

Mr. George Washington Childs, Hinsdale to Miss Elizabeth Livingston Steele, Highland Park June 18, 1908.

Still another June wedding on Thursday the 18th which made the north west side gay with wedding festivity and life. Once again a Chicago prelate was imported for the event, this time the venerable Bishop Cheney. The wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Steele, parents of the bride in the presence of a large assembly of guests.

Miss Helen Messenger was maid of honor and the bridesmaids were, Miss Bessie Smith, Miss Priscilla Carver, Miss Julia Morgan, and Miss Katherine Marsh. John S. Childs, brother of the groom, was bestman and the ushers were Kent C. Childs, another brother; Thomas B. Harned Jr. of Philadelphia, Harry C. Colborn of Michigan City and Fred Jeffries of Chicago. The bride wore an empire gown of white liberty satin, with pearl trimming and Venetian lace. Her veil was of point applique lace, fastened with a spray of orange blossoms, and she carried a shower bouquet of lilies of the valley. The maid of honor wore an empire gown of pale pink chiffon over flowered chiffon, and carried sweet peas and Killarney roses. The bridesmaids were gowned two alike, in deeper shades of rose chiffon and carried showers of deeper shades of Killarney roses. Little Josephine Sidley, in a white frock, carried a basket of pink roses and little William Sidley carried the ring.

After the ceremony, which was performed in the drawing-room, a reception was held on the lawn, where a large tent was erected for a supper room, and colored lanterns and electric lights were hung through the trees.

After a wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Childs will be at home in Highland Park

Mr. William Rogers Ruffner to Miss Mary Louise Underwood, June 19, 1908.

The marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Underwood took place at Dayton, Ohio, and is of peculiar interest here because they are to make their home at Highland Park on their return from a honeymoon trip to old Point Comfort.

From the Dayton Daily News we take the following description of the wedding:

The wedding of Miss Mary Louise Underwood, of Chicago, and William Rogers Ruffner, of Chicago, which took place at the home of the bride's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Charles U. Raymond, was one of the most beautiful home weddings of this season.

The ceremony took place at 4 o'clock, in the large hall, at an altar banked high with palms, illuminated with many candles, and further adorned with June lilies. The hall was darkened, and the bridal party and guests, in their beautiful and rich apparel, grouped in the radiance of the soft candle light, made a graceful picture.

The bridal party entered through the library, under a canopy of Hucklebury boughs and Canterbury bells. The ushers, Grenville Howard of New York and Richard H. Pickering of San Francisco, bearing the white satin ribbons which marked the path to the altar. The matron of honor, Mrs. Grenville Howard, of New York, entered with the bride, her father, the groom and his best man, De Courcey Lloyd of Chicago, meeting them at the altar. Rev. Maurice E. Wilson, of the First Presbyterian church, performed the ceremony.

The bride was beautiful in her wedding gown of rich ivory satin, made en traine, and adorned with Bruges lace of rare pattern. She wore a veil and carried a shower bouquet of valley lilies. The matron of honor, Mrs. Grenville Howard, sister of the bride, wore a handsome lace robe and carried a beautiful bouquet of white sweet peas and orchids.

The Lohengrin wedding march announced the approach of the bridal party.

About one hundred guests were in attendance at the wedding, with an unusually large number from outside of town, among whom were W. P. Underwood, Mrs. W. M. Lovell, Raymond Lovell, Garner Hubbell, Mr. DeCourcey Lloyd, Mr. Thomas P. Hinchman and Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Hinchman, all of Chicago; Mrs. Henry Johnson and Miss Laura Johnson, of Richmond, Ind.; Mrs. Geo. Bishop and Miss Marie Bishop, of Oxford, O.; Mr. George Page West of Baltimore, Md.; Mrs. William P. Underwood of Chicago; Mrs. Joseph Holbrook and daughter Frances, of Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Pickering of San Francisco; Henry Underwood Johnson of Richmond, Ind. and Hon. Ellis H. Roberts, ex-United States treasurer, and his niece, Mrs. Edward Bushinger of Utica, N. Y.

HIGHLAND PARK NEWS

The Churches

Childrens Day services are to be to order of the day at the Presbyterian Church. The morning service will be devoted to this end:—commencing at 10:30 A. M.

At the M. E. Church North Avenue the morning services will be devoted to baptism and in the evening a children's service with a program in which a number of the young people will participate.

Mrs. Sobey will sing a solo—Jeanne Maris, Frank Jones, Stanley Gibbs, Ora Harding, Hazel Augustine, Ulrich Light-hall and Edith Winter will recite and the little folks of the primary class will have their place. Mr. Roscoe Burgess will also give a reading.

A GREAT PREACHER'S VISIT TO HIGHLAND PARK

The presence of the Rev. Dr. Edgar P. Hill in the pulpit of the Presbyterian church last Sunday morning, ought to have drawn a crowd to the full capacity of the church.

Dr. Hill is not only a chief leader in the church extension movements of the Presbyterian church and other benevolent enterprises, but he is a preacher in the best sense of the word. He does not strike one so much as an orator, but as one who "talks" of great things in a decidedly great way. He makes plain the "things that are hidden," and combines the expository with the parable form of teaching in charming, peaceful terms.

Dr. Hill's sermon on Sunday morning was based upon the thought of "the discovery of God." The lesson being drawn from the first verses of Isa. 6.

We have seldom listened to a sermon at once so simple and yet profound, setting forth the great distinction between finding God and resting upon "things." It is a message of first importance, and Dr. Hill made us think of the words of Jesus: "Did not hearts burn within us while he talked with us by the way."

