District No. 6, Mrs. C. W. Balke; District No. 7, George F. Leithner; District No. 8, Mrs. Harry G. Pertz; District No. 9, Miss Mildred Walther; District No. 10, W. E. Durbahn; District No. 12A, Harry L. Stein; District No. 12B, Marvin W. Wallace and District No. 12C, H. F. Henrichson. These will be assisted by staff members whose names will be announced later.

The keynote of last Tuesday's rally of workers was sounded by Herbert M. Lautmann, principal speaker of the evening.

"Everyone should understand," Mr. Lautmann said, "that this is not a local money raising project. Our contributions will go towards the support of more than 1,000 USO clubs located throughout the United Nations. It is in those clubs that our own boys from Highland Park will find the generous hospitality and sincere friendship which reflects the esteem of the civilian population for America's men-at-arms. We here in the Highland Park USO club are extended the privilege of entertaining boys from other sections of the country."

"It is possible only under a program of this kind that soldiers and sailors are drawn closer to civilians and civilians learn to know and understand our soldiers and sailors."

Mr. Lautmann closed his address by pointing out that the USO typifies the solidarity of our nation, because it combines all of the peace-time social agencies.

Campaign Chairman Jones introduced the district chairmen individually and each was given an enthusiastic ovation. While an intensive canvass of the community has not yet been started, he said, contributions totaling more than \$1,800 have been received. Much of this sum has been secured under the direction of George H. Hartman, chairman of the Special Gifts Committee.

An interesting program of entertainment was presented. Following the formal program, working kits were distributed, after which refreshments were served.

W. W. Steele May run for Re-election

Supervisor W. W. Steele issued the following statement to the press regarding his candidacy for re-election for supervisor of Deerfield township:

"I have not reached a definite decision as to my candidacy for reelection."

"I had previously planned on retiring from the job but have been urged to remain in office by so many citizens that I cannot conscientiously disregard their wishes without weighing the matter more carefully. I have been informed of a petition being circulated and until I know more about it I cannot make a definite decision."

Mr. Steele is serving his second term as supervisor. He was chairman of the county board during the last session and also served as chairman of the county finance committee and the county farm and agriculture committees.

More Than 300 Students To Enter High School In Fall.

This week and next will see the graduation of 576 grade and high school pupils from the various schools in the community. Three hundred sixteen elementary school children will graduate from the eight grade schools of Highland Park, Ravinia, Highwood and Deerfield. They will enter high school in the fall, taking the places of the 260 pupils who are graduating tonight.

Carol Binder will speak at the high school commencement exercises being held tonight in the school auditorium at 8:15 o'clock.

Ridge school will graduate its six eighth graders with ceremonies at 8 o'clock, June 5. Russell Clark, school board head, will present diplomas to the class.

Elm Place commencement exercises will be held at 8 p.m., June 5 at the school auditorium. Francis Knight will give out diplomas to the graduates.

The 45 Ravinia graduates will receive their diplomas from Maurice A. Pollack at 8:00 p.m. Monday evening, June 8.

Deerfield Grammar school has also chosen Monday, June 8, at its commencement night. The program will be held at 8 o'clock in the school auditorium. Dr. Clark Keubler will be the speaker.

Lincoln school graduation exercises will be held at 8:00 o'clock Tuesday evening, June 9. D. Dean McCormick, president of the board of education, will present the diplomas.

Brasfield school's commencement will be held at 8:00 o'clock Wednesday evening, June 10. Edward M. Knox is to present diplomas to the class.

Oak Terrace graduation exercises are being held Wednesday evening, June 10 at 8:15. A special "Sharing America" program has been planned.

Following is the elementary school graduating list by school:

St. James

Father James D. Gleeson will speak to the members of St. James school graduating class at 7:30 o'clock, June 5, at St. James church, Highwood. Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament will follow the awarding of the diplomas.

The American Legion will present special awards to the two high ranking students.

ELM PLACE

Edmund Andrews, Nancy Eleanor Appel, Anthony Allen Barrett, Roger Lynn Berg, Beverly Blige, John Colman Bigler, Frank Louis Blake, Jr., Bernard Richard Borgeson, Lloyd Milton Botcher, Elaine Ailyn Bray, Lane Allan Bray, George Jean Britton, Geraldine Lovis Brown, Marilyn Cahn, William Casey, Christ Chagios, Robert William Christensen, Patricia Ann Coleman, William Howard Davidson, Donald Peter Dyer, Helen Louise Dodson, James Alexander Erickson, Margaret Miriam Frost, Louise Fiechl.

