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# **Local Men Attend National Crusade** To Create Business

A cooperative movement has been started in this country which may possibly reverse the present business trend. It all depends, of course, upon how quickly and how effectively all lines of business take up the challenge.

business men from the Chicago of this type have been purchased Area, assembled at the Stevens ho- for this affair. tel for the National Salesmen's Crusade, a movement headed by George W. Mason, president of the Nash- Screen Attractions Kelvinator corporation, to investigate business.

A large representation from Highland Park attended the luncheon at noon at the Chicago hotel and again at the Alcyon on Thursday in purchasing a beautiful Plymouth and attractive room. The other room es by big business heads of national organizations. Included on the program were Mr. W. H. Burritt, vicepresident, Nash-Kelvinator corporation; Mr. George W. Mason, presi-Nebraska, Chamber of Commerce; Mr. Raymond C. Messinger, president, Chain Belt Company and chairman, Oliver Farm Equipment company; Mr. Fred W. Sargent, president, Chicago North Western Railway Co.; Mr. Gene Elack, Trade Relations Counsel, Loose-Wiles Bispresident, Oscar Mayer & Company, and president of the Chicago Association of Commerce.

On June 14th a similar meeting was held in New York and was heard over a national hook up in New York City was something throughout the eastern states. Tues- neither the Legionnaires nor New years, 1 month and 17 days. day's meeting was heard on anoth- Yorkers will forget, and for those er national hook-up as was the one who missed all the fun Victor Mc- united in marriage with Miss Floryesterday in Milwaukee.

Mr. Mason's idea is utterly simple, easily understandable. That, no doubt, is why it is sweeping the country today, being adopted in many communities as a means of fighting for better business.

The idea is this: Every salesman in Mr. Mason's far-flung organization pledges himself to make ten devise. calls a day as a patriotic duty. Through widespread news coverage and newspaper cooperation, mass meeting, endorsements from public leaders, the prospects upon whom the salesman calls may be led to answer the doorbell with at least a friendly welcome and a patient hearing of his sales story. This is the consumer's contribution to a patriotic movement.

Instead of resenting and resisting the salesman as just someone else who is trying to get his hardearned money, the prospect, it is hoped, will understand that the salesman has joined a movement toward recovery. He is out to get goods moving again-to crack the log-jam of public apathy which has dammed the stream of business.

If the salesman succeeds, goods will move, national income will rise, Highland Park business houses. times will get better-and everyone, including the buyer, will thereby benefit. All the prospect has to do is treat the salesman courteously, give him a sporting chance to tell his story. This will help him maintain his morale.

incentive to go out after business. Highwood. Before it came along, he was disuse," thought many salesmen. Might | sion to the park is free. as well hang around the showroom A "bocce" contest will be held in other relatives and many friends. and wait for someone to come in the afternoon with other games and looking for something at a cut dancing in the evening. price."

But now salesmen are enlisting in Two Cars Collide a CAUSE. They are fighting the enemy of depression, menacing the on Skokie Sunday welfare of everybody in the country. They are battling for the American standard of living. What if they don't get results the first day or the first week? They're making all the calls they can humanly make in the course of each day. They're in the army and they're performing a public service.

This, Mr. Mason points out, is not just a promotion scheme of one company. It's a Recovery Plan designed for the use of EVERYBODY engaged in industry and commerce.

It is an idea which is at once so simple and so understandable that Bump-Along Tourney everyone who hears it seems to catch its significance and appreciate its At Sunset July 13 worth.

ly. Every time a selesman closes past have been very successful.

Sales mean jobs. It is reasonable golfers. to believe that the salesmen's crusade can lead to prosperity.

#### **Highwood Days To** Be Held In August By Civic Association

Highwood Days, a carnival sponsored by the Highwood Civic Improvement Association, will be held on August 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6.

