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AUTO-TRAIN CRASH CAUSES TWO DEATHS

JOHN CAROLAN IS VICTIM

Also One of His Employees; Accident Sunday Evening Near Deerfield; Additional Details

(By Staff Correspondent)
John Carolan, well known Everett and Deerfield contractor, was fatally injured when his automobile was struck and demolished by a C. M. & St. P. train on the county line crossing south of Deerfield late Sunday afternoon.

His companions were Louis Alexander of Deerfield, who was severely injured, and Francis Ward of Nekosia, Wis., also badly hurt.

Mr. Carolan evidently did not see the approaching train as the view was obscured by several freight cars which had been placed on the siding.

Members of the crew stopped the train and took the injured men to the Washington Boulevard hospital, Chicago. Mr. Carolan died on the train, and Mr. Alexander died late Sunday evening. Francis Ward will probably recover.

Louis Alexander was 46 years of age and is survived by a widow and four children living in Cincinnati.

Francis Ward is 27 and his home is in Nekosia, Wis.
All three men were employees of the Carolan Construction Co.
Well Known Resident

John Joseph Carolan was the youngest son of Mrs. Elizabeth A. Carolan of Chicago and was born in Everett in 1897, where he lived until his untimely death on Sunday. About two years ago he married Martha Van Landuyt of Everett.

Following the death of John Carolan's father, the Carolan family moved to Chicago and Mr. Van Landuyt rented the farm. Mr. and Mrs. Carolan lived there with Mrs. Carolan's parents.

The Relatives

The near relatives surviving are the widow and one son, John Joseph, Jr.; the mother, Mrs. Elizabeth A. Carolan; a brother, William P. Carolan of Highland Park; nine sisters, Miss Margaret, of Chicago; Mrs. Arthur

"SIBERIA" FEATURING ALMA RUBENS, 2 DAYS

Wednesday and Thursday "The Whipping Boss"; Friday "Classified"

The following program of pictures will be shown at Pearl Theatre next week:
Tonight "The Outsider" with Jacqueline Logan and Lou Tellegen; Friday, "The Passion Play"; Saturday, "Once in a Lifetime" with Richard Holt and "Hoodoo Ranch"; Sunday, Richard Talmadge in "On Time" with Billie Dove and Stuart Holmes also "Ridin' Mad"; Monday and Tuesday, "Siberia" with Alma Rubens, Edmund Lowe, Lou Tellegen, Lilyan Tashman, Thomas Santachi; Wednesday, Thursday, "The Whipping Boss" with Lloyd Hughes and Barbara Bedford; Friday, Corinne Griffith in "Classified" with Jack Muhlhal and Charles Murray. See program on back page of this paper. Matinee Saturday.

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PLAN NEW BUILDING FOR WILMOT SCHOOL

District 110 to Vote on This and Two Other Propositions on April 10

The Wilmot school, District No. 110, a mile west of Deerfield, will vote at the annual school election, April 10, on three propositions of public policy. One is the proposition to erect a school building with not less than two class rooms on the present school site. Another is with reference to levying a tax for educational and for building purposes, according to law, and the third is the question of a bond issue of \$7,500 to finance construction of a school building.

MOSCOW ART PLAYERS IN RAVINIA SUNDAY

Drama Work Shop of Ravinia to Hear Program Given by Well Known Group

An unusually attractive program has been arranged through the courtesy of Mr. Nicholas Remisoff for the Drama Work Shop of Ravinia. Tickets are being sold to the members of the Work Shop and will later be sold to others interested.

Township Elections Are Held April 6th; Candidates On List

Township elections are to be held next Tuesday, April 6. In Deerfield township officers to be elected are two assistant supervisors, town clerk, assessor, constable to fill vacancy. The candidates, all placed on the ballot by petition, in accordance with the law, are as follows:

Citizens ticket—For assistant supervisor, A. W. Vercoe, J. B. Garnett; town clerk, Albert Larson; assessor, J. H. Duffy; constable to fill vacancy, J. C. Frame (Highwood).
Independent Party—For assistant supervisor, W. E. Becker; for assessor, W. W. Reichardt.
No other nominations on this ticket.
Peoples party—For assistant supervisor, Thomas M. Dooley.
No other nominations on this ticket.

