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Special Assessment Notice.

SPECIAL WARRANT No. 114.

Public notice is hereby given that the County Court of Lake County, Illinois, has rendered judgment for a special assessment upon property benefited by the following improvement:—For the construction of a sewer to be laid along and under St. Johns Avenue in said City connecting with the public sewer to be built in St. Johns Avenue, pursuant to the provisions of an ordinance of the City of Highland Park, passed January 17th, 1906, at the point where said sewer turns from St. Johns Avenue and runs westerly on High Street, now known as Moraine Road, said point being the center line of St. Johns Avenue, and 14 feet North of the intersection of said center line with the center line of Moraine Road, thence Southerly on said St. Johns Avenue for a distance of 523 feet, as will more fully appear from the certified copy of the judgment on file in my office, that the warrant for the collection of such assessment is in the hands of the undersigned.

All persons interested are hereby notified to call and pay the amount assessed at the Collectors office, D. M. Erskine & Co's Bank, Northeast corner of St. Johns and Central Avenue, Highland Park, Illinois, within thirty days from the date hereof.

Notice is further given that said assessment is divided into Five (5) installments, that the amount of the first installment is \$139.00 and that each of the remaining installments is \$100.00; that all installments draw interest at the rate of five per cent per annum from November 15th, 1906.

The First installment is payable on January 2nd, 1907.

The Second installment one year thereafter and so on annually until all installments are paid.

JOHN C. DUFFY,

City Collector.

Dated this 29th day of December, A. D. 1906.

James Bryce and America

James Bryce, the new British ambassador to the United States, has probably done more than any other European to help us of this country to "see ourselves as others see us." As publicist and historian, as scholar and statesman, he has done this through the admittedly greatest work, "The American Commonwealth." The lucid exposition of American government and life was the fruit of visits made in 1870, 1881 and 1883-4, during which he went to all the states and territories. In its pages he not only revealed, pointedly and sympathetically, our constitutional arrangements, but also set forth in high light the development of political parties, the workings of public opinion, the machine, the rings and bosses. As to our social and economic future he predicted the growth

of immense fortunes, although the trust era was then just at its beginning, and he declared there was "nothing unreasonable in the desire of the American masses to regulate the management of corporations." This great work was published eighteen years ago. Its wide use here, coupled with accounts of able championship of liberal policies by its author, has made him one for whom the citizens of this commonwealth have a friendly feeling.

Since 1898 our internal political and economic problems have multiplied, and as an outgrowth of the Spanish-American war the nation is now called upon to give more attention to colonial and international affairs. In this situation our country is fortunate in having in Washington as the representative of Great Britain one who regards our institutions with such sympathy and who at the same time has such an intelligent understanding of our difficulties.

Mr. Bryce, in his ambassadorial chats with the president, the secretary of state and other public men, in banquet talks and public addresses, will doubtless diplomatically, but clearly, make suggestions that will help America in these large affairs. He is known as one of the greatest advocates of world-wide peace and may be counted on to work toward that end. The American people are to be congratulated on his coming:—Chicago Daily News.

Another portion of the crater of Mt. Vesuvius has collapsed, again producing clouds of ashes, cinders and smoke, resembling an eruption.

Ravinia Theatre

On Tuesday evening, January 1st, the Thomas Orchestra will give the third of its series of six winter concerts at Ravinia Theatre. Director Stock has arranged a splendid programme consisting of Wagner's "Rienzi" Overture, "Pastorale" from the Christmas Oratorio by Bach, Noel from "Triptique Symphonique" by Block, Wolf's "Italian Serenade," Liszt's "Polonaise" and other selections by the masters. The soloists on this occasion will be Mr. Bruno Steindel, the cellist, and Mr. Leopole Kramer the violinist. Mr. Steindel will render an air from Bach, and Mr. Kramer, Handel's "Large."

The next concert to be given at the handsome North Shore Theatre will be that of the New York Symphony Orchestra with Walter Damrosch as its director. Mr. Damrosch is making a limited tour of the Western cities, bringing with him the entire New York-Symphony of eighty musicians including all the regular soloists of the organization.

Miss Ellen Beach Yaw and her splendid concert company are also to appear at Ravinia during the month of January. Saturday evening, January 26th, having been set aside for her appearance.

"The typewriter at our office," Mr. Sharpe was explaining to the caller, who was thinking of buying a machine, "is what they call the visible kind." "Visible!" snapped Mrs. Sharpe, entering just in time to hear the closing remark. "She's conspicuous!"

A Card

1906 closes with the most prosperous year of my business career, and I wish to express my thanks to my friends and patrons for their very generous support. My constant effort will be to work each day some improvement in the selling of good merchandise at fair, reasonable prices. I hope to promote the interest of my patrons by making this store the most convenient, comfortable and satisfactory.

With best wishes for a Happy New Year, I am,
Very truly yours,

MRS. G. BOHL.