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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, 1912

The Man Across the Street

This is from the Lake Forest correspondent of a North Shore paper. "Sidewalks in rural Lake Forest are usually on only one side of the street. The other side is given over to shrubbery and adds much to the beauty of the streets. If a man builds opposite vacant property he immediately asks a sidewalk on the other side of the street and there it goes. He then has only to cross the street to get good footing. Moreover the entire assessment falls on the other fellow or the vacant property, therefore a man secures a sidewalk free of cost and has his property more in seclusion."

The Man Across the Street has discovered that country newspapers reach 65,000,000 of the 91,000,000 inhabitants of the United States and that of this number the HIGHLAND PARK PRESS reaches nearly 5,000. Over 4,000 of this number are inhabitants of Highland Park, the people for whom the local merchant builds his store and buys his stock and from whom he expects to get his trade. These 4,000 read THE PRESS because THE PRESS has advertised itself as a paper which is printed entirely for them and it has used itself as the medium of advertising. Copies of THE PRESS showing that it is all it claims to be have been sent to nearly every home and the result is a subscriber in nearly every home. In every one of these homes there is some one who has use for some article which the local merchant carries in stock. These "some ones" read THE PRESS to find out what their friends are doing, to get the reports of the births, deaths and marriages; in fact they read it in order to keep well informed about the affairs of their city. If the merchant would as carefully and systematically display the news of his store, the new arrivals of goods, the bargains etc., in the columns of THE PRESS as THE PRESS does the news of the city then these 4,000 readers would also read THE PRESS in order to find out what is going on in the local stores.

Notice of Letting Contract

Board of Local Improvements of the City of Highland Park.

Notice is hereby given that bids will be received for the construction of a subway under the tracks of the Chicago & Northwestern Railway Company, and the grading, draining, curbing and paving with a brick pavement, with bitumen filler, upon a concrete base, with sand cushion including the readjustment of intersecting pavements and of the sanitary sewer, and the construction of sidewalks and otherwise improving Laurel Avenue, from the west line of paving on St. Johns Avenue, west- erty to the paved roadway on First Street and including the intersection with the paved roadway on First Street, all in the City of Highland Park, Lake County Illinois, as a whole in accordance with the ordinance therefor. Said bids will be opened on the nineteenth (19th) day of September A. D. 1912, at the hour of eight o'clock p. m., at the office of the Board of Local Improvements in the City Hall of the City of Highland Park.

The specifications and blank proposals will be furnished at the office of the Board of Local Improvements in the City Hall in said City.

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

All proposals or bids must be accompanied by a certified check payable to the President of the Board of Local Improvements of the City of Highland Park for the sum of not less than ten (10) per cent of the aggregate of the proposal. Said proposal 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 the opening of the same. No proposal or bid will be considered unless accompanied by check as herein provided.

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

JOHN OLIVER,

President of the Board of Local Improvements of the City of Highland Park, Dated at Highland Park, Illinois, September 5, 1912.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

From the Lake County Title and Trust Co., Titles, Abstracts, of Waukegan

Catherine Cushing to W. S. Hodges, 20 acres in southwest one-fourth section 21, Deerfield township. W. D. \$10.

A. C. Thompson and wife to R. O. Samuelson, lot 10, block 77, Highland Park. W. D. \$2,200.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL NEWS

John Kelly has returned from Delevan Lake, Wis.

Mrs. C. P. Sullivan has returned from a visit in Milwaukee.

-The best fly trap on the market for sale at Harder's hardware.

Mr. Walter Hatley, who has been in Mexico will return this month.

Miss Catherine Grant is seriously ill at her home on Laurel Avenue.

Mrs. D. P. Sheahan has returned from a months visit in Fon du Lac, Wis.

Mrs. William Stubbs is spending a month visiting friends in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bell go to Wisconsin for a camping trip of two weeks.

Miss Mollie Coleman of Chicago, spent Labor Day with Mrs. C. W. Aldridge.

-Very special prices on fruit jars and jelly glasses at Harder's hardware.

Mr. George Healer, son of James Healer is able to be out after a short illness.

Miss Louise Greiner of Chicago, spent the week-end with Mrs. Herman Denzel.

Miss Helen Rebling spent the week-end in Deerfield as the guest of Ruth Reichelt.