In West Deerfield two tickets are in the field. The Peoples party has candidates for all three offices to be filled, while the Independent party has nominated only a candidate for supervisor. The list is:

Independent party—For supervisor, Lincoln Pettis.
Peoples party—For supervisor, James O'Connor; assessor, Edward H. Selig; town clerk, Julia Peterson.

The primary election for the nomination of candidates for county and state offices will be held Tuesday, April 13.

DECKER'S INVENTION WILL BE DISPLAYED

Highland Park Man's Putting Machine Among Exhibits at National Golf Show

Of especial interest to north shore golfers who visit the National Golf show in Chicago will be an apparatus known as the "Decker Putting Recorder" recently invented by T. H. Decker of Highland Park. It will occupy Booth No. 133 on the main floor of the Furniture Mart, 666 Lake Shore drive, where the show is being held April 6 to 10.

Mr. Decker has just had his machine patented and it bids fair to be a distinct success. It is something entirely new and will be welcomed by golf enthusiasts as a pleasant and practical method of putting on a rainy day.

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SCHOOL ELECTIONS ARE HELD APRIL 10

DIST. 107, 108 AND HIGHWOOD

Candidates for Offices on the Board of These Districts To Be Chosen Members On That Date

Annual school elections will be held on Saturday, April 10, and candidates already are in the field. Elections will be held in the Deerfield-Shields high school district, and in the two local districts, No. 107 (Elm Place school) and No. 108 (Lincoln, Ravinia and Ridge schools).

District No. 107
In District 107 two of the present board are retiring, George R. Jones, president, and Edna G. Greene, member, the term of each expiring this month. Mr. Jones as a member of the board and as president during the past two years has been able to render service of the highest importance in shaping the financial policy of the board. Mrs. Greene has during her long years of service as member of the board contributed much to the success of the school and to the welfare of teachers and pupils. The retirement from the board of Mrs. Greene and that of Mr. Jones are due to their earnest request to be relieved from further service.

Mr. George E. Bliss of 522 Central avenue has been prevailed upon to permit the use of his name as an applicant for president of the board. Mrs. Thomas C. Creigh of 200 Prospect avenue likewise will be a candidate for the position Mrs. Greene occupied, and Gen. Robert E. Wood for re-election, his short term for which he was elected last year expiring at this time. The election will be held at the Elm Place Elementary school on Saturday, April 10, from two to five in the afternoon.

District 108
An election will be held Saturday, April 10, at the Lincoln school for the purpose of electing a president and two members of the board for school district No. 108. The polls will be open from 1:30 to 6:00 o'clock. Wilford C. Shipnes, president, is up for Continued on page five.

AMERICAN LEGION TO GIVE MOVIES 2 DAYS

Wednesday & Thursday at Pearl Theatre; Receive Percentage of Ticket Sale

Dumaresq Spencer post No. 145, American Legion, will present a two day program at Pearl theatre Wednesday and Thursday evenings, April 7 and 8. "The Whipping Boss" will be shown. The American Legion is selling tickets from which it will receive a percentage. A ticket purchased from the Legion may be used either night. All members are urged to support this enterprise. Only tickets purchased through the members will net the Legion revenue.

During the days previous to the performance, the Yellow Cab company will give to every party using their cabs, the fee for which amounts to \$1.00 or more, a ticket to the performance, "The Whipping Boss."

