

Additional Locals.

Mr. Alfred Ohlwein suffered considerable damage from the storm wrecking his bee hives in a serious manner.

"Bill" Edwards has had good luck lately with wild ducks. Mr. Boitree feasted Tuesday evening as the result of a present of one of these wild fowls from Mr. Edwards.

Firemen were called Wednesday evening about 8:30 to quell a small fire in the roof of Mr. Jas. H. Shields' residence. The blaze was caused by a spark from the chimney.

The Young Men's Social Union will hold their regular meeting next Monday evening at the Baptist church parlors. There will be a mock trial. Mr. Albert Larson is the prisoner.

Professor Russell, who has been suffering from an attack of eczema, is able to be out but is far from well. At times he is greatly annoyed by the itching, which is one of the attendants of that affliction.

Palmer A. Montgomery's residence on Sheridan Road was struck by lightning Thursday evening, during the storm. The chimney was broken off above the roof and considerable damage done to the building.

The clock in the City Hall has positively refused to work when hung "right side up with care," but when placed bottom side up keeps accurate time. Is this an ill omen that the town is to be turned upside down at "any old time?"

The choir of St. Mary's church will be assisted on Easter morning by Signor Tomaso's orchestra, from Chicago. The church decorations in flowers will surpass any ever displayed here before. Everyone is cordially invited.

The thirty-eighth annual encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic will be held at Springfield, Ill., April 26-28, as the Republican convention has been called on the date first set for the encampment.

There will be all week meetings, at the Presbyterian Church the coming week. Everyone is cordially invited to be present. Following is the list of the speakers:

- Monday—Dr. Brattie, of Austin.
- Tuesday—"S. Dickey, McCormick Seminary.
- Wednesday—Pres. Harlan, Lake Forest.
- Thursday—Dr. J. A. Vance, Hyde Park.
- Friday—Dr. E. C. Ray.
- Sunday—Pres. Harlan, of Lake Forest.

Governor Yates has issued a proclamation fixing Friday, April 22, as Arbor and Bird day and requests that appropriate exercises be held in public schools and elsewhere tending to show the necessity for preservation of wild birds.

Two basketball games will be played at the high school gymnasium this Saturday evening. D. T. H. S. vs. Harvard High School, and D. T. H. S. second team vs. Glencoe. The former game is to decide the championship of Northern Illinois. See posters.

Mr. Wm. Van Dyne met with a serious accident Thursday at 8 a. m. while returning from the post office, as he was about to cross the railroad track. Willie Steffins picked up a piece of coal to throw at some dogs fighting on the side walk and not noticing Mr. Van Dyne struck him over the right eye, cutting a deep gash which bled profusely. Dr. Pomeroy dressed the wound.

Tuesday evening there was an adjourned meeting of the city council. The ordinance for the macadamizing the west side streets was laid on the table, when the vote stood 4 to 4, all members being present. The streets in question were Green Bay Road, Walnut avenue, Second street, Elm Place and Laurel avenue. Resolutions were introduced ordering an election for April 19, to elect alderman for the four wards.

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE.

Washington, D. C., MARCH 24, 1904.

Information has been received at this Department from Mr. A. H. Byington, the Consul of the United States at Naples, Italy, of the death on the 11th of January, 1904, at sea on board S. S. "Prinz Oskar," of Henry Memory, of Highland Park, Illinois.

The legal representatives of the deceased can obtain further information by applying to this Department.

Per despatch No 133.

Dated January 30.04.

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