Mr. George Shelton left Saturday for a two weeks trip, through the south and east.

Miss Ethel Spencer will attend the Chevy Chase school at Washington this year.

Fifteen friends surprised Edgar Gitt last Monday night at his home on Second Street.

Mrs. Katie Zimmer has as her guest her daughter, Mrs. Phillip Rodacre of Chicago.

Miss Mary O'Donnell has as her guest this week Miss Katherine Nolan of Chicago.

Col. McCauley and son, Edwin have gone to Wisconsin for a few days hunting trip.

Mrs. R. J. Beatty has as her guest her niece, Miss Mildred Marsh of Muncie, Indiana.

Mrs. B. L. Story, wife of the new pastor of the M. E. church is expected to arrive Saturday.

Mrs. John Schreurs had as her guest last week her sister, Mrs. G. Betts of Oak Park.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Morgan returned Tuesday from a short stay at Green Lake, Wisconsin.

Mrs. James Muldehell, of Los Angeles, Cal., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Fred Greenslade.

Mr. James Robinson, nephew of Mrs. John Shelton, has gone to Atlanta, Ga., for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Newhouse of Chicago were the guests over Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. O. Brand.

Mr. Kenneth R. Cowan left Tuesday for Detroit, Michigan, on a business trip of several days.

Miss Alma Kelly has returned from Macatawa, Mich., where she has been the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Wilder of Ravinia, left Tuesday for a two weeks trip in Northern Michigan.

Miss Bertha Harbaugh had as her guest last week Miss Aileen Knopper of Elkhart, Indiana.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Phillips returned Saturday from their summer home in Winfield, Illinois.

Miss Marguerite Schaefer returned Saturday from a three weeks visit with relatives in Chicago.

John Davies and family have moved from Highwood to North St. Johns Avenue, Highland Park.

Mr. Tracy McCauley of the U. S. Navy is spending a short leave of absence at his home in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Drum and family who have spent the summer in Europe will return next week.

Miss Helen Coale entertained Miss Evelina Sutton of Lafayette, Ind., as her guest during last week.

Mrs. D. R. Smith and children are spending a few days with Mrs. Smith's mother, Mrs. H. E. Obee.

Mrs. L. B. Phelps and daughter, Gladys of Poynette, Wis., are spending a week with Mrs. Cora Hodges.

Miss Ruth Mowers has recovered from the illness which has confined her to the house the past few weeks.

Mr. A. R. Williams returned Saturday evening from his summer vacation spent at Sault St. Marie, Canada.

Miss Kittie Nolan of 214 W. Central Avenue, spent the week-end visiting friends at Chicago Heights.

Mr. D. P. O'Neill is confined to the St. Francis hospital, Evanston, having undergone an operation Tuesday.

Mrs. Frank Thorn returned Saturday from Jamestown, Rhode Island where she has been spending the summer.

Mrs. J. Heath and family who occupied the Sandwick home during the summer are now residing in Wilmette.

Mrs. Earl Spencer and family who have been at Ephraim, Wis. for the past two months returned home on Friday.

Mr. Edward Knox left Friday for Exter Academy, New Hampshire where he will attend school for the next year.

Miss Adele Everett is in Grand Rapids Michigan visiting her brother and sister-in-law Mr. and Mrs. James Everett.

-When you want hardware think of Harder-they go to together.

Mrs. A. Leslie McPherson leaves Friday for Jacksonville, Ill., where she will remain for a brief visit with relatives.

Miss Marjory Small and her sister, Miss Frances Small plan to sail early in October for a trip around the world.

Miss Lillian Burgess has returned from a visit of a week in Michigan where she was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Byre.

Rev. Martin Hess of Chicago will preach at the Swedish Lutheran service in the Y. W. C. A. rooms Sunday evening.

Miss Verna Potter of Chicago, who has been visiting Miss Anna Bloomfield returned to her home in Chicago Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Weber are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a daughter, born Tuesday, September third.

Miss Folsom of Prospect Avenue has as her guest Miss Benson of Buffalo, N. Y. who will make an extended visit here.

Mr. John DeMuth and Mr. Ellis Faxon sailed from New York on Wednesday, September fifth for a two months trip abroad.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Obee of Milwaukee left Saturday for their home after a ten days visit at the home of Mrs. H. E. Obee.

