

ILLINOIS HAPPENINGS

Sullivan.—John R. Eden died suddenly from heart trouble. He had been at his office the day before and was in his usual health. Mr. Eden was 83 years of age and had been practicing law for 56 years. He served five terms as a member of congress being a member during Lincoln's administration and was examined by Lincoln for admission to the bar. In 1868 he was the Democratic nominee for governor of Illinois and was defeated by John M. Palmer. In late years he has devoted his entire time to his law practice.

Chicago.—Representatives of the Cook County League of Women's Clubs planned to continue the work of enlisting public sympathy in support of their plea that the tariff on gloves and hosiery should not be advanced. A renewal of the plan of protest assumed country-wide proportions. Telegrams to Federations of Women's Clubs will be sent out asking support and personal letters to 50,000 individual club members will be addressed.

Dixon.—Three hundred members of the Illinois National Guard and Naval Reserves assembled here in their annual meeting. The next annual meeting will be held on board the U. S. S. Nashville at Chicago. Officers were elected as follows: President, Col. John J. Garrity, Second Infantry, Chicago; vice-president, Capt. Warren F. Purday, Illinois Naval Reserve, Chicago; secretary and treasurer, Lieut. Col. Henry H. Hill, Fifth Infantry, Quincy.

Rockford.—Consideration of the new constitution occupied the greater part of the session of the Swedish Free Church conference. Representation in the conference was changed from two delegates for each church to one for the first 50, one for the second 50 and one for each additional 100 members. Hereafter the president of the conference may succeed himself only once.

Edinburg.—When Mrs. J. E. Lorton left for Sedalia, Mo., to join her husband, Rev. J. E. Lorton, deposed pastor of the Christian church, all matters pertaining to the sensational divorce case, in which Edinburg people were involved, were dropped. Rev. Mr. Lorton was sued for divorce a short time ago by his wife.

Harrisburg.—B. S. Smart, a prominent contractor and leading Odd Fellow of this city, was arrested here charged with forging the names of Circuit Judge A. W. Lewis, J. M. Thompson and W. H. McRath to notes amounting to several hundred dollars. He gave bail to await the action of the grand jury.

Taylorville.—Purchasing a revolver and bullets for it in the store of Tex Brothers at Owanece, Glen Hargis loaded the weapon and proceeded to "clean out" the place. He fired several shots through the floor, leveled the gun at the clerks in the store and ordered them out and had things his own way until he was overpowered.

Decatur.—The Illinois Traction system and the Decatur Railway & Light Company, owned by the I. T. S., have been ordered to file with the city council, in writing, their reasons for refusing to accept the two franchises which were recently granted them by the city.

Springfield.—William Lorimer will, according to advices from Washington, D. C., continue as a member of the house of representatives until after the passage of the tariff bill, before presenting his credentials which entitle him to a seat in the United States senate.

Springfield.—John E. Traeger's motion to reinstate the mandamus suit brought against him by the city of Chicago at the time he was city treasurer was filed in the supreme court. The city's right to construct a subway hinges on the action.

Weldon.—An elaborate program was given when the dedication of the new Methodist church at Weldon took place. All other churches in the city held no services, thus enabling the entire populace of Weldon to attend the dedication.

Pana.—While returning from a field because of the violent rainstorm which had arisen, John Hamlin, aged 50, residing six miles northeast of here, was struck by lightning and instantly killed.

Bloomington.—Miss Abbel Leavitt and Oscar Wahl were drowned when an automobile in which they were riding fell from a bridge into a creek near San Jose, Mason county. They were pinioned under the machine.

Chicago.—Two boys, each ten years old, were drowned while fishing—one in the river at the foot of Twenty-second street and the other in the lake off Waveland avenue. Both bodies were recovered.

