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RIGHT UNDER OLD SOL

They Were in Blazing Sunlight, Yet Cast No Shadows.

Every one knows that when a person stands in the full sunshine his body casts a shadow which will be either short or long, according as the sun is high in the heavens or near the horizon at sunrise or sunset. A little thought will bring it home to the reader that, obviously, if the sun is exactly vertical over a person's head, there can be no shadow.

But the problem is to determine when and where this shall be the state of things. As regards the "where," that must evidently be at some place on the earth in the tropics, and the "when" must be the hour of midday. To get these two things to concur by prearrangement is a matter of no small difficulty.

But as a matter of fact they did concur on a day in February, 1913—namely, the 13th, when a scientist, W. B. Gibbs, was in midocean in latitude 15 degrees south, the sun's declination being also about 15 degrees south.

A photo, reproduced in the London Strand, represents Gibbs and another man standing bolt upright on the deck facing one another, and clearly shows the absence of any sign of a lateral shadow—in other words, it proves that the sun was in such a latitude that the sun was vertically overhead and that the time was noon when the sun was at its highest altitude as between east and west.—Exchange.

SAVE YOUR APPENDIX.

This Mysterious Organ May Prove to Be a Valuable Gland.

The appendix is not a useless organ undergoing degeneration, as has been hitherto supposed, but is a valuable gland, and persons should think twice before having it removed. This is a part of a report presented to the French Academy of Sciences by Dr. Perrier.

Another well known French scientist, the late Dr. Lucas-Champagnon, warned the medical world some years ago that the appendix probably was undeserving of present day contempt, yet he was unable to establish the possible function of this small and mysterious organ.

Dr. Perrier's report is based upon studies made by Dr. Robinson. The latter collected the mucous secretions from a large number of appendices removed at the hospitals and prepared a serum which, on being injected into animals, was found to stimulate the contractile movements of the intestines. Dr. Robinson, therefore, was convinced that the appendix cannot be cut out without seriously interfering with intestinal action, although he recognizes the necessity of operating when the gland is gaseous or otherwise diseased.—Paris Cor. New York Sun.

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Making a Present.

Lady Jersey was in her time one of the leaders of fashion, and her house was the resort of politicians and others. With her lived her daughter, Lady Clementine Villiers, a handsome and clever girl. The custom had been established that all friends should give the latter a present on her birthday, and these presents were set out in an antechamber. Among these friends was Lord Brougham, then an old man. He called on a birthday, but had forgotten what the occasion was, and had brought no present. Seeing a mass of presents laid out, he seized one of them and took it in as his present, rightly counting that the young lady would not remember that it was one that already had been given to her. And very proud he was of his presence of mind. But, then, he was an ex-lord chancellor.—London Times.

"Occult" Information.

A. Henry Savage Lander may deny on geological grounds the existence of any "lost Atlantis," but there are among the theosophical and other occult fraternities people who will cheerfully draw you a map of the vanished land and give you a description of its people, their manners and customs. The information is obtained by various mystical methods—"revelations," clairvoyance, etc. Some years ago it was discovered by similar "occult" means that at the north pole itself the temperature was so mild that a "green island" existed there—a kind of arctic arcady. It was all very interesting until Peary, the explorer, came of the scene and—but cold fact is always so unromantic!—London Chronicle.

Conscientious About It.

"Mr. Glizard," asked the caller, "are you carrying all the life insurances you can afford?"

"No," answered the man at the desk; "I can afford more, and I had expected to take out more, but from a note I got from my employer this morning I have begun to suspect that I'm carrying a good deal more than I am worth."—Chicago Tribune.

Trick of the Orator.

