

**GAD'S HILL SETTLEMENT  
WILL OPEN JULY 5 FOR THE THIRD  
SEASON**

**An Interesting Institution and Its Object  
a Most Laudable One.**

The Gad's Hill city encampment will be opened for the third season at Glencoe July 5, 1902. This most worthy and beautiful charity depends entirely for support upon the generosity of the North Shore towns and individual subscription. Two and one-half dollars covers all the expense of keeping one person at the camp one week. Think of it! Just two and one-half dollars, and yet it

The small towns along the North Shore each assume the responsibility of providing for one week's entertainment at the encampment, so aside from the worthiness of the object there is more or less town pride and spirit in the matter, naturally each town endeavoring to make its week the most enjoyable and the most successful. The week assigned to Highland Park will commence on July 26. In order to raise money for this splendid cause there will be a fine benefit concert given at Goldberg's opera house on Wednesday evening, July 9. A very attractive program has been arranged. The committee which has the concert in charge is composed of Mrs. W.

land and George Jones. The entertainment given by the Moraine last summer proved such a success that it is hoped that the management may feel inclined to repeat last season's generosity.

Through the Moraine benefit fund the encampment was able to provide a number of new tents.

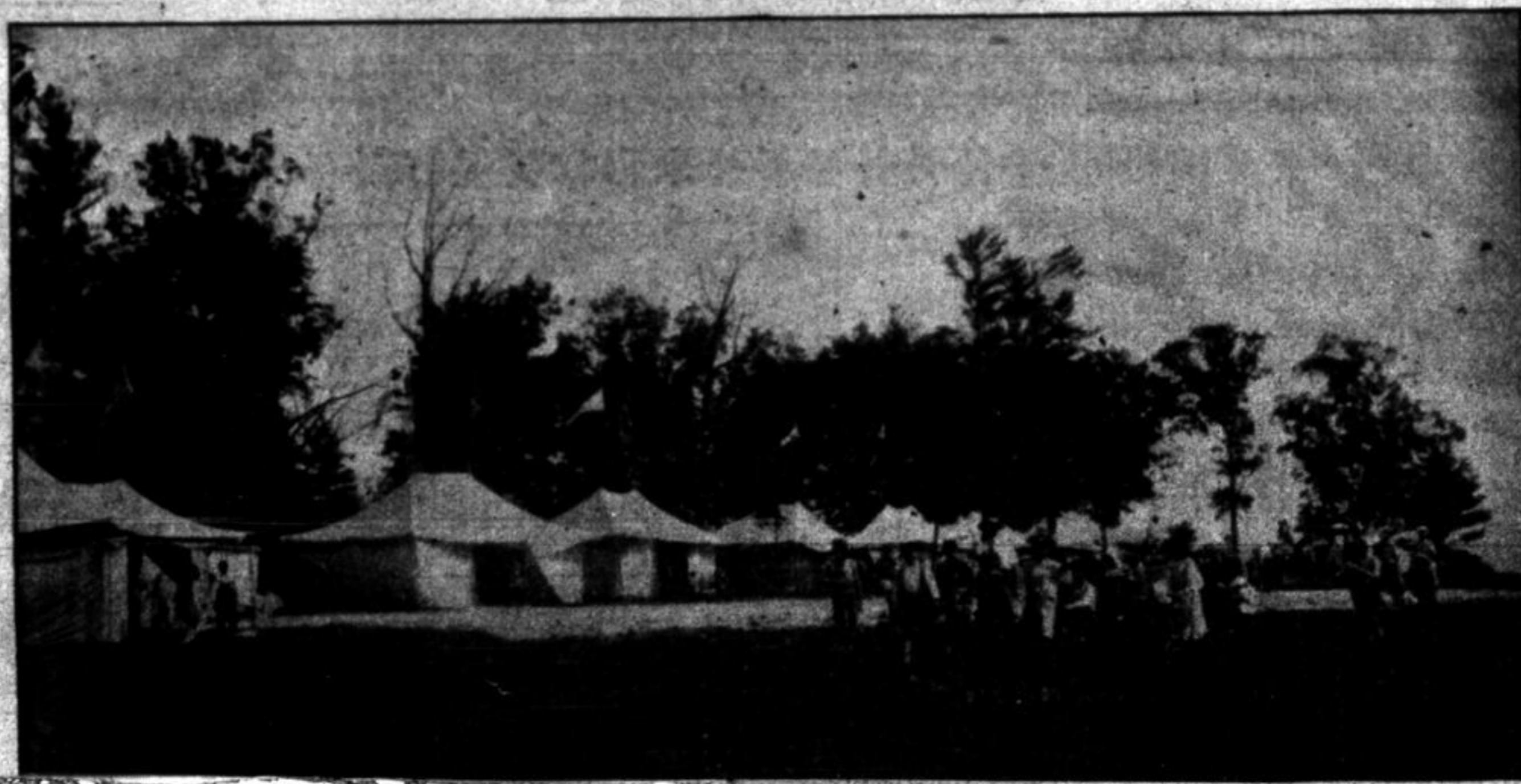
Mrs. Gregory has given the encampment the use of a large tent, which is to be devoted to the tired mothers and their little ones.

