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RAVINA OPERA IS PROVING POPULAR

ARE MANY FINE FEATURES

Largest Audience of the Season Filled Pavilion Saturday Night; Movies Are Attractive

The largest audience of the season at Ravinia park last Saturday night filled not only the pavilion but overflowed all the immediate space with enthusiastic listeners, among whom was Antonio Scotti, the famous baritone, who was heard at Ravinia last season. Ravinia counts its visitors by the thousands these week ends. They are enthusiastic when anything good comes their way, and the opera there is keeping up its practice of giving them cause to be enthusiastic. The performance came to a pause three times during the two acts of "La Boheme" Saturday night. Morgan Kingston sang "Che gelida manina"; Marie Sundelius followed it with "M'chiamano Mimì"; and Margery Maxwell continued with the waltz song. All of the programs this week have been exceptionally good.

Many American Singers

At Ravinia the theory that foreign artists dominate American music is disproved. The greater number of the leading artists are American, and only a few are not. Marie Sundelius, Florence Macbeth, Frances Peralta, who was formerly Phyllis Partington; Anna Fitzhugh, and Margery Maxwell, among the sopranos, are Americans. So is Alice Gentle, the leading mezzo-soprano. So are Mario Chamlee and Charles Hackett, the tenors, and Graham Marr, baritone. Morgan Kingston, another tenor, is English by birth, but all his career and all his recognition have been in America.

The Monday evening program is increasing in popularity. More are taking advantage of the dinner dance and evening motion picture show and concert by the Chicago Symphony Orchestra.

The Week's Program

This afternoon the usual children's program will be given. There will be an illustrated talk on the instruments of the orchestra by Mrs. Marx Oberdorfer, and a concert by the orchestra. This evening at 8:15 "Tosca" will be presented. Tomorrow night "L'Elisir d'Amore" is scheduled. Saturday afternoon at 3:15 o'clock there will be a concert by the orchestra, and in the evening a double bill, "Rusticana" and "La Navarraise" is to be given. "The Secret of Suzanne" will not be presented Saturday.

The program for the succeeding days is as follows:

Sunday, July 17, afternoon, concert, evening, "The Barber of Seville" (instead of "Carmen" as announced previously); Monday, July 18, evening, motion picture, "The Oath," with Miriam Cooper, adapted from the novel "Idols," by William J. Locke, and a one-reel feature, "Putting Nature Next;" Tuesday, July 19, evening, "Aida;" Wednesday, July 20, evening, "Manon."

Thursday afternoon, July 21, there will be another children's program, given under the direction of Mr. and Mrs. Marx Oberdorfer. Harry K. McEvoy, magician, will be a feature of that day. There will be the usual program by the Chicago Symphony orchestra of 50 men.

MIDSUMMER SHOW OF COMBINED SOCIETIES

The midsummer flower and vegetable show of the North Shore Horticultural society and the Garden Club of Illinois will be held Saturday and Sunday, July 23 and 24, at the Gorton school in Lake Forest. The gardens at the homes of the following presidents of Lake Forest will be open to bearers of tickets: Harold McCormick, Cyrus McCormick, Edward L. Ryerson and Keene H. Addington. At the Gorton school there will be an exhibit of flowers, vegetables, table decorations, and flowers arranged for effect. The public is invited to attend.

SAMUEL H. KIMBALL DIES IN CLEVELAND

Samuel Herbert Kimball, Moraine hotel, died Sunday in Cleveland, O., while on a business trip. Mr. Kimball had resided for more than fifty years in Chicago and Oak Park and had been with the Butler Paper company for thirty years. He was the husband of Jessie Rice Kimball, father of W. R. Kimball, Ogden, Utah; Katherine K. Hill, Woodstock, Ont.; and Perry Kimball Crowell, Winnetka, and brother of A. S. Kimball, Boston, Mass., and Ernest M. Kimball, Glenview. Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at Rosehill.

HEART FAILURE CAUSES DEATH OF FRANK SACK

Over Come by Heat, Dies on Train. Funeral Tomorrow in Charge of Moose

The many friends of Mr. Frank Charles Sack will regret to learn of his sudden death which occurred Tuesday evening when he was returning from work on the C. & N. W. train from Chicago. Heart trouble, and the intense heat were the causes of his death.

