



## New Suite Completed At Highland Park Hospital

In a recent issue we described the new nursery at the Highland Park hospital. Continuing our series of reports on the activities of the Hospital's building expansion program, we now bring you a description of the new obstetrical suite, which has been completed in the past few weeks.

The suite is located at the North end of the obstetrical floor and consists of 2 pre-natal rooms, a doctors' dressing room, a sterilizing room where all the delivery room equipment is sterilized and all the packs are made up, and 2 delivery rooms.

The new delivery rooms, one of which is illustrated above, represents the newest and most modern developments in obstetrical procedure and equipment. The floors are made of a specially developed composition which contains millions of fine strands of copper wire, which ground any static electrical charges that may be generated by the equipment or by the movement of the patients. All lighting and outlets are also of spark-proof construction.

One of the delivery rooms, is equipped with a special resuscitator unit which is a gift by the Woman's Auxiliary of the Highland Park Hospital. This piece of equipment is used for pre-mature infants or others who have difficulty with breathing immediately after birth,—as it removes mucous

from the breathing passages. Immediately after birth, the infant is placed in the unit which is an electrically heated basinette with a self-contained aspirator apparatus. The unit has two oxygen outlets. As a special safety measure, the oxygen passes through three reducing valves the last of which is a water control, before it reaches the infant. This arrangement makes it absolutely impossible for too much pressure to be applied during the operation of the equipment. This resuscitator is a newly developed piece of equipment and there are very few of them in use. Highland Park Hospital is extremely fortunate in having one as part of its equipment.

The obstetrical table, illustrated in the photograph above, also represents a very advanced design and it is equipped so that Caesarian Sections can be performed without the necessity of removing the patient to a major operating room.

A special light which has many unusual advantages is used in the delivery rooms. As illustrated this is counter-balanced so that it may be placed in any position. It has a suspended mirror for the use of the anesthetist, and the light may be quickly focused and adjusted to illuminate any large or small area desired.

The delivery room equipment is completed by a portable anesthesia machine which was recently donated to the Hospital by the Woman's Auxiliary.

## Burnett's Orchestra To Play For Dinner Dance At Woman's Club

The Highland Park Woman's Club will hold its Formal Spring Dinner Dance, Saturday, April 24, at 8:30 p.m. in the Club House at Sheridan Road and Elm Place.

Mrs. Roland G. Maus, Chairman, has engaged George Burnett and his Orchestra, who proved so popular at the fall dance last year that he has been asked to give a repeat performance.

These dinner dances have been "sell-outs" in the past and members who wish to attend are urged to get their reservations in early. Cancellations will not be accepted after Wednesday, April 21.

The committee in charge of arrangements, in addition to the chairman, Mrs. Maus, is made up of Mrs. Carl Howard, Assistant Chairman, and Mesdames Rex Andrews, J. Franklin Bickmore, Kendall Clough, James M. Cuthbertson, Frank H. Driggs, Eben W. Erikson, R. W. Forsythe, P. B. Garrett, J. Wm. Gooch, Stanley D. Grace, John W. Meyer, Loren C. Moore, Vernon S. Mortimer, H. L. Nehrbass, J. Earl Presson, B. F. Reinking, Alain L. St. Cyr, Paul R. Smith, R. C. Vinnedge and Carl S. Wolf.

Table decorations will be under the direction of Mrs. P. B. Garrett.

Reservations should be made with Mrs. Roland G. Maus, Highland Park 4575 or Mrs. Carl Howard, Highland Park 4004.

Those who might be prevented from making early reservations because of absence from the city, may be accommodated up to the date of the dance.

## Expert in Book-Making Will Demonstrate Craft At Library, April 11

An unusual opportunity to learn how books are made—all the technical steps that bring the printed word to the page—will be afforded Highland Parkers on Sunday, April 11 at 4 p.m. at the Highland Park Library.

One of the foremost experts in book-making will explain the process at the final Spring open house of the Friends of the Highland Park Library. He is Theophilus Noel II of R.R. Donnelley & Sons, one of the largest printing concerns in America.

Mr. Noel will explain the difference between the three principal forms of printing—letter press, offset lithography and gravure and have on hand a number of examples of each kind of printing.

## Legion Auxiliary Plans Card Party, Fashion Show, April 14

The Highland Park American Legion Auxiliary will hold a benefit dessert, card party and fashion show on Wednesday, April 14, at 1:30 p.m., in the Highland Park Community center.

Fell's Clothing store will sponsor the style show, and hair styling of the models will be the donation of Mr. Kenneth of the Powder Box, Fay's Beauty shop, Andre's Beauty salon and Classique Beauty shop.

Mrs. William Ives, is in charge of tickets and reservations and may be reached at H.P. 1229.

## Trinity Women's Guild Plans Spring Sale

The Women's Guild of the Trinity church will hold their annual Spring Rummage sale at the Parish house, 855 Laurel on Thursday, April 15, from 8:30 to 3:30 and Friday, April 16, from 8:30 to 12:30.

All types of articles, from notions to furniture, will be on sale. Jewelry, books, curtains, drapes and various household items will be shown as well as clothing for children and adults.

