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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 31, 1912

**Obituary**

**Alexander Laing**  
The death of Mr. Alexander Laing occurred suddenly Sunday morning at seven-fifty o'clock. He had gone into his garden but returned to the house explaining that he felt weak and faint. A physician was called but his services were of little use for Mr. Laing passed away soon after his arrival. The deceased was born in Aberdeen Shire, Scotland, January 6, 1836 and came to this country in 1857, making his home in Kenosha, Wis. From there he went to Milwaukee where he was engaged as superintendent of the Forest Home cemetery which was planned and built under his direction. In 1880 he moved to Chicago to become superintendent of Rose Hill cemetery but soon returned to Milwaukee where he planned and built Juneau Park and other large places. He had resided in this city since 1889.

Four sons survive him: Geo. H. of Deerfield, John W. of Lanton, Oklahoma; and Frank A. and Edwin M. of this city. Services were held from the family residence at 231 Glenview Avenue Monday afternoon at three-forty-five o'clock, Rev. R. Calvin Dobson officiating. Interment was in Forest Home cemetery, Milwaukee, Tuesday morning.

**Guy Arlington Sobey**

Guy Arlington Sobey died in St. Luke's Hospital Friday evening the result of injuries received two hours earlier when he was struck by an Illinois Central train at Van Buren Street Chicago. Mr. Sobey was the only child of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Sobey of 5236 Cornell Ave. Chicago and a nephew of Mr. Jesse Sobey of this city. In 1906 he attended the Russell School in this city and he will be remembered by many here as always upholding the highest ideals of young manhood, an inspiration and example for other young people. Services were held from the family residence Monday morning, interment being in Rose Hill Cemetery.

STATE OF ILLINOIS In the County of Lake  
In the matter of the Estate of David A. Holmes, deceased

Public Notice is hereby given that the Subscriber Executrix of the last will and testament of David A. Holmes, deceased, will attend the County Court of Lake County, at a term thereof to be holden at the Court House in Waukegan, in said County, on the first Monday of January next, 1913 when and where all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to present the same to said Court for adjudication.

MARY C. HOLMES, Executrix

GEORGE E. PHILLIPS, Attorney for Executrix, 3 State Bank Bldg., Highland Park, Ill.

**Highland Park Mail Service**

List of mails arriving at this office: 6:30 a. m. from all points; 7:41 a. m. from all points; 9:35 a. m. from all points; 12:19 p. m. from all points; 1:05 p. m. from all points; 2:43 from all points north; 3:44 p. m. from all points; 5:44 p. m. from all points; 6:12 p. m. from all points north.

Mail closes at postoffice daily except Sunday:

7:11 a. m. from all points north; 8:00 a. m. from all points except for Highwood to Kenosha; 11:41 a. m. for all points north; 12:35 a. m. for all points except for Fort Sheridan to Kenosha; 2:13 p. m. for all points north; 3:14 p. m. for all points south; 5:42 p. m. for all points; 8:00 for all points; Sundays 5:16 p. m.

A. W. FLETCHER, Postmaster.

Next Sunday will be quite generally observed as Tuberculosis Sunday throughout the United States, October 27 having been set aside for such observance by the National Association for the Prevention of Tuberculosis.

Albert C. Frost and George M. Seward, under indictment for alleged extensive Alaskan land frauds, filed demurers to the charges last week. Arguments will be heard before Judge Landis. Attorney Levy Mayer, counsel for the defendants, declared in the demurer that the indictments are faulty and do not properly charge a conspiracy.

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**LOCAL AND PERSONAL NEWS**

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. St. Peter are visiting relatives in Burlington, Iowa. Mrs. George Schmidt was the guest on Sunday of friends in Chicago.

J. P. O'Neil M. D. left Wednesday on a business trip to the east.

Mrs. Dan Sheahan is visiting her niece, Mrs. Frank Mathews in Rockford, Ill.

Mrs. Lena Sintzel of Niles Center, Ill., is spending a few days with friends here.

The Mystic Workers will give a Halloween dance at Ravinia Park Casino tonight.

Miss Agnes Garrity, who has been quite ill the past week is getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. James Grant had as their guest on Sunday Mr. John Bashaw of Chicago.

Attorney George E. Phillips has opened a local office in Room 3, State Bank Building.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Levin were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Wright of Chicago.

Mrs. John E. Conrad was the guest on Sunday of her sister, Mrs. Bert Clark of Edgewater.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Stewart of Waukegan were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Erickson.

Mrs. Wm. Millard had as her guests last week Miss Flora Gill and Mrs. Chas. Randall of Oak Park.

Mrs. James Malone had as her guests Sunday Miss Gamble of Chicago and Mrs. Tibbets of Lake Forest.

Mrs. George Howe had as her week-end guests Mr. D. W. Westerveld and Mrs. Gertrude Caldwell of Chicago.

Dr. and Mrs. H. Hilly of Oak Park and Mr. and Mrs. John Fisher of Glencoe, were the Sunday guests of Mrs. James Hesler.