Senator and Mrs. Cullum will arrive at the Moraine after the convention.

The dance at the Moraine hotel announced for Saturday evening has been postponed on account of the opening of Ravinia park.

The business houses of Lake Forest will close their doors on Wednesday afternoons, beginning July 17. This will give the clerks a vacation during the summer season. Will Highland Park follow suit?

Many Highland Park people attended the performance of Sullivan's famous

comic opera "Pinafore" at Ravinia Park on Wednesday. The opera was given by the boy choir of St. Luke's church of Evanston, under the direction of Mr. Ernest Sumner, formerly choir master at the Trinity church. The boys were assisted by Mr. Lyman Prior and Mr. Henry Bock of this city.

We take this opportunity to correct a report made in these columns some time ago that Mr. and Mrs. Geo. S. Cole were planning to spend the summer in Idaho.

Mr. Edwin Robert Phillips has been elected crucifer of the Trinity church choir. He will assume the duties of that office to-morrow.

Mr. Paul Rudolph is another of the students of this town who are getting ready for college. He will take the entrance examinations for the Massachusetts Institute of Technology early in July.

There was much rejoicing in Highland Park when it was learned that the Crescents defeated the crack "Deerfields" by the score of 2-1. There was a large attendance. We regret to state it is reported much money changed hands on the game.

Mr. E. C. Iredale and Miss Marjorie Cox attended the Alumni banquet at the High School Friday evening.

The new list of officers elected at the annual business meeting of the High School Alumni Association is as follows. President, George Millard; Vice-presidents, Wm. Rice and Fred Ball; Secretary, Viola Shields; Treasurer, Gertrude Nevins; Historian, Mrs. James Duffy.

Mrs. Seymour and family left this week for the East, where they will spend their vacation.

Mr. Egbert Spencer will take the preliminary examinations for entrance to Yale in the immediate future. Mr. Spencer is a Junior in the High School and has been coached by Mr. Sandwick for some time.

Mr. Malcolm Vail graduated from the Lake Forest Academy this week. He will enter Cornell College in the Fall.

Mr. Frank Fitt will take a trip through Canada before going to Canada for his summer's vacation.

The Pfanstiel Electric Laboratory has just occupied a larger set of quarters at North Chicago. The company is in a flourishing condition. Mr. C. A. Pfanstiel of this city is president and Mr. James Troxill secretary.

Mr. Edward Jones is home again from the University of Illinois.

Miss Catherine Sullivan entertained friends on Sunday.

Quite a number of Highland Park people attended the New Trier commencement at Ravinia Park last Friday.

Miss Kathryn Anderson visited Mrs. Geo. S. Wales Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Schaffler will leave in the immediate future for the seashore where they will spend their vacation.

Mr. A. L. Sandwick will leave on his vacation early next week.

THE 1907 MEDAL OF HONOR was awarded to Lloyd-Carlyle Ray at the High School commencement last week. The

Granger Farwell scholarship to Lake Forest University was awarded to George Schaffer. The winner in 1906 was Miss Wilhelmina Schaffer.

Mr. Alfred Bartlett, 69 Cornhill, Boston, publisher of the Booklet, is visiting with E. A. Grover.

Mrs. E. A. Grover is at Mt. Holyoke attending a class reunion. Mrs. Grover expects to spend the summer in Vermont.

Miss Marie McCraren gave a miscellaneous shower and card party in honor of her cousin, Margaret T. Mooney, who is to be married to Mr. John D. Garrity, on June 24th.

Mr. and Mrs. Palmer A. Montgomery have closed their summer home and will spend the summer on the Montgomery farm at Chesaning Michigan, their little niece, Geneveive Majso will spend her vacation with them.

Mrs. E. F. Cary and Miss Virginia Chandler attended the Republican Convention on Tuesday.

A new restaurant is to open in the store lately occupied by Erskine's Bank on East Central Ave.

Voters Hand Book. Mr. Henry M. Bacon of Highland Park has published a Citizens Manual which promises to be of great value to voters. It is published at 50c and \$1.00 and is therefore easy available to all citizens who wish to acquaint themselves with the methods and usages of primaries, conventions, etc.

Your banking business whether small or large will receive careful attention at the Erskine Bank.

Mrs. Jessie Lombard, S. Sheridan Rd. is in Eureka Springs, Ark. for a few weeks.

Mrs. H. Geottich of New York, has taken a cottage on West Central Ave. for the Damrosch season.

Mrs. Schaffler and children expect to leave next Tuesday for a visit in Maine.

Miss Lillie Bell left this week for a visit in Libertyville.

Mrs. Buckley entertained in honor of her daughter, Mrs. Robt. D. Buckley at luncheon at the Exmoor and with a tea in her own home on Friday.

The Shields family left the 15th for a summer in Michigan.

The Christian Science Church of Highland Park invite the Public to a free lecture on Christian Science by Mrs. Sue Harper Mimmis. Mrs. Minnis is a member of the Board of Lectureship of the First Church of Christ Scientist of Boston Mass. The Lecture will take place at 3 P. M. Sunday June 14 at Ravinia Park Theatre.

Robert Underwood Johnson of New York Editor and Manager of the Century Magazine is the guest of Mrs. Underwood, Ravine Avenue.

Miss Caroline Shields returned from a visit in the east, last Saturday.

Mrs. Mosely entertained the Ladies Missionary Society, Wednesday the 17th.

Mr. John and Lovell Underwood leave on Monday for Fowler, Indiana, where they expect to join their mother.