Mr. R. O. Jacobsen is visiting his son Pardee Jacobsen at Camp Minocqua, Wisconsin. They will return home next Sunday.

Miss Caroline Spencer, who has returned from a summer in Europe, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. C. G. Comstock.

Miss Alice Evans, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Evans and Mr. Harold Larson of Evanston have returned from a trip to Eagle Lake, Wisconsin.

Miss Victoria Pownall left Monday for Michigan where she will remain for several weeks visiting friends at a number of the lakes.

Francis Everett and Gray Stubbs have returned from a visit of three weeks with Lovell and Tom Underwood at Winona Lake, Indiana.

Mrs. Frederick P. Luther and daughters Victoria and Ruth Elinor Luther returned Saturday from a visit of six weeks in Bloomington, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. George Colburn had as their guests on Labor Day Dr. and Mrs. Spitz, Mrs. Ira Van Tuyl and Mr. Courtney Van Tuyl of Chicago.

Rev. Dr. P. C. Wolcott and son, Leonard Wolcott will leave Monday for Williams-town, Mass., where Leonard Wolcott will enter Williams college.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ness of Morgan Park and Mr. Louis Larson of Kenosha, Wis., were guests over Sunday at the home of James Harrison.

Mr. Lovell Underwood and his brother, Tom Underwood will be in school at Interlocken, La Porte, Ind., after a summer spent at Winona Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Everett returned Saturday from a visit with Mr. James Everett at Grand Rapids, Michigan, and a trip to Georgian Bay.

Miss Dorothy Clark is the guest of Miss Van Inwegen for two weeks at the country home of her mother, Mrs. Mary B. Van Inwegen at Oregon, Ill.

Miss Katherine Benson and Miss Yonker of Lake Bluff, both Deerfield graduates of 1912, will enter the State Normal at DeKalb next week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Sandwick and two sons, Luther and Richard Sandwick returned Monday from Onekana, Mich., where they spent the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett L. Millard, Miss Edith Boynton and Miss Margretta Brown are members of a camping party at Au Train, Northern Michigan.

The Ladies Auxiliary of the North Avenue M. E. church will meet next Thursday at two o'clock with Mrs. Kathryn Kelly at her home on Clay Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin M. Steele of Michigan Avenue, Chicago, spent the week-end as the guests of Mrs. Steele's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Rudolph.

Miss Bessie Moore was the guest of friends in Ravenswood during last week and returned Tuesday to resume her work as secretary to Mr. Ernest Gail.

Mrs. Arthur Van Schaick, who was the guest for two weeks of her sister-in-law, Mrs. George Clinch of Traverse City, Mich., returned on Tuesday evening.

Little Marion Cole, daughter of James Cole of Skokie Avenue, dropped a chisel with which she was playing Monday and the falling tool severed one of the child's toes.

Mrs. Clancey M. Lewis of Seattle, formerly Miss Rilla Palmer of Highland Park, will after Sunday be the guest of her sister, Mrs. Raymond Flinn of Rogers Park.

Miss Mary French, who has been suffering from a sprained ankle received when she was one of the young people in a race on Highland Park Day, is recovering rapidly.

Mr. Jack Baker, who has been with Lovell and Tom Underwood at Winona Lake, Ind., returned Tuesday evening when he was the guest of William Aldridge.

Mrs. Jacob Baur and her little daughter, Rosemary Baur, who have been in the Walter Baldwin residence on Lake Avenue for the summer months, left Saturday for Chicago where Mrs. Baur has taken the residence of Mr. William Cleveland Moulton, 115 Bellevue Place, for the winter.

Joy C. Bournique, son of Mr. Eugene A. Bournique of Highland Park, has been enrolled at the Tome School for Boys, Port Deposit, Maryland for the coming school year.

In a fall which landed him on a broken bottle little Homer Sleeman of North Green Bay Road cut his arm so badly that nine stitches were necessary to close the wound.

The Lake County Woman's Christian Temperance Union will meet in annual convention at the Gurnee Christian church Tuesday, Sept. 17, 1912, beginning at 9:30 a. m.