Mr. George Carr has been awarded the contract for erecting the new Ravinia school building upon which work will soon begin.

Mr. Wm. Kopp and family have moved into their home on Central Avenue until their new residence on Lincoln Avenue is completed.

Mrs. Edmond Tittel, who has been spending several weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Messenger, will leave for Indianapolis Sunday.

Mrs. E. G. Pond of the Moraine is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Rice at Los Angeles and will later accompany them to Sarasota, Fla. for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Lowrie spent Saturday in Milwaukee the guests of Mr. Louis Kreidler and Miss Jane Abercrombie of the Aborn Opera Company.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Brand spent the week-end with relatives in Milwaukee and attended the performance of Il Trovatore by the Aborn Opera Company.

Little Lillian Tucker sustained slight cuts on the wrist while trying to protect herself from a pane of glass which fell from a door in Lincoln school Tuesday.

Revival meetings will begin next Sunday evening in the First United Evangelical church. Sunday was communion Sunday and Rev. Schultze conducted both morning and evening services.

The Catholic ladies of Highwood will hold a bazaar in their church hall from Nov. 20 to Nov. 23. On the opening day, Wednesday, Nov. 20, they will give a card party in the afternoon.

Mrs. Daniel M. Cobb returned Monday after spending several months in San Francisco, Los Angeles and other California cities following the convention of Woman's Clubs to which she went as a delegate.

"Spiked" playing football with Waukegan against Milwaukee, a week ago Sunday, Harry Ahlstrom, who was a member of the Highland Park ball team this summer, is suffering from blood poison in his right hand.

The Mystic Workers of the World have formed a central organization in Chicago to promote the interests of the society. The name of the organization is the Cook County Central Committee, made up of delegates from all the lodges.

Tuesday being election day the first session of the Deerfield-Shields night school will be held on Monday next in place of Tuesday as was announced. The second session will be held on Friday and after that the evenings will be Tuesdays and Fridays.

Twenty-five thousand booklets containing copies of city ordinances designed to interest children particularly have been printed and distributed among the school children of Chicago. The money was donated for the books by Julius Rosenwald of this city.

Owing to the meeting of the Eastern section of the Northern Illinois Teachers Association, of which Mr. Jesse L. Smith is president, there will be no school on Friday. The meeting will be held on Friday and Saturday at Aurora and it is expected that about fifteen hundred teachers will attend.

The Auto-fire-truck which caused so much excitement on the streets yesterday was the product of the Stegeman Motor Car Co. and was built for the city of Milwaukee where it will be placed in service at once. It was driven from Milwaukee to this city yesterday and experienced no difficulty in climbing the hills or negotiating the bad roads.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Guyot are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a son, born Tuesday morning.

Because the couple swore that they would never live again as man and wife, Judge Donnelly Tuesday granted the plea of Mrs. Mable De Lacy for a divorce from Walter De Lacy but refused her request for alimony. The custody of the three-year old child is to be equally divided.

The members of the Y. W. C. A. will be glad to get a renewal of your subscription to this paper or the name of a prospective subscriber. For every one they turn in the association receives a substantial commission and in addition the girls making the best showing will receive gold watches.

Mr. C. A. Smith is making good progress on the road to recovery from injuries received on October 10 when an automobile struck him as he was boarding a street car. The machine struck Mr. Smith's left leg, badly bruising it between the knee and ankle, and while the injury is not regarded as serious it was sufficiently painful to keep him away from business for a while.

Mr. Wm. Ernest of McDaniels Avenue, was overcome by gas Monday while at work at the Kellogg Switchboard Company's plant, Chicago. Two assistants who were at work with him in the pattern making room, also suffered with the gas which escaped from a smelting furnace. All were revived through the use of a Pulmotor but it was found necessary to remove Mr. Ernest to the Frances Willard hospital where he is under the care of special nurses and it is believed will soon recover.

Bert Sprague, of this city, was the first witness to take the stand in the case of Henry Pope, executor of the estate of Ethel P. West, deceased, versus the Chicago & Milwaukee Electric railroad, called Tuesday. Sprague was the motor-man on the electric car that struck Mrs. West, who died at the Jane McAlister hospital two days later, at Lake Bluff, Ill., on the 13th day of August, 1910. The executor of the estate has brought suit for damages in the sum of \$25,000. Sprague testified that the car was running between 40 and 45 miles an hour when he first saw Mrs. West and her lady companion on the track.

The many local friends and admirers of Mr. Louis Kreidler, whose excellent work was one of the features of the Ravinia Opera Company during the past two seasons, will be pleased to learn that he has been engaged by the directors of the Metropolitan Opera Company. Mr. Kreidler will leave the Aborn Company, with which he has been singing since the close of the park season, at the expiration of the usual two weeks notice which was given last week. It is not known what roles Mr. Kreidler will be called upon to take with the Metropolitan forces but those familiar with his work believe that they will include all of the leading baritone parts in those operas which are to be sung in English as there are few good singers who make the words of their roles as easily understood as does Mr. Kreidler.

