

FORT SHERIDAN.

Major Lovering, of the 29th, called on friends at the Fort and in Highland Park during the week.

Captain Rayburn, formerly of the 4th Infantry but now of the 29th, is at the Fort now with his company.

Major Wainright of the 5th Cavalry, has gone with his family to Chicago.

The walls of the guard house extension are going up slowly but securely. They are 24 inches thick on the first floor, 28 inches in the basement.

Captain Clerment and Lieutenant Farnham called on their old friends at the Fort this week, while enroute to Columbus, O., where their battalion of the 29th is stationed.

Colonel Brinkerhoof, retired, and wife, were out here the first of the week. He used to be with 15th infantry.

Mrs. J. E. Normoyle leaves this week, Saturday, with her two sisters, the Misses Eckers, for Manila. Her husband is quartermaster of the 5th.

Mrs. J. E. Sweensey, wife of Captain Sweensey, recruiting officer in Des Moines, Ia., is visiting her parents, Colonel and Mrs. Comba.

Miss Edith, sister of Mrs. Col. Veile, after visiting here and in Highland Park, has left for California.

E. A. Welch is temporarily on the sick list but will be out in a few days.

Miss Alice Conley of Harvard

is visiting her brother and the Welchs.

Mrs. Evans of Pittsburgh, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Vivian.

Major Thorpe left Monday for his new station at San Antonio, Texas.

By the way have you seen Mr. Horne's new lot of colored Fort Sheridan postals? They are elegant little souvenirs.

HIGHWOOD

Roger Moore, city marshal, is still kept at his home by his lame foot, injured with a hand-ax while repairing his sidewalk.

The building of new cement sidewalks still goes on at a lively pace and they are good walks.

Oscar F. Bell, a former alderman of Highland Park, has friends from Ohio visiting at his beautiful home.

Don't forget the fishermen's picnic, their third annual gala day, comes off in the Sheridan Park next Wednesday, Aug. 14, afternoon and evening. The grand march will come at 8 o'clock in the evening. Music by Iredale's band.

A youth of 18 years, hailing from the Park, by name of Rolla Wood, who has worked for Mr. Rafferty, burglarized J. V. Garrity's saloon Tuesday night. He was seen in the act by a street car conductor. He broke out one of the large panes of glass in the front door and crawled through it, and John Rectenwald, special night policeman, arrested him. He stole cash from the till, \$10.16, a ring and a pair of cuff buttons. He was bound over to the grand

jury and is out now on bail.

James Morrisy, an insane man, called at Mr. Wagner's Monday night and wanted lodging. In the night he was heard smashing furniture, etc., in his room and the officer arrested him. He was sent up to the insane court for trial and disposal.

President Hogan went up to Waukegan Wednesday with the ballots of Tuesday's election. He did not have to hire an extra car.

IT ASTONISHED HIM.

And It Must Be Said That His Astonishment Was Nothing More Than Natural.

Standing in front of a Locust street stable the other afternoon was a man in overalls, pulling bales of hay up into the loft with the aid of a rope and pulley. He looked the picture of health, and the exertion was as nothing to him, says the Philadelphia Record. Presently along came another man. He was fat and pudgy-looking, and his skin had an unhealthy color. His general appearance betokened the overfed club man. He was carefully groomed, and was evidently a man of leisure. He stood for perhaps a minute watching the other man at work, and then he said: "Would you mind letting me take your place for awhile? I am troubled with indigestion, and have been suffering all day. I think that would do me good."

The stableman's eyes seemed ready to pop out of his head. "Sure," he said; "sure." The pudgy dyspeptic carefully removed his gloves and grasped the rope. It was hard work, and it made him red in the face, but he finally landed the bale where another man in the loft could take it in. Then he tried another and another, and kept it up for about ten minutes. When he relinquished the rope to the stableman he slipped a coin into the latter's hand, saying: "Thank you, very much. That has done me more good than all the medicine in the world." As he disappeared around the corner the laborer was heard to mutter: "Well, I'll be d-d!" That was as near as his vocabulary could come to doing justice to the occasion.

NEW HAT FROM PORTO RICO.

Summer Headgear Made of Grass and Is Light and Cool But Won't Stand Wetting.

One of the things our new island possessions have brought us is a new kind of summer hat. It comes from Porto Rico and is made of woven grass, says the New York Sun.

The color is a bright tan, the shape of the Fedora, and the cost is small. The hat has not become very popular yet, but a few are seen in New York streets and many more in the suburbs.

In its simplest form the hat has a wide band of the same material and the same color wound around the crown, but some of the bands are dyed red and blue, and the hats ornamented with these are very gay indeed. A variation from the usual form is a sombrero shape with an extra wide brim.

The advantages of the hats are lightness and coolness. The slightest breeze penetrates the woven grass. The principal disadvantage is that if once wet they shrink, and to counteract this as far as possible each hat contains a strong leather sweatband.

Conditions of Speed on Railroads.

Railroading has already been a prolific source of profit to the inventor, but before speeds materially higher than those now used can be generally adopted he must be called upon to again improve the railroad in its every member, says Everybody's Magazine. The rail joint must either be abolished altogether, making the lines continuous by welded joints, as is done in the best street railway practice, or a mechanical joint better than any yet made must be invented. But more important than all will be methods of preventing collisions while dispatching trains at short intervals. Since electricity will be the motive power, it is possible that this may be so applied as to make it impossible for two trains to be run into each other even by intent.

The Smallest Mason.

The smallest Free Mason in the world is Casper H. Weis, of Philadelphia, who has taken the degree of master mason. Brother Weis, who is 24 years old, was born in Morschingen, Bezirk, Rhineland, is a watchmaker by trade, and stands 3 feet 11 inches in his stockings. He belongs to Richard Vaux lodge, No. 384.

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