Phyllis Ann Getz, Gilbert Glaser, Charles Lloyd Hamilton, Robert Douglas Hastings, Jr., David Edwin Hearty, John Corydon Sanders, Edward Lester Heymann, Hayden Holmes, Erik Johnson, Eileen Hopp, Karen, Richard A. Kepson, Joseph Richard Kellan, Elizabeth Jane Kline, Nancy Knight, George M. Kuhn, Margaret Elizabeth Laing, Nancy Virginia Lee, John Brewster Leeming, Emil Edward Leverick, Mary Esther Livingston, James Reese Llewellyn, Robert Bowers Matthiessen, Anita Grace Melchior, Harriet McNeil, George McNeil, Martha Ruth McNitt, Deborah E. Moseley, Marjorie Louise Nath, John P. Nathan, John Abner Newby, Nancy Lee Newman, John Lenore Nietzer, Lee E. Oetzel, Edwin Walter Pahnke, Nancy Louise Parham, Caroline E. Pasquet, Angelo Pasquet, William P. Peddie, Gladys Vita Pick, Camille Desha Pickett, Frederick Pomper, Lois Porterfield, Andrew Robert Rasmussen, Douglas J. Reid Jr.

Charles Edward Schaaf, Ward Mackensia Schultz, Sally Ann Schwalbach, Joan Dorothy Sheahan, Frank Donald Shelton, M. Stephen Sickle, Anne Wilhelmina Smith, Helen Marie Sneed, Richard Burton Soyland, Roger William Strecker, Eleanor Loy Sullivan, Elsie Blanche Tether, Pauline Marilyn Tillman, Thomas Graham Trozel, John Paul Udell, Virginia Ann Vanderbie, Loretta Werhane, Kenneth George Wick, Andrew Willis, Thomas Joseph Zahnle, Paul Bloomfield Zeisler, Jr.

BRASFIELD

Dolores M. Becker, Elizabeth Ann Bush, Jr., George L. Charney, George D. Crittenton, Jr., Julia Dickinson, Paul E. Daube, Jr., Dean R. Dickinson, Charles Bryon Crain, Mary Louise Dinelli, Shirley Driggs, Arthur C. Eisenbrand, Marjorie Forrest, Judith J. Greenberg, Ann K. Kelly, Virginia Pauline Knox, Barbara Jane Lanigan, Loren C. Moore, Joan Nechtrass, Mary Florence Olmsted, Karen Swanson, Wallace Volviter, Barbara Vyse, Arthur B. Watson, James B. Watson, Susan Ann Weary.

ST. JAMES

Mary Bertolucci, Joan Berube, Rose Marie Corio, Betty Ann Doll, Roma Mattel, Marjorie Mosconi, Mary Ori, Anthony Bittell, Leo Coroni, Louis De Bartolomeis, Daniel Deberry, Paul Drack, Patrick Gal, James J. Kelly, Nicholas Lomonte, Donald Martin Leo Kattell, Leonard Miller, Jerry Musik, Anthony Rahattini, Robert Hago, George Steale, James Steale, Blase Viti, Primo Zenali.

OAK TERRACE

William Robert Atteridge, Gloria May Ballard, Lucy Elizabeth Cabri, Bertram O'Shaughnessy, Edward Callen, Jr., Robert

Clyde Cameron, Jr., Stewart Peares Cameron, Margaret Helen Carlson, Edna Beatrice Casati, Violet Frances Chirani, Peter Eugene De Bartolo, John Edward Behrman, Gloria Isabel Doull, Edith Rose Evans, Nat. Janice Irene Glover, Charles Ernest Goeman, Jr., James Arthur Hook, Joseph Jenasio, Willard Thomas Jones.

George Henry Lichtwald, Joseph Michael Lucetti, Robert Lloyd Magnusson, Lois Jean Miller, Norma Rae Molend, Leo Paul Mordini, Elsie Nizzi, Vanda Alvina Nizzi, Henry George Pearce, Florence May Piccolli, Elleen Marilyn Risjord, Richard Carman Ruffolo, Phyllis Lorraine Saborowski, Mary Ann Sama, Anna Catherine Sami, Gerald Wesley Smith, Gladys Mae Smith, Bernard Hayes Stacey, Jr., James Martin Timmens, Mildred Jane Walton.

