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GREAT PROGRAM AT RAVINIA NEXT WEEK MANY NOTABLE FEATURES

World-Famous Operas Sung by Artists of Rare Talents Amid Unrivaled Setting; Outline Given

World-famous operas sung by artists of world-wide reputation amid the beautiful, sylvan setting of Ravinia's unrivaled park never have failed to attract throngs of music lovers in the long history of its successes, and this season seems destined to crown those years with a still more brilliant achievement...

This afternoon the regular weekly children's concert is given; tonight the opera is "Madame Butterfly." Friday evening the attraction is "La Traviata," and Saturday night will see the first presentation of "Samson and Delilah" at Ravinia this season.

Next Week's Program

So marked was the success of "Romeo and Juliet" when presented a short time ago that it has been decided to give this famous Gounod opera Sunday night, July 19, as the official opener of the fifth week of Ravinia Opera and Concerts.



GIUSEPPE DANESI

Monday night, July 20, the weekly symphony concert will be given by the Chicago Symphony orchestra under the baton of Mr. DeLamarter's direction.

The ever popular double bill, "Pagliacci" and "Cavalleria Rusticana" is scheduled for Tuesday night with an all-star cast combination: Giovanni Martinelli, whose delineation of Canio in "Pagliacci" is a classic, will be heard in that part while that excellent singer, Marie Sundelius, will be the Nedda.

Rigoletto Wednesday For the first time this season the ever colorful "Rigoletto" with its wealth of arias and ensembles will be given on Wednesday night.

"A FRONT PAGE STORY" TO BE SHOWN TONIGHT Ladies Auxiliary of Grace M. E. Church Present Movie at Elm Place School

The Ladies' Auxiliary of Grace M. E. church will present "A Front Page Story," a Jess Robbins production, to be shown at the Elm Place school, Thursday evening (tonight) at Elm Place auditorium.

This picture is a unique production and promises an evening of enjoyment. It was produced to commemorate the three-hundredth anniversary of the first newspaper printed in the English language.

Ravinia to Have New School Building; to Remodel Present One

Ravinia is to have a new school building. At a meeting of the board of education of District 108 Monday evening, July 13, the building committee reported that plans for a new school building at Ravinia were completed and in the hands of contractors for bids.

The plans, as outlined, are in two sections, the first providing for remodeling of the present edifice, and the second for the erection of the new structure.

By this projected improvement the board with wise forethought is providing against congestion in the Ravinia school. The addition of another commodious modern building to the present equipment there will adequately take care of school demands in that community for a long time to come, it is believed.

HIGHLAND PARK BOYS AT CAMP ROOSEVELT Many Enrolled for 7 Week's Period; Second Term Starts July 20th

Highland Park boys now in Camp Roosevelt and who are staying the full season of seven weeks are as follows: J. Thomas Taussig, 8 N. First street; Webster Doud, St. John's avenue; Melbourne and Page Beers, 335 Vine avenue; W. F. and George B. Brainerd, S. Linden avenue; Herman Stein, Moraine hotel.

A number of others are now enrolling for the second period which will begin Monday, July 20. They include, Billy Gipp, 1850 Kincaid street; Grant and Herman Rodolph, 328 N. Linden; McPherson Thomas, 181 Belle avenue. For the second and third periods, L. T. Randall, 285 Linden Place; A. T. Montgomery, Charles Dickey, David Morris, and Roland Hastings.

YOUNG MEN'S CLUB SMOKER, HIGHWOOD St. James Church Organization to Give Program in Parish Hall This Evening

St. James' Young Men's Club will give a smoker on Thursday evening, July 16, at eight o'clock in the parish hall. This promises to be a big event and a large crowd is expected.

An interesting program has been arranged. There will be quite a few specialty numbers, but the main attraction will be a pair of professional comedians from Chicago whose services have been secured for the occasion.

It will be worth the while for anybody who does not know what to do that evening to drop in at the parish hall for an evening of first class entertainment.

DEERFIELD GRADUATE WRITES FROM CHINA Mildred Welch, Former Resident, is Now Missionary; Letter in Daily Illini

Miss Mildred Welch, graduate of Deerfield-Shields and of Illinois university, and now a missionary at West China Union university, Chengtau Szechwan, China, has written to the Daily Illini, the university newspaper, an interesting letter telling of her work there and of the present unrest in China with many threats aimed at foreign residents.