Mr. Sack has been a resident of this city all his life, having been born in Highland Park on May 3, 1883.

He was a member of the Loyal Order of Moose, a member of Mecca Legion, having taken his second degree in the order a few months ago, and was also a member of the drill team of his lodge where he was held in high esteem by his many acquaintances.

He leaves to survive him, his wife and two children, Bernice aged six and Roland aged three, a father, Mr. Charles Sack; four sisters, Mrs. Ernst, Mrs. Edwin Larson, Mrs. Matt Kutzer and Mrs. Robert Fagan and one brother Orville Sack. His mother died about five months ago.

Funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at two o'clock at the home of his father at 130 S. Second St., in charge of the Loyal Order of Moose of this city. Interment will be at the North Shore Cemetery.

BOARD OF HEALTH ISSUES WARNING

Three Cases of Infantile Paralysis Reported Here. Situation Not Alarming

Three cases of Infantile Paralysis have occurred in Highland Park during the past week.

This is a disease especially affecting young children, causes by a virus which enters the body through the nose. It may be communicated by the breath or carried by flies. The legal period of quarantine for patients is three weeks and for all who have come in contact with a patient a quarantine of two weeks.

While the situation is not at all alarming, reasonable precautions should not be neglected. The surest way to avoid contagion is to keep the children at home for the next two or three weeks. If they are taken out for a walk or drive, places of possible public gathering should be avoided as well as close contact with all other persons.

BOARD OF HEALTH.

H. P. DAY COMMITTEE WILL MEET TONIGHT

Members of 21 Sub-committees Will be Named; Work is Already Outlined

The meeting of the Highland Park Day committee, scheduled for last Thursday, was canceled on account of the excessive heat. There will be a meeting this evening, at which members of the various sub-committees will be named. There will be 21 of the latter, and each will have charge of some important detail in the day's events. A. L. Herring, secretary of the Community Center, is chairman and Albert Larson is assistant. Highland Park Day is set for Wednesday, August 17.

TO GIVE CARNIVAL IN DEERFIELD JULY 23

The Alpha Phi Beta class of the Deerfield Presbyterian church will give a carnival on the community house lawn at Deerfield on Lincoln avenue, Saturday evening, July 23. Don't miss Mother Goose and her tribe. Highland Park and Deerfield residents are invited to attend this affair.

TO GIVE BENEFIT LAWN SOCIAL, SAT.

The Woman's Welfare club of Highland will give a benefit lawn social on the James Watkins lawn on Everett place, Saturday, July 16th. All are urged to be present. The affair will be held both afternoon and evening.

AUXILIARY MAIN AT PUMPING STATION

An additional 16-inch main has been installed by the city water department from the pumping station to the top of the bluff to relieve the strain during the warm weather, when there is a great demand for water.

TIGHT GAME WON BY Y. M. C. A. 4 TO 3

RIOT NARROWLY AVERTED

Crowd, Excited Over Close Decision, Threatened to Ruin Game; Both Pitchers Were Good

As predicted last week the Glencoe outfit sprung a surprise on the locals Sunday. The surprise consisted in a humdrum of a game with the counted for six long innings. In the pinches Clavey, pitching for Glencoe, was as stingy as Shylock, and the same held good for Buddy who, outside of a little wildness in spots, pitched irrefragable ball. In the third Highland Park came from behind and tied the score 3-3. There it stood. In the ninth Therrien got a life after he had struck at three, the third one being wild. This seemed to take the nerve out of Clavey, who walked Fred Glader, and it was all over when Baldwin leaped gently against the Jonathan scoring Therrien.

Another Highwood riot seemed to threaten in the eighth when Landis apparently dropped M. Rudolph's easy loft. The ump ruled he started to throw it back to the pitcher — not while in the act of catching it. Then Umpire Simpson changed his decision, ruling M. Rudolph out, but the mischief was done and the crowd had surged onto the field. However, there was no trouble. It is too bad that such fine games have to be continually interrupted by crowds, who are not kept off the playing field. Police protection is badly needed at the ball games.

The Game by Innings

1. Clavey out to Rudolph. M. Rudolph singled. Schroeder whiffed. Stachel Babe Ruthed, scoring M. Rudolph ahead of him. Hohlfeller out to Ruddy.