Many new features' have been booked by the committee for this event, and an unusual line of merchandise will be used on the wheels and bingo stands. Beautiful sherbets, goblets, wine and cocktail glasses in matched sets, wool automobile robes, chenille bedspreads, four 14. Tuesday noon more than 2,000 slice electric toaster and other prizes

# At Alcyon Theatre

Stuart and Michael Whalen together service men's ambitious undertaking dows. It will be a most inviting and Friday this week. Here is touring sedan which will be given more excitement, thrills, unexpected away on the final night of the carlaughs and romance than you ever nival. could imagine packed into this film. As these are double-feature nights the second attraction is "Accidents dent, Nash-Kelvinator corporation; Will Happen" in which Gloria Blon-Mr. Dana Cole, president, Lincoln, dell, younger sister of Joan Blondell, is starred with Michael Whalen. A this film.

tion in their mystery picture are evening meal he, with his compancuit Company; Mr. Oscar G. Mayer, in for an exciting evening on Sat- ion, were in their garden enjoying urday when they see "Arsen Lupin | the flowers and nature about them, Returns," which has as its stars Vir- when a heart attack overtook him, ginia Bruce, Melvyn Douglas and which resulted in his death about Warren William.

The American Legion convention

## Earl Gsell & Co. Has Store Here Air Conditioned

Earl W. Gsell and company, located at the corner of St. Johns and Central avenue, have just had a Carrier Air Conditioner installed in their store.

Air conditions which is an outstanding development of the present decade, improved working conditions and is an asset to the patron of a store or business house.

Mr. Gsell, alert to modern business demands, and eager to serve the public well, has installed this cooling system, which is one of the first, outside of that installed the local theatre, to be used

#### **Cuore Arte Club** Annual Picnic June 26

The annual picnic of the Cuore low man, Arte Club will be held next Sunday, This plan gives to salesmen an June 26, at Santi's Grove west of ion, Mrs. Mary Crandall, and his hoped that he would go on to even

couraged, down in the dumps. Cus- pleted by the committee in charge and Mrs. Mary Phillips of Lake Fortomer resistance was tremendous. and those who will attend are as-Times were tough. "What's the sured of a wonderful time. Admis- Wis., who is now 88 years of age,

A west bound car driven by Claude Ellis, 505 Eastwood avenue, collided Sunday evening, June 19, Motor Scoots Make with a car being driven north by Dr. A. Maits of 700 Ravine drive, Lake Bluff. The accident occurred at the intersection of Skokie and West Park avenue. Mrs. Maits and her niece, Sheila Fitzsimmons, were with Maits.

Maits was apparently injured as he was taken to the hospital before the police arrived.

The third annual Pump-Along crease in the number of rentals in The crusade's slogan is "Sales tournament will be held at the Sun- the next few weeks and is obtain-Mean Jobs." This is a battle cry set Valley golf course on Wednes- ing more new machines. around which EVERYBODY can ral- day, July 13. These events in the

should be in as soon as possible.

# American Legion **Complete Plans For** Carnival July 12-14

Officials of the Dumaresq Spencer a lot of midnight oil during the past week completing final arrangements for the annual carnival to be held in Sunset Park July 12, 13 and

Details of the nightly events and other program features will be announced next week by Miller W. Schreiner, general chairman, who declares that he has a number of surprises that will distinguish this year's celebration from the usual run of such events. Tremendous in-

### **Heart Attack Fatal** To Arthur Crandall

Arthur Lynn Crandall, a well thrilling exposure of the fake in- known and highly respected citizen jury racket, whereby insurance as- of our community, died very sudsociations have been robbed of many denly on Monday evening, June 20. thousands of dollars is promised in Mr. Crandall was enjoying his usual good health. He had completed Audiences who enjoy plenty of ac- his day's work and following the two hours later. Mr. Crandall was born at Walworth, Wis., May 3,

In the year 1894 Mr. Crandall Laglen and Brian Donlevy are shown ence Gates. To their union three together in the film "Battle of children, Bert, Helen and Mary were Broadway," at the Alcyon on Sun- born. During the early part of day, Monday and Tuesday. Not since their married life Mr. and Mrs. Mademoiselle from Armentieres was Crandall moved to Colorado where a mere slip of a girl has there been they spent about 12 years. From such heck-raising on the screen. Mc- the west they moved to the north Laglen and Donlevy, both hones-off- shore. Soon after locating in this screen veterans, lend more truth to area Mrs. Crandall died suddenry Pays Honor Sunday this film than play-acting could ever on June 11, 1919. In the fall of 1919 Mr. Crandall and his 5 children came to make their home in Highland Park, where he has resided ever since. On the 22nd of September, 1920, Mr. Crandall united in marriage with Miss Mary Fox of Chicago.