It is the desire of the committee to raise a fund sufficiently large to help pay off the remaining debt on the tents and equipment, and have this known as the "Highland Park Gift."

A visit to Gad's Hill encamp-

**SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 108.**

Our South End schools (District No 108) held their closing exercises on Friday, the 20th. So little is generally known about the three schools in this district that a word on the subject may be interesting. The first one built, in 1885, was formerly known as the "little red school" on Lincoln avenue, near the Green Bay road. William C. McKenzie is the principal and Lillian Russell assistant teacher. During the past year the building has been redecorated, sanitary plumbing put in, and a variety of shade trees planted on the grounds. The attendance is between sixty and seventy, and the fact that a number of pupils come to this school from other districts (and pay for the privilege) speaks for itself. The next one is the new brick school house in Ravinia, at the intersection of Cary and Dean avenues. Mrs. Abbie B. Bastin is the teacher, and has an attendance of twenty-five. A cabinet of natural history specimens lends attraction to the room. The other school, known as the "west school," is just west of the city limits, on the road south of Deerfield avenue. It is also a new brick building. Miss Ella M. Shepard is the teacher, and has twenty-three pupils. The board of directors is: Levi M. Comstock, president; William Rectanwald, and Henry K. Coale, clerk.



**MASTERFUL ORGAN PLAYING.**

We do not believe it is generally known that Mr. Price (manager of the Gas Company), who is now presiding at the organ of the Presbyterian church during the absence of Mrs. Everett, comes here with an enviable reputation as a performer on that instrument, but those who have the pleasure of listening to his playing and note with what pretty effects he brings out the different combinations and the indelible he uses in combining reed and wind tones, will understand at a glance that he is not only master of the instrument, but more than lives up to his reputation as an artist. It is hoped that some day we will have the pleasure of hearing him in recital.

A charming luncheon was given on Thursday at the home of Mrs. J. W. Prindiville. The table was prettily decorated with pink carnations, daisies and mignonette and covers were laid for ten.

**FOR SALE**

Biggest bargain in Cook County. North Shore residence lots at Glencoe at one-third actual value. Nicely wooded, only 2 1/2 blocks north of the depot. 66 x 240 feet, only \$300 each. Send for plats. Perfect abstract.  
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has the power to fill a whole year full of pleasant recollections and memories for some poor, tired mother, who, with her little babes, perhaps, was able to enjoy one whole week out of the fifty-two of absolute rest and pleasure in God's pure air and sunshine. Could there be a better investment?

This settlement is located in Chicago, near West Twenty-second and Robey streets, and derives its name from a hill—"Gad's Hill"—where it was originally started. Each week one hundred little boys and girls are brought out from the crowded districts of the city to enjoy a little outing of a week in the country.

A. Alexander, chairman; Mmes. A. A. Pfanstiehl, Secor Cunningham, Charles W. Kirk, G. H. Campbell, Robert B. Gregory, and Misses Lora Smith, Evva R. Egan and Gertrude Carlyle. In order to place the tickets within reach of everybody, the committee has decided to ask 50 cents only for admission. It is hoped the support given will be generous and hearty. Those who have so kindly given their services are as follows: Mrs. Annette Robert Jones, Mrs. W. A. Alexander, Misses Charlotte Yoe, Ruby Harrington, Ethel Turnley, Gertrude Carlyle, also Messrs. Frank Anderson, Dr. Colburn, Russell Jones, Harold Sweet-

ment at Glencoe will not only prove most interesting, but will convince all of the worthiness of this greatly needed charity.

We cannot do better than close with the Gad's Hill motto: "I expect to pass through this world but once. Any good thing, therefore, that I can do, or any kindness that I can show to any fellow being, let me do it now. Let me not defer nor neglect it, for I shall not pass this way again."

Do not forget the benefit concert Wednesday, July 9, at Goldberg's opera house. Tickets may be procured at any of the drug stores or from members of the committee.

**CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION.**

The United States Civil Service Commission will hold examinations during September and October, in several places in each state, to secure young men and women for the government service. There are now 126,423 positions in the classified civil service, being an increase of 46,736 in six years. There were

7,972 persons appointed between July 1, 1901, and April 15, 1902, being at the rate of 10,070 for the year. There will probably be 11,000 appointments next year. Salaries at appointment vary from \$660 to \$1,200 a year, with liberal promotions afterward. All appointments are for life, and for most positions only a common school education is

required. Politics or religion are not considered. Those desiring to take examinations of this kind can get full information about them free by writing to the Columbian Correspondence College, Washington, D. C., and asking for its civil service catalogue for 1902.

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