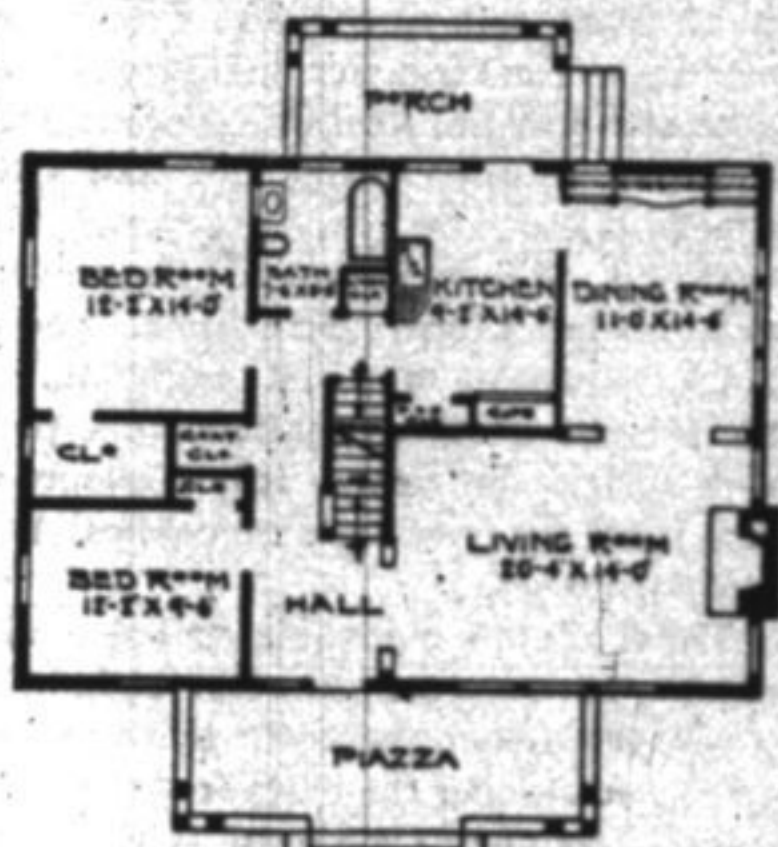
Disraeli, whose eloquence Lord Curzon ranks below that of Gladstone, tried hard to give his hearers the impression that he was not in the habit of preparing his speeches. Discussing Plunket's oratory with Disraeli, Lord Granville remarked that the Irish statesman hesitated so long for a word that he seemed to be on the point of breaking down. "Lord bless you!" Disraeli exclaimed. "Did that take you in? Why, that is part of the trick. I have often done it to make it appear that my speech has not been prepared."—London Chronicle.

STORY AND A HALF BUNGALOW.

Design 782, by Glenn L. Saxton, Architect, Minneapolis, Minn.



PERSPECTIVE VIEW—FROM A PHOTOGRAPH.



FLOOR PLAN.

This bungalow was built at the base of the White mountains, in New Hampshire. The design is especially well adapted to a wide lot, where there is ample space to give an attractive setting to the beauties of this dwelling. A slight elevation makes an ideal site for a structure of the kind. With ground sloping away from the house the shrubbery need not mask the outlines of the foundation work.