Mr. Crandall was a great lover day. of nature. He spent the greater part of his life as a gardener. He

Mr. Crandall was a man of sterhe could to please those who were Crafts Watson in honor of the oc- the fact. near and dear to him. It was a casion. habit of his to have a kind word for every one. He had implicit faith in those with whom he dealt and seldom ever mistrusted his fel-

three children, Bert of Chicago, Mrs. All arrangements have been com- Helen Ripley of Williams Bay, Wis., est; also his mother of Walworth, Befriends Sick Dog, and six grandchildren. There are

The funeral services are being held Thursday afternoon at 2 p.m. at the residence at 119 S. Second street. Mr. H. F. Kelly has charge of the service with Rev. H. F. Siemsen of the Bethany Evangelical church officiating.

# Appearance Here: Popular Diversion

A new form of motor transportation can be seen in Highland Park Miss Wilder will have to take a these days-it is the Motor Glide, trip to the doctor's office for a shot a sort of scooter with a motor at- of serum for prevention of rabies. tached. Its popularity is attested Nineteen dog loving fraternity broto by the fact that an increasing thers will be receiving the same number of these machines can be treatment. seen every day on the streets.

Mr. True is the local agent and has a Rent-a-Scoot located at 104 S. First street. He anticipates an in-

party in their honor.

#### More Details About Community House Floor Lay-Out

Community houses of today must plan for many hobby club and social club activities. These club activities, include: camera, stamp, craft, chess, choral, debating and speech, ladies' sewing, and many Post of the American Legion burned other clubs too numerous to mention. Space must be provided for card parties, small lecture and class groups, social parties, boy and girl scout merit and proficiency badge classes.

The second floor of the proposed Community House has been planned to care for the many and varied smaller groups who need adequate facilties for their activities. It comprises a group of two rooms, connected by a kitchenette. The main "Island in the Sky" brings Gloria terest has been aroused over the Sunset Park, with two walls of winon the second floor is 16x28 feet in size and also has many windows on two of the walls facing the park. A kitchenette lies between the two rooms. Here light refreshments, afternoon coffee or tea can be prepared and served. The combined use of these two rooms for an afternoon card party or lecture in the large room, and refreshments served in the other room, will make an attractive combination. Cabinet space is provided for hobby clubs, scout groups and other recurring activities; so that equipment needed for these activities can be safely stored away while not in use.

Now let us take a look at the ground floor plan. Here are to be located the wash rooms for men and women. There will be two lock-1873. He attained the age of 65 er rooms in the men's section, which will normally provide a locker room for the men and one for the boys. However, during basketball games the visiting team can have its own locker room; which by many is considered very desirable.

In the women's section as well as (Continued on Page 5)

# Large Assemblage To Noted Artist

Last Sunday afternoon a reception was given at the Ravinia school auditorium in honor of Frank Peyraud of Ravinia, one of America's foremost landscape artists. He had recently celebrated his 80th birth-

The group assembled was more or less a family gathering; all the took delight and had much pride persons there were ardent admirers in the work that he did. He never of Peyraud and had come to pay a was too busy to talk to his friends tribute to him. There were present about his flowers. It is of interest in the group a number of local art- clear enough. to many that he is being laid to ists and wirters. Mrs. M. R. Beatrest in the North Shore Garden of ty and Mrs. R. Bennett, both well die and a party of friends went to helped to plan, landscape and make posed verses especially in honor of Peyraud and his 80th birthday.

Many of the foremost artists throughout the world have achieved their greatest heights after they have reached the age of 90. though Peyraud has already painted He leaves to mourn his compan- many well known pictures, it was greater works in the next decade.

# Must Undergo Shots To Prevent Rabies

Miss Mary Wilder has earned her great reward for being a dog lover. She has to undergo the Pasteur treatments as a prevention against rabies.

showed no improvement. It was nomena or "freak of nature." chloroformed and then was discovered to have had the rabies.

