Funeral services for Hubert H. Hitzman, 43 years old, 760 South Union Street, killed in an automobile crash near Medinah Country Club late yesterday afternoon will be held Thursday afternoon at the Henry Mueller Funeral Chapel 5308 Belmont Avenue, Chicago. Services will be in charge of the Board of Education American Legion Post of Chicago and burial will be in Elmwood Park Cemetery. He was born in Chicago January 1, 1897. Surviving besides the widow is a step-son Arthur Brink, a step-daughter, a sister and a brother John.

Three injured in fatal Accident…

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… on him rapidly and that he noticed that, it started to weave as if it was getting out of control. Just as Hitzman’s car shot past, his rear wheel clipped the truck fender and then it went into a spin as it swerved to the left side of the highway. An instant later, it collided with Barrett’s car. Hitzman was born in Chicago Jan. 1, 1897, and lived there all his life until about a year ago when he moved to Elgin. He was a World War Veteran, serving as the driver of an ammunition train in France. After the war, he was active in American Legion circles and served as commander of the Board of Education post where he continued to retain Membership after moving to Elgin. Besides the widow, Mrs. Caroline Hitzman, he is survived by a step-son, Arthur Brink and a step-daughter, Mrs. Lyle Daum, both of Elgin; a sister, Mrs. Gene Nusser and a brother, John Hitzman, both of Chicago. The body of Hitzman was removed to the Henry Mueller Funeral Chapel, 5308 Belmont Avenue, Chicago, this afternoon. The services will be in charge of the Board of Education American Legion Post and burial will be in Elmwood Park Cemetery.

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