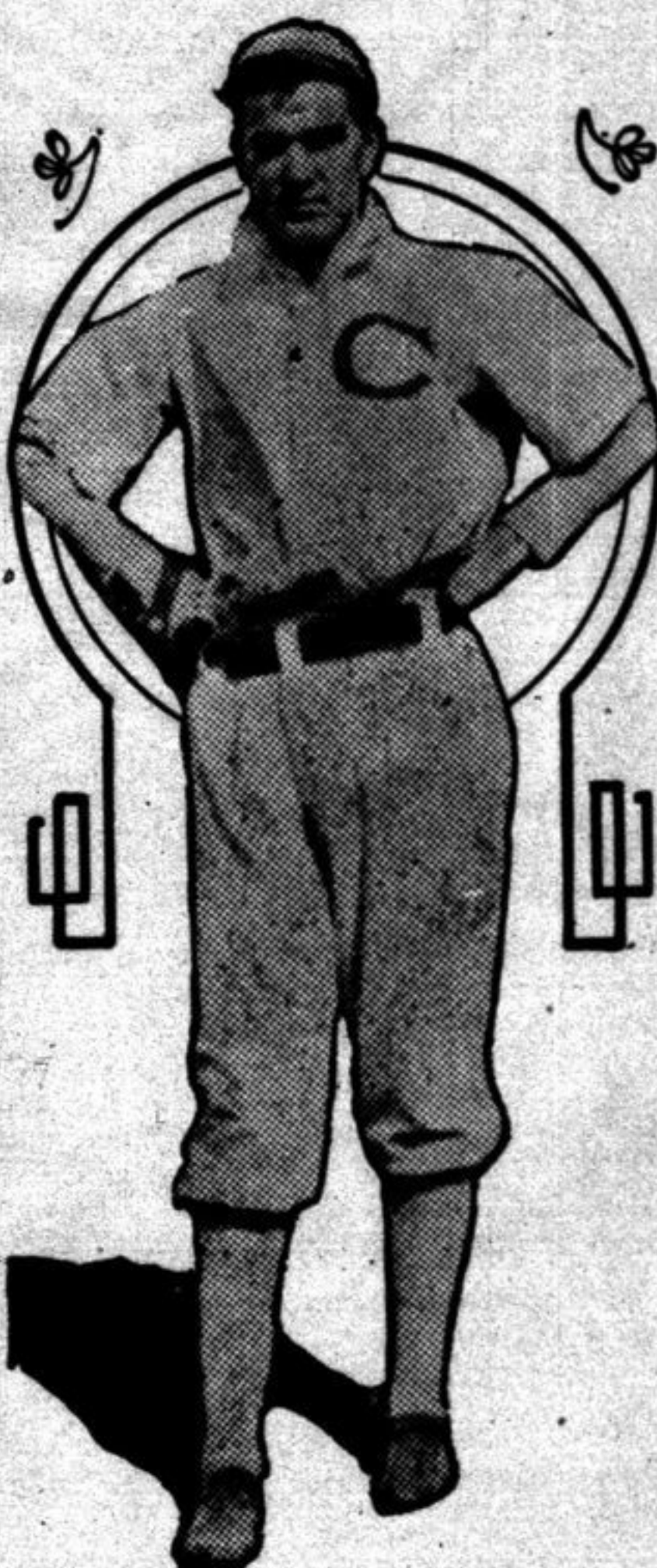
Bloomington.—The Rock Falls Christian church refused the legacy of Jonas Baker because he failed to provide for a daughter, to whom the church turned over the estate.

GUARDIAN OF WHITE SOX' INITIAL SACK.



Frank Ibbell, the regular first baseman of the Chicago White Sox, is one of the veterans of the game; nevertheless he still holds his own with the younger players in the field and at the bat. Ibbell has been with Comiskey ever since the formation of the American league and during his service has played every position but catcher.

WHITE SOX SOUTHPAW.



"Doc" White has been the left-handed standby of the White Sox for several years. He is considered one of the best pitchers in the league and his work so far this season has been excellent.

Catcher Doolin to Quit Baseball. Charley Doolin, backstop of the Philadelphia Nationals says he is going to quit baseball at the end of the season. When asked about it he said:

"The stage is not the only thing that is luring me away from the diamond. My wife has been urging me for a long time to quit the game, and I have a chance next fall to go into business with my father-in-law, who is a large wholesale grocer at Rochester, N. Y. This offer I have decided to accept, and I expect to start work in Rochester shortly after the first of next year."

Doolin also claims to be suffering from nervous trouble in his right shoulder, which is causing insomnia.

Capron Leads League. George Capron, University of Minnesota football star, now playing left field for Seattle, is off in the lead of the Northwestern league batters for the 1909 season. With a mark of .324 for the first 19 games played by Seattle, Capron is the virtual leader, with several ahead of him because they have batted less than 20 times, before the law of percentage has had a chance to get in its work.

EPIGRAMS.