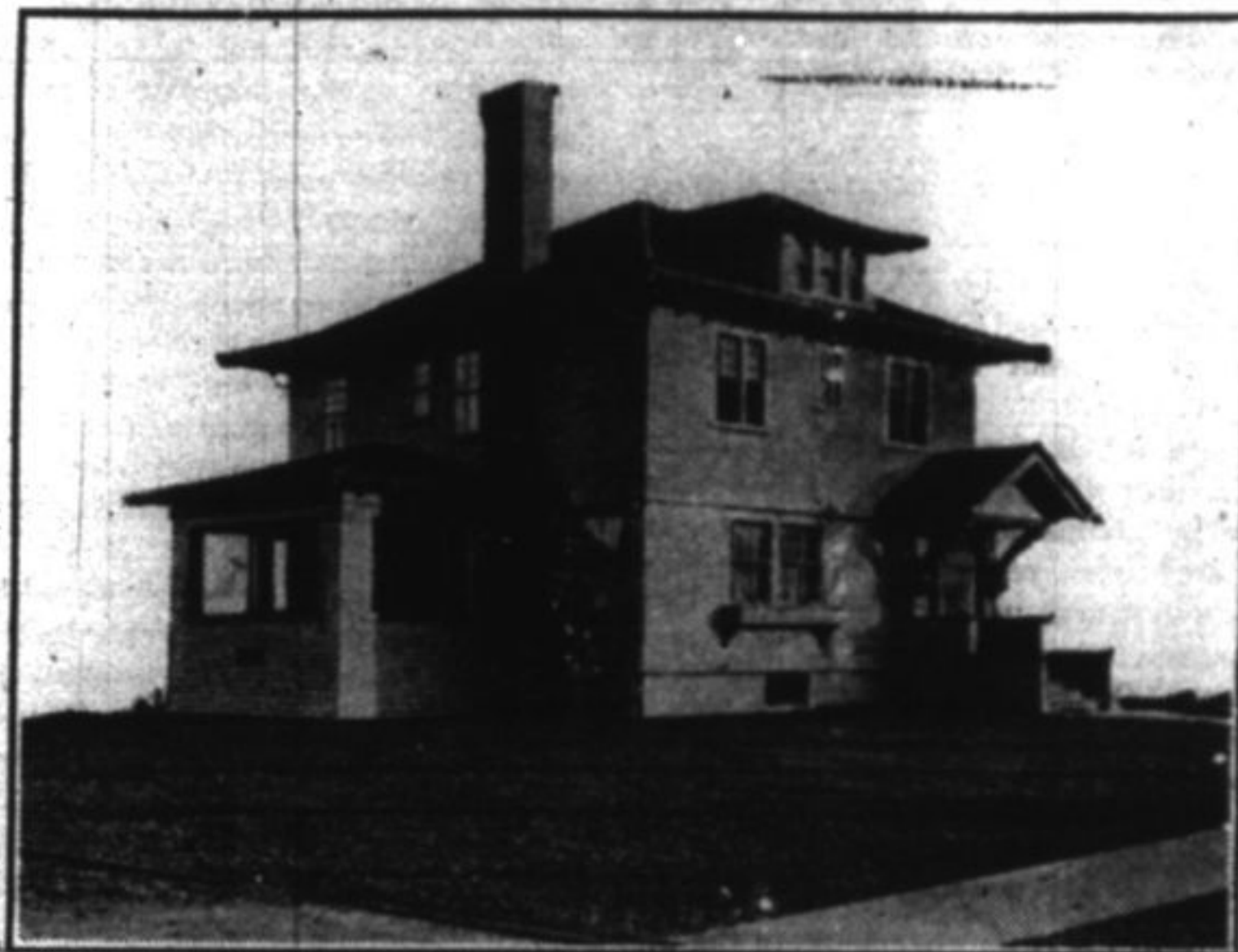
The arrangement of the rooms is complete in every respect. In the second story there is a sewing room, chamber and den, all finished. If one desires, the large storeroom at the side can be made in one large chamber or two medium sized chambers, thus giving ample sleeping room space. Size of house is 42 feet wide and 30 feet deep, exclusive of piazza. Finish throughout the first story gumwood, red oak or birch and in second story finished part in gum. Birch or maple floors throughout. Cost to build, exclusive of heating and plumbing, \$3,500.

The style of exterior of this bungalow admits of cement, shingle or clapboard. The piazza could be finished as a sun parlor, and this would add materially to the living accommodations.

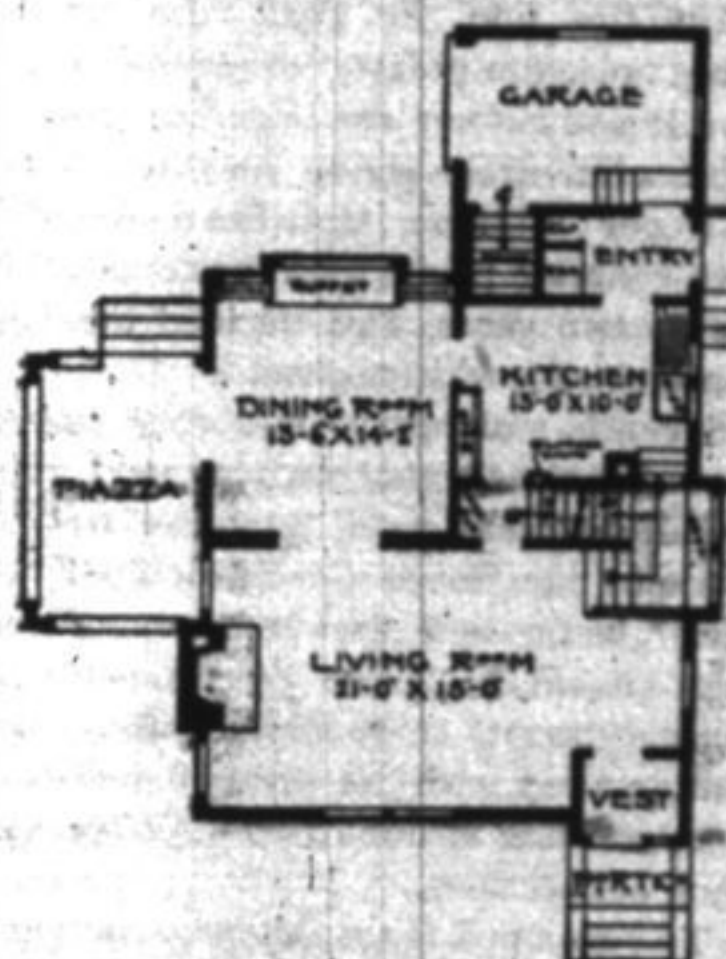
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A NEAT STUDY IN BROWN SHINGLES

