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Other subscriptions received not yet reported, making a total of about \$100.00.

POSTOFFICE PROGRESS.

By an act of Congress, our Postmaster-General at Washington, D. C., ordered all postoffices to weigh all mail dispatched from July 1 to December 31, 1907, inclusive.

The weight of mails dispatched from the Highland Park postoffice for the month of August shows a total of three thousand and twenty pounds and three ounces. The mail received, being about the same as those dispatched, make the total mail and equipment handled more than three tons every month.

The number of pieces of mail in the ten different classes for one month will foot up nearly one hundred thousand. Seven years ago two pairs of hands did the work, but now ten pairs of nimble hands are kept busy twelve hours every week day, and nearly three hours on Sunday.

Our free delivery system, established November 1, 1905, is satisfying all the demands of the patrons of the office.

The registry department is handling upwards of four hundred registered letters and parcels every month.

The money orders issued and paid every month number upwards of six hundred.

The amount of money sent to foreign countries by international money orders every week varies from ten to eighteen hundred dollars.

Since the establishment of free delivery all the clerks, as well as the carriers, are under civil service rule.

These interesting facts are indications of the development of Highland Park, both in its business and residential character.

HIGHLAND PARK COUNCIL.

The regular meeting of the City Council was held on Tuesday evening, September 3. Mayor Robertson was in his place as chairman, and the business of passing accounts, etc., being completed, petitions were read: From property owners on Green Bay road, against the gas company laying main pipes along the road. A motion had been adopted at the July meeting of the council permitting said laying of pipes. This motion was rescinded in accordance with the wishes of the petitioners, so that the gas pipes cannot be laid. From property owners on West street to change the name of the street to Fort Sheridan avenue. The petition was granted and ordinance passed accordingly. From a number of citizens asking the acceptance of two drinking fountains (full text of petitions in another column). The petition was agreed to and the matter referred to the Streets and Alleys Committee with power to act.

An ordinance was passed for sewer in Glencoe avenue and Lincoln place; also in Ravine blocks 20 and 29.

Ordinance passed for new sidewalks on east and west sides of McGovern street, from Central to Deerfield avenues.

A plan of Lingren sub-division of Ravinia was submitted and accepted.

The Sewer Committee was authorized to act in the matter of a septic tank for Skogie avenue.

The mayor and city clerk were authorized to pay \$500 to Joliet Bridge Company for damages occasioned by falling in of bridge, provided this is accepted as settlement for all claims, and provided they agree to stand by their bids for work according to plans and specifications.

Two Cents for a Shine.

The small bootblack exists because of the love of the average child to be active and to earn a little money. In the slums, where children have nothing to play with except stone steps, iron railings and filth, it is very interesting and fairly profitable to play with a dirty pair of shoes. So the small boy shines and gambles and learns all that the street has to teach.

Organized hand work and play in the schools of our great cities, a slight lengthening of the period of daily and annual school attendance, and the children might develop the normal play instinct without recourse to street life. This is the program of the National Child Labor Committee.

The earnings of the small bootblack are very low. If he shines for three cents when he can get it, and two cents when he cannot get three, he may make eighteen cents on a Saturday.

This is one of the many forms of child labor in America against which the National Child Labor Committee contends. With the co-operation which the American people ought to give to such an enterprise we believe this committee is leading in a campaign which will secure to every American boy and girl the education and physical growth

which are so essential to American citizenship.—Secretary of the National Child Labor Committee in the September Woman's Home Companion.

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Master in Chancery to E. J. Skidmore, lots 20 and 40, blk 17, Lake Bluff. Deed \$500.

Rozilla A. Alford to C. J. Gipp, lot 25, blk 4, Highland Park. W.D. \$2000.

Mary F. Sidley and hus. to J. G. Steever, lot 4, blk 16, Highland Park, and strip west and adjoining. W.D. \$10.00.

James Lyons to Catherine Mathews, pt sec 7, Deerfield twp, and pt secs 2 and 11, Vernon twp. W.D. \$1.00.

Drusilla Wilkiuson and hus. to F. D. Everett, lots 17, 18 and pt lot 15, blk 29, Highland Park. W.D. \$1500.

Geo. Anderson, subdivision of lot 244, Lake Forest, into 9 lots.

Will Persons Who Saw Woman Fall from South-bound car of Chicago and Milwaukee Electric Company about eight o'clock, Sunday evening, July 21st, near corner of Laurel and St. Johns Avenues, Highland Park, please send their names and addresses to Miss Mary E. Boyle, 132 Green Bay Road, Highland Park. 34p

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