

HIGHWOOD

Miss Clara May has purchased a new piano.

There will be a regular meeting of the city council next Tuesday evening.

Miss Bird of Kenosha, Wis., is spending a few days at the home of William Cox.

Mayor Gibbs was confined to the house the first of the week with summer complaint, but is out again.

Mr. Harry Burke and bride have started housekeeping in William Hogan's house on Walker avenue.

Mrs. H. W. Brownlee and children are visiting Mr. Brownlee's parents in Clarinda, Iowa, for a few weeks.

John Kelley, who returned recently from Mercy hospital, where he was operated on for ulcer of the stomach, is improving nicely.

W. A. Meecham and Miss Clara Gail, were married at the Manse, Highland Park, on Thursday evening by Rev. A. A. Pfanstiehl. They will reside in this city.

School begins Tuesday, Sept 5th, this year with the old corps of teachers. They are Miss Joanna Sweeny, principal, Miss Clara Marks, Miss Katharine Turnbull, Miss Maud Wilmot and Miss Alice Shea.

Mrs. Hiddleston has this week taken charge of the restaurant on Highwood avenue, opposite the C & N W station. The restaurant has been remodelled and redecorated, and is in fine shape for business.

Messrs A. H. and A. W. Peterson were the guests of the shoe manufacturers, Guthrie & Co.

Chicago, on a trip across the lake the first part of the week. They visited the shoe factory at Holland, where the Anchor brand shoes are made, and enjoyed a delightful day.

Mr. Watt and Miss Fanny Savage were married in Chicago last Friday evening. Mr. Watt is one of the riflemen who have been shooting at Fort Sheridan range the past week, and comes from Arkansas. He left the first of the week for his post, but will probably be transferred to Fort Sheridan. Mrs. Watt is at present with her mother, Mrs. Savage.

The most famous "hoss" case that was ever tried in this town was decided in Judge Hibbard's court at Highland Park today. The case was begun some weeks ago before Judge Daniel Pease, continued for a week or so, to allow the beast time to recover from an acute attack of the heaves before she could appear in court. Then a change was taken to Judge Dorsey, and while no one doubted his ability or integrity as a Judge of the Matthew Hale school, the parties feared he did not understand equine flesh with its ailments, as Judge Hibbard does.

The case reached his court last week Tuesday evening at 9:30, after his honor had retired. The litigants were a Mr. Johnson of Lake Forest vs. James Sweeney, a well-known resident of Fort Sheridan, and the suit was a replevin

to recover possession of a "sorrel mare" which it was claimed Mr. Sweeney wrongfully withheld, but as the constable could not find the horse, the plaintiff declared a trover. The testimony was of the tallest, rankest kind; it made out the horse was worth \$150 and would not sell for \$20. The transaction was a downright, barefaced steal, and was the fairest, most equitable horse trade ever known, and so on. You could take your choice of this diverse and contradictory testimony. The examination of the witnesses was thorough, one man was called upon to give his pedigree from the days of Gustavus Adolphus, and the examination was protracted till 1.30 o'clock the next morning, then the attorneys, Messrs. Gail & Knox, took hold for another thirty to forty-five minutes. The high level of Demosthenes on the Crown, was struck the first sentence, and soon William Tillman and Charlie Warren and others were at their sleeping room windows to see who was being held up or murdered. The English was not exactly of the Addisonian style, such epithets as "theives" and "liars," crept in, tones of voice were stentorian, eyes flashed and flamed, gesticulation was abundant and vigorous.

At 2 o'clock of Wednesday morning the court showed signs of physical collapse, and the attorneys kindly asked him to continue the case till to-day for his decision. Having recovered his normal, physical, mental and moral equipoise his decision was given in open court to-day in the plaintiff's favor.

Services and Entertainment

of the 27th Infantry at Fort Sheridan, 20th, 1905.

Sunday Morning, August 20th at 8:45 o'clock service in the mess hall of the Guard House for the prisoners. Subject of the address: "A Traitor's Repentance."

Sunday morning, August 20th at 10 o'clock, service in the Post Chapel to which all are invited. Subject of the address: "A Traitor's Repentance." Music by Mrs. Moore. Song by Mr. Hodgson. Solo by Mr. Grant.

Sunday evening, August 20th, at 7:30 o'clock, service in the mess hall of the Post Hospital, for the patients. Subject of the address "A Traitor's Repentance." Illustrated songs with view furnished by Mrs. Chadbourne. Lecture "Wounded Knee," by Sergeant Toy.

Monday evening, August 21st at 8 o'clock, illustrated lecture in the Mess Hall by Sergeant Toy, on the "Battle of Wounded Knee." Also a farce by Richard Yeatman and Mr. Essenden. Singing by local talent. All invited. All seats are free.

NEXT MONTH

Monday, September 4th, Entertainment.

Monday, September 19th, Entertainment by Rev. Rogers.

Monday, October 2nd. Open date.

GEORGE D. RICE,
Chaplain 27th Infantry.

An Ordinance

An ordinance providing for the sale and conveyance of certain real estate belonging to the city of Highland Park, which is no longer necessary, appropriate, or required for the use of said city.

Whereas, The real estate hereinafter described and owned by the City of Highland Park, has been used and occupied as a public library site and has been under the custody and control of the Board of Directors of the Public Library, who have been conducting thereon a public library for the City of Highland Park, the said real estate having been purchased by said city for the use and benefit of the Public Library, and

Whereas, The Board of Directors of said Public Library, by a resolution duly adopted, have declared said site unfit and unsuitable as and for a public library site, and have purchased other property in said city as a public library site, upon which said Board has proceeded to erect a public library building, and the said council of said city is of the opinion that the real estate hereinafter described is no longer necessary, appropriate or required for the use of said City of Highland Park, or of said Public Library, or the Board of Directors thereof, and is no longer profitable to, nor its longer retention is for the best interests of said city; Therefore

Be it ordained by the city council of the City of Highland Park, County of Lake, and State of Illinois:-

Section 1. That said real estate described as follows, to-wit: All that part of lot nine (9) in block twenty-two (22) in the City of Highland Park, described

westerly corner of said lot, and running northeasterly along the northerly line of said lot to a point in said northerly line distant one hundred (100) feet westerly measuring along said northerly line, from the northeasterly corner of said lot, thence southeasterly on a line parallel with the easterly line of said lot a distance of eighty-four (84) feet nine and three eights inches (84 ft. 9 3/8 in.), thence southwesterly parallel with the northerly line of said lot to the west line of said lot, being the east line of Sheridan Road, thence north along said west line of said lot to the place of beginning, and situated in the County of Lake, in the state of Illinois; together with all the improvements thereon, and all the rights, tenements, privileges, and appurtenances thereunto belonging, or in anywise appertaining, and now being used for a Public Library, be, and the same is hereby ordered to be sold to the highest and best bidder for cash.

Section 2. That bids or proposals for the purchase of said real estate shall be received up to the hour of eight o'clock P. M., of Tuesday, the Third day of October, A. D. 1905, and may be filed with the City Clerk, and that such bids shall be opened at the regular meeting of the city council of said city of Highland Park, to be held on Tuesday, the 3rd day of October, 1905.

Section 3. If any bid as aforesaid shall be accepted at said meeting when

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