

Old Hickory Chips.

We love our Dr. Cook but oh you Eskimo.

Come on with the moving pictures of the discovery of the North Pole.

The Democrats of Cleveland are having another epidemic of Tom Johnson.

Porto Rico has succeeded in shedding its American Governor.

Let them go back to the pole and fight it out.

Peary and Cook! Peary and Cook! Now is the time to subscribe for the book.

Comptroller Metz, who is willing to be mayor of New York, is a chemist. He has some strange elements to mix.

When Senator Aldrich is nettled he twists his gray mustache around his finger. He has acquired the habit by long twisting the other Senators about the same digit.

One of the Chicago courts has undertaken to make a man stop lying to his wife. An attack on inherent rights, by jove.

The Augusta Chronical is looking for good times. Georgia has a big cotton crop and middling cotton is selling for 12 1/2 cents. Besides, our friend says, Augusta is the second largest inland cotton market in the world.

A "Taft Democrat" has been appointed assistant postmaster at Richmond. But what is a "Taft Democrat" and why is a "Taft Democrat?"

The farmer is so prosperous that the Census Bureau wants him to start figuring up his wealth right away, so he can have it done by next year.

Cook and Peary have retired into temporary winter quarters on the inside pages of the papers.

It may be that we will never have peace, however, until somebody takes the old pole out and loses it again.

"Uncle Joe" admits that his fences need repairing," says the Nashville Tennessean. "Uncle Joe" is getting along in years, but we more than halfway suspect that he has not forgotten how to fool those people in Danville, Ill., as he used to.

Mr. Rockefeller must be somewhat puzzled to know how to go about "making sure of heaven." Heaven is not quoted in the stock market.

Are you a Peary "bug" or a Cook "fan?"

Secretary Ballinger used to be a cowboy, and witnesses can be found to testify that he is still something of a puncher.

Boston Chinese are going to build a temple in that city. A laundry?

Mr. Peary is likely to discover that he isn't the only pebble on the beach.

Owing to the dispute between Peary and Cook it may be necessary for Walter Wellman to make another dash for the pole after all.

Won't Mr Halley's comet be surprised, to come back after an absence of seventy years, and discover how much we have grown?

New York is wondering whether the explorer's name should be pronounced Peary or Pairy. If he keeps on, the public will be unanimous in pronouncing it mud.

Notice the broad smile on your better half's features when she read that Gov. Marshall, of Indiana, wouldn't attend a conference of governors because his wife couldn't go?

Will the Aldrich currency system be as patriotic and noble a piece of work as the Aldrich tariff system? If so, may Allah help us.

"The bulwarks of the government are the men you elect to Congress," says President Taft. Really, some of them might be classed as bearwarks, however.

The man who asserted that Old King Coal was a merry old soul didn't have to pay the coal bills.

Standard Oil is so alarmed about something that its stocks have fallen up to 712.

It is now announced that, upon his tour, President Taft will talk of a new tariff law and explain that he was not satisfied with the Payne law. He may talk, but when it comes to making a new law Aldrich will act.

But it will be fine when they begin to keep summer boarders up at the North Pole, with aeroexcursions from all prominent points. Just wait.

Early activities in fall trade indicate that the prosperity prophets knew what they were talking about.

In a short time the Wright brothers should have airships in shape to go rapidly over the routes and verify the reports of explorers.

Notice for Letting Contract.

Board of Local Improvements of The City of Highland Park.

Notice is hereby given that bids will be received for macadamizing and otherwise improving Maple avenue in said City, from Linden avenue, easterly for a distance of two hundred thirty (230) feet as a whole, in accordance with the ordinance therefor. Said bids will be opened on the 12th day of October, A. D. 1909, at the hour of 7:30 p. m. at the office of the said Board of Local Improvements, in the city hall in said city.

The specifications for such improvement and blank proposals will be furnished at the office of the city clerk of said city in the city hall.

The contractor will be paid in bonds which bonds will draw interest at the rate of five (5) per cent per annum.

All proposals or bids must be accompanied by a certified check payable to the order of the President of the Board of Local Improvements of the City of Highland Park for a sum not less than ten (10) per centum of the aggregate of the proposal. Said proposals or bids must be delivered to the President of the Board of Local Improvements in open session of said board at the time and place fixed herein for opening the same. No proposal or bid will be considered unless accompanied by a check as herein provided.

The Board of Local Improvements reserve the right to reject any or all bids should they deem it best for the public good.

