

What People Are Doing in Highwood

Mrs. John Stupey was taken this week to the Augustana hospital, where she is to be operated upon for appendicitis.

Mrs. Stadehauser, wife of Sergeant Stadehauser of Fort Sheridan fell from her wheel one day this week and injured her ankle quite severely.

A strange automobile accident occurred in this city this week in which one of our citizens was the victim. A machine driven at a good speed was going up Waukegan Avenue when it struck the aforementioned citizen, knocking him down and running over his foot. The occupants of the machine were equal to the situation, and took the man to his home, where the injuries were found to be slight. The number of the automobile was not taken, but the aggrieved party says it is all right, as the damages were fully paid.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Welch have been camping at Silver Lake this week.

Miss Ellen Cox, who has been spending a week's vacation with friends in Kenosha and Chicago, has resumed her post at the post office window.

Mrs. Monahan, who has been quite seriously ill for the past two weeks, is slowly improving.

Mrs. Zoppi of Chicago is visiting her uncle, W. D. Cox, during the month of August.

City Clerk William Himmler left yesterday morning on a ten day's vacation which he will spend in the east, after transacting important business at Oshkosh, Wisconsin, this evening.

The regular meeting of the city council was held Tuesday evening. Nothing but the regular business was transacted.

The Board of Local Improvements held a meeting Thursday afternoon and approved the passage of several sidewalk and water main ordinances.

It is understood by the politicians that Mr. Gaggin, who was defeated in the nomination for County Superintendent of Schools at the Republican county convention, will enter the field as an independent candidate. If this is true our friend Judge Pease bids fair to have more than a fighting chance to capture the office.

The pupils of the Highwood schools were given a picnic on Judge Pease's grounds one day this week and enjoyed themselves without stint. Julius Laegeler won their everlasting gratitude by furnishing unlimited ice cream, and others saw to it that there was no lack of cake. There were 147 children present.

A special meeting of the city council was held last night for the purpose of passing ordinances providing for the construction of about two miles of cement sidewalks, as stated in last week's News. Ordinances were also passed for the laying of several water mains in side streets, and also for the extension of the present water main system.

W. E. Felvey attended the national convention of Eagles at Milwaukee this week as delegate from Highwood Aerie. Among others who attended from this city were William Hostetter, Dr. Wescott, George Conrad and David Meninger.

Charles Gordon attended the Democratic congressional convention at Ravenswood Tuesday as delegate from this township. The other delegate, John Hart, was unable to attend. At the convention Charles L. Young of Chicago was nominated

for congress from the 10th congressional district, and Daniel A. Grady of Waukegan was nominated for member of the State Board of Equalization.

Mr. John Hodge of Rockefeller, defeated candidate for county superintendent of Schools, has been engaged as principal of the Highwood schools for the ensuing year. The other teachers are the same as last year, with the exception of Miss Joanna Sweeney, who was principal for several years.

The steel construction on the new right of way of the C. & M. E. R. R. has been commenced and will be pushed to a speedy conclusion. There still remains a large amount of filling to be done on the north. As the trolleys are not yet up, the construction cars are being hauled by one of the company's steam engines.

The Odd Fellows gave a social and dance in their hall Wednesday evening. A large number were present, including the Rebekah lodge from Evanston and several from Waukegan. After the dancing refreshments were served, and a very enjoyable evening was passed by all.

A Busy Sunday

(Contributed)

The Des Plain River was greatly honored Sunday, August 5th, by having the privilege of entertaining the honorable Mrs. Grant and five of her grand children, including Bob. Also her two sons and daughter-in-law.

They were greatly amused with catching fish, watching the mud turtles, and watching closely for a snap shot picture every ten minutes. For one of the party had a camera in his white vest pocket.

The sparkling sulphur water was enjoyed by those who cared for it.

The umbrella certainly made a fine sun shade several times for one of the young ladies and the only regret they had was the time went entirely too fast for had they had more time they might have caught a 15 or 18 pound black bass or pickerel.

Bull Head.

Told By His Looks

Some things "go without saying," as we say. They are self-evident, and need no explanation. They tell their own story, as it were. That is sometimes they do, and sometimes they do not. Here is a case of the latter sort cited by a New York paper.

A pair of bushy whiskers shoved themselves into the money order window and the voice behind the whiskers said:

"Gif me a money order."

The clerk shoved him out a blank application. When it came back, filled out, the clerk said:

"Here, this isn't right. It's for Dresden, Germany, and you've got it on a domestic blank. You want a foreign blank."

"Vell!" said the voice behind the whiskers, "vy didn't you gif me a foreign blank?"

"Why didn't you ask for one?"

"Mein gootness," said the voice behind the whiskers, "do I look like I wanted a domestic blank?"—[Epworth Herald.]

Lesson He Easily Learned

"I dined at the Carlton with the Howard Goulds in London," a globe trotter said, "Afterwards we took our coffee on the raised platform of the foyer, where the orchestra plays and where you get an excellent view of the smart London world. Mrs. Gould entertained us with the story of her last balloon trip. She had stayed up much longer and gone much further than had been intended.

"The trip," she said, ruefully, "was a little too successful."

"Oh," said I, "can anything be too successful?"

"A temperance sermon was once too successful," Mrs. Gould said.

"Then she told us how a woman preached one morning a temperance sermon to her husband, who was suffering from the effects of the night before. 'The great trouble with you, George,' the woman said you cannot say 'No.' Learn to say 'No,' George, and you will have fewer headaches. Can you let me have a little money this morning?"

"No," said George, with apparent ease."

—Exchange.

Don't Slide The Banister

No need of hurry down stairs to answer the telephone. Get an extension. Formerly \$1 per month—now fifty cents. Anyone can afford it. Telephone the manager and place your order—n.w. Chicago Telephone Company.

We uncommiserate pass into the night
From the loud banquet, and departing leave
A tremor in men's memories, faint and sweet
And frail as music. Features of our face,
The tones of the voice, the touch of the loved hand,
Perish and vanish, one by one, from earth;
Meanwhile, in the hall of song, the multitude
Applauds the new performer. One, perchance,
One ultimate survivor lingers on.
And smiles, and to his ancient heart recalls
The long forgotten. Ere the morrow die,
He too, returning, through the curtain comes,
And the new age forgets us and goes on.

Robert Louis Stevenson.

Catch The Thieves.

Hist—burglars downstairs—silverware—revolvers—masks—stealthy footsteps. Woman upstairs—alone—frightened—dares not make an out-cry. But if she has an extension telephone in her bedroom she telephones the police without disturbing the burglars and without danger to herself. Extensions now cost only fifty cents per month. Telephone your order to the Manager. Chicago Telephone Company.

It Is A Fact

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