So now every day for two weeks

# Infant Welfare Meets

The regular business luncheon meeting of the Highland Park-Ravinia Center of the Infant Welfare society will be held at the home of Farrell, and Mrs James Allen mission.

# Ravinia Festival Opens For Third Season, Next Thursday

#### Achushnet "Hit Show" Golf Demonstration of Sunset June 29

A large turnout of Highland Park golfers is expected to see the Acushnet Caravan when it visits the Sunset Valley Golf club June 29th at 6 p.m. This remarkable trailertesting laboratory is making a nationwide tour of golf clubs, thrilling golfers with its unusual demonstrations.

The machine certainly smacks them out. In a demonstration at the Corsicana, Texas, Country club the driving machine drove a ball for a carry of more than 600 yards. Drives of 400 and 500 yards are

It's accurate, too. Every chip shot rolls dead to the pin-and in one test at the Columbus, Ohio. Country club the driving machine made a 428-yard hole-in-one. There's a record to shoot at, friends. Golfers who attend the Acushnet

Caravan demonstration will see Acushnet golf balls smashed out at the rate of 60 a minute.

But that's only half the story. In addition to the driving machine, they will see actual golf ball tests made by the guillotine, the compression machine, and the X-ray fluoroscope. It's a great show, and will teach you a lot of things you ought to know about golf balls, but probably don't.

This year the 'Acushnet Hit Show which is conducted by Claude Hastings, is presenting a new starthe Acushnet Titleist golf ball. This winter the ball was given exhaustive tests in Florida, both by professional golfers and by the trailer laboratory. The Acushnet Caravan will show the new Titleist in action at more than three hundred clubs, and numerous driving ranges thruoghout the country. So far it has been playing to "packed houses" at every stand.

The Acushnet Caravan demonstrations are scheduled for 6 o'clock at the Sunset Valley Golf club. All of day evening, June 30, at Ravinia the city's golfers are invited to at- Park.

# Eddie Smith's Theory **Proven in Practice**

ed" is evidently the motto of Eddie certs another year. Smith, local game manufacturer. Perhaps he got the old saying a is our town chairman. He and his little twisted but the meaning is

Memories, a place that he himself known among poetry lovers, com- the Aurora Country club for a round of golf. Upon arrival they discovered that the prime element As the artist cut his birthday for a good game of golf was lackling character. He was very de- cake, the assembled group sang ing-the caddies. The twosome just voted to his family. He was al- "Happy Birthday to You" which was teeing off was in the same predicaways cheerful, and did everything followed by a brief talk by Dudley ment and were loudly bemoaning

So Eddie, not adverse to picking up some small change, rumpled his hair, mussed his clothes, went over and offered his services to the pair; thinking him a caddy, he was eagerly accepted. All afternoon he carried double for them, watching their shots, listening to their language and twice getting treated to "pop."

At the finish of the game, Eddie walked back to his friends and proudly extended his hand-in it was \$2.20.

## Dahlia Blooms In **Fontaine Garden** Termed Phenomenal

full bloom in the garden of Mrs. first week's concerts: Recently she was asked to help Everett O. Fontaine at 752 Glennurse a sick dog at one of the Uni- coe avenue. As dahlias seldom versity of Chicago fraternity houses. bloom before the early part of Au-Even after her ministrations the dog gust, this might be termed a phe-

The bulb which wintered out during the past season against all rules and regulations of well known gardeners, is quite tall and its blossom measures between 5 and 6 inches in diameter.

The bloom appeared on June 16 and there are four other buds all 4. Suite from "L'Oiseau de Feu". Stravinsky ready to open. It is of the Rome Glory species.

