

### Electrocuted.

Mr. McLaughlin, one of the Highland Park Electric Light Company's linemen, went up a pole near Sheridan Park Wednesday to do some work; fastened himself to the pole by his safety belt and some way while at work clasped the two big wires and received in his body the full force of 5,500 volts and of course was instantly killed. The safety belt held him to the pole till rope and tackle were adjusted and the body lowered to the ground. A coroner's jury was called which exonerated the company. The man belonged in Chicago and leaves a wife and two children. It is strange how sometimes perfectly competent and level-headed men will forget themselves for a moment and commit such a fatal mistake.

### A Sad Accident.

It seems that about a week ago George W. Miller, a Chicago fisherman, came out here for the season to ply his trade. With him came his two sons, 14 and 18 years old. Saturday morning Mr. Miller and the elder son went out into the lake, which was rough, to set their nets. When out over a mile, a heavy sea struck and capsized their boat, and the boy sank at once, probably entangled in the net, and the father, after four hours struggling with the waves, clinging to the boat, got ashore and gave the alarm. A searching party was instituted, and every possible effort made to find the body, and some of the life crew came up from Evanston for that purpose and spent some hours in a fruitless search.

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### Special Assessment Notice.

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested, that the City Council, of the City of Highland Park, having ordered that these be established in the City of Highland Park, Lake county, Illinois, a Sewerage District "E," and that there be constructed an outlet for sewers and purification works for said district, the ordinance for the same being on file in the office of the city clerk, have applied to the county court of Lake county, for an assessment of the cost of said improvement, according to benefits; and an assessment thereof having been made and returned to said court, the final hearing thereon will be had at the July term of said court, commencing on the second (2nd) day of July, A. D. 1900. All persons desiring, may then and there appear and make their defense. The ordinance provides that the assessment is payable in five annual installments.  
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### Glencoe.

Mr. Arthur Howard is a visitor.

Mr. Stanley Hall is out after a severe attack of tonsillitis.

Mr. John Newhall left last for North Manitou Island.

Miss Woolsey of Chicago was a guest at the Manse over Sunday.

Mrs. Sylvan Newhall left for several weeks stay at Kew-Forest.

Miss Angela Fanning returned from Detroit Thursday of last week.

Mrs. A. A. Parker of Detroit is the guest of her sister, Mrs. John J. Fanning.

Mrs. John Hubbard and family were the guests of Mrs. Arthur Howard the past week.

Mrs. Eleanor Hurford of Ill., is the guest of her son, Mr. R. Hurford.

Miss Virginia Sheppard of Evanston was the guest of Miss Bessie Day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward W. R. Hurford on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Williams entertained a number of their friends Saturday evening of last week.

Miss Margaret Kellogg of Beloit Wednesday, to attend the graduating exercises of Beloit College.

Dr. and Mrs. Darling left for Beloit, Wis. to attend graduation exercises at Beloit College. Mr. Jay Darling is one of the graduates.

Misses Blanch Hurford and Turnbull graduated from the Evanston High School last week. Miss Hurford was one of the six of a class of fifty who had honorable mention.

Contributions of provisions for the Gad's Hill settlement can be left at the rear of the Congregational church on and after Wednesday, June 27th, before 9 a. m.

Glencoe station has just received a fresh trimming at the hands of the company's painting crew, and looked so gay and handsome. Nothing is now needed to make Glencoe happy but the "reparation" of the platforms. The present platforms are "low down." They are in ill repute. They are not like the ones that are not up to date (um).

The street commissioner has been at work with a force of men digging a ditch and laying pipe along the north abutment of the C. & N. W. R'y bridge over the Hazel avenue. There is a steady and considerable flow of water under the walk that must be connected to one of the catch-basins before any improvement of the street can be possible. In view of the trench for the main sewer to be dug immediately along Hazel avenue from the lake bluff to Greenwood avenue, through the subway, the work of paving under the railway bridge has been postponed until the sewer is completed. Meanwhile sidewalk and curb may be laid as far west as the west line of Railway avenue.