THREE AUTO THIEVES ARE CAPTURED HERE

Three men giving the names, Joe Romana, Eddie O'Brien and Fred Real were arrested here Saturday charged with theft of a Ford coupe on Friday in Chicago. They had the coupe with them and it was returned to the owner, who came out here. The trio were returned to the Chicago police on Sunday afternoon.

CENTRAL-SHERIDAN ORDINANCE PASSED FOR PAVING & WIDENING

Bids Received for Another Large Paving Contract; Council and Board in Session Friday Evening

At the regular sessions of the city council and the Board of Local Improvements last Friday evening the council passed an ordinance providing for the widening and paving of portions of East Central avenue and of North Sheridan road where they intersect. The ordinance was placed on file for public inspection.

This ordinance provides for the improvement of these portions of the two streets where increased congestion of traffic in that part of the business district makes necessary provision for greater accommodation and the widening of these streets and repaving will be a marked improvement, as well as affording greater ease and convenience for traffic.

The Board of Local Improvements at this session received bids for the improvement of the roadways in Oak Knoll Terrace and Pine point drive with reinforced concrete paving and all necessary accessories. The bids received are: E. A. Meyer Construction Co., \$39,722.21; Arcole Construction Co., \$38,003.60; Western Improvement Co., \$43,785.70; Chicago Heights Coal Co., \$39,531.05; Johnson & Anderson, \$38,884.05; Highways Construction Co., \$36,969.20.

BASKET PICNIC AT ARDEN SHORE JULY 17 Annual Event for Committees of North Shore Promises to Be Big Affair

Friday will be a Basket Picnic Day for all Arden Shore committees of North Shore towns. Regardless of whether Old Sol shines forth or Pluvius dampens the atmosphere, all friends of Arden Shore are asked to pack their lunches, gather their parties and spend the day at this well-known camp.

QUALIFYING ROUND H. P. CHAMPIONSHIP To be Played Sunday, East Park Golf Course; Rouse to Defend Title; Features

Next Sunday at the Park District Golf Club will be played the 18-hole qualifying round for the golf championship of Highland Park. Anyone in Highland Park is eligible to play.

There will be three flights, and the lowest 16 in each flight will play match play to decide the winner of their respective flights. Entry fee is one dollar, and entries will be received by professional Kelly, at the first tee on Sunday.

John Rouse, last year's winner, will be on hand to defend his title. He is shooting great golf and has a good chance of repeating. Among the other good golfers in first flight are Nafey Larson, Floyd Larson, Chuck Ellwell, Jacob Petersen, Swede Olson, John Kelly, Norman Gemmer, and others too numerous to mention.

There will be prizes for each flight and an extra cup to the winner. All entry money is turned over to the prize committee, and handsome prizes will be given to the winners.

ST. JAMES COURT PLAN CARD PARTY

St. James' Court of the Catholic Daughters of America will give a card party Monday afternoon and evening, July 27, at the home of Mrs. Andrew Walsh, Prairie avenue, Highwood. The party is open to the public and all members and their friends are cordially invited to attend.

ST. JOHN'S PAVEMENT NEARS COMPLETION

At the present rate of progress on the North St. John's avenue paving job, there is indication that it will be open for traffic in a few days. This improvement in addition to the recently completed contract on south St. John's gives the city another splendid thoroughfare.

GEN HALE RETIRES REACHES AGE LIMIT

Retirement of Maj. Gen. Harry C. Hale, ex-commander of the 6th army corps area, from active duty last Friday noon will in no way curtail the execution of his big summer training program for reserve army units, Col. R. E. Wyllie, chief of staff, announced.

HIGHWOOD CHURCH WORK PROGRESSING SCHOOL ALSO IS INCLUDED

Fine New Structure Under Way for St. James Parish; Many Pupils Enrolling for Classes; Details

Work on the new church and school which St. James Parish is erecting in Highwood is progressing. Due to several unavoidable delays the rapid advancement which marked the early stages of construction has been retarded.

But these difficulties have been overcome and now work is going on steadily. At present more attention is being given to the school unit in order that it may be ready for use at the opening of the coming school year.

The church and school, although separate units, in themselves form but one building which is in the shape of a T. A dark, red brick is used throughout, giving the entire structure a rich appearance. The school unit forms the head of the T and contains six spacious class rooms which will amply take care of the needs of the parish for some time to come.

While the work is being pushed on the school, the church is not being neglected. Construction on the latter has advanced to such a point where the art-glass windows will be installed in a short time. All of the windows, numbering about twelve, have been donated by various parishioners.