"THE NEW KLONDYKE" TO BE SHOWN 4 DAYS

Featuring Thomas Meighan and Lila Lee; "The Cave Man" Sunday - Monday

The Highland Park theatre will present the following program next week:
Tonight and tomorrow night, Bebe Daniels in "Miss Brewster's Millions" Saturday, "His Majesty, Bunker Bean," with Matt Moore and Dorothy Devore; Sunday and Monday, "The Cave Man," with Matt Moore and Marie Prevost; Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, Thomas Meighan with Lila Lee in "The New Klondyke"; Saturday, "The King of the Turf," starring Kenneth Harlan and Patsy Ruth Miller. Matinee Saturday. See program on back page of this paper.

ILLUSTRATED LECTURE IN DEERFIELD FRIDAY

Tomorrow evening, Friday, at 8:00 o'clock, the Deerfield Chamber of Commerce will have the opportunity of hearing an illustrated lecture on "Concrete Road Building." This will be a very interesting meeting and all members are urged to attend. Several matters of importance will also be discussed at this meeting.

DANCE APRIL 10 IN SANTI HALL, HIGHWOOD

On Saturday evening, April 10, the Pythian Sisters of Highwood will give a dance at K. P. hall, Highwood. Music will be furnished by Murphy's Melody Boys. The public is cordially invited to attend.

SERVICES GOOD FRIDAY AT TRINITY CHURCH

The Three Hour Passion service will be held at Trinity church Good Friday from twelve to three o'clock, with meditations on the Seven Last Words of Christ on the Cross. This watching at the cross service is becoming more and more appreciated by Christians of every name. All will be welcome at Trinity church for all or any part of the three hours.

OAK TERRACE P. T. A. MASQUERADE DANCE

A masquerade dance will be given by the Parent-Teacher association of the Oak Terrace school on Saturday evening, April 17. Music will be furnished by Sheridan's orchestra. A cordial invitation is extended to the public.

EMERGENCY FUNDS ARE APPROPRIATED

COUNCIL VOTES 30,000.00

Necessary New Equipment at Pumping Station Provided For; Consider Franchise for Skokie Valley Route

An ordinance making an emergency appropriation for waterworks improvement was passed at the regular meeting of the city council last Friday evening. The amount involved was \$30,000.

The improvement has been made imperative by the change in the lake level during recent years. The capacity of the pumps at present is only four and a half million gallons a day. During the winter this is sufficient, but in summer the consumption at times averages six million gallons.

The proposed installation of new equipment at the pumping station is all part of the general plan for increased capacity and filtration. Later a new chlorinator, of the most modern type, will be installed.

An application to put in two new gasoline pumps on South Green Bay road was presented by Elmer Malmquist and referred to the Department of Public Health and Safety.

The matter of removing the old Y. W. C. A. building from corner of Central avenue and Green Bay road to its new location in Sheridan Place was discussed, and the commissioner of streets was ordered to see that necessary bonds were provided to protect property owners against possible injuries to trees and shrubs.

A proposed location for the septic tank on city property in Clavey road was referred to the commissioner of public property.

The council accepted the plat submitted by the subdividers of the old military academy property in St. Johns avenue.

Project Water Tower

Krenn and Dato were voted permission to install a connected system of water mains in their new subdivision west of Fort Sheridan. The council was informed that a site one hundred feet square has been set aside by the subdividers for a water tower Continued on page eight

HARRY L. CANMANN OUT FOR SCHOOL BOARD

Friends Have Prevailed Upon Him to Run for Election in School District 108

The following story was handed in by friends of Mr. Canmann: The candidacy of Mr. Harry L. Canmann for member of the school board of District 108, for a three-year term is announced by popular petition of voters of the school district. This important district comprises three rapidly growing schools, Lincoln, Ravinia and West Ridge. The election will be held on Saturday, April 10, at the Lincoln school. The polling place will be open from one-thirty to six o'clock.

Mr. Canmann has resided in Ravinia at 1845 Kincaid avenue for seven years. He attended the public schools in St. Louis, Mo., and the University of Illinois. He is engaged in the civil engineering and survey business, being vice-president of the Chicago Guarantee Survey Co.

