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CAPTAIN EDWARD J. MORONEY, JR.

Highland Park Pilot Lost In Jet Crash

It was with a great sense of shock and grief that Highland Parkers learned of the death of Capt. Edward J. (Sonny) Moroney, Jr., who was one of the three jet pilots lost on Friday of last week in the crash of eight F-84 Thunderjets near Richmond, Ind.

The country is well acquainted with the details of the catastrophe, but Highland Parkers are most concerned with the tragic fate of the boy born and brought up in their town, a graduate of their high school, who has served on their police force, and to whom they pointed with pride as one of the most brilliant fighter pilots in World War II, holding the Distinguished Flying Cross and Distinguished Unit Citation, the Air Medal with nine clusters and three major combat stars.

After graduating from high school, Captain Moroney attended Texas Christian university, where he met Mary Jane Wright of Fort Worth, Texas. They were married July 1, 1943. Their daughter Kathy is six years old. He entered the army in February, 1941, was assigned to the reception center at Camp Grant, Ill., and in September, 1942, was transferred to

the air corps. He put in 300 combat hours in the Eighth air force, shot down six enemy planes in the European theater, and was, himself, downed by enemy fire in January, 1945. Falling a few miles from the Belgium border, he landed unhurt within the Allied lines in that area.

Returning to his Highland Park home, 572 Glenview, after the end of World War II, he served his town as police patrolman until February, 1951, when he returned to the air force. He is the son of former Police Chief and Mrs. Edward J. Moroney of 578 Glenview avenue. Mr. Moroney, Sr. also served his town as city commissioner, retiring from that post this spring.

In addition to his wife, daughter and parents, Captain Moroney is survived by two sisters, Mrs. H. E. Lang of Highland Park, and Mrs. G. W. Cowart of Albuquerque, New Mexico; two brothers, Emmett, of Highland Park, and Patrick, now stationed in Texas with the armed forces.

Services were held at 10 a.m. yesterday (Wednesday) at the Seguin Funeral Home, followed by military rites at St. Mary's cemetery, Lake Forest, where a delegation of 20 from the Illinois Police Association served as guard of honor.

National Safety Council Pleads For Caution Over July 4th

Traffic accidents in the single month of July last year killed only 900 fewer Americans than were killed in the Revolutionary war.

Tragic as war is, according to the National Safety Council, the number of Americans killed in traffic accidents since the invention of the automobile is nearly twice as great as the number killed in combat in all the nation's wars. American dead from enemy action in the eight conflicts of our history, including the war in Korea, total about 533,000, the Council said, while traffic accidents have now claimed more than 971,000.

"With traffic deaths approaching the 1,000,000 mark, the high-hazard period of the Fourth of July celebration is a good time for every motorist to pledge that he won't be one in a million," said Ned H. Dearborn, president of the National Safety Council.

"The calendar will save lives this year, since the Fourth will fall in mid-week and bring only a one-day holiday for most persons," Mr. Dearborn said. "Even so, it will be a day of tragedy for many unless common-sense rules of behavior are observed."

He said these rules are:

1. Start your trip early enough so that you won't have to hurry. Take it easy.

2. Be patient in heavy traffic. Don't let annoyance make you take chances.

3. Leave fireworks alone. Instead, take the children to a supervised public display.

4. Be careful in recreation, especially in swimming and boating.

Dinner Parties Set For Music Theatre Benefit

Dotting Highland Park June 19 will be a series of Summer dinner parties given by members of the Mothers' Guild of the Immaculate Conception Church before the benefit performance they will sponsor of "Show Boat" at Music Theatre on Skokie Highway at County Line Road.

Preceding the performance, which will raise funds for the group's building fund, supper parties will be given at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. George C. McClelland, Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius C. Weed, Mr. and Mrs. Matthew J. Maiman, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Tarpey and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond G. Sheahan.

Among the guests under the green and white striped tent hung with its baskets of petunias will be the Leo J. Sheridans, the Eugene O'Reilly, and Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Rose, Jr. Mrs. Walter J. Meierhoff is president of the organization.

