

CLEANINGS — WISE AND OTHERWISE.

"I tell you," said one man to another, as they emerged from the corridor of a concert hall, "I envy that fellow who was singing." "Envy him!" echoed the other. "Well, if I were going to envy a singer I'd select somebody with a better voice. His was about the poorest I ever heard." "It's not his voice I envy, man," was the reply. "It's his tremendous courage."

A talented English lady who is a strong advocate of "Women's Suffrage" recently spoke on the subject. She brought down the house with the following argument:—"I have no vote, but my groom has, whose rent I pay. I have a great respect for that man in the stables, but I am sure if I were to go in to him and say, 'John, will you exercise the franchise?' he would reply, 'Please mum, which horse be that?'"

"I wish to pay you for five cakes,"

But you had only four—a sponge cake, a coconut cake, an almond cake, and a currant cake." "And a stomach-ache," added the traveller.

Mother—"Harold, why did you take your little sister's candy this morning?" Small Harold—"I don't know, mama. Perhaps I'm a kleptomaniac."

Rodney: "Do you have trouble with 'shall' and 'will'?" Dickey: "Nope; my wife says 'You shall' and I say 'I will'."—Puck.

A little boy was asked to give a definition of inertia and momentum. He said, "Inertia is something that won't go and momentum is something that won't stop."

A suburban minister during his discourse, one Sunday morning, said, "In each blade of grass there is a sermon." The following day one of his flock discovered the good man pushing a lawnmower about his garden and paused to say, "Well, parson, I'm glad to see you engaged in cutting your sermons short."

"It's such a pity, father!" explained an enthusiastic member of a college glee club, after a vacation visit to a Western city. "We fellows had the town fixed all right, ready to stand for our college,—and then the president came, and made his speech, and he just spoiled it all."

Two men were talking together at a table in the hotel coffee-room, and the question of Rockefeller's wealth came up. One of them said, to show the enormous income of the man, "Do you know, whenever that clock (pointing to a grandfather's clock in the room) goes tick, Rockefeller makes a thousand pounds!" "Is that so?" "That's a fact." "Then stop the clock."

Johnnie was to have a party, and his mother insisted on inviting a boy whom he disliked. After much urging, Johnnie promised. The party came off, but Willie did not appear. "Now, Johnnie, did you invite him?" asked Johnnie's mother. "Yes, I did. Yes, ma'am, I invited him!" answered Johnnie. "I invited him," he added reflectively, "and I dared him to come."

The village innkeeper had a good horse. The peasants borrowed it so much that the innkeeper determined to discourage them, so one day when a peasant came to borrow, the innkeeper said he was sorry, but he

had let the horse already. Just then a neigh came from the stable. "You've not lent it. I hear it neighing," said the peasant. "Look here," replied the innkeeper, "either I or the horse is telling a lie and you may take my word for it, it's the horse."

Not long ago, in a small Irish town, a policeman received the third white strip for his sleeve. As he returned to the little street in which he spent his hours off duty, his wife, watching from the window, knew by the dignity of his carriage that something had happened, and hurried to the door to meet him. "Sure Denis dear, what is it?" Denis did not reply, but pointed to his sleeve. "What does it mane, Denis?" "Sure, it manes that I'm Sergeant Muldoon, my honey!" "That's good for ye, Denis dear; but what am I?" "Sure," said Denis, with a look of loving congratulation, "ye're Lady Muldoon!"—From Daylight.

SPECIAL ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

Public notice is hereby given that the County Court of Lake County, Illinois, has rendered judgement for a special assessment upon property benefited by the following improvement.

For the construction of a concrete cement sidewalk five (5) feet wide in the City of Highland Park County of Lake and State of Illinois, on and along both sides of Onwentsia Avenue from the Westerly line of First Street, otherwise known as Green Bay Road, thence west to the east line of Exmoor Avenue, except at the junction of the roadway of Midlothian Avenue with Onwentsia Avenue, as will more fully appear from the certified copy of the judgement on file in my office. That the warrant for 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 Collector's Office, D. M. Erskine & Company's Bank, Central Avenue, Highland Park, Ill. within thirty days from the date hereof.

Notice is further given that the said assessment is divided into five installments. That the amount of the first installment is \$327.73 and that each of the remaining installments is \$229.17. That all installments draw interest at the rate of five (5) per cent per annum from September 14th 1907.

The first installment is payable on the Second day of January A. D. 1908.

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

JOHN C. DUFFY, City Collector. Dated this 15th day of February, A. D. 1908.

CIRCUIT COURT OF LAKE COUNTY STATE OF ILLINOIS.

COUNTY OF LAKE. } SS
MARCH TERM A. D. 1908.

ROBERT G. EVANS }
vs. } In Chancery.
SARAH CASWELL } No 3712.
ROBERT LINN AND }
D. M. ERSKINE. } Trustee

Satisfactory affidavit, that the defendants Sarah Caswell, and Robert Linn are not residents of the State of Illinois, so that process cannot be served upon them or either of them, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of said Court.

Notice is therefore hereby given to the said Sarah Caswell and Robert Linn defendants as aforesaid, that the above named Complainant heretofore filed his Bill of Complaint in said Court, on the Chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said Court against the above named defendants, returnable on the first day of the term of the Circuit Court of Lake County, to be held at the Court House in Waukegan in said Lake County, on the First Monday of March A. D. 1908, as is by law required, and which suit is still pending.

LEWIS O. BROCKWAY, Clerk. Waukegan, Illinois, Jan 28th. A. D. 1908. E. S. GAIL, Complainants Solicitor.

NOTICE.

Public notice is hereby given that the Board of Local Improvements of the City of Highland Park, County of Lake and State of Illinois, has filed in the County Court of Lake County, Illinois, a certificate that the following improvement has been completed, and that it conforms substantially to the requirements of the original ordinance for the construction of the same, to-wit:

The grading, draining, paving with macadam and otherwise improving St. Johns Avenue (except at bridge) from the southerly line of Moraine Road, southerly to its junction with St. Johns Place, and St. Johns Place from its junction with St. Johns Avenue south to the north line of Vine Avenue (except at bridge), Highland Park Special Assessment of said Court Docket Number 126, and also certifying to the cost thereof and the amount estimated that is required to pay accruing interest on Bonds and Vouchers issued to anticipate collection of said assessment and that application has been made to said Court to consider and determine whether or not the facts stated in said certificate are true. That a hearing will be had upon said application on Tuesday the 11th day of February A. D. 1908 at

forenoon of said day, at the County Court Room of said Court, in the County Court House, at Waukegan, in said Lake County.

Objections may be filed to said application on or before the hour of ten (10) o'clock in the forenoon of said day.

A. Robertson,
Geo. W. Turner,
E. A. Warren,
Board of Local Improvements of the City of Highland Park. Dated at Highland Park, Illinois, Jan. 25, 1908.

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