

What People Are Doing in Highwood

Mrs. O. F. Carlson is very ill with the grippe.

Miss Kehoe of Waukegan, spent Thursday with Mrs. William Cox.

Miss Katherine Wheeler of Anderson, Ind., is visiting her sister, Mrs. William Hostetter.

There was a regular meeting of the city council Tuesday evening. Only the routine business was transacted.

A handicap bowling tournament is being held at the alleys at the Park Hotel. Some very good scores have been made.

A. W. Himmeler, station agent at the Highland Park C. & N. W. depot, moved Thursday into C. E. Preston's house on Highwood avenue.

A few of the lady friends of Miss Fox gave her a pleasant surprise at her home a few evenings ago. A delightful evening was passed.

Mrs. H. S. Gail and her sister, Mrs. Foster, spent last week at Mrs. Gail's son's, L. Gail, of Stone Street, Chicago.

The benefit dance given at Fort Sheridan Park, February 7, was a great success. The benefit was for Mrs. Stringer's son, who is obliged to go west on account of his health.

Dr. F. G. Wescott wishes to announce to his friends and patrons, that he has moved from West Highwood avenue to 209 East Highwood avenue, next to the Methodist church.

A week ago Sunday night, thieves entered the post-office and carried off the safe to a building a short distance away, when they blew it open and abstracted money and stamps to the amount of about \$100. There was no clue to the persons.

The Firemen's ball held at Smith's hall last Tuesday evening, was a great success. A large number of couples being in attendance. The proceeds of the affair will be used for much needed equipments.

A very pleasant surprise party was given at John Stupey's Tuesday evening, in honor of his daughter Ethel's birthday. There was a large number present, and card games were the order of the evening. Prizes were won by Mrs. M. J. Gibbs and Frank Lilly.

Jamee Fawcett, the Chicago and Northwestern agent, was called to his home in Vincennes, Ind., several days ago, by the serious illness of his father. While there his brother, Cameron, died very suddenly last week Thursday, and his father, Col. James Fawcett, died last Sunday. Mr. Fawcett will not return for about two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Heustis entertained a large party of friends at progressive euchre Thursday evening. There were nine tables in play, and the prizes were won by Mrs. Peterson and H. F. Clow. After the games refreshments were served, and a fine time was enjoyed by all.

Death came suddenly to Mrs. Barbara Yager at her residence west of Highland Park. She leaves six children to mourn her loss, Albert Yager of Highwood, Ill., Mrs. Frank Haben of Wheeling, Ill., Mrs. Elizabeth Olayton of Highland Park, Ill., Mr. Frank Yager, and William and Catherine Yager, also two sisters, Mrs. John Schurck, all of Chicago, and Mrs. John Behm of Wheeling, Ill. She died at the age of 61, living at her old home for the last 40 years. The relatives wish to thank the friends and neighbors for the sympathy and kindness shown in their bereavement, recent.

A number of cards have been issued for a supper, to be held in Henn's dining rooms Monday evening. The main object of the affair is to discuss the political situation, and talk of candidates for the coming election. Of course all the politicians will be there, and a good time is promised. It is supposed that the date for the caucus will be set at this meeting.

HIGHLAND PARK ITEMS

The lecture and sacred concert given at St. Mary's church on Sunday evening, was very successful. The address by Rev. F. A. Purcell, D. D. was very interesting and instructive. The subject was never treated better. The musical part of the evening was good in every respect. Mr. Charles M. Schneider never sang so well, and Rev. Lahmann and Mr. F. Lester Price on the organ, were very fine.

In a match last Saturday between Milwaukee and Chicago Curling Clubs, our townsman, Captain John F. Raffan, won one of the four medals presented by William Manson, he also has been selected one of the eighth to represent the Chicago club in a three day's match between Detroit, Buffalo, Milwaukee, and Chicago, and clubs from Canada to be played in Grand Rapids, Michigan, where he will meet some of the best curlers in the country.

The Ossiti Club met on Thursday afternoon, at the Highland Park Club. Mrs. R. L. Sandwick read a paper on "Charles I." Mrs. Charles Warren had one on "The Star Chamber," and Mrs. A. E. Bradley, one on "Whitehall." All were very interesting. The subjects this winter at the club, all on this order, are proving a great success and are being well received.

Mr. Carleton Mosley has purchased of the Loesch estate, the Loesch homestead consisting of 20 acres, for twenty thousand dollars. This has long been considered the choicest piece of property on the Green Bay Road, having a magnificent view for miles over the beautiful Skokei valley. The sale was negotiated by Mr. F. P. Hawkins.

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Death of Mrs. Cummings

Mrs. Anna Cummings, wife of John W. Cummings, died at her home on West Central avenue, on Thursday morning, at the age of 72 years. For many years the family has lived here, and Mrs. Cummings, with her lovable ways made many life long friends. She had five children living, Mrs. Shendorf and Mrs. Murphy of Wauconda, Mrs. William Witten and Mrs. C. Carry of Highland Park, and a son John of Omaha, Nebraska. Her husband and two sisters beside her children, mourn her death.

The funeral services were held this morning at St. Mary's church and the burial at Lake Forest.

Here's a little news paragraph that seems to be authentic. We commend it to the advocates of dress reform for women: "More than a hundred Hindoo laborers have been found in the frontier towns of British Columbia to be women in disguise. They are mostly employed as wool-enters, and the foremen and time-keepers say the women do more and better work than the average man; that they are industrious and always to be relied upon." There is fool for thought in this. There is suggestion for reform in woman's dress. Of course the question is an old one; we know that. But that it is still an important one, despite its age, is shown by the fact that it "will not down." Of course you can hear some old snarlow of a mansay, "Women have been trying to wear the trousers ever since the fashion changed from fig-leaves." Granted; then why not let her wear 'em? Take this little paragraph alone. Here are women capable of the best of work; they are strong enough, able, skilled and willing; but they had to disguise themselves as men before they could get the work to do, and that in a country where workmen are scarce. Women have gone a long way in the direction of dress reform since the days of the Grecian gown. We may not want our mothers, wives, sweethearts and sisters to become Madame Bloomers or Dr. Mary Walkers, but if the women who have to go into the battle of life—into the fields and the factories—want to dress in a more convenient fashion for their surroundings, why let them. When they get tired of it they can change back. With the right to change her mind at will, who shall say women has not the right to change her style of dress?"

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