It is almost as irritating to be patronized as to be wronged.

The country districts are those in which we are surest to find the old American spirit.

A man to be a good citizen must be a good bread-winner, a good husband, a good father.

The man who lives simply, and justly, and honorably, whether rich or poor, is a good citizen.

In the long run the only kind of help that really avails is the help which teaches a man to help himself.

Hardness of heart is a dreadful quality, but it is doubtful whether in the long run it works more damage than softness of head.

Material prosperity without the moral lift toward righteousness means a diminished capacity for happiness and a debased character.

The true line of cleavage lies between the good citizen and the bad citizen, and the line of cleavage may, and often does, run at right angles to that which divides the rich and the poor.—President Roosevelt.

SPECIAL ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

SPECIAL WARRANT NO. 130.

Public notice is hereby given that the County Court of Lake County, Illinois, has rendered judgment for a Special Assessment upon property benefited by the following improvement:

Grading, draining, paving with macadam and otherwise improving a connected system of streets in the City of Highland Park, County of Lake and State of Illinois, consisting of portions of Highwood avenue, St. John's avenue, Bloom street, Logan street, West street, Broadway and Clark street, as will more fully appear from the certified copy of the judgment on file in my office; that the warrant for the 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 105 West Central avenue, Highland Park, Illinois, within thirty days from the date hereof.

Notice is further given that the said assessment is divided into ten installments; that the amount of the first installment is \$3,202.00, and that each of the remaining installments is \$3,200.00; that all the installments draw interest at the rate of five per cent. per annum from May 3rd, 1909.

The first installment is payable on the 2nd day of January, 1910.

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

T. M. DOOLEY,
City Collector.

Dated this 19th day of June, 1909.

SPECIAL ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

SPECIAL WARRANT NO. 151.

Public notice is hereby given that the County Court of Lake County, Illinois, has rendered judgment for a Special Assessment upon property benefited by the following improvement:

Grading, curbing, draining, paving with macadam and otherwise improving Central avenue from the easterly line of Green Bay Road easterly for a distance of eight hundred and fifty-three (853) feet, in the City of Highland Park, County of Lake and State of Illinois, as will more fully appear from the certified copy of the judgment on file in my office; that the warrant for the 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 105 West Central avenue, Highland Park, Illinois, within thirty days from the date hereof.

Notice is further given that the said assessment is divided into ten installments; that the amount of the first installment is \$1,456.00, and that each of the remaining installments is \$800.00; that all the installments draw interest at the rate of five per cent. per annum from May 6th, 1909.

The first installment is payable on the 2nd day of January, 1910; the second one year thereafter, and so on annually until all installments are paid.

T. M. DOOLEY,
City Collector.

Dated this 19th day of June, 1909.

Legal Notice.

To Jeannette Simonton and all whom it may concern:

Notice is hereby given: that there is now due me for keeping, yarding, feeding and pasturing the bay horse of Jeannette Simonton, from the 15th day of May, 1908, to the 10th day of June, 1909, the sum of one hundred dollars and eighty-three cents, for which sum I have an agister's lien on said horse, pursuant to the statutes of the State of Illinois, and that on the 6th day of July, 1909, at eleven o'clock a. m., at my barn on the northeast corner of Roger Williams Avenue and Green Bay Road, in the township of Deerfield, Lake County, Illinois, I will sell said horse to the highest bidder for cash in payment of the sum due me at the date of sale for keeping, yarding, feeding and pasturing said horse, as aforesaid, and in satisfaction of my said lien.

JAMES C. GENTY,
Ravinia Stock Farm, cor. Roger Williams Ave. and Green Bay Road, Deerfield Township, Lake County, Illinois.
Dated June 10th, 1909.

Right and Wrong.

Do always what is right, my boy,
And do it with a will;
And when you find your task is hard,
Then work the harder still.
Yes, work the harder still, my boy,
Until your task is done,
And if you reach the mountain top,
A victory then, you've won.

There's many in this world, my boy,
Who rush through it headlong,
And do whate'er they find to do,
Whether it's right or wrong.
They do not seem to care, my boy,
So it gives them delight,
How much it wrongs their fellowmen;
Now do you think that's right?

No, that is not just right, my boy,
This is the better plan;
Do always what you know is right
Unto your fellowman,
For it will surely pay, my boy,
To always keep in sight
The counsel that I give to you—
Do always what is right.
—Indianapolis Star.