A new tame crow has come to town. He is not as tame as "Jim" Brewster used to be, but he is young and unsophisticated. He protested against the Illinois law which puts him in the list of "pests" and offers a premium for his extermination. The jays in the neighborhood are trying with all their might to execute the law, but "Jim" has some allies, who feed him sometimes stone away the jays. If he survives their attacks a longer, he will probably become a permanent denizen of the village.

The dandelions and dock never abounded in Glencoe as they do this season. Both are hard to get rid of. The third pest, the mosquito, have not yet had their inning but they are only waiting for warm weather. A new pest, the "army worm" is reported in some parts of the village.

what with all these, the war in the Transvaal, in St. Louis and in China, the bubonic plague, the strikes in Chicago, the rain, the fogs, the north-east winds and the Woman's convention in Milwaukee, it is a pretty trying season.

The Golf Club are figuring on a couple of "boulevard" iron lamp posts to be set at the entrance to the Golf grounds.

There is a continual interference in some parts of the village with the street lamps. Some times a lamp is broken, some times taken off the post and removed to a distance or concealed, some times taken away altogether—supposed to be stolen. A severe penalty attaches to any interference with the lamps, and whoever can give any information touching these offenses would be doing the public a service by communicating it to the village authorities.

It is understood that one of Glencoe's public-spirited citizens has offered to make a gift of two lots in block 19, as a site for the Woman's Library building, for which an endowment was left by the late Thos. Allen. Now if one or two other public spirited citizens could add their adjoining grounds till a half or a third of the north end of the block could be united in furnishing a suitable site, capable of being adorned and beautified, so as to be an ornament and credit to the village. The Glencoe public would be appreciative and grateful.

Gad's Hill, one of Chicago's numerous social settlements, is to be on the north shore again this season. Last year the Settlement took its outing in the Starr cottage; this summer the plan for attaining that end has been projected upon a much larger scale. Extensive camping grounds have been secured at the junction of Beck's ravine with the lake, just north of the Stone wall. Tents and accommodations for one hundred are being erected. The scheme includes concerts and classes in nature studies, led by competent volunteer teachers. A large assembly tent will be in use. It is expected that at least four hundred young persons and mothers with invalid children will be entertained during the four weeks beginning June 27th, in new parties of one hundred each week. The citizens of Glencoe are responding handsomely to an invitation to feed the population of the camp during the first week.

Cement walk has been built for the property owners on the west side of Sheridan Road from Hawthorn avenue to a point near the village, in front of ground of Samuel R. Hurford, and in front of Dr. Griffin's lot adjoining C. L. Day, south of the bridge. The plan is to make a continuous walk, but no arrangement has yet been made for laying the walk in front of the intervening lots which belong to the Fairbank's estate. The walk has been laid by contractor Lindquist, who has been engaged by Mr. Franklin Newhall to lay a cement walk in front of his lot on the east side of Downing avenue, from Central avenue to connect with the cement walk laid last season by Mr. J. W. Plummer.

Messrs. Harding & Nelson, of Racine, are the contractors for the main sewer to be laid in Hazel avenue from the lake to Greenwood avenue. They expect to begin to "make the dirt fly" the first of the coming week, and to complete the job by August 15th. The trench will be a deep one, varying from a comparatively shallow depth in the subway to twenty-two feet. At the bluff there is to be 100 feet of 12-inch pipe; the rest of the pipe will be of stoneware, the regular Akron sewer pipe 12 and 10 inches in diameter, and cemented at the joints. Mr. Frank A. Windes, of Winnetka, is the engineer in charge of the work, and his assistant in the work of inspection will be Mr. George J. Lieber, of Glencoe, who had considerable experience in sewer inspection some years ago at Rogers Park.

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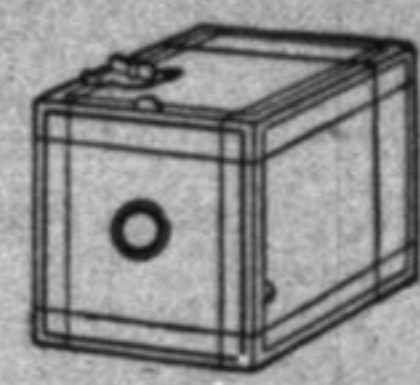
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