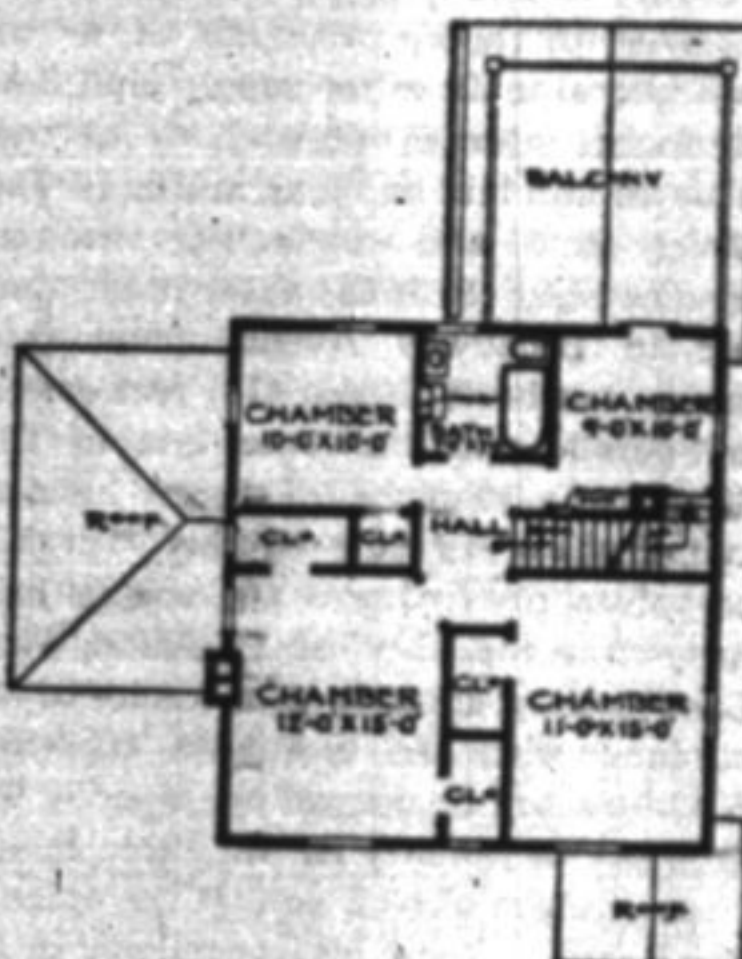
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PERSPECTIVE VIEW—FROM A PHOTOGRAPH.



FIRST FLOOR PLAN.



SECOND FLOOR PLAN.

A residence in the state of North Dakota. This home was built for a professional man. The rooms in both stories are all conveniently arranged.

There is a living room twenty-one feet long across the entire front and fifteen feet wide. The arrangement of the kitchen, with relation to the dining room, stairway and entry, has been carefully planned, the owner co-operating with the architect so as to secure convenience and comfort. The artistic porch of the living room adds to the attractiveness of the exterior. This feature is practical only where there is a spacious plot.

Special attention is called to the arrangement of the garage, avoiding the necessity of going out into the cold on a winter's night. In the second story are four splendid chambers, large closets and a small room in front that can be used for a child's sleeping room or dressing room for a lady's boudoir. The sun room can be carried up two stories to make a sleeping porch for second story if desired. Size, 28 feet wide over main part and 30 feet deep. Full basement, 7 feet 6 inches high; first story, 9 feet; second story, 8 feet. Birch or white maple floors throughout, gumwood or red oak for first story, gumwood in second story, with birch doors, the gumwood enameled white and the doors stained a rich brown mahogany to give that splendid combination of white enamel and mahogany for sleeping rooms. Cost to build, exclusive of heating and plumbing, \$3,500.

The cost of carrying the piazza construction up one story would be moderate because one side wall is already provided for. Where a garage is not needed the outlay necessary for that could be expended on a complete sun parlor and sleeping porch above it.

