

L. Monfardini Victim Of Sudden Attack

Louis Monfardini, 320 Oak terrace, Highwood, suffered a fatal attack on Thursday of last week while engaged in his work as pressman in the Bell & Gosset Co. plant at Morton Grove.

At native of Italy, he came to this country in 1912 and had been a resident of Highwood for the past 18 years. He was formerly engaged in gardening.

Surviving are his wife, Enrica; three sons, Dominic of Highwood, Mario of Glencoe and Louis of N. Buena Vista, Ill.; a daughter, Mrs. James Fetty of Highwood; two sisters, Mrs. Delchese Torri of Ladd, Ill., and Sister Catherine, a nun in Italy; and a brother Alphonse in Italy.

Services were held at St. James church on Saturday morning.

Angelo Ugolini Taken By Death

Last rites were conducted at the Immaculate Conception church on Saturday for Angelo Ugolini, 641 Park Ave., who succumbed to a long illness the preceding Wednesday at the Highland Park hospital.

Born in Italy in 1872, he came to Chicago in 1898 and to Highland Park one year later.

He is survived by one son, Sam, of La Grange; a daughter, Mrs. Anita Amidei of Highland Park; two sisters, Mrs. Angelina Bernardi and Mrs. Catherina Carani, both of Highland Park, and four grandchildren.

Interment was made at St. Mary's cemetery, Highland Park.

Funeral Rites For Joseph Pini

Funeral services were held on Monday at the Seguin Funeral home for Mr. Joseph Pini, Highwood resident for 24 years, who passed away at the Highland Park hospital the preceding Friday at the age of 58.

Born in Italy, he came to this country and settled in Highwood in 1923, working as a laborer and later as gateman for the Chicago & Northwestern Railway at the Elm place crossing in Highland Park.

Survivors are his widow, Viola, a son, Egidio, and a daughter, Gino, residents of Italy; and a brother-in-law, Joseph Mordini, of Chicago. Interment was made at Mooney's cemetery.

FOLLOW THE RED CROSS

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Loose gift wrappings are a fire hazard. Discard in metal container. Use stapler in trimming tree. Don't place trimmings where they may be stumbled over.

Select toys finished with vegetable rather than lead base paint. Select toys with rounded instead of sharp edges. Toys too heavy for a toddler may result in accident.

Use sharp cutlery for carving—but keep in safe place. Fatigue often results in accidents. Plan with this in mind. Christmas is happiest at a hearthside—not a bedside!

Enrolled At Indiana U.

Freerick Meyer, 1638 S. Green Bay Road; Joan Wichman and Miriam Wichman, 627 S. St. Johns Ave., Highland Park, are numbered among the students enrolled in Indiana University, according to a detailed student enrollment report announced by the Bloomington, Ind., institution.

Ravina Thanksgiving Assembly

The annual Thanksgiving assembly was presented by the student body of Ravina School on Wednesday afternoon, November 26th at 1:15 P.M.

The Queen of the Harvest was Donna Engelbrekt and her court was made up of representatives of each room in school. These children were chosen on the basis of good citizenship and all 'round good sportsmanship. They were: Judy Sunderland, Thomas Mead, John Dille, Johnny Wolens, Nancy Michaels, Elaine Goldberg, John Bingham, Jean Bartelman, Denny Mead, Sylvia Ann Shampine, Jim Snyder, Jean Coleman, Morgan Weed, Judy Smith, Jake Straight, Richard Watrous, Catherine Bjork, Barbara Lundgren, Kenny Riskland, David Boyd, Mary K. Ellis, Mary Davidson, Larry Stallman, Albert Simon, Gretchen Ahrens, Lynn Cooper, Zebbe Zebbeson, Nancy Dinelli, Kenny Evans, Geraldine Watt, Chuck Newman, Lois Limberg, Jim Meyerhoff, Caroline Stroud, Mark Rosenberg.

All of the children sang several Thanksgiving songs and the school orchestra played a group of numbers.

The pageantry was under the guidance of Mrs. M. Pearce and Mr. R. J. Naegele, the vocal music under the supervision of Mr. R. Nyé, and the orchestra under the direction of Mr. E. Stricker.

Father of Highland Parker Is Laid To Rest

Mr. George C. Smith of 337 Central Avenue passed away Monday evening, Dec. 15th, at the age of 88. Mr. Smith was born in Sunbury, Pennsylvania, and had resided in Wilkes-Barre, Pa. since 1902. Following the death of his wife in January 1947, Mr. Smith came to Highland Park to be near his daughter Mrs. Aaron S. Bauer of 315 Central Ave. who survives him.

Funeral services were held on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Kelly and Spaulding Chapel. Dr. Louis W. Sherwin conducted the services. Interment was in Sunbury, Pennsylvania.

A Matter of Years

The captain of a sailing vessel was questioning a new hand regarding his knowledge of ships and the sea. After repeatedly receiving wrong answers, he asked, in exasperation:

"Hang it all, man, tell me this: Where's the mizzen mast?"
"I don't know," replied the aspiring seaman. "Now long has it been mizzen?"

