## What People Are Doing in Highland Park

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Ford of Oak Park were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles T. Ford on Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Strieber entertained a large number of friends at dinner on last Sunday. Covers were made for twelve.

Miss Louise Hannge of Cheiago, spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. John S. Reeseman.

Mrs. Frank Green who has been quite ill for the past week is improving.

There was a slight change in the Postal Laws this week. Hereafter the rent for Call Boxes which has been 25 cents a quarter will be 35 cents and for the Lock Boxes 60 cents instead of 50 cents. Also the rents must be paid by the party holding a box during the last ten days of the quarter or his mail will be put in the General Delivery and the box rented to others.

A nice assortment of watches, clocks and jewelry at Levin's, the Jeweler.

The Cantata that was to be given by the choir of the First United Evangelical church on Sunday evening has been postponed until next Sunday, December 30th.

The Highland Park Woman's Club met on Tuesday afternoon at the Library Building. The afternoon was devoted to German Art, and everything, even the refreshments were in keeping with German customs. Mrs. Abbie Bastian gave a very fine talk on "Art Glimpses" her own travels, giving her a great deal of opportunity to see and admire art in Germany and Holland. She showed in connection with her paper a number of pictures of different subjects. Miss Willa Lovell sang and the hostesses for the afternoon were Mrs. D. M. Erskine, Mas. F. B. Green, Mrs. John Finney and Mrs. Beardsley.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Champlin have gone to Chicago to spend the winter.

Miss Eddy of Marengo, Iowa, is visiting her brother Mr. W. C. Eddy for a few days.

Miss Helen Coale arrived home from Ward Seminary in Nashville, Tenn., on Thursday, to spend the holidays.

A book for a Christmas present. A good assortment at Albert Larson's newsdealer, bookseller and stationer.

Mr. F. W. Cushing has returned from the east where he was called two weeks ago by the serious illnes of his daughter, Margo. Although she is better, her mother is still in the east with her.

The girls from Kemper Hall are at home for the Christmas holidays.

Henry Ritter came home on Thursday from Baltimore, where he has been at the Lomes Institute at school.

The Sunday school of the Episcopal church will hold their annual Christmas eve festival as usual, on Monday evening at 5 o'clock. The hour has has been set early in order that the little ones will not be kept out too late in the evening. There will be the Christmas tree and gifts for the children with the usual Christmas carols and anthems.

The Ebenezer Evangelical Sunday school will hold their Christmas festivities on Wednesday evening.

Lost:-Ladies purse, gold monogram. Finder will receive reward by returning to this office.

The song recital given by Alfred Bergen on Monday evening, at Mrs. Jones studio, was a most successful affair. A large number of musical people and old friends of Mr. Bergen's were there. His voice which is a rich baritone was perfectly beautiful. He sang several old favorites "Loreador" and the "Two Greuadiers" calling forth rounds of applause.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Geer and family who have been living in the Lightner house since last spring have moved into Mr. H. C. Sampson's house on Central avenue.

Gold and silver novelties of all descriptions, fountain and other pens at Levin's, the Jeweler.

Mrs. E. J. Nally, who has been visiting in St. Louis since her departure from Highland Park, has gone to Lexington, Ky., with her two children to spend Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward W. Willetts are the happy parents of a baby boy, born on Thursday last.

The bridge club met with Mrs. Bert Merryweather on Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Flinn spent Sunday with Mrs. W. M. Flinn.

Highland Park friends of Mr. and Mrs. Kreigh Collins will be interested to know that a baby girl arrived at their home recently.

Mrs. Fred Clow has been confined to her home with grip for the past week.

Mrs. Mulvahill of Chicago visited her sister Mrs. Fred Greenslade on Sunday.

Miss Olive Haefele of Barrington was the guest of Miss Gertrude Brand last week Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar A. Turpin have gone to Terra Haute, Ind., to spend Christmas with Mrs. Turpin's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Street are bere from West Virginia, for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Richard J. Street.

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Mrs. W. J. Fyffe has issued cards for a reception to take place on the afternoon of December 26th.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Cushing were suddenly called east last week on receipt of a long distance telephone message from Ogontz, Pa., that their daughter, Margaret, was suffering from appendicitis and an immediate operation was necessary. Mr. and Mrs. Cushing arrived after the operation had been performed at the Germantown hospital, and found their daughter in a comfortable condition, although serious complications set in afterwards, and for a few days she was in a serious condition. The danger is now past, but the physicians refuse to allow her to be moved home in time for Christmas, although she will probably be home for New Years.

Mr. and Mrs. Cushing arrived home on Sunday evening.

The Presbyterian church held their Christmas celebration on Friday evening and on Saturday afternoon.

On Friday evening there was a program arranged for the older people and on Saturday afternoon the children had their tree and Christmas gifts.

The little daughter of Mr. August Peterson is very ill with a complication of scarlet fever and diptheria, at her father's home on McGovern street.

In place of the regular meeting of the Ossili Club on Thursday afternoon, a lecture was given in the evening. Mr James O'Donell Bennett, the theatrical critic spoke on "The Drama." His talk was very fine, those who are acquainted with his writings in the Record-Herald, recognized his style at once.

The Young Ladies Sorority of Highland Park gave their annual dance at the Club house last evening.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Hazel avenue near St. Johns. Service Sunday 10:45 a. m. Wednesday 8 p. m. Reading room in church open Wednesdays and Fridays from 2 to 4 p. m. Subject for Sunday, December 23, "Christian Science."

Mr. William Millard has been quite ill with the grip this week.

Miss Mabel Harlow left today for a trip South.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Thompson will spend the holidays with Mrs. Thompson's people in Ander son, Ind.

WANTED:-Work by the day, by experienced woman. Telephone 1592

Little Eunice Knox celebrated her birthday on Monday by a party, which took place at Miss Cobb's kindergarten.

Edward Seymour came home yesterday from Yale, for the Christmas recess.

Rev. George D. Rogers and family has moved from Kansas where he has been since leaving here, and has taken a charge at Washington, Iowa.

Mr. Alexander Laing was painfully injured on last Thursday while standing on the track at Lakeside. He was struck by a C. & N. W. train and severly bruised and his elbow broken. He is doing as well as could be expected.

Rev. R. J. Lobb and wife of Burgessville, Ontario Canada are the guests of their niece Mrs. Edward Moon.

Jamie Gould is home from Racine, where he has been attending school.

Mr. W. C. Loyd left on Friday to spend Christmas at his home in Ft. Wayne, Ind.

Work will soon be commenced on putting a stone front on the Highland Park Hotel, both on the Central Avenue and the First Street frontages. The First Street front will be extended to the sidewalk, enlarging the dining room and the office considerably, and the main entrance will be on the corner. It is an improvement which will add muc to the beauty of the city.

Mr. H. B. Clark's guests have gone to Chicago for the winter.

On Monday evening the annual Christmas program will be given for the children of the First United Evangelical Church. The evening will be devoted to speaking and singing the carols of Cristmastide. A very good program is promised.

Pupils Wanted:—Mme. Gluck, Swiss, speaks clear French. Will act as visiting governess, and also instruct older persons in French. Will take certain amount of pupils. Can furnish best Ravinia references. Call this office.