When the Music Theatre troupe sings the romantic "Show Boat" score by Jerome Kern and Oscar Hammerstein, II, the lead will be taken by Evelyn Wycoff, the original "Laurie" of Chicago's "Oklahoma" cast. Barrie O'Daniels is the producer.

Lions To Install Officers June 21

The Installation Night Ceremony of the Highland Park Lions club will be held at the Recreation center, Thursday evening, June 21. District Governor Charles E. Twadell of Libertyville will install John Wehrheim as president of the club for 1951-52. Entertainment will be furnished by the Garino Accordion school.

Highland Park Moose To Play Barrington; Hold Benefit Game

Next Monday evening at 7:00 p.m. the Highland Park Moose Governors play their first home game in the Moose 16 inch softball league. The Barrington Moose Lodge is the newest addition in the District and they are expected to field an excellent softball team. In the future, the "Governors" will play all their home games every other week under the lights on Monday night at 8:30.

Last year the Moose team amassed a terrific total of runs in this league but failed in the finals for entrance into the State finals played at Mooseheart.

Tomorrow night at 7:00 p.m. (weather permitting) the Moose will play host to the powerful Somenzi & Son Furniture All-Stars from Highwood. Their roster is studded with experienced ball players who have been playing exceptionally well together for the past few years. Bruno Somenzi, Highwood merchant is the sponsor and plays with the team while Bruno Bertucci is the playing manager.

Second Annual Benefit Game

The Governors and Somenzi's will oppose each other on July 29th at the High school athletic field as the first of a twin bill to be offered at the Second Annual Benefit ball game. The Highland Park Merchants, managed by Boeker Peterson will play the second game in a 12 inch ball game against an opponent to be announced at a later date.

The second annual benefit game sponsored by the Loyal Order of Moose will help out the Highland Park Recreation Board as all receipts of the games will go to the Board.

Mr. McCarthy, our new director of the Highland Park Recreation Center, is working in collaboration with the Moose Athletic Club, rectors and Lodge officers to make this annual event a real success.

Plan to attend this double header on July 29. The price of admissions will be used to prevent or at least minimize juvenile delinquency in our community. All participants in this double-header are paying the regular entrance fee as will the spectators.

Legion Plans Fun For All Saturday, June 23

Commander Bernard P. Sheehy announced that the Post will hold a Hard Times Party and Barn Dance at the new Legion Memorial Building on Saturday Evening, June 23rd at 8:30 p.m.

Herman W. Leuer, chairman of the dance committee, said that Louis Garino and his orchestra will furnish the music. There will be both square dancing and ball room dancing. The dance is being given for the benefit of the Legion Building Fund. All members and friends of the Post are cordially invited to attend.

Kiwansians Hear Marine Intelligence Officer

Members of the Highland Park Kiwanis club entertained their ladies Monday evening at "The Island Restaurant." The speaker for the occasion was Capt. Herman Swenson, USMCR, Officer in Charge of Intelligence for the 6th Marine Division in World War II. Capt. Swenson has spent 30 years in China, and speaks the language fluently. He is a member of the Royal Geographical Society and is at present buyer of jewels for Marshall Field's of Chicago. Both he and Mrs. Swenson are close friends of the Chiang Kai-Sheks.

Summer Schedule At Presbyterian Church

With the Church School program closed for the summer months, Sunday morning services of worship at the Highland Park Presbyterian Church will be held, beginning June 17, at 10:30 a.m. each Sunday morning until resumption of the full church and church school schedules in September. The worship services for the summer will continue to run for one hour, with Dr. Young preaching this coming Sunday and throughout most of June and July. Special music will be provided each Sunday by solo numbers from members of the Quartet.

RAVINIA FESTIVAL OPENS JUNE 26

Ravinia Will Present Five World Famous Artists During Season

A substantial increase in parking area this year at Ravinia Park on Chicago's North Shore will provide space for 4,500 automobiles when the Ravinia Festival opens its 16th season of symphony music on Tuesday evening, June 26.

