## HIGHWOOD.

Miss Ada Fritsch has been on the sick list this week.

Frank Mowers' baby had an attack of la grippe this week.

Master Chester Murphy has been quite sick with tonsilitis.

Master Howard Mowers fell on the ice Monday, bruising his nose and face quite badly.

The mother of Mr. Geo. Rudd, clerk at F. M. Evans' grocery store, of Highland Park, died very evening.

Swedish M. E. church, occurred on Christmas eve. A very interesting program was rendered.

There was a Christmas tree for the children at Fort Sheridan Park Christmas afternoon at 2 o'clock, given by the citizens of this place. Everyone, young or old, were welcome.

The Highwood public school gave a very interesting program Wednesday to which the friends and parents of the school were invited and which was thoroughly enjoyed by all who attended.

Sheridan last Sunday for the Philippines. The post is now alhave enough to do, as all work de witnessed the departure of the cavalry on Sunday, though from appearances the infantry were the favored ones.

Mrs. W: T. Hostetter was pleasantly suprised by a number of her friends last Monday evening. It was the occasion of her birthday. About twenty-eight played euchladies prize and Mrs. M. J. Gibbs the second. Mr. Chas. Unbehaun won the first gents prize and Mr. won the ladies consolation and Mr. McEwen the gents. Refreshments were served and all had a jolly time.



DECEASED.

Miss Ellen Foy, beloved daughsuddenly of la grippe Tuesday ter of Catherine and the late John Foy died at the home of Mrs. | HIGHLAND The Christmas exercises of the Geo. Bysong, on Central Ave.

The deceased was a sister of Mrs. Geo. Bysong, Mrs. Frank Recktenwald, William, Daniel and Catherine Foy.

The funeral occurred on Wednesday from the home of Mrs. George Bysong to St. Mary's church, at 9:30, where requiem high mass was celebrated, thence by carriage to the Sacred Heart cemetry.

## M. E. ENTERTAINMENT.

The M. E. church of this place, held their Xmas services Christmas eve. A very fine program was rendered. Very beautiful The transport, Sherman, arrived tableaux formed the most pleasing in San Francisco last week, part of the evening's entertainfrom Manila, by way of Nag- ment. Those who had the preasaki and Honolulu, bringing the paration of this work certainly men of the 30th Infantry, which deserve great credit for their appropriately the source of the sourc was recruited at Fort Sheridan. efficient work. Had some of those The Cavalry M Troop left Fort children been like "little Mary" we read about, they would have been minus their angels. The Kuist's most deserted and the battery teacher had asked Mary to be an angel for the Christmas entertainment. The next morning, the of the Infantry. Quite a number following note, so the story runs, was handed to the teacher:

> Dear Teacher:-Please excuse little Mary from being an angel. It is against her religion.

At the St. Louis fair next year the state of Mississippi will exhibit King Cotton seated on his throne as representing the state's greatest industry. The statue will be heroic in every respect and eclipse everything else molded in human form for size. Now it will be re. Mrs. Detrich winning the first in order for Iowa to add to the royal family of farm products by sending King Corn. Minnesota should send her (ce King to cool things off during the summer, and Pennsylvania should get Detrick the second. Mrs. Curley in with old King Coal, who could warm things up when they became too frigid.

> A colored speaker denounced the so called "coon song" as vulgar and de. grading. They're worse; they're chestnut

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