#### Hold Exams June 30 For Police Jobs

Thursday, June 30, is the date set Mrs. Cloud Wampler, 334 Lake ave- for examinations of applicants for 1. Prelude, Act 1 from Lohengrin .. Wagner nue, Monday, June 27. Assisting two new policemen jobs on the High- 2. Symphony in D minor .... Mr. and Mrs. William Manson of the hostess will be Mrs. Richard land Park force. The time is 7:30 3. "L'Apres Midi d'un Faune"..... a deal, more men can be put to It is expected that from 150 to Toronto, Canada, are visiting their Kebbon, Mrs. J. K. Tyson, Mrs. H. p.m. and the place the city hall. A 4. Fete Dieu a Seville work—and the result is a movement 200 persons will turn out for the nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. Riddle, Mrs. George Hachtmann. score or more citizens have already contest as it is a big day for the Donald Bruce of Ridgewood drive. The luncheon committee comprises applied for application blanks from Mr. and Mrs. Frank Elwell left Tuesday evening the Bruce's enter- Mrs. W. H. Rietz, Mrs. H. Riddle, Benjamin Ball, secretary of the Sunday for Danville to spend a Reservations for the tournament tained at an old fashioned Scotch Mrs. R. W. Douglass, Mrs. R. O. Highland Park Civil Service Com- week with her mother, and will then

For its third year of concerts with the Chicago Symphony Orchestra, led by world-famous guest conductors, the Ravinia Festival opens Thursday, June 30, at 8:30

Arthur Rodzinski, distinguished conductor of the Cleveland Symphony orchestra, has been chosen to lead the first two weeks of concerts, including the evenings of housed driving machine and golf ball June 30, July 1 and 2, 7, 8, 9, and Sunday afternoons, July 3 and 10.

Other noted guests composers of international fame who will conduct the Chicago Symphony Orchestra during the Ravinia Festival are Eugene Goossens, Willem Van Hoogstrate and Eugene Ormandy. Guest soloists will be announced each

Ravinia Park has for more than twenty years been the mecca for music lovers, and season after season scores of interested listeners have journeyed to this section from various parts of the United States to listen to the operatic programs.

The delightful setting, an outdoor theater hemmed in by beautifully landscaped grounds, enhanced by the quiet, soothing atmosphere of complete isolation from the hustle. of every day life, lend enchantment to the musical background.

For years as almost every Highland Park resident knows, Mr. Louis Eckstein, founder of Ravinia Park, graciously accepted a deficit, for the love of good music, and his desire to share it with the music loving public. With his passing the fate of Ravinia was at stake.

Much musical talent resides in this Chicago area. A group of interested persons gathered, discussed the possibility of reopening Ravinia Park, organized the Ravinia Festival committee and with Mrs. Eckstein's cooperation, inaugurated the Ravinia Festival three years ago. So great was the success of this first undertaking that the group was encouraged to continue the Festival and plans for the third season have been completed and the first program will be presented Thurs-

The success of this year's musical venture is incumbent upon the support of north shore villagers to give it that financial backing which will insure its sponsors against a possible deficit, and will inspire the "A penny earned is a penny sav- committee to continue these con-

Mr. Richard Kebbon, H. P. 3909, committee of captains and their workers have been contacting pa-Last Sunday, as is his wont, Ed- trons of former years and newcomers to Highland Park in order that everyone may have the advantage of reduced rates in the coupon books of tickets. You can save \$3.50 on each coupon book by purchasing now. Books containing eighteen coupons are on sale for \$10 each. These coupons can be used either for admission at the gate or for reserved seats in the pavilion. Coupons are transferable and can be used for any concert. Without coupon books eighteen gate admissions for regular programs would cost \$13.50. Coupon books can be secured from

the Ravinia Festival chairman, Mrs. J. Eugene Davis, at headquarters, Room 1522, 231 S. LaSalle street, Chicago, or at the Highland Park First National Bank. Watch the Highland Park Press

each week for news of guest conductors and the details of music pro-Remember Ravinia opens one week from tonight at Ravinia Park,

"The Wooded Home of Summer Symphony." A very beautiful red dahlia is in Following is the program for the

Thursday, June 30, at 8:30 1. Overture, "Leonore," Opus 72, No. 3 2. Symphony No. 1, C minor, Op. 68.

Intermission 3. Passacaglia and Fugue ..... Gardner Read (First Performance) from "Daphnis and Chloe"

Friday, July 1, at 8:30 1. Overture Fantasia, "Romeo and Ju-

1. Water Music Handel-Hart 2. Symphony No. 5, C minor, Op. 67.... Intermission 8. Rondo-"Till Eulenspiegel's Merry

4. Overture to, "Die Fledermaus" 5. Waltz-"Tales from the Vienna Woods" Sunday, July 3 at 4:00

go to Eagle River, Wis., for a week.