The successful bidder will be required to furnish a bond equal to twenty-five (25) per centum of the contract price of some approved surety company guaranteeing said improvement against defects arising from poor material or poor workmanship, for a period of five years from the date of completion and acceptance thereof.

William M. Dooley, President of the Board of Local Improvements of the City of Highland Park.

Dated Sept. 27, A. D. 1909.

Notice for Letting Contract.

Board of Local Improvements of The City of Highland Park.

Notice is hereby given that bids will be received for constructing a water main in West Park avenue from and connecting with the water main in Second street thence westerly to the city limits as a whole, in accordance with the ordinance therefor. Said bids will be opened on the 11th day of October, 1909 A. D. at the hour of 7:30 p. m., at the office of the said Board of Local Improvements, in the City Hall in said City.

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William M. Dooley, President of the Board of Local Improvements of the City of Highland Park.

Dated Sept. 27th. A. D. 1909.

Notice for Letting Contract.

Board of Local Improvements of the City of Highland Park.

Notice is hereby given that bids will be received for constructing a water main in Maria street in said City of Highland Park, connecting with the water main now laid in Bloom street and running thence northerly for a distance of seven hundred (700) feet as a whole, in accordance with the ordinance therefor. Said bids will be opened on the 12th day of October, A. D. 1909, at the hour of 7:30 p. m. at the office of the said Board of Local Improvements in the city hall in said City.

The specifications for such improvement and blank proposals will be furnished at the office of the city clerk of said city in the city hall.

The contractor will be paid in bonds which bonds will bear interest at the rate of five (5) per cent per annum.

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Better Still

Wedderly—Drop in and get acquainted with my wife's cousin who is visiting us. She's a girl in a million. Singleton—Thanks. But I'm afraid she wouldn't suit me. What I'm looking for is a girl with a million.—Exchange.

Proposals

Bids will be received by the Street and Alley Committee for the construction of a concrete culvert at the intersection of Sheridan Place and St. Johns Avenue, in the City of Highland Park, Illinois. Approximate work—125 ft. of 3-ft. culvert, one small retaining wall, and replacing 20 feet of sidewalk.

Plans and specifications are on file with the Chairman of the Street and Alley Committee. Bids will be opened at City Building Monday, October 4th, 1909, at 8:00 P. M.

A. G. McPHERSON, WM. TILLMAN, H. H. DOTY, BYRON STEVENS, Street and Alley Committee.

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Real Estate Transfers

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C E Saylor and w/ to North Chicago State Bank, part blk 1, Ward & Diver sub. North Chicago. W D \$5000.00.

Margaret Boylan to H B Edwards, lot adjoining lot 6, blk 9, Exmoor Add to Highland Park. Q C \$10.00.

G S Schwalbach to A H Stuppel, W 1/2 lot 11, blk 6, Exmoor Add. Highland Park. W D \$550.00.

W H Stripe and w/ to Mary G Peterson, lot on W side South Lincoln St, North Chicago. W D \$1.00.

W H Stripe and w/ to Ida C Crosbie, lot on W side South Lincoln St, North Chicago. W D \$1.00.

J G Graue et al to Albert Roggo lots 65 and 66, blk 6, Deerfield Park. Q C \$1.00.

E C Price and w/ to Helen L Hasler, part lot 321, Lake Forest. W D \$4600.00.

L F Swift and w/ to Helen L Hasler, part lot 6, Thompson's Add, Lake Forest. W D \$3500.00.

W G Walling and w/ to F S Munro, part N 1/4 S E 1/4 West of Road, Sec 26, Deerfield Twp. W D \$12000.00.

E C Price and w/ to J H Taylor, part lot 321, Lake Forest. Q C \$5.00.

W H Murphy to CE Saylor, lot 45, blk 77, North Chicago. S W D \$68.00.

T H Hulbert to T G Kiess, Jr, lot 5, blk 75, Highland Park. W D \$1600.00.

T H Hulbert to Freda K Grant, lot 4, blk 75, Highland Park. W D \$1600.00.

T H Hulbert to T G Kiess, Jr lot 6, blk 75, Highland Park. W D \$1600.00.

T H Hulbert to Mary H Kiess, lot 3, blk 75, Highland Park. W D \$1600.00.

T G Kiess, Jr to H G Kiess, lot 5, blk 75, Highland Park. W D \$1600.00.

Chas Rolli and w/ to W M Frisbie, lot 12, Green Bay Add, Lake Forest. W D \$750.00.

Carolyn R Moeller to Gottfried Arnswald and w/, E 50 ft W 150 ft lot 6, blk 9, Exmoor Add, Highland Park. W D \$300.00.

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