**Obituary**

**Mrs. William Happ**

Mrs. William Happ of Winnetka, formerly of Highland Park, died Tuesday morning in Los Angeles, California after a long illness. Her body was brought to Winnetka Monday. Services were held at the house at two o'clock, Rev. Davis of the Congregational church officiating. The Royal Neighbors were in charge at Rose Hill cemetery where interment was made.

**Mr. W. K. Kenny**

Mr. W. K. Kenny of Edgewater, formerly a business man and resident of Highland Park, died Wednesday evening at six o'clock of heart failure. Mr. Kenny had been ailing more or less ever since his return from Cuba six years ago, but has always been able to go on with his work. The services were held at the undertaking establishment on Evanston and Wilson Avenues, interment being held at Rose Hill cemetery. Mr. Kenny leaves a wife and four children.

**Ossoli Club**

Following the address of Mr. H. H. Gross, whose topic was "Good Roads" and who told of his work among the farmers of Illinois for the promotion of improved highways, at the club meeting last week the members adopted three resolutions supporting his work. The Lever Extension Bill, which is the subject of the third resolution, is a national bill designed to promote central markets with good roads leading to them; the aim being to make the transportation of farm products easier and thus reduce their cost to the consumer.

At the next meeting of the club, November 7, Mrs. A. Starr Best will give an address on "Intelligent Play-Going." Mrs. Percy V. Pennyback, president of the National Federation of Woman's Clubs, will be the guest of honor and visitors are invited.

Following are the resolutions passed: Resolved that it is the sense of the Ossoli Club of Highland Park of the State of Illinois to enact the necessary legislation and go forward with a comprehensive system of building permanent roads upon the main thoroughfares of the State under the State aid plan and continue the same until the highways of the State are put in condition to meet present day needs.

Resolved further that the Sheridan Road should be completed as a first class highway from the City of Chicago to Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

Resolved by the Ossoli Club of Highland Park, Illinois, in meeting assembled that the best interests of the whole people will be served by the immediate passage by the Senate of the United States of the Lever Agricultural Extension Bill, and that the president and secretary take steps to bring this to the notice of the Senator from Illinois and urge his cooperation and the chairman of the committee on agriculture and forestry in the United States Senate and that a copy of this resolution be given the press.

**Ft. Sheridan Notes**

Lt. and Mrs. J. Gregg had as their guests on Sunday Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Collins and son Maurice and Mr. Mount of Chicago.

Capt. and Mrs. McAndrews entertained Mrs. McAndrews' mother, Mrs. Murphy of Chicago on Sunday.

The officers and ladies of the Naval Training Station gave a large hop on Friday night. The officers and ladies of Ft. Sheridan were invited.

Lt. M. Crawford, Jr., who has been on a leave to Washington, D. C., returned to the post on Sunday.

Capt. and Mrs. S. Ford of the 27th Inf. have returned from Jefferson Barracks where Capt. Ford has been on quarter-master duty.

Major C. C. Clark left Monday for China. Mrs. Clark will leave in two weeks for West Point to visit her son.

Capt. Gilbrath of the 27th Inf. returned last week from Ft. Leavenworth school. Mrs. Gilbrath is visiting relatives in St. Paul.

Capt. R. B. Parrot was transferred to the Philippines transport which sailed on October 25.

Mrs. J. Gregg had as her guest last week her mother of Toledo, Ohio.

Mrs. S. L. Stevens returned to Fort Sheridan after a three months' visit with her parents in San Antonio, Texas.

**THE CHICAGO BAND ASSOCIATION**

**Campaign for Increase in Membership to Association Supporting Chicago Bands**

In a campaign for funds with which to carry on their work the members of the Chicago Band Association have sent an appeal to the newspapers of Chicago and suburbs for publicity for their plans. Those Highland Park people who attended the two concerts given by the Chicago Band at Ravinia Park the Saturday and Sunday following the closing of the regular season will remember the organization as an excellent one. With its appeal the association encloses an article, printed in the Evening Post, from which we quote the following:

"A number of Chicago men recently established, and have put into successful operation, a band for the express purpose of giving concerts for the benefit of those who cannot pay for them with money of their own. They have gathered together about a thousand men who were willing to pay \$10 each to make the thing possible, and it is now going on, though to do what they desire they need about as many more men of the same quality of heart. The band which they have organized is of forty pieces under a capable leader, William Weil, and has been playing in the breathing places of the poorer parts of the city, in the playgrounds, schoolhouses, prisons, or wherever else there has come a call for concerts. The same plan will be followed during the coming winter. There is enough money in sight to keep it going for the present, and it is the intention to make it a part of the regular equipment of the city."

It is through additional members, paying ten dollars each, that the association hopes to raise its funds. Mr. Frank R. McMullin is its president and the secretary and treasurer are located at 230 South La Salle Street, Chicago.

**SAVINGS ACCOUNTS**

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