

What People Are Doing in Highwood

Little Anna, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vencil Muzik, is quite ill with the grippe.

Mrs. Daniel Peas left this week for California, to visit her son, Francis G., who resides in Pasadena. On her way she will stop at Colorado Springs to visit her brother, and will later go to Seattle to visit relatives.

There will be a regular meeting of the City Council next Tuesday evening.

The Shamrock Club gave a very enjoyable private dance in Odd Fellows Hall on New Year's night. After the dancing, refreshments were served.

Mr. P. Gail is sick with the grippe this week.

During the months of January, February, March and April, Julius Laegeler's drug store will be open on Sundays from 8 to 11:30 a. m., and from 3 to 5 p. m.

The U. S. Express Co., has opened an office in this city, with Albert Walman as agent. Mr. Laegeler handles the money orders.

Julius Laegeler will begin Monday to serve hot soda and chocolate from his fountain.

Miss Josie Savage is confined to her home with the grippe.

Fattening of Oysters

The oyster-eating public is already familiar with the process of fattening adopted by some unscrupulous dealers in oysters, says Country Life in America. This consists merely in throwing the oysters into fresh water, which they absorb in large quantities and become plump. The flavor is thereby injured and there is danger of infecting the oysters with typhoid.

At Lynnhaven, Va., the United States bureau of fisheries has been working for several years on a plan to establish an artificial fattening bed for oysters. The oyster lives chiefly on diatoms and other microscopic marine plants. These plants require for their growth a large supply of inorganic salts in the water. The necessary plant food is supplied by putting commercial fertilizers in the water.

The fattening bed must be in shallow water, so as to have a relatively high temperature. A wall is maintained around the fattening ground, so as to retain the fertilizer and diatoms. Even after the diatoms have multiplied enormously the oysters receive no benefit from them unless a current is maintained in the water to carry the food to the oysters.

Salt water is pumped in to prevent the fattening beds from becoming too fresh and a little lime is added to the water to prevent the growth of algae and other plants which would give a disagreeable flavor to the oysters. Too much lime, on the other hand, will destroy the food plants of the oyster.

The process seems somewhat complicated, but it has been demonstrated to be feasible and to yield fine results in the number and quality of oysters.

Mrs. Crimsonbeak—"I see more crimes are committed in the autumn than during any other of the seasons of the year."

Mr. Crimsonbeak—"I always thought June was the month of marriages?"—Yonkers Statesman.

Notice of Award of Contract

Public notice is hereby given that in pursuance of the statutes of the state of Illinois in such case made and provided, award of contract has been made to Frank Laing for the making of the following described public improvement to wit:—

For the construction of a four (4) inch cast iron water supply pipe in Washington Avenue from and connecting with the water supply pipe now laid in Railway Avenue, to a point one hundred and fifty (150) feet west of the west line of North Central Avenue, together with one fire hydrant and one gates valve and in trench excavated to such depth that there shall be 5½ feet of cover, etc., for the sum of \$594.50. MICHAEL J. GIBBS,

Attest: President.

A. W. Himmler, Secretary.

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Notice of Award of Contract

Public notice is hereby given that in pursuance of the statutes of the State of Illinois, in such case made and provided, award of contract has been made to Frank Laing for the making of the following described public improvement to-wit:—For the construction of a Four (4) inch cast iron water supply pipe in Central Avenue from and connecting with the water supply pipe now laid in Prairie Avenue at a point eight (8) feet west of the center line of Central Avenue, thence running South to a point Three hundred and ninety-six (396) feet South of the South line of Prairie Avenue together with (1) fire hydrant and 1 gates valve and laid in a trench with 5 1-2 feet cover above the top of the pipe, for the sum of \$425.75.

Attest: MICHAEL J. GIBBS, President.

A. W. HIMMLER,

Secretary.

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Notice of Award of Contract

Public notice is hereby given that in pursuance of the statutes of the State of Illinois, in such case made and provided, award of contract has been made to Frank Laing for the making of the following described public improvement to-wit:—For the construction of a Four (4) inch cast iron water supply pipe in Evolution Avenue from and connecting with the water supply pipe now laid in Highwood Avenue, eight (8) feet west of the center line of Evolution Avenue thence running South to a point 600 feet South of the South line of Highwood Avenue together with one (1) fire hydrant and one gates valve and in trenches excavated so that 5 1-2 feet of cover is above the top of the pipe.

Attest: MICHAEL J. GIBBS, President.

A. W. HIMMLER,

Secretary.

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You cannot tune up your life to the divine unless you will at some time shut out the din of daily business.

Every time that life seems wintry take it as evidence that the Gardener meant you for more than a summer squash.

Many a man would feel a good deal more confident about his interview with St. Peter if he was sure his wife wouldn't be there.

Bolivia, the huge South American state lying between Peru and Chile on the west, Argentina and Paraguay on the south, and Brazil on the east and north, is to be gridironed by 1,000 miles of railroad in the near future, by the Standard Oil capitalists, according to reports from New York. The necessary concessions are said to have been ratified by the Bolivian congress. The roads will be laid to reach silver, tin, virgin forests of hardwoods, and rubber.

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