Jane Abercrombie and Louis Kreidler of the Ravinia Opera Company will resume work with the Aborn Opera Company at the close of the Ravinia season September eighth.

Miss Harriet Broad and Miss Burnett of Chicago spent the week-end, and Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Park and family of Racine, arrived on Monday morning as guests of Mrs. H. P. Davidson.

Leslie Schaufler and Goodrich Schaufler returned this week from York Harbor, Maine and are the guests of Miss Alice Davidson. Mrs. C. E. Schaufler will return the latter part of the month.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Husband, the latter formerly Miss Eleanor Brown, of Minneapolis, Minn., are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, born Wednesday, August twenty-first.

Miss Mildred Coale left Tuesday for Springfield, Mo., where she is to play the violin in the bridal music at the wedding of Miss Mabel Cunningham and Mr. Samuel Kidder, Jr., which will take place today.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucius Hine of Glencoe Avenue and their sons, Lucius and Frederick Hine returned last week from a four weeks' motor tour to New York, from which point they toured to a number of the large cities.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hunt had as their week-end guests Mr. and Mrs. George M. Millard and daughter, Roxanna Millard who have been spending the summer in Canada. At present they are visiting with friends in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. George Howe were Highland Park guests at the wedding of Mrs. May Stott to Dr. Charles H. Johnston which took place in Chicago last week. Dr. Johnston is well known here through his visits at the Howe home.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin L. Lobdell and their daughter, Miss Edith Lobdell, who had Mr. Walter Hatley's house for the summer are now staying at Exmoor where they will remain for several weeks before leaving for their Chicago home.

Miss Julia Schneider, who has been the nurse in charge of the hospital ward at the Railroad Men's Home, left Monday for her home in Waldo, Wis., where she will remain for a month. During her absence Miss Anna Stoddard of Chicago will fill the position as nurse.

Miss Theodosia Wales, who sails the fifteenth of September for China where she is engaged in missionary work, spoke to the members of the Y. W. C. A. on Sunday afternoon. She dwelt interestingly upon the opportunity that every one has to bring something elevating and better into the lives of others.

Two plays were cleverly presented by the young girls of the North Avenue M. E. Church in the church parlors Monday evening under the direction of Mrs. Alfred Olsen. A large audience was delightfully entertained and a considerable sum realized for the benefit of the Sunday School.

John Wilhelm, the police and all the children in the neighborhood had an exciting but futile chase for a negro who stole a tool from Mr. Wilhelm's shop Saturday afternoon. Mr. Wilhelm caught the man at the academy station but was unable to hold him until the police arrived.

The Highland Park Hay and Grain Company wish to announce that they have a full, fresh stock of hay, straw and all kinds of feed for poultry, horses and cattle at lowest prices. If you have need of any of these commodities call at the office of Mary Dooley, 105 W. Central Avenue, where your orders will receive prompt attention.

A number of Highland Parkers were present at the Elgin races: Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ten Broeck, Miss Jean Ten Broeck, John Ten Broeck, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Louderback and family, Mr. and Mrs. Parliament and Clarence Parliament formed a party. Mr. and Mrs. A. G. McPherson motored to Elgin as did H. Kelso Coale, C. L. Harder with a party of friends and Archie Johnson and C. E. Geary with S. A. St. Peter, O. G. St. Peter, Arthur St. Peter and J. L. Udell.

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Warning

Persons expecting to make changes in their hot water or steam heating plants before winter should act at once. The unexpected demand is exceeding the supply and will cause delays which will be unavoidable and those who wait will have the discomfort of the work being done in cold weather. Let us call and give you an estimate now. T. H. Decker & Co. 126 E. Central Ave. Tel. 201.

Obituary

Arthur D. Wheeler

Arthur D. Wheeler, former president of the Chicago Telephone Company, and member of the law firm of Holt, Wheeler & Sidley, died suddenly at 11:30 o'clock Thursday night at his home on Deerpath Avenue, Lake Forest at the age of 51. The immediate cause of death was agna pectoris.

The North Shore Trust Company

announces the institution of a regular savings department. Deposits will be received in any amounts from \$1.00 up on which interest will be paid semi-annually at the rate of 3 per cent per annum. Demand deposits will be accepted on which interest at the rate of 2 per cent per annum will be allowed.

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