Landis breezed. Therrien followed suit. F. Glader singled sharply. He stole. Baldwin was safe on a boot by the first baseman and Glader score. Baldwin tried for second but was tagged.

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MOVIES AT PEARL THEATRE NEXT WEEK

Tuesday and Wednesday, "Bob Hampton of Wesner;" Thursday, "Beyond Price"

Next week the following program will be shown at Pearl Theatre: Tonight "The Bait;" tomorrow, "The Traveling Salesman;" Saturday, Constance Binney in "Such a Little Queen;" Sunday, Elliott Dexter in "The Witching Hours;" Monday, Monte Blue and Diana Allen in "The Kentuckians;" Tuesday and Wednesday, James Kirkwood, Wesley Barry and Marjorie Daw in "Bob Hampton of Wesner;" Thursday, Pearl White in "Beyond Price;" Friday, Bebe Daniels in "Two Weeks With Pay;" Saturday, Enid Bennett and Edward Hearn in "Keeping Up With Lizzie."

COMMITTEE OF FIVE FOR BEACH QUESTION

No Definite Plan Was Evolved at Meeting Held Tuesday Night

A large committee to take up the subject of regulating the use of the bathing beach and park at the end of Central avenue, appointed by Mayor Hastings last Thursday, held a meeting in the city hall on Tuesday evening. The meeting was largely attended, nearly all of the members of the committee being present.

A very general discussion of the subject followed, but the diversity of opinion was such that Chairman Schofield decided that the committee with its present size was unworkable and suggested that a sub-committee be appointed. This met favorably the views of the meeting and a sub-committee of five consisting of Mr. Fred Preston, chairman, Mrs. MacKenzie, Mr. Britton I. Budd, Mr. F. W. Cushing and Mrs. George Lytton was appointed with the request that they act immediately.

Upon the adjournment of the larger body the committee held its first meeting and formulated recommendations which will be presented to the mayor and commissioners at their meeting Friday evening. It is hoped that through the combined efforts of this committee the city government and the park board, that a result will be arrived at that will very much alleviate the undesirable conditions prevailing at the beaches on Sunday and holidays.

TWO DROWNED HERE FRIDAY EVENING

ROBERT AUGUSTINE DIES

Well Known Young Man Is Lake's Victim; Another Fatality Occurs at Ravinia Beach

Two men were drowned at Highland Park beaches Friday night within an hour. Robert Augustine, son of Mangus Augustine, North St. Johns avenue, was drowned off Buckley's pier at the foot of Vine avenue about 7:15 o'clock in the evening. Shortly afterward Antoin Aszmont, an employe at the Northmoor golf club, was drowned at the Ravinia beach.

About 7:15 Friday evening the whistle blew, summoning the life saving crew. Within a few minutes they had launched their boat, and a short while afterward arrived at the Vine avenue pier. There they found that the body had been recovered.

Augustine had been in swimming with a friend. Suddenly the water became rough, and an undertow pulled the unfortunate man out into deep water. Augustine's companion hurried to summon help. The body had not been in the water more than 20 minutes. Attempts made to resuscitate the man failed.

About an hour after the first call the life savers' whistle blew again. The men rowed to the station, where they were informed that another man had been drowned at Ravinia. They left the boat and sped to the beach at the foot of Roger Williams avenue in automobiles.

The body of Antoin Aszmont had been taken from the water. The members of the crew tried to resuscitate him, and a pulmotor was used, but the man was dead. He had been in the water about 20 or 25 minutes. Aszmont had been swimming with another man from the Northmoor club, and went down when he got out beyond his depth.

Antoin Aszmont had been employed as houseman at the Northmoor for about three weeks. His home was in Chicago. He was unmarried. A brother is living in Chicago.

Robert Augustine

Robert Augustine, son of Mangus and Anna Augustine, was born in Chicago, June 5, 1892. In 1904 he came with his parents to Highland Park, where he has since lived. He was a plasterer by trade, having served four years as an apprentice and four as a union plasterer.