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CONVICTS REVOLT

Former Illinois Congressman and Judge Among Slain.

WOMAN IS ALSO SHOT DOWN

Three Prisoners Make Escape, but Are Afterward Overtaken and Killed by Pursuers—Three Prison Guards Slain and Two Others Wounded—Men Not Trusties.

M'ALESTER, OKLA.—At least seven men are dead and one woman injured, as the result of an attempt on the part of three prisoners to escape from the state penitentiary here.

The dead: P. C. Oates, deputy sheriff; P. C. Godfrey, guard; H. H. De cover, Bertillon man; Judge John R. Thomas, formerly congressman from Illinois; China Reed, prisoner; Tom Lane, prisoner; Charles Kuntz, prisoner.

The injured: Miss Mary Foster, prison stenographer, shot in leg; J. W. Martin, turnkey, shot in cheek; C. B. Woods, guard, shot in arm. Judge Thomas, a Muskegee attorney was formerly congressman from Illinois, a federal judge and a member of the state code commission. He served five terms in congress from the Egypt (Ill.) district.

Shoot Prison Officials. Reed, Lane and Kuntz, the three prisoners, stormed the guard, shoot the three prison officials and Judge Thomas, who was in the penitentiary consulting a client.

The prisoners then rushed to the penitentiary office and at the point of revolvers forced P. C. Rice and Miss Mary Foster, the latter a penitentiary stenographer, to go with them in a buggy near the penitentiary and get in.

A bullet from one of the prisoners guns entered the leg of Miss Foster. She fainted in the buggy. An alarm was sounded and guards on horseback were sent in pursuit of the fugitives.

Battle on Highway. In the meantime the sheriff of Pittsburg county had been notified and asked to quickly summon a posse of gunmen.

Before the prisoners had gone more than a half mile from the penitentiary, however, they were overtaken by the penitentiary guards. A battle took place on the highway in which all three of the convicts were shot to death.

Governor Lee Cruce was notified of the outbreak over long distance by Warden Dick. Dick told the governor that none of the men were trusties. They were regarded as being desperate characters, one of them serving a forty-year term.

How the prisoners got possession of the pistols Dick does not know. They Open Fire. The first intimation prison officials had that anything was wrong was when the men grabbed the two guards and marched them in front of them into the penitentiary office. Deputy Warden Oates was in the office talking with Judge Thomas of Muskegee. As the men entered they pointed their pistols at Oates.

Oates jumped to his feet and began to fire, but his aim was poor, because he was afraid of hitting the guards, who were serving as breast works for the prisoners.

At the second shot from Oates' pistol the men shot Oates and the others to death. While they were fleeing in the buggy, pursued by the mounted posse, Miss Foster fell out of the vehicle. Then the guards closed in and shot the prisoners to death.

President Reads Message Gives to the Congress His Views on Trust Legislation.

WASHINGTON—The house and senate held a joint session in the hall of the house at 12:30 p. m. to hear President Wilson read his message on trust legislation. The galleries were packed and there was a full attendance of members of both houses. In the galleries reserved for them were members of the diplomatic corps, the supreme court, cabinet members and many notables.

The president delivered his message from the speaker's stand; as he had on other occasions. The joint session showed marked evidence of approval of his recommendation of a board to keep corporations from violating the law, and defend that ground known as the "twilight zone" in operating their business.

The president served notice on "big business" that it must alter its methods to coincide with public opinion. He expressed his wish to have corporations shown how to comply with the law. At the same time he manifested his desire to have the business law breaker treated as any other criminal, holding that guilt is personal. Congressional compliance with this declaration means jail terms for violators of the anti-trust law.

General Picquart is Dead. AMIENS, FRANCE—General Marie Georges Picquart, commander of the Second French army corps, who was one of the most prominent figures in the Dreyfus case, died here at the age of sixty years.

Time of Services and Meetings of the Various Churches

Trinity Episcopal Church. Rev. P. C. Wolcott, D. D. Rector. Holy Communion, Sunday 7:30 a. m. Morning Prayer and Litany 11:00 a. m. Holy Communion, first Sunday in the month and Festivals at 11:00 a. m. Evenings 5:00 p. m. Sunday School 9:45 a. m.

St. Mary's Church. Laurel avenue and McGovern street. Rev. J. D. O'Neill, pastor. Sunday services First Mass, 6:30 a. m. Sunday School 11:00 a. m. Second Mass, 8:00 a. m. High Mass 10:00 a. m.