Mr. Canmann has two children attending the Ravinia school. He takes an active interest in education and is a firm believer in the methods and results of our modern system of public school education.

Miss Elizabeth Wells Robertson, 1250 Judson avenue, will open her home informally on Thursday evening, April 1, at eight o'clock to those who wish to meet Mr. Canmann. Other homes at which Mr. Canmann will be introduced will be open to the public each evening next week, announcement of which will be posted.

Old Eyesore Will Be City Park; Easement Granted By Railroad

City of Highland Park and the Railroad Company, Owners of the Property Between Central Avenue and Elm Place and Between the Two Railroads, According to Information Just Received by the Press from Commissioner Joseph B. Card. Mr. Card is Commissioner of Streets and Public Improvements.

The Chicago and North Western Railway company, owners of this property, granted the easement this week.

Efforts have been made for several years to get control of this tract of land, because it has long been a public eyesore. There were no means by which the local authorities could force the railroad company to keep it clean and presentable.

According to present plans the city and the park district will co-operate in cleaning up and beautifying the property, and when they have completed the metamorphosis the city will have a park in its front yard instead of an eyesore. The whole tract will be landscaped, walks will be put in, and shrubbery and flower beds will be laid out.

The city and the east park district are sure to win the approbation of everyone in this move.

H. P. WOMAN'S CLUB SPRING MUSICALS APR. 6

Naoum Benditzky and Inna Roubloff to Appear Here Next Week

The next meeting of the Highland Park Woman's club, Tuesday, April 6 will be the annual spring musicale. It has been arranged for by the music committee, consisting of Mrs. James Loeb, chairman; Mrs. Elizabeth McCrystal Heath and Mrs. Helen Abbott Byfield, and promises to be an afternoon of especially fine music. The program follows:

- Program**
- a. Moment Musical Rachmaninoff
 - b. Tale Medtner
 - c. Etude plus que lente Debussy
 - d. Etude op. 8 No. 12 Scriabine by Inna Roubloff
 - Concerto D. Major for Violoncello II and III movements
 - a. Adagio Haydn
 - b. Rondo by Naoum Benditzky (Intermission)
 - a. Hopak Moussorgsky-Rachmaninoff
 - b. Etude No. 2 Scriabine
 - c. Seguidilla Albeniz
 - d. Tarentelle-humoresque Petite valse
 - Prélude Etude de concert by Inna Roubloff
 - a. Apres un reve Faure-Elman
 - b. Serenade Popper
 - c. Allegro Appassionato Saint-Saens by Naoum Benditzky
 - Sonata for violoncello and piano in A Minor Grieg
 - First movement Allegro-Agitato Inna Roubloff and Naoum Benditzky

MISS KAWIN TO SPEAK TO HIGH SCHOOL P. T. A.

Will Tell of Research Work of Institute at Meeting Next Thursday

The next meeting of the High School Parent-Teacher association will be held on the afternoon of April 8th at three o'clock in the English club room. The program committee has been fortunate in securing Miss Ethel Kavin of the Institute for Juvenile Research of the Department of Public Welfare of Illinois.

Miss Kavin spoke recently at the high school as the guest of the teachers and all who heard her will be anxious to do so again. The parents who were not in that audience should certainly avail themselves of this opportunity to hear such an exceptional speaker. She will talk about the research work among high school students which has been carried on by the institute of which Dr. Herman W. Adler is director. This is an open meeting to which all parents are invited.

ANNOUNCE LECTURE ON CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

Bicknell Young, C. S. B., of Chicago, to Speak Here Next Thursday Evening

First Church of Christ, Scientist of Highland Park, announces a free lecture on Christian Science by Bicknell Young, C. S. B. of Chicago, Ill., member of the board of Lectureship of the Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass., at the church edifice, Hazel avenue, Thursday evening, April 8, at eight o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend.

