#### HIGHLAND PARK POSTOFFICE.

ARRIVAL

For the south, 6.50, 9.30 a. m., 12.47, 3 14, 5.33, 7.29 p. m.

For the north . 9.12, 11.39 a. m., 7.29 p. m. Mail pouches close 15 minutes before the departure of trains. W. M. DOOLEY,

Postmaster.

#### Directory of Secret Societies.

A. O. Fay Lodge, A. F. and A. M. Regular meeting nights first and third Monday in each month, at Masonic hall, over M. Moses & Son's store.

Independent Order Foresters, Court Highland. Meetings first and third Thursdays of each month in Forester's Hall.

Modern Woodmen of America. Meetings first and third Friday of each month in Foresters' hall. Jno. Finney, V. C.; Fred Greenslade, Secretary.

Highland Park Council No. 1066, Royal Arcanum. Meet in Foresters' hall second and fourth Mondays of every month, Regent, Charles H. Baker; secretary, Frank B. Green,

#### LOCAL BREVITIES.

Dale Sweetland has an elegant line of Christmas gifts at very reasonable prices.

We have heard a new complaint about the schools; some of the pupils are worked too hard. Not a very common complaint, but it was just in this case.

Sample copies of the News went into more than half the states in the Union. The editor did not send any to his old state, but they went there all the same.

We understand there are half a dozen signs being painted for the new parkway in Central avenue. The letters outlined on the signs read: "Sampson Parkway; Keep off the Grass!"

The Young Men's club will give another of their first class entertainments in their rooms Saturday evening, Dec. 19th, under the charge of Prof. Wilson. A small admission fee will be charged.

- It is only two or three years ago that Mrs. A. Bock began business on the west side and now, by selling choice goods at fair prices, she has a trade second to none. She sells the famous McLaughlin coffees, the best in the world.

Of course it doesn't pay to advertise, any more than it does to warm your store in cold weather or light your lamps during the dark hours. But inside three days after people read those one inch ads of Raffen & Baker's all through the News, they were overwhelmed with orders and checks. See their big ad this week, and they will have a new one every week.

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Have you seen those handsome frames at Miss Erskine's?

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Teams are hauling stone and brick to the R. W. Patton residence, down near Mr. Shield's. A. J. Neerenberg has the contract for the construction of quite an addition to the house.

The Military academy has 55 cadets now, the largest number it has ever enjoyed. One came this week, and they keep dropping in all the time, as the excellent qualities of the school become better known.

The Royal Arcanum will give another of their popular "open meetings after 9 o'clock next Monday evening. If you want a superb intellectual and social feast, go up with your ladies, over Mrs. Bock's store.

Our friend, A. J. Noerenberg, the builder and contractor, says every business man should understand something of law; so he proposes to put his winter leisure into the study of law, and has engaged Judge Hibbard to secure him the proper books.

The News won't advertise any snide goods or fraudulent concern if it knows it, though it did last week in that Francis Owen show company which skipped the town, leaving several unpaid bills. Don't trust these traveling shows and others of that sort.

Miss Kate Bebee, daughter of our ex-mayor, came out here a few weeks ago to discuss the matter of a course of kindergarten lectures to mothers on the care of their children. As a result the first of the course was delivered at the home of Mrs. Floyd last Friday to some twenty mothers, who express great satisfaction in the way Miss Bebee takes hold of her work.

Jevne, the big Chicago grocer, has sent us a price list of his choice groceries, wines, etc. Thank you, Mr. Jevne, but you don't advertise in the News, and we patronize our patrons. Besides, you don't pay any taxes or special assessments here, as our local grocers and merchants do. True, you give us free delivery at our very doors; so do our own town traders. So long as our dealers sell first-class goods at reasonable prices we shall patronize them. When they try to palm off on us cheap, adulterated stuff that is "just as good," etc., we will look up your price list.

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