The parking area immediately south of the beautiful new \$350,000 steel pavilion has been enlarged to accommodate 300 more cars. Entrance at this area is a north-turn-off from County Line Road at the first road east of the Northwestern and North Shore parallel railroad tracks. Entrance to the other parking area is from Sheridan Road.

The new Ravinia pavilion, completed last summer, is a unique architectural structure which seats 3,000 persons in its bowl-shaped interior. Ravinia enjoys the distinction of being one of the only two summer music festivals in the United States which are presented under a permanent roof, the other being Tanglewood in Massachusetts. Ravinia, however, is the oldest of all such artistic enterprises.

Green Bay Road is the most direct route to Ravinia Park for those who live east. Sheridan Road to Ravinia is a scenic, but longer drive. Ravinia is located between Glencoe and Highland Park.

Persons living west of Ravinia will find Waukegan Road (42A) with a turn-off at Lake-Cook rd. (often called County Line Road) a quick, convenient route to the park. Skokie highway also is an excellent route to Ravinia.

Concert evenings will be as usual on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday evenings at 8:30 o'clock and on Sunday afternoon at 4:00.

The Ravinia Festival Association has announced a brilliant program for its 1951 season. Five world famous guest conductors, eleven soloists and two choruses are scheduled to appear with the Chicago Symphony Orchestra during the season.

William Steinberg, conductor of the Buffalo Philharmonic and a Ravinia favorite, will conduct the first and sixth weeks of orchestral music. Izler Solomon will conduct the second week's concert; Pierre Monteux, the third week; Dimitri Mitropoulos, the fourth and Victor DeSabata, the fifth week.

Soloists are William Kapell, pianist; Michael Rabin, violinist; Jan Peerce, tenor; Mrs. Alynne Dumas Lee, soprano; Theodore Lettvin, pianist; Etta Mae Moten, soprano; William Warfield, baritone; Abba Bogin, pianist; Frances Yeend, lyric soprano; Elena Nikolaidi, contralto and Yi-Kwei-Sze, bass.

The Northwestern University Chorus and Eva Jessye Choir from New York will appear with the orchestra, and the De Paur Military Chorus will present a special concert.

The customary closing seventh week of chamber music will bring together the Budapest String Quartet and William Kapell in four concerts of quartets, quintets and solos.

Someone has suggested that an umbrella is the only thing we have left that can be put away for a rainy day!

Cancer Contributions Over \$6000 Reported By Chairman Cohen

Public Service Veteran

Tomorrow (June 15) will mark the 30th anniversary with the Public Service Company of Northern Illinois for David C. Stuke, 1527 Sheridan road.



David C. Stuke

Starting as an inspector in the engineering department at the utility's Evanston office in 1921, he served in numerous supervisory capacities since then. He was named superintendent of the company's transportation offices in Evanston in 1948.

Stuke is a member of the Society of Automotive Engineers, American Institute of Electrical Engineers, Automotive Transportation Supervisors Association, the American Legion, Masonic Lodge, and the social fraternity, Sigma Alpha Epsilon which he joined while an undergraduate at Northwestern University.

The Stukeys have two sons. David C., Jr., is employed by the Sandee Corporation in Chicago, while Stanford K., recently completed his freshman year at the local high school.

Photography Exhibit At City Library

An unusual photography exhibit is currently on view at the Highland Park Public Library. The work of Mrs. Lisbeth Anrod, well-known expert in this field, the exhibit features portraits of children, engaging in their simplicity and individual charm.

Mrs. Anrod, who has exhibited several times in the Chicago area, is a specialist in child photography. She began her career as a painter in Germany, but later became interested in photography and studied at the School of Arts and Photography in Berlin. Soon after her arrival in the United States in 1940 her photographs were exhibited in the Library of Congress. In addition to her portraits of children, Mrs. Anrod specializes in plant photography.

