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Miss Julia Morgan is visiting in St. Louis, as the guest of her sister, Mrs. Day.

C. E. Schaufler spent Sunday in St. Paul, Minn.

Mr. Jack Stafford, of Crystal, N. D., was a visitor in town this week.

Miss Eleanor Rosnor spent a few days this week with her aunt, Mrs. J. C. Austin, of Chicago.

Mrs. David Holmes, of Park avenue has been entertaining her sister, Mrs. Hall, of Chicago, a few days this week.

Mr. Avery Colburn, a student at the University of Wisconsin at Madison, Wis., spent his Thanksgiving vacation with his parents, in the Park.

Rev. Schmid, of the Ebenezer Evangelical church exchanged pulpits with Rev. Franshie, of South Milwaukee, last Sunday.

Highland Park has a new bus line, which is under the management of Mr. R. P. Ross. His office is located in the undertaking establishment of H. M. Prior, where he will be glad to accommodate his friends.

Mr. Charles Wilcox and daughter Nellie, are spending a few months abroad. While on their way to Paris, Miss Nellie was taken suddenly ill, but word has been received by Mrs. Cregier that she is now slowly convalescing.

Dr. J. H. Cook, who has been practicing medicine in Glencoe for the past six years, has now taken up his residence in Highland Park. He and his family are located in the Conger house on Laurel avenue, where the doctor has opened his office.

The nicely dressed doll, which can be seen in the window at Mrs. Bohl's bazaar, is to be given away to the one who can guess the nearest to the number of nuts in the jar which stands in the same window. Each person purchasing 50 cents worth of goods at the bazaar will be entitled to a guess.

Used by the ladies of fashion all over the world. It's without doubt the greatest beautifier ever offered the American women. 35c. Made only by the Madison Medicine Co. Cg-5.

We would be very much pleased to have friends of the NEWS-LETTER call up telephone 92 or 773 with any news or items of interest. If you know of anything that has happened or is to happen, tell us. What may seem of little interest to you may be important to the news-gatherer. It will be very little trouble to you and will cost you nothing. There is not a resident of this city who cannot contribute something in the shape of news if they so desire. We believe in co-operation between our patrons and our staff. The editor wishes to make the columns of the NEWS-LETTER still more interesting and will appreciate your help in this direction. If you have not a telephone drop a note or call and see us. Your identity will not be disclosed. Telephone your tips, it will cost you nothing, and we will do the rest. Telephones 92 or 773.

Girl wanted for general housework. Wages \$5 per week. Call at News-Letter office.

A stereopticon lecture to be given at 7:30 this evening at the Presbyterian church, by Mr. Fred Kent. His subject will be "I Saw It." It is hoped a large number will be present as it promises to be very instructive and a fine musical program has been arranged by the Sunday school orchestra. Admission 25 cents.

Fire insurance placed in first-class companies. W. E. Brand, agent.

It is said that a piece of Limberger cheese placed in the car will drive away ants. There is no doubt about it, it will drive a spider through a brick wall, and a black fly through a barbed wire fence. A small chunk of this cheese warmed up in a crowded church will dismiss the congregation quicker than fire. It will stampede a herd of cattle, and drive a hungry tramp from a feast of fried onions. It will drive a chicken thief away from a hen roost and make a politician feel like eleven cents. Yes, there is no doubt about it, Limberger cheese will drive ants, your uncles and cousins as well as your mother-in-law or any other pest.—E. A.

Will exchange fine large heating stove for good cooking range. Address Postoffice Box 465, Highland Park.

One of the attractions of the International Live Stock Show, Tuesday evening was an exhibition by the bicycle corps, of the Northwestern Military Academy. Major Davidson and his company rode the whole distance from the academy to the stock yards, through the snow, which was nearly three inches deep in some places, but, however, the boys performed their part in a creditable manner which was highly appreciated by the vast number present. On Wednesday evening a crack company from the Academy, under command of the Major, gave a military drill, after which they were entertained at the Transit House as guests of the management.