A novel feature of the sale will be the resale shop, where good may be either bought or sold. A commission on the sales will go to the church.

## Kiwanians To See Travel Pictures

On Monday night members of the Kiwanis club will be entertained by colored movies shown by the Henry Sondermans of 1640 Broadview, showing scenes taken on a trip including Honolulu, China and Japan, taken in the summer of 1946. The event is sponsored by Chester W. Hart.

# VOTERS GO TO POLLS TUESDAY

Voting Hours Will Be  
From 6 a.m. to 5 p.m.

## — Polling Places Listed —

Highland Parkers are expected to cast an unusually heavy vote on Tuesday, April 13, when they go to the polls to choose their candidates. Several names appear on the Republican ticket, with few contestants on the Democratic ballot. Polls will be open from 6 a.m. to 5 p.m.

The list of polling places is as follows.

- DEERFIELD TOWNSHIP**  
Primary Election, April 13
- 1—South Park field house, Lake Forest
  - 2—Highwood City hall, 489 Waukegan avenue
  - 3—Highwood Community center, 428 Railway avenue
  - 4—Oak Terrace school, 230 Prairie avenue, Highwood
  - 5—Highland Park Beverage company, 425 N. Green Bay rd.
  - 6—Highland Park High school, 300 Vine avenue
  - 7—Highland Park Community Center, 549 Central avenue
  - 8—Davis-Maurine Electric Service, 10 N. Sheridan road
  - 9—Downs Motor Sales, 29 S. Second street
  - 10—Town hall, 378 Central avenue, Highland Park
  - 11—Lincoln school, 495 Lincoln avenue
  - 12—Railroad Men's home, 929 S. St. Johns avenue
  - 13—Strenger's Garage, corner of Gray avenue and Ridge-wood drive
  - 14—Ravinia School, 1655 Dean avenue
  - 15—Ravinia Fire Station, Burton avenue
  - 16—North Shore Line's Ravinia station, S. St. Johns avenue
  - 17—Brasside school, 2322 Pierce road
  - 18—North Shore Line Woodridge station, 2100 Clavey road

## Use a CROSS

## On Your Ballot— NOT A CHECK!

Every year many a voter loses his vote because he places a check instead of a CROSS in the square preceding the name of the candidate of his choice. When this is done, the ballot is thrown out! Dozens and dozens of votes are lost that way. Use a CROSS  and save your ballot.

## Notice to Voters

Voters who anticipate being out of Lake County on Election Day, April 24, 1948, may vote an absent Voter's Ballot either in person or by mail. Voters may come to the City Clerk's Office and vote, or they may make application by mail and the necessary application and ballot will be mailed them. Persons wishing to vote may do so in person up to three days before April 24, 1948, and by mail within five days before April 24, 1948. For further information regarding any question which may arise, do not hesitate to call the City Clerk's Office, Highland Park 800.

## Elks' Boxing Show Slated For Apr. 23

Plans are under way for the fourth annual all star Elks' Boxing and Wrestling show, to be held at the Highland Park High School Friday, April 23rd, at 8:30 p.m.

According to Lou Radzienda, C.Y.O. boxing director, this will be one of the best shows ever presented in the local arena, featuring Golden Gloves and C.Y.O. boxing Champions, along with National A. A. U. and Notre Dame wrestling champions.

The following members of the Elks Club are preparing the program: Mel Mullins, Chairman; Geo. Bock Jr. Co-Chairman; Mort Singer, Advertising Chairman; Henry Stenson and Earl McGath, Ticket Chairmen, and Jos. Carbonargi, Ring Committee Chairman.

## Small Percentage Of Voters Attend Town Meeting Last Tuesday

## Cong. Ralph Church Remains On The Job

Congressman Ralph E. Church is to be commended for putting his present duties ahead of future aspirations. While his opponents are spending large sums of money to defeat him, he is giving his whole time to help in the preparation of the national budget, striv-



ing to cut government taxes and expenses. Church is displaying his customary efficiency and honesty in the handling of problems to be met.

During his six terms in Congress, Church has maintained a record of sound legislation and all-out loyalty in serving his district.

Actions speak louder than words.

## Lt. Col. Paul C. Olson Heads Lake Co. Chapter Of U.S. Reserve Officers

The regular monthly meeting of the Lake County Chapter of The Reserve Officers Association of The United States was held at the Yacht Club, located at the foot of Clayton St., Waukegan, on Tuesday evening 30th March. The meeting was conducted by Lt. Col. Fenton Heninger, of Waukegan, president of the Lake County Chapter, and the following members were elected as officers of the Chapter for the ensuing year:

Lt. Col. Paul C. Olson of Highland Park—President.

Major Stanley Fisher of Waukegan—Vice-President.

Major Morris M. Choyke of Waukegan—Sec'y and Treas.

Major Hubert L. Corke of Waukegan—Chairman of Legislative Committee.