"White Christmas" Theme Keys Holiday Flowers



Designers in the nation's flower shops urge more individuality in floral gifts for the home, according to Alyn Wayne, official FTD stylist, who designed this Christmas preview. At Top—This all-white Christmas centerpiece is dazzling by day and spectacular by night. Equally suitable for the buffet, regal candles rise from clusters of mums and pompons, amid silvered pine cones and snow-laden evergreen.

Below—For the story telling touch in a Christmas mantel or buffet arrangement, Mr. Wayne suggests a modernized cathedral angel amid snowy balsam, white pine cones and sparkling red ornaments.

Inset—Inside story on Christmas door swags is more and more custom-design. Example here, for an apartment door knocker, is snow-laden balsam with a beaming Santa to greet the visitor with outstretched arms.

Enrolls In A.S.C.E.

Thomas R. Nall, 2455 N. Deere Park Drive, Highland Park, Ill., has been enrolled as a Junior of the American Society of Civil Engineers, it is announced today by Col. William N. Carey, Executive Secretary of the Society, at its National Headquarters in New York.



Here is a little problem presented at a Gas Company Sales Dept. party a few nights ago. The answer will appear next week—

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Lake County Tuberculosis Assn

Almost keeping pace with the contributions to the annual Christmas Seal Sale are the requests for the services of the Lake County Tuberculosis Association.

Plans are under way for tuberculin testing surveys in three large high schools in the County and twelve grade schools. Two industries are considering x-ray surveys for their personnel and employees. One hospital is asking the service of the Mobile X-ray Unit in x-raying all employees and nurses.

Clinics of the Association in cooperation with the Medical Staff of the Sanatorium continue three times weekly—Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 8 to 10 a.m. Due to the Christmas Holiday these clinics will not be held on December 24 and 26.

While the daily receipts from the Seal Sale have fallen somewhat lower than last year on the same date of sale, Mrs. Mabel McCullough, Seal Sale Chairman, is hopeful that the daily receipts will gradually increase and pass the slogan to "Buy and Use Christmas Seals."

Mrs. Howard F. Detmer and Mrs. Francis M. Knight are Highland Park Board members. figure of last year. Make it your

Results of November Wastepaper Drive

The total receipts for the wastepaper collected in November from RAVINIA 16.00

the schools is as follows:

BRAESIDE	\$16.50
ELM PLACE	15.40
LINCOLN	11.60
RIDGE	7.76
GREEN BAY	5.00

Total 72.26

Elm Place School Goes On the Air

On Monday, December 15, over WNMP, 1590, a Christmas program was presented by a choir of upper grade pupils from Elm Place School under the direction of Mrs. Helen Joy, director of music, consisting of songs from the cantata "The Story of Christmas" by H. R. Evans to be presented at Elm Place

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school tonight, December 18. A sixth grade pupil read the Christmas story.

Members of the broadcasting choir were: Shirley Allderice, Carlyn Sleeman, Lois Barone, Sue Aaron, Bernice Okey, Virginia Stone, Zola Ward, Carol Chase, Carol Fisher, Diane Weeks, Jean Powers, Shirley Haltermann, Delma DeGiusto, Herberta Engstrom, Barbara Kramer, Patty Hunt, Jané Dixon, Mary Heath, Sys Graham, Judy Laegeler, Tony Newey, Geno Pizzato, Dan Herz, Peter Perlman, Allan Rubenstein, Bob Winkler, George White, Fred Westgard, Phil Rubenstein, Jim Zahule, Fred Boynton, and Stephen Place.

Rites Held December 5 For Helen Louise Dodson

Rites were held at the Immaculate Conception church on December 5 for Helen Louise Dodson, 19 who passed away at her home the preceding Wednesday, a victim of pneumonia.

A lifelong resident of Highland Park, she was graduated from the Highland Park high school, and later employed by the Mead Mfg. Company.

Surviving are her mother, Mrs. Lillian Dodson; a sister, Mrs. Edith Brown; a brother, William, and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael J. Rogan, all of Highland Park.

Museum Becomes Classroom For Elm Place Pupils

The halls of the Museum of Natural History in Chicago have re-

cently been the classrooms for two sixth grade groups and three seventh grade groups from Elm Place School.

Excursions to the museum were arranged as culminating activities to two social studies units—one on China and one on Egypt. Under the direction of Miss Jones, Social Studies Teacher at Elm Place, children studied Chinese and Egyptian exhibits with a guide at hand to answer questions and provide additional information.

Previous to the trips these children had used many kinds of instructional materials such as books, flat pictures, motion pictures, lantern slides, exhibits and recordings.

Reports on the trip were written by Betsy Phelps, Dick Nachman, Jean Mowers, Susan Weil, David Reid, Mary Stein and others.

That Was a Relief

Tid-Bits tells about two Gurkha soldiers who had volunteered with the Indian sky troops, asking an officer:

"From what height are we supposed to jump?"

"Five hundred feet," said the officer.

"Nothing doing," they said. "That's too high. Can't we jump from three hundred feet?"

The officer explained that from such a low height there was danger that their parachutes would not open. The Gurkhas broke into grins.

"That's different," they said. "So we get parachutes."

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