Wanted to buy good used cooking range. Must be cheap for cash. Address Mr. K. C. Cameron, care News-Letter, Highland Park, Ill.

Thursday afternoon the students of the Northwestern Military Academy were given a literary treat when Dr. William Burgess, Desplaines, Ill., gave a lecture in the school room for their benefit. Dr. Burgess' subject was "The Bible and Shakespeare." He brought out the beauty and relationship of the two books by interchanging them with quotations from each. Dr. Burgess is pastor of the congregational church at Desplaines and is a very able and eloquent speaker. At the close of his remarks Colonel Davidson thanked him, on behalf of the cadets, for his interesting and instructive talk.

Puts gray matter on your head. Brings a rosy glow to faded cheeks. Restores vim, vigor, mental and physical happiness. That's what Rocky Mountain Tea will do. 35c. Cg-5.

The dramatic entertainment to be given by home talent for the benefit of the Highland Park Woman's Club, Tuesday evening, December 17, promises to be a success. The special feature of the evening is the two plays which are being carefully prepared, and will be interspersed with music by the Highland Park orchestra. The following will take part: Mrs. Frank B. Green, Mrs. Henry M. Prior, Miss Aurelia Palmer, Messrs. Arthur P. Dunn, Frank B. Green, Floyd Palmer, Charles H. Baker, George Millard and Henry M. Prior.

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No one should fail to attend the minstrel show to be given tomorrow (Saturday) evening, in Goldberg's hall, under the auspices of the Highland Park Club. The members of the club have made a special effort to arrange an excellent and entertaining program, and there is no doubt the affair will be a grand success. Among the attractions will be E. E. Andrews, interlocutor, and the "Big 4"; Barbour Brown's "buck dance"; Linear, "King of Minstrelsy," in his famous "stump speech"; J. J. Liggins' "buck and wing" dance, and "Little Joey," the boy soprano.

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The Wednesday evening meetings at the Presbyterian church have lately been of unusual interest. Essays on line topics of the day have been read by various competent writers. Last Wednesday evening Mrs. F. D. Everett read a paper on "What Should be the Relation and Attitude of the Church to the Religious Training of the Youth?" Next Wednesday evening Rev. Pfanstiehl reads an essay on "The Discovery of the Palace of Sushan—the Home of Annee Easter." His paper will be illustrated with drawings. The following week Mr. McCastney, a prominent lawyer, of Chicago, delivers an address on "Chicago Settlements. The public is invited to these helpful meetings.

Mr. T. C. Horne, the Fort Sheridan photographer, is going to give the boys a special offer this pay-day. With every dozen photographs Mr. Horne will give three photo buttons, to enlisted men only. As this is a rare opportunity, the boys should not miss it and go early, so as to have them ready for the holidays.

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A very large number were present at the oyster supper held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Vetter, Thursday evening. It was conducted by the Christian Endeavor Society of the Ebenezer Evangelical church and was a success both socially and financially.

John Mohr has returned from West Baden much improved in health.

DEATH OF MRS. LEACH.

Mrs. Julia Ranney Leach was born in Angelica, Allegheny county, New York, January 28, 1842, and died in Chicago, Friday, November 29, 1901.

She began a full course of study in the then famous Elmira female college, but a failure of her health prevented her from completing the full course, but she gave evidence of the broad and symmetrical training she there received. It was not superficial cramming, but thorough education.