RAVINIA

Harriet Ann Back, Barbara Ellen Bailey, Cynthia Baldwin, Claudine E. Coulanges, Henry S. Date, Patricia Lee Foreman, Gale George, George Hall Grimes, Robert Hagglund, Martha Westworth Haupt, George H. Hartman, Jr., Edgar Donald Heymann, Joyce Wedecles Heymann, George E. Hiller, Herbert Holt, Jr., Eugene Hotchkiss, James Kenan Hotchkiss, Arthur Gordon Humphrey, Robert Morris Jones, Marguerite Young Kerber, Charlotte Martha Lemme, Albert H. Loebe.

Adele Mason, William McCulloch, Jr., Susanne Mills, Harley E. Monk, Jr., Jean Dolores Mrazek, Carol Jane Nichols, Jean Penzigo, Joy L. Peterson, Stevens Finkerton, Stephen John Polak, Renee Ramond, Catherine Reiser, Lois Rosa, William M. Ryan, III, Donald Schroder, Mary Lee Seider, Molly Elizabeth Roscher, Robert F. Smith, Margaret G. Stair, Eugene Tagliapietra, Richard Thomson, Winifred Suzanne Wolters, Theodore E. L. Zabel.

LINCOLN

Louise Frances Adler, Charles John Arden, Jr., Noel Behn, Charles Edwin Blatsch, Jr., Donald Botker, William Harold Bridges, John Cederberg, Betty Jean Cimballo, Hamona Cimballo, Thomas H. James Ralph Crutenden, Martin Detmer, Gilmore Erikson, Richard Howard Finn, Robert Freeman, Jr., Gwendolyn Edith Fuchs, Marilyn Irene Gerken, Donald Edward Gieser, Ruth J. Goewin, Michael Robert Hirsch, Henry Juenger, Frances LaMar, Phillip R. Lamson, Mary Lichtenberger.

Raymond Anthony May, Jr., Margery Mary Metzger, Nancy Roberts Mills, Helen Jean Monti, Daniel Michael Murphy, Ward Fanile, Foster Hutchinson Parker, Jerome Burns Peterson, James Walter Pitsch, Carl Henry Roscher, Catherine Louise Roush, Betty Lee Samuel, Frederick L. Smith, Patricia Starrels, Milton W. Stein, Edward Joseph Theilman, III, Robert Timm, Duane L. Lawrence, Richard Warner, Chela Pratt Webster, Aileen Marie Wennberg, Lester Eugene Werhnik, Helen Patricia White, Shirley Ann Witthold.

DEERFIELD

Chadwick Anderson, Ellen Anderson, William Barrette, Carl John Bates, Cecil Boyle, Glenn Driscoll, Lloyd Clark, Theodore Clavey, Jane DeBia, Tony DeCanto, Paul Fuller, LeRoy Gray, Nancy Hamilton, Gloria Hammer, Edna Mae Herrmann, George Kerrihard, Roger McKee, Albert Materi, Virginia Merry, Mary Schooner, Louise Roush, Betty Lee Samuel, Frederick L. Smith, Patricia Starrels, Milton W. Stein, Edward Joseph Theilman, III, Robert Timm, Duane L. Lawrence, Richard Warner, Chela Pratt Webster, Aileen Marie Wennberg, Lester Eugene Werhnik, Helen Patricia White, Shirley Ann Witthold.

RIDGE

Diane Patricia McFarland, Nancy Ellen Miller, Robert Lasier Morrison, Dorothea Louise Peterson, Dwight Reynolds, James William Roome.

KIWANIS

The Highland Park Kiwanis club was a guest of the Salvation Army USO Highwood Monday evening at 6:15 o'clock. Major Ira Fitzpatrick, executive director of the USO club and a Kiwanis, was host.

What You Buy With WAR BONDS

The giant four-motored Navy Patrol Bombers are the world's most powerful planes. They cost approximately \$700,000 each. The Navy also has a lighter Bomber called the Scout Bomber which costs about \$143,000 apiece.



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