I know that wrong is sinful, pa,
And that the right is good,
And I would always do the thing
That's proper, if I could;
But it's so nice and easy, pa,
To do what we should shun
That often I'm surprised to see
How much good there is done.

I know that many in this world
Go hurrying headlong,
Not caring where they journey to
And always doing wrong;
I know that they are foolish, pa,
Because you tell me so;
I notice that they sometimes have
Good clothes and money, though.

No, I do not respect them, pa,
I scorn them for their sins,
And know that only he who does
His cheerless duty wins;
But, honest, just between us, pa,
I sometimes wish I knew
Why wrong's so easy, while the right
Is always hard to do.

S. E. KISER.

City Condemnation.—Notice of Proceedings.

For acquiring land necessary for construction of purification works of Ravinia sewer system No. 155 in the City of Highland Park, County of Lake and State of Illinois.

State of Illinois, ss.
County of Lake,
In the County Court of Lake County
To the 15th day of July, A. D., 1909.
General No. 156.
City of Highland Park

vs.
Robert L. McElroy and John E. Shepard
and all whom it may concern.

The said Court by order duly entered herein having directed that notice be given to the said defendants and to all whom it may concern by publication as by law required in the North Shore News-Letter, a newspaper published in the City of Highland Park, County of Lake and State of Illinois.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to all whom it may concern, that the City of Highland Park heretofore filed its petition in the County Court of Lake County, Illinois, on the common law side thereof, praying for the ascertainment of the just compensation to be made for private property to be taken or damaged for acquiring land necessary for construction of purification works of Ravinia sewer system No. 155, in the City of Highland Park, County of Lake and State of Illinois, and of what property will be benefited thereby and the amount of such benefit, the estimated cost of such improvement being the sum of \$5,000.00. That commissioners were duly appointed by said Court to investigate and report the just compensation to be made for private property to be taken or damaged for said improvement and also what real estate will be benefited by such improvement and the amount of such benefits to each parcel of land benefited thereby, and that said commissioners duly made a special assessment to raise the cost of said improvement and duly filed their report in the office of the Clerk of said Court on the 9th day of June, 1909.

Thereupon a summons issued out of said Court against the defendants above named and all whom it may concern, returnable at the court house in the City of Waukegan in said county, on the 15th day of July next, 1909, as by law required which proceeding is still pending.

Now unless you the said defendants, designated as all whom it may concern, shall be and appear before the said County Court of Lake county on the 15th day of July at the court house in the City of Waukegan, in said county, to wit: on the 15th day of July, A. D. 1909, and plead, answer or demur to the petitioner's petition, or object to the report of the commissioners aforesaid, the same and the matters and things therein charged and stated, will be taken as confessed and a judgment entered in accordance with the said report and the prayer of said petition.

The following is a description of the lots, blocks, tracts and parcels of land sought to be taken or damaged for the improvement aforesaid, viz: All that part of lot No. 69 in South Highland addition to Highland Park contained within the following described boundaries: Beginning at the point where the southerly line of said lot 69 intersects or joins the easterly line of Sheridan Road, formerly known as Vinton avenue, and running thence northerly along the easterly line of said Sheridan Road one hundred and seventy (170) feet, thence north 89 deg. and 15 min., east 245 feet; thence north 53 deg. 45 min., east 224 feet, more or less, to the water's edge of Lake Michigan; thence southerly along the said water's edge of said Lake Michigan 400 feet, more or less, to the dividing line between said lot 69 and lot 71 of said addition; thence westerly along the southern boundary line of said lot 69 to the point and place of beginning.

A. L. HENDER,
Clerk of the County Court of Lake County, Illinois.

GEORGE A. MASON,
City Attorney and Attorney for the Board of Local Improvements.

Dated, Highland Park, June 12, A. D. 1909.

Estray Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the subscriber, at his place of residence in the City of Highland, County of Lake and State of Illinois, has taken up an estrayed or abandoned horse of the following description: One bay horse with four white feet, with small saddle marks, blazed face and weighs about 900 pounds, hitched to a single spring wagon; and that I will apply to have the said estray appraised before John Meyers, Police Magistrate of the City of Highland, and ex-officio Justice of the Peace, at his office in the City of Highland on the 17th day of June, A. D., 1909, at 10 o'clock a. m.

City Marshall of the City of Highland.