Next Week's Program AT PEARL THEATRE

The following pictures will be shown at Pearl Theatre next week: Tonight and tomorrow night, Kenneth Harlan, Helene Chadwick, Mary Carr and Zasu Pitts in "The Recreation of Brian Kent"; Saturday, Baby Peggy in "Captain January" with Hobart Bosworth and Irene Rich; Sunday, Laura La Plante and Eugene O'Brien in "Dangerous Innocence"; Monday and Tuesday, Blanche Sweet, Ronald Colman in "His Supreme Moment"; Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, Dorothy Mackaill in "Chickie" with John Bowers, Gladys Brockwell, Hobart Bosworth and Myrtle Steadman; Saturday, "After Six Days." Matinee Saturday. See program on local page of this paper.

Business Men Meet, Plan for Highland Park Day, Aug. 12

At Tuesday night's regular meeting of the Highland Park Business Men's association six new members were added to the growing membership roll. Those accepted for membership were Jos. J. Berube, Wm. Desmond, Wm. J. Brown, A. E. Smith, Dr. B. A. Hamilton and T. E. Pierson.

A proposal to change the name of the association to "Chamber of Commerce" was read by Secretary W. E. Becker, and a vote is to be taken on the question at the next regular meeting.

All soliciting for funds or subscriptions in Highland Park must have approval of a committee of five appointed by the president of the association, and members are asked to have solicitors show proper credentials, before subscribing or contributing to so many things that often prove worthless or not deserving of assistance.

The city was asked to erect a "safety" island at Central and First street, and to keep St. John's avenue north of Central, open for traffic, by preventing parking of cars there.

HOSPITAL AUXILIARY CARD PARTY FRIDAY

The Woman's Auxiliary of the Highland Park hospital will give a bridge and mah jongg party at the Moraine hotel, Friday, July 17. Tables are being reserved at \$5 or \$1.25 single admission. Prizes will be awarded each table.

The following committee is in charge. Mrs. Gerard Van Schaick, Mrs. Martin Insull, Mrs. Irving Randall, Mrs. John T. O'Neill, Mrs. George Allan Mason, Mrs. Wm. Louderback, Mrs. Guy V. Dickinson, Mrs. Moses Eisenstaedt, Mrs. Sidney Cahm, Mrs. Roland Hastings, and Mrs. Charles B. Willard.

"PATHS OF PARADISE" TO BE SHOWN 3 DAYS

Highland Park Theatre will show the following pictures next week: Tonight, Bebe Daniels, Hale Hamilton and Charlotte Walker in "The Manicure Girl"; Friday and Saturday, Strongheart, the wonder dog in "White Fangs"; Sunday and Monday, Elliott Dexter, Lou Tellegen, George Fawcett and Gertrude Astor in "The Verdict"; Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, Raymond Griffith with Betty Compson in "Paths of Paradise"; Friday and Saturday, Mildred Harris and Robert Agnew in "Private Affairs." Matinee Saturday. See program on back page of this paper.

DISTRICT MOURNS FOR LOVED TEACHER

LONG FAITHFUL SERVICE Miss Esther White, 22 Years Instructor at Elm Place, Is Taken by Death; Address at Last Rites

The death of Miss Esther White, for 22 years a faithful and efficient instructor in the Elm Place school brought sorrow to the entire district in which she had so many friends by whom her memory will long be cherished.

It is estimated that in her long service to the school Miss White taught fully 1500 pupils, and Miss Bertha Cramer and other friends have compiled a list of Miss White's first class in the school which is as nearly accurate as it could be made.



Miss Esther White

Two days ago Miss Esther White, one of the best loved citizens of Highland Park, was called into the fuller presence of God.

The bare outline of Miss White's life can be soon told. She was born at Apple River, Illinois, over sixty years ago and grew up on a farm. The teaching instinct was in her from her earliest years and as soon as she was old enough to qualify she taught in the small country schools near the farm where she lived.

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FRANK T. MAHEN DIES AT HOME, HIGHWOOD

Frank T. Mahen, for a number of years a valued employe of the North Shore Line, on which he held the position of foreman, died Tuesday, July 14, at his home in Highwood, following two weeks of illness from a complication of stomach trouble and pneumonia.

He was born in Deerfield township Sept. 9, 1882, and was aged 42 years, ten months and five days. His wife is living and there are four children.

The funeral service will be held at 9:30 o'clock Friday morning, at St. James church, Highwood, and burial will be in the cemetery at Everett.

Mr. Mahen was well known and highly respected in the community in which he lived and had many friends also elsewhere throughout the township. The family has the sympathy of all in their bereavement.