Swedish Evangelical Lutheran. Highwood. Rev. C. E. Lundgren, pastor. Sunday services, preaching at 3:00 p. m. Sunday School at 2:00 p. m. Wednesday prayer meeting 8:00 p. m.

First Church of Christ, Scientist. Hazel avenue near St. John's avenue. Regular service every Sunday morning at 10:45 o'clock. Sunday school immediately after the Sunday morning service. Regular Wednesday evening testimonial meeting at 8:00 o'clock.

The Reading Room, 119 East Central Avenue, is open daily, except Sunday, from 9 to 12 a. m. and 1 to 5 p. m. All authorized Christian Science literature is on file for reference, and may be purchased if desired.

St. Johns Evangelical Church. Corner of Green Bay Road and Homewood Ave. Reverend F. Holke, pastor. Sunday morning worship, German, at 10:30. Sunday school, German and English departments, at 9:30. Every first and third Sundays in every month there will be English services in the evening at 7:30. Call 761-J.

Ebenezer Evangelical Church. Second Street near Laurel Avenue. Sunday School, 10:00 a. m.; morning worship, 11:00 a. m.; Christian Endeavor, 6:45 evening service 7:30 p. m. German prayer meeting, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m. Bible study Friday, 7:30 p. m. We cordially invite your attendance.

S. E. SCHRAEDER, pastor. Believers Meeting. Library Hall, Highland Park. Every Sunday 7:45 p. m. Gospel address. Every Thursday 8:00 p. m.; Bible study. You are cordially invited.

Evangelical Lutheran Church. Central Avenue, W. F. Suhr, pastor. Sunday services, German, preaching at 10:30 a. m.; English preaching at 8 p. m. 1st and 3rd Sundays; Sunday School, 9:00 a. m. German Saturday school, 9:00 to 12:00. Bible school in German for young people Tuesdays at 8 p. m. and in English Wednesdays at 8 p. m.

First United Evangelical Church. Corner of Laurel Avenue and Green Bay Road. J. Foster Van Evert, pastor. Sabbath morning worship, 10:45 evening service, 7:45. The Sunday school under the direction of Mr. Wm. Noerberg, convenes at 9:30 o'clock, with Miss Waleria Ritter, a trained worker in charge of the primary department. The Key Stone League of Christian Endeavor, Earl Fritsch, president, meets each Sunday eve at 8:45 o'clock, in the church parlors. Prayer meeting each Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. A cordial invitation is extended the public to all services.

Swedish Lutheran Church. There will be Swedish Lutheran Church services every Friday evening at eight o'clock in the Library Hall on Laurel Avenue, Highland Park, Carl E. Lundgren, of Waukegan, Illinois, pastor.

North Shore M. E. Church. Hazel and Greenleaf Avenues, Glencoe. Horace G. Smith, Pastor. Sunday School at 10:15 a. m. Worship 11:15 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Baptist Church. East Laurel Avenue. Herbert Francis Evans, minister. Sunday services; Morning worship, 11 a. m.; evening worship, 7:45. Graded Sunday School meets at ten o'clock. The mid-week prayer and conference meeting is held in the church parlor Wednesday evenings at 7:45 o'clock. The Ladies' Guild holds its regular meetings on the first and third Thursdays of each month. Everyone is cordially invited to all the services of this church.

Highland Park Presbyterian Church. Corner of Laurel and Linden Avenues. Pastor, Rev. R. Calvin Dobson. Sunday morning worship, 11:00 o'clock. 4:30 Vesper Musical Service, first Sunday afternoon of each month. Bible school, with graded lessons for all departments and ages, Sunday mornings at 9:30 o'clock. Young People's meeting, Sunday evening at 7:30. Mid-Week Prayer Service, Wednesday evenings at 8:00 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to all of these services.

The ladies of the Dorcas Society hold all-day meetings in the parlors of the church the second and fourth Mondays of the month and the Woman's Missionary Union meets the second Monday afternoon of each month at 3:00 o'clock, to which all ladies are cordially invited.

Highwood Catholic Church. Daily Mass, 8:00 a. m.; Sunday, Low Mass, 10:00 a. m.; Mass and Benediction of Blessed Sacrament, 9:00 a. m.; Sunday School, 11 o'clock. Rev. Father S. J. Gates, pastor.

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