There are approximately one thousand Reserve Officers in Lake County, active and in-active, in the Association. It is the aim of the Local Chapter to contact these inactive members and acquaint them with the Chapter's activities. With the important bills pending now in Congress affecting the Reserve Officer it is vital to his cause to be informed of the various legislation and information concerning civilian components. Those Reserve Officers in Waukegan area desiring information on the Local Chapter, contact Major Choyke, 110 So. Genesee St., Waukegan, Phone Ont. 6491 or Ont 8820. Those Reserve Officers in Highland Park - Deerfield-Highwood-Barrington - Fort Sheridan and Lake Forest, area, contact Lt. Col. Paul C. Olson, 536 Central Ave., Highland Park, Phone 2871 and 6411.

## Spring Vacation Program For Highland Park Recreation Department

The Highland Park Recreation Department is making plans for first annual Roller Skate Derby to be held on Glencoe Av. at Lincoln Ave. parallel the Lincoln Playground. This Citywide event will take place during spring vacation on Wed. April 14th. With the cooperation of the City Police and Street Departments this area will be blocked for the races. Eight events will take place with ribbons given the winners of the various age groups. There will be

## Majority of Group Votes To Decrease Budget By Five Thousand Dollars

What was referred to as "an aroused citizenry" and actually consisted of less than 50 of Deerfield township's approximately 18,000 voters—a representation of about .27%—met at the town hall Tuesday and after prolonged and often confused discussion, reduced proposed salaries and cut the poor fund appropriation by \$5,000.

Apparently some of the electors were confused as to the difference between a levy, and an appropriation. Emmet Moroney, township supervisor explained that moneys to be spent during the coming year will be derived from last year's tax levy and that the town board was attempting to forecast the funds needed next year. Appropriations, he pointed out, are generally in excess of actual expenditures, as the usual practice is to provide a financial cushion in the event of unforeseen emergencies.

It was apparent that the real point of the meeting was a proposed increase in salary for Moroney. The town board had proposed a raise from \$2520 to \$4000 a year. Moroney pointed out that as an assistant, at \$2100 a year, is no longer employed, he felt that he should be compensated for the extra work involved, and felt that an expenditure of \$4000 and against a \$2500 expended in pre-inflation years was not excessive.

He had also suggested that if the board felt that the poormaster's duties should be put on a part-time basis he would not oppose such action, and also that if the board felt that an assistant should be hired, as was the previous practice, he would go along with that decision. However, the town board had voted by a majority of four to two to set his salary at \$4,000 per year. The electors voted to reduce that figure to \$2895. The town board also had voted to raise the assessor's salary from \$1000 to \$1500. That figure was reduced to \$1375 by the electors present.

The electors also voted to reduce the hospital fund by \$5000. The increase had been requested, Moroney said, because hospitals which are already crowded, do not care to admit such patients as "old age assistance cases," most of whom because of their advanced age, are chronic cases. Under the terms of the budget cut, it is inevitable that fewer of these cases from Deerfield township can be admitted to the county hospital, unless the budget is to be ignored.

## Women of the Moose To Dine and Dance Saturday, April 10

A spaghetti dinner and dance will be given at the Masonic hall on Saturday evening, April 10, by Women of the Moose. Vergil Lenzini and his orchestra will provide music for dancing. Mrs. Albino DalPonte, membership chairman, is in charge of the event.

events for boys and girls 7 years old and under, 8 to 9 years, 10 to 12 years, and 12 to 15 years. These events will consist of the 50 yard straight away, the 100 yard straight away, backward skating, one skate race and the doubles. Any boy or girl interested is asked to register at the community Center.

Thursday, April 14th, the city-wide checker tournament will be held for all age groups of boys and girls in Highland Park. The craft class will be held on Tuesday, Friday and Saturday, under the direction of Miss Ella Rasmussen, and the game rooms at the Center will be opened daily from 9 to 12 and 2 to 5 p.m. Monday, April 12, the Annual Rotary hobby show will be held at the Community Center.

## Up To Now

BY BILL THOMAS

### • THE TOWN MEETING

The results of the town meeting can hardly be classified as a sweeping victory for "the citizens of Deerfield Township." When an elected body passes a budget, a law, or performs any other legislative function, it can be said to be representing the will of the voters, because it is responsible to them. The voters, however, are responsible only to themselves and when a fairly slim majority of less than 50 out of some 18000 voters performs such a function, it can hardly be said to be representing the sentiment of the voters at large. Fifty of 18000 voters represents about twenty-seven hundredths of one per cent of the total. Hardly a thumping majority.

To those experienced in the machinations of local politics it is obvious what happened. A small clique—probably well-meaning— assembled a few of its friends and some uninformed voters; and achieved a majority of the number of electors present. The fact that the group used unsigned postcards and phone calls, at least some of which were anonymous, does not add stature to its "achievement."

### • CITY TAXES

The city administration is doing an excellent job of telling the citizens the reason behind the need for an increase in the tax rate. Pamphlets and a chart are used with effectiveness, to explain that under state law the tax rate allowed for cities, unless they hold a referendum to allow a higher one, has been cut. Unless the voters give the city the power to restore the rate to what it was before the law was passed, the city will not have sufficient funds to maintain the services now being given. This would mean a cut in police and fire protection and in street maintenance.

It's up to the voters. If they want the services they are now getting, they'll have to allow the city to raise sufficient revenue to pay the bill. It's as simple as that.