

# What People Are Doing

## in Highwood

A "Marlin" repeating shot gun and a live lamb will be raffled at Gibbs' place this evening. Roast pig with trimmings will be served to all visitors.

Policeman J. A. Burke is sick and unable to be on duty.

Edward McTamany is confined to his home with a severe cold.

Turkeys are selling at 30c per pound at the local markets.

The daughter born to Mr. and Mrs. H. Elfstrom Dec. 12 has since died.

The customary lull that precedes the holidays is with us, as a result business is very quiet on the "Pike."

Christmas services will be held in both of the Swedish churches here Sunday evening. All are invited.

Professor Hiddleston and his mother, Mrs. C. B. Hiddleston, have gone to Cleveland, Ohio, for the holidays.

Bernard Smith, son of Andrew Smith, who has been confined to his home for two months with typhoid fever, is now convalescent.

Frank Gallagher is filling the old brick yard pond with water from a city water plug, and expects to harvest a large crop of ice therefrom.

Mr. and Mrs. Culp who a short time ago were the proud parents of triplets have since lost two of the little ones, the second having died last Tuesday.

The safe in St. Peter's laundry was blown open last Monday night and the contents amounting to \$150.00 carried away. So far the thieves have not been apprehended.

A. A. Dahl, the north end tailor, who moved to Winnetka last summer with a view to improving his condition has returned here with his family, and will resume business at the old stand.

The county board at their meeting last week directed the poor farm committee to propose and present at the next regular meeting of that body in March, plans and specifications for a hospital to be erected in connection with the county poor house at Libertyville.

Officer J. A. Burke, who James Robertson of Lake Forest in a spirit of revenge caused to be arrested on a charge of alleged assault, was tried before Justice VanDusen in Waukegan last Tuesday and fined \$5.00 and the costs. The officer submitted gracefully to the finding of the court and paid his fine without comment. However, this is not a matter to be passed over lightly. Here was an officer called upon to remove a big burly drunk from a street car filled with passengers whom he had insulted and annoyed beyond endurance, had he not approached this fellow with firmness and determination he would have received but scant courtesy, and probably failed in his mission, with the result that the people would have charged him with that fatal defect in an officer, "cold feet," and again, under ordinary circumstances such finding would tend to dampen the ardor of a well meaning officer, but fortunately, judging from the comment of our police the reverse is true, and all such offenders will be prosecuted with renewed vigor. The traveling public, particularly women and children must be protected against that rowdy element, and in order to discourage future performances of the same kind, all offenders should be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

Work on the fifteen new buildings, being erected at the Fort, continues without interruption, a number of them being so far advanced that when the weather is such that outside work cannot be done the men can be employed inside.

Sheridan lodge No. 663 I. O. O. F. held an enthusiastic meeting at their hall last Wednesday evening. The degree team of Evanston Lodge numbering twenty-five was present and conferred the initiatory on one and the first degree on four others. Lunch and a smoker followed.

Last Wednesday evening being the occasion of her birthday, friends to the number of a dozen or more gathered at the residence of Mrs. William Hostetter to celebrate the event, the evening was spent pleasantly playing cards after which a delightful lunch was served.

### Services at the Post

Order of services, lectures, and entertainments of the 27th Infantry and 14th and 21st Batteries at Fort Sheridan, Ill., for the week beginning Sunday morning, December 25th, 1904.

Sunday morning December 25th, at 8.45 o'clock, service in the Mess hall of the Guard House, for prisoners. Subject of the sermon, "Christmas Joys".

Sunday morning, December 25th, at 10 o'clock, service in the Post Chapel to which all are cordially invited. Subject of the sermon, "Christmas Joys".

Sunday evening, Dec. 25th, at 7:30 o'clock, service in the Mess hall of the Post hospital for the patients. "The new born King" illustrated with lantern views.

Monday evening, December 26th, at 7:30 o'clock, Christmas tree and entertainment in the Mess hall of the Guard House, for the prisoners. Frank Rose stage manager. Musical and singing talent.

