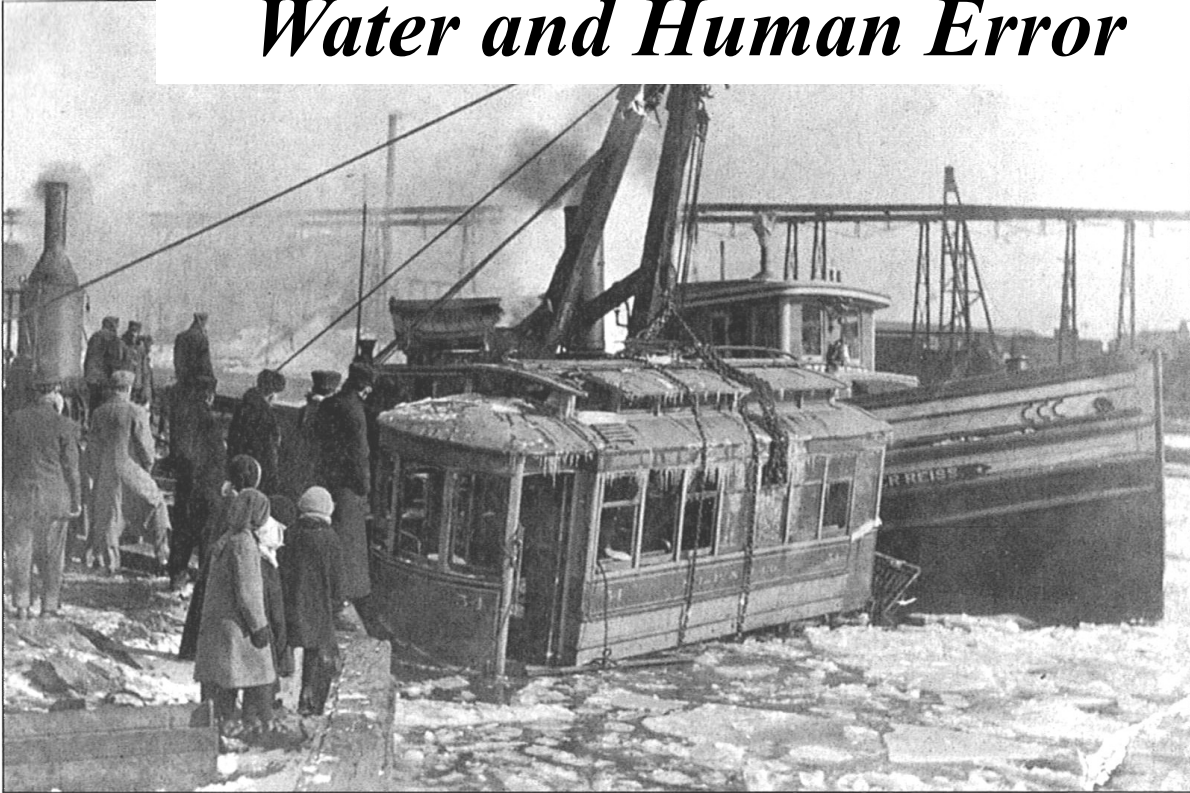




Sheboygan County Historical Society

“Third Saturday” February 16th
10 AM – 3 PM Stop by any time!

Calamities: Wind, Fire, Water and Human Error



The deadliest streetcar accident in Sheboygan occurred on February 9, 1911.

Whether brought about by Mother Nature or human error, Sheboygan County has had its share of disasters over the years. Tornadoes, snowstorms, flooding rains and fierce storms on Lake Michigan have caused property damage and injury. The influenza epidemic of the early twentieth century struck the area hard. Break-away train box cars, a runaway city bus hitting a house, a street car plunged into the Sheboygan River, a collapsed steel smoke stack and numerous train derailments - all left their mark on Sheboygan County. Learn about these nineteenth and twentieth century local calamities involving wind, fire, water, and human error at the February 16th “Third Saturday.”

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“Third Saturdays” are a great way to meet history experts, local history buffs, and learn about our local history through displays, presentations, demonstrations, local history handouts, historic videos and hands-on activities. Series programs are held the third Saturday of the month, January through October at the Museum.

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ADMISSION
Adults \$4 / Children 7-12 \$2
Children ages 6 and under free,
Members always FREE

NEXT PROGRAM – March 16th - *Model Railroading, Past and Present*