The library offers a comprehensive collection of books to amateurs and professionals in this popular field. Among new titles to be found on the shelves are: Jacob Deschin's "Say It With Your Camera"; Robert A. McCoy's "Practical Photography"; Hugo Van Wadenoyen's "Photographing People"; "Negative and Print Retouching for Amateur and Professional," by Anne J. Anthony; and "An Introduction to the Science of Photography," by K. Chamberlain.

Highland Park Tops Quota For Cancer Fund Drive

Mr. Perry Cohen, chairman of the recent campaign of the American Cancer Society, reports that Highland Park has topped its quota for the 1951 drive for funds. Contributions amounted to over \$6,000.

Mr. Cohen wishes to thank all contributors and to congratulate Highland Park for its splendid showing.

Most mail contributions have been acknowledged. However, some addresses were not available, and those contributors are being thanked herewith.

For those who have not yet contributed, checks should be made payable to the American Cancer Society and sent to Mr. Cohen at 235 Central ave.

Republican Women To Enjoy Day At Stoneybroke Farm

The Women's Republican Club of the 13th congressional district will enjoy "A Day in the Country" on Monday, June 18, at the beautiful Stoneybroke Farm near Wadsworth, Ill. Mr. James Simpson, Jr., Republican chairman of Lake County, has generously invited the club's entire membership to come and spend the day—to swim, to picnic 'round the swimming pool and grounds, and to see a special showing of exhibition and working dogs, arranged by C. H. Wallace. In addition, an amusing and informative political skit will be presented by the Deerfield-Shield's Women's Republican Club. Members are expected at 11:00 a.m. The host will serve coffee and lemonade to the guests who will bring their own picnic lunch.

Stoneybroke Farm is located in the country near Wadsworth, 1/2 mile west of route No. 41 and 1 mile south of Wadsworth Road.

The Women's Republican Club of the 13th congressional district, a fast-growing club with a membership of 1,500 women banded together to work for a GOP victory in '52, welcomes to its membership any interested Republican woman in the district, upon receipt of application and the payment of current dues. The 13th district consists of all of Lake county and the following townships in Cook county: Niles, Barrington, Elk Grove, Palatine, Wheeling, Evanston, Hanover, Leyden, Main, New Trier, Northfield, Norwood Park and Schaumburg.

Application for membership may be made to Mrs. Irl Marshall, Lake county membership chairman, 1100 Waukegan rd., Deerfield; Mrs. William L. Winters, 188 Laurel, Highland Park, Co-chairman, Lake county or Miss Thoretta Gregori and Mrs. Kenneth Kraft of Highland Park.

Presbyterian Women To Hold Spring Luncheon, June 21

The last regular meeting before the start of the summer vacation of the Woman's Association of the Highland Pk. Presbyterian Church will be the spring luncheon, to be held in the parish house of the church, Thursday, June 21, at 12:30. Mrs. Gordon Parks' group will serve the luncheon, assisted by Mrs. Carl Howard's group, who will prepare the dessert. Those planning to attend are asked to make their reservations with the activity chairman of the group to which they belong.

At 2 o'clock Mrs. Keenth Lacy, program chairman, will present Mrs. Harry W. Hoppe, who will review Louise Dickinson Rich's book "My Neck of the Woods," a series of incidents based on Mrs. Rich's experiences in the backwoods country of Maine.

A special work meeting will be held in the parish house of the church July 19, at 10 a.m. to sew and make hospital dressings. Members are asked to bring sandwiches, and coffee will be served.

Up To Now

By Bill Thomas

Scarcely had Highland Parkers accepted the fact that "Sonny" Rafferty had lost his life in a plane crash while a passenger in a transatlantic transport, when the news broke that "Sonny" Moroney was one of the victims of the crash of eight jet fighter planes last Friday.

Both of these fine young men had served with distinction in World War II—Captain Rafferty as a bomber pilot and Captain Moroney as a fighter pilot. Both had returned home to their families after having earned, many times over, the right to live in a world of peace. Both answered the call to return to service and both have given "the last full measure of devotion."

Both were needed by their families, their community and their country. May their children see the peace for which their fathers paid.