In 1862 the family moved west to Marshalltown, Iowa, where on January 26, 1864 she was married to David B. Leach, of Barre, Vt. They located in Cedar Rapids, where Mr. Leach and his brother soon established themselves as successful dry goods merchants. In 1871, just before the great historic fire, her husband located in Chicago, where he was again a successful merchant, and where he died June 5, 1881, a little over twenty years ago. They had four children, two died in infancy, before they left Iowa, and the other two, Miss Grace, and Byron R. survive their mother. In 1885 Mrs. Leach removed from Chicago to this city, living two years on Elm-street, opposite James McDonald's, and then in 1887, she purchased her home on Laurel avenue.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Leach were of genuine New England puritan ancestry, and she had a loyal legitimate pride in her ancestral blood. Her husband's lineage is easily traced back of Cromwell's day, if not back of the Tudors. Hence their sterling christian faith and character; a faith that was positive, clearly defined and of the dominant type. It was a faith which was grounded in the eternal principles and unchanging truth of God's word, and therefore a faith which inspired, molded and governed their lives. During all his active life her husband was a prominent and useful member of the Presbyterian church, as well as an office-bearer in the same, and Mrs. Leach was his fitting helpmate in these relations. She was a born leader, though not of the aggressive self-assertive type. In her proper sphere, in her home, the church, Sunday school and social life, she revealed in a marked degree that peculiar quality, which Mrs. Stowe claimed as the distinctive heritage of the New England woman,—"faculty,"—the ability to bring things to pass. Her home, while cheerful, attractive and refined was a christian home of the best kind. So in her church work she had large common and larger spiritual sense, and the ladies' prayer meetings, which she conducted for several years in her own home were a marked feature and a potent factor of the spiritual life of our city at that time. She had in a great measure the apostolic requisite for successful work in the Sunday school, "aptness to teach,"—ability to hold her class, usually boys in their early teens, and then

the ability to teach them. And the young men who were members of her class here will not soon forget those Saturday evening meetings at her home. She was also unusually acute and accurate in her literary tastes and pursuits, and few persons in Highland Park were more apt and felicitous in discourse of books and periodical literature.

While her home was her throne, where she was supreme, and to which she wisely consecrated her best energies and her life indeed, she yet loved her church, both in the services and the obligations it imposed. They were not burdens to her, but the easy yoke of Christ which she cheerfully, yea, joyfully bore as a loyal and obedient disciple of her Lord. Her declining health made her life more quiet and secluded these later years, but her friends, those who knew her and her worth, esteemed and loved her to the end, and now that she is gone they mourn her death as an irreparable loss.

Though she died in Chicago, with a noble loyalty and affection her children and friends had her remains brought back to her own home, where quiet funeral services were held Sunday afternoon, conducted by Pastor A. A. Pfanstiehl, and her remains taken that evening to Cedar Rapids, Iowa, and Monday forenoon laid beside those of her husband and two children.

Her last illness was brief, though severe. Some four weeks ago she went to Chicago for a visit of two or three days with her brother's family, and was taken suddenly very ill. Her physicians soon pronounced her case practically hopeless, and after three weeks of intense suffering she fell on sleep, and was not, for God took her.

The Drumtochty Skating Club is being reorganized, and will open a rink for the season, Thursday, December 12. The rink, which is located on Vine avenue, east of Sheridan Road, has been deepened and improved. It will be open daily until 10:30 p. m., and on Sunday from 1 to 6 p. m. A large number have signified their intention of joining the club, and it is to be hoped every member will join in making it a success this year.

Mrs. Charles Henrotin will talk to the ladies of the Highland Park Woman's Club next Tuesday afternoon on the "Evolution of the Factory System." Some magnificent stereopticon views are to be shown in connection with her talk, and the afternoon promises to be a very entertaining one. A full attendance is desired.

A masquerade ball will be given by Mr. James T. Jones, of Lake Forest, at Fort Sheridan Park, Saturday evening, December 14. Mr. Jones lost a limb as the result of an injury received while in the Porto Rico campaign. Tickets for the ball will be 25 cents for each person, and it is hoped a large number will attend.

Advertisement for groceries listing various items and prices such as Family Soap \$2.75, Mustard \$1.00, and other household goods.

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Advertisement for 'Eggs. Creamery Butter. Fresh from the farm ways fresh. The best and freshest. MEAT MARKET. Fresh Every Day.

Advertisement for 'Vegetables on the Market' and 'OCK'S, Highland Park.'

Advertisement for 'M LAUNDRY Phone 403.' and 'FINISH Our Specialty FANCY SKIRTS'.