Tuesday evening, December 27th, at 7:30 o'clock, U. S. History illustrated in lecture room Post school, for the scholars. Mexico, illustrated, by Private Ayers of the school staff.

Next week Tuesday evening, January 3rd, 1905, 16th semimonthly entertainment. Hawaii, illustrated. Gaynor and Green the entertaining team. Sullivan the sweet singer. Piano furnished by Mr. Wheeler, of Kimball's Evanston branch.

GEORGE D. RICE,  
Chaplain 27th Infantry.

Last Wednesday evening the Highland Park team defeated Lake Forest on Matthews bowling alleys. Next Wednesday evening Lake Forest vs. Waukegan. Two former teams from Everett, calling themselves the Four Johns and Four Franks played an interesting match game last Thursday night, the Johns won by a small margin.

Augustus Thomas' excellent play, "Arizona" comes to Waukegan on Monday, December 26th, with the proud record of having played longer in New York City than any other dramatic success. "Arizona's" two long runs, one at the Herald Square Theatre and one at the Academy of Music, set a new pace for the dramatic managers and one which they will find it hard to follow with any of the attractions of this year's production. "Arizona" is one of the brightest, most interesting and most wholesome plays ever written by an American author. Its engagement here is for a matinee at 2:15 and night performance at 8:15.

W. F. Hogan has been confined to his home for the past two weeks with complication of bowel troubles. Dr. F. M. Ingalls is in attendance.

The Masquerade ball at Fort Sheridan Park last Thursday evening was largely attended. The costumes were numerous and beautiful, making it difficult for the judges to select the prize winners.

### Ravinia

Dr. Albert Sheldon was called to attend his name-sake, Master Sheldon Grant, who was taken suddenly ill, but has fully recovered.

Robert Peterson, the stepson of Mr. Johnson, formerly of this place, is now traveling for McNally & Co. in the State of Iowa. His Ravina schoolmates wish him all success.

Sidney Ioden of the Milwaukee Division died of pneumonia early in the week.

Mr. J. A. Bell is entertaining relatives at Xmas.

Mr. R. Stevenson of Chicago was a visitor for some days at the home of E. J. Mitchel.

### Highland Park

The Christmas services at St. Mary's Church will be as follows: 6 A. M. High Mass and Sermon; 8 A. M. Low Mass and Sermon. Music by children's choir; 10 A. M. High Mass and Sermon. Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament immediately after last Mass.

A very select line of Christmas gifts can be seen at Dale Sweetland's.

Give your friends a present of a box of Sweetland's Swiss Milk Chocolate Creams.

Mr. L. P. Erskine of Waukegan has purchased the dry goods stock belonging to Mrs. Henry Walther and he will continue the store as it now stands next to G. F. Bock's Grocery store until January 1st when the remaining stock will be moved to Waukegan.

A beautiful line of Japanese cups and saucers at Dale Sweetland's.

If the weather is favorable, Ravinia Park will open the new skating rink Saturday evening. The toboggan slide will be completed within a week. The tickets will be \$10 for family and \$5 single admission for the season and 25c a person for one afternoon or evening. All tickets will be sold at the Park and will include both the rink and the toboggan slide.

The two weeks vacation of the High School began last evening, most of the teachers going away for the holidays. Miss Bliss will be at her home in Wilmette, Miss Williams has gone to Clarksville, Ohio. Miss Sutton will remain in Chicago, Mr. A. R. Williams will visit in Sault St. Marie, Michigan, and Mr. William Averill has gone to Hinsdale, Miss Stewart will be at her home in Lake Forest and the others will remain in Highland Park.

Inability to meet debts aggregating only about \$300 is thought to be the cause of suicide of Nell Knudson a shoemaker of Wadsworth, whose suspended body was found hanging from the banister in his residence. He was about 70 years of age, and leaves one married daughter.