October 3, 1917, he entered the army at Camp Grant. May 11, 1918, he landed in France, where he participated in six famous battles, among them the following: Aisne, Marne, Vesle, St. Mihiel, and Meuse-Argonne. He was a member of the 4th Engineers. July 29, 1919, he returned to America.

He is survived by his parents, three brothers, George, who is still in France, William, and Emil; and one sister, all of Highland Park. He was a member of the Modern Woodmen of America. At a meeting, held Monday night, the Woodmen passed a resolution on the death of their brother. He had taken his initiatory, first and second degrees in the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, and was a member of Sheridan Lodge No. 662, Highland Park.

Funeral services were held at the home Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock the Rev. H. D. Dick officiating, assisted by Major Griffith, chaplain at Ft. Sheridan. Burial was in Fort Sheridan cemetery.

HIGHWOOD MAN IS PERTONITIS VICTIM

John Argo Survived by Wife and Four Children; Funeral Held Sunday

John Argo, 38, proprietor of a little store north of the Santi building in Highwood, died last Thursday after an attack of acute peritonitis. He is survived by a wife and four children. Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at St. James church, Highwood and burial was in St. Mary's cemetery.

NORTH ENDS TO PLAY EVANSTON BOOSTERS

The North End A. C.'s announce a return game with the Evanston Boosters at their ball park on Central Park avenue for Sunday, July 17. The game will start at the usual time and usual prices will prevail.

This should be a great game. The Boosters lifted the scalps of the North Ends on July 3 and the North Ends are out for revenge. The line-up of the North Ends has been threatened and fans can expect to see some of the best games of the season.

NEW FOUNDRY IS NEARING COMPLETION

E. T. Skidmore and A. K. Barr Expect to Operate New Company About August 1st

Mr. E. T. Skidmore, who was formerly with the Chicago Hardware Foundry Co. and Mr. A. K. Barr formerly President and manager of the Barr Pattern Co., of No. Chicago, now have their new enterprise well under way and the new building now being erected for the manufacture of Semi steel castings is nearing its completion.

This building will be 276 feet in length, and have 15300 square feet of working floor space, together with a large outside yard space for materials and a portion of the building will be built two stories for offices on the second floor, and is so constructed with modern ventilated monitor roof, concrete floors throughout, with narrow gauge tracks for properly conveying the iron from the furnaces to the men throughout the shop and conveying the various metals and supplies from the cars or the yards to the shops, and is so situated with siding tracks and shipping platform as to enable them to transport outgoing and incoming freight from both the Chicago & North Western and the E. J. & E. railroad, thereby giving them the best possible shipping facilities. The new company has had much encouragement through inquiries for Semi Steel in which they will specialize, and this will no doubt be interesting to quite a number of our citizens who are investing in this new enterprise which is being incorporated as a stock company.

A 35 foot Whiting Gupols or furnace for melting the various metals has already been installed and it is the intention of the management to install such equipment as will be most efficient to derive and secure business from manufacturers previously using Malleable Iron, as well as from those who desire to secure castings of a lighter nature and still maintain the required strength through the use of Semi Steel cast iron.

The management expects to get into operation on or about August first.

ELKS TEAM LOST IN PICNIC BALL GAME

Many Attended Affair at Bang's Lake Sunday; New Uniforms Proved Elks Downfall

Over 400 attended the big picnic for Elks and their families at Wauconda last Sunday. They made the trip in automobiles. Arrived at Bang's lake they made their headquarters on the picnic grounds. Boats were reserved at two different boat-houses. Fishing, boating, and swimming were features of the day. At noon a basket lunch was served.

In the afternoon Harry Butler's baseball squad appeared in their new uniforms to battle with the Wauconda boys. Although the Elks staged a rally late in the game, and early in the ninth led by a score of 8 to 7, the Wauconda batters, scoring two more in the last of the ninth, won the game. Wahlbrook, Hise and Clark were good at hitting, and Hessler played his usual good game in the box.

Next Sunday the Elks expect to play Libertyville at that city. In the near future a game will be played at Blue Island with the Blue Island Elks.

NEW REPRESENTATIVES OF CEMETERY COMPANY

R. B. Atteridge and M. J. Buckley Have Charge of this Territory

R. B. Atteridge and M. J. Buckley are now representing the North Shore cemetery company in this city and other north shore towns. Oscar T. Smith has resigned his position with the company, and is now manager of a cemetery at Cleveland, O.