EASTER SERVICES AT LOCAL CHURCHES

NEXT SUNDAY, APRIL 4TH

Special Music and Programs Arranged; Vesper Services at Presbyterian and Bethany Evangelical

Many very beautiful and impressive services will be rendered at the local churches on Easter Sunday. Following are some of the church services to be given Sunday.

Presbyterian Church
Next Sunday afternoon at four-thirty there will be a special musical service at the Presbyterian church. In addition to three organ pieces by Mr. Allan B. Benedict and a solo by Mr. Kreidler the new girls' chorus, trained by Mrs. C. A. Pardee will sing three numbers: "The Magdalen" by Warren, "There is a Green Hill Far Away" by Somerset, and "Christ Triumphant" by Von.

The young women who are members of the choir are as follows: Mary Anderson, Barbara Balke, Madeline Bliss, Mae Bliss, Margaret Colestock, Jean Cox, Margaret Crawford, Phyllis Dexter, Joan Dexter, Eunice Hall, Josephine Hall, Ruth Jenkins, Mary Mavor, Ann Mills, Charlotte Seifert, Myra Thomas, Elise Weisenberger, Marion Weisenberger, Elizabeth Rankin, Irene Simpson, Alice Simpson, Marion Greenlee and Elinor Roberts.

Those not worshipping regularly elsewhere are invited to attend.

Bethany Evangelical Church
The following program has been arranged for an Easter vesper service Continued on page eight

OPEN HIGHWOOD BANK SATURDAY, APRIL 3RD

Handsome Building Fully Equipped Ready for Use; Officers and Directors

An event of exceptional importance in Highwood occurs next Saturday, April 3, in the opening of the new Highwood State bank, located in its handsome new building on Railroad avenue. The new bank building is of modern construction, erected especially for the purpose and equipped with all modern facilities for the conduct of a banking business in every branch, and adequately protected by all protective devices obtainable.

It is equipped with a modern steel vault of the best type to be had and equal to many of the vaults in large city banking institutions. The fixtures and furniture are appropriate and of fine quality and the interior is finished in a style-fitting the character of the building and the business to be carried on there. Altogether it is a splendid banking plant, and the people of Highwood in general and the men behind the project merit high praise for the fine bank they have provided for their town.

The officers and directors of the new bank are: President, John Gourelly; vice-president, Richard O'Connor; cashier, J. E. Engquist; directors, W. J. Brown, Harry Olander, J. J. Flannigan, Casper Santi, John Gourelly, Richard O'Connor, G. S. Rettig.

The new bank will conduct a general banking business, with attention to checking accounts, savings accounts, safety deposit business, insurance, real estate mortgages, foreign exchange, etc.

The public is invited to visit the new institution on the opening day, Saturday, April 3, and children especially are welcomed. Announcement of the opening is printed in another part of this newspaper.

EASTER SALE TO BE HELD ON SATURDAY

Trinity Service League Affair at Parish House, April 3; Many Articles

Trinity Service league is holding an Easter sale at Trinity Parish House on Laurel avenue from two o'clock until five-thirty o'clock, Saturday afternoon. Besides maids' aprons, there will be on all bakery goods of all descriptions and at all prices. Many other articles suitable for Easter gifts will be offered. At the bakery table there will be found cakes, cookies and other goodies. Tea will be served at a nominal price.

BAKERY-APRON SALE FOR GRACE CHURCH

The Ladies' Aid of Grace M. E. church will hold a bakery and apron sale at Bartlett's new store on North avenue, on Saturday, April 3. Here is a chance to get your Easter baked goods and Easter gifts without any trouble at all, and furthermore will help these ladies in their worthy cause.

Leading Lady



Hochetweller Photo Courtesy Chicago American

Miss Elizabeth Jaeger will appear in the leading feminine role in the senior class play, "Merton of the Movies," Friday evening, April 9. The play will be given in the new \$200,000 auditorium at the Deerfield-Shields high school.

A photograph of the other members of the cast will be found on another page of this issue.