John Western, president of the North Shore cemetery company, and Mrs. Western have returned from a trip to Washington, D. C. While there they heard a speech made by President Harding. They visited the various places of interest in the nation's capital, and made a trip to Mount Vernon.

TO ORGANIZE K. OF P. LODGE THIS EVENING

A meeting for the purpose of organizing a Knights of Pythias lodge in Highland Park will be held this evening in Prior's chapel, at 8 o'clock. Mr. Harry Friebele is the organizer and will be assisted by Samuel Levin. Edwin Larson will act as secretary pro tem. All who wish to join are urged to be present.

FOUR KILLED IN CROSSING CRASH

MEMBERS OF ONE FAMILY

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Fox and Two Daughters of Highland Park Victims of Accident in Indiana

Four members of a Highland Park family were laid side by side in a grave at Mooney's cemetery Tuesday afternoon. They were: Adam Fox, his wife, Anna Fox, and their two daughters, Mildred, 7, and Helen, 4. Services were held at the Fox home, 238 N. First street, at four o'clock Tuesday afternoon. A year-old daughter, Shirley, is the only member of the family to survive the auto crash which claimed the lives of the other four at Crothersville, Ind., Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Fox and the three daughters left Highland Park Thursday morning about 5 o'clock bound for New Albany, Ind., the home of Mr. Fox' relatives. It was the first vacation he had in several years, and the first time he had gone to visit his old home in 17 years.

Struck by Limited
At Crothersville, about 40 miles from their destination, their car was struck by a limited train on the Interstate Public Service company's line from Indianapolis to Louisville. The train was going north. The Fox car, it is believed, stalled on the tracks. It was struck broadside by the limited and hurled 150 feet from the right-of-way.

A Methodist Episcopal minister, who was standing on a corner near the scene, saw the accident. He and a physician, who was passing by, assisted by passengers and members of the crew of the interurban car, picked up the injured. Mildred and Helen had been instantly killed. Their bodies were badly mangled. Mrs. Fox had sustained a fractured arm and leg, and was hurt internally. Her husband's skull was fractured in two places, and his spine was injured. Neither regained consciousness after the accident. They were taken in the interurban car to Seymour, Ind., hospital.

Mrs. Fox died Saturday morning about one o'clock. Mr. Fox followed Sunday night at ten o'clock.

The baby, Shirley, was practically uninjured. Just before the accident the tourists had stopped at a garage. There it was noticed that Mrs. Fox was carrying the baby in her arms. It is believed that this accounts for the infant's escape. All the attention of three physicians and the staff of nurses at the hospital was afforded the little survivor.

The Family
Adam Fox was a teamster, for the past five years employed by Herman Densel, manager of the Highland Park Fuel company. He had proven himself a very steady and capable employe, and was very well liked by his associates. He was about 30 years of age.

Mrs. Anna Fox was 27. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thoms of Lake Zurich. The eldest daughter, Mildred, had attended school.

A brother of Mr. Fox is living in New Albany, Ind. Mrs. John Fox is survived by her parents and a sister, Mrs. John Irving, of Racine, Wis.

Mrs. Irving and Mr. Herman Densel went to Seymour and took charge of the situation after the accident. The family had a small amount of insurance, and a savings account, but the funds were not sufficient to cover all expenses. It is expected that an attempt will be made to hold the railway company liable for the accident. At the inquest held Monday, it is said, the railway was censured.

BOB O'LINK CADDIES DEFEAT EVANSTON

Last week the Bob O'Link caddy team visited Evanston and defeated the Evanston caddies to the tune of 12 to 5. In a return match two days later at Bob O'Link the local boys again defeated their opponents 23 to 0.

Henry Foley with 76 defeated James Rogan 13 up.

Harry Rogan won 4 up and Chester Krueger won 6 up. Any local clubs wishing matches will please call the caddy master or communicate with one of the above players.

WHITE MARKS TO DIRECT TRAFFIC

White marks directing traffic at street intersections have been painted in the pavement. Other marks have been painted along the curb at angles of about 45 degrees. Cars parked in the business district should be placed between such marks, and when parked at night tall lights should be left burning.