

# FROM NEIGHBORING TOWN AND CITY

## NEWS OF THE COUNTY SEAT

### GET BLOCK OF STOCK IN ELECTRIC COMPANY.

Quartette of Crown Point Men Make An Investment Today.

It is reported that four prominent Crown Point business men, in the persons of Eugene Crowell, J. Frank Meeker, Jay Crawford and Jules Howland, have invested in blocks of stock of the Crown Point Electric company and will hereafter be considered factors in the management of that concern. The stock was purchased from the present holders, the greater share being released by Ernest Nixon, who was one of the largest stockholders of the company. The Electric company is spending thousands of dollars in increasing its power and current capacity, in order to supply the town of Lowell and Cedar Lake with electric power and light. An additional sale of stocks became necessary to accomplish this purpose. The report cannot be verified as no papers have been recorded.

### GREAT ACTIVITY IS MANIFESTED

Hub Fraternal Societies Are Increasing in Membership.

There has been great activity manifested in the various fraternal societies and lodges during the last six months in Crown Point and their membership has been greatly increased. For its size Crown Point can compete with any town in the state for lodge membership. The K. of P.'s, the Masons, Odd Fellows and Foresters have added many new members to their rolls and are still conferring the work on various candidates.

### Fine Weather During Month.

The passing of November probably sets the record for fine weather during the month, as none of the oldest residents can remember any previous November where the weather has been as mild as has been experienced during the last month. It certainly has been easy on the coal bins and if the latter part of winter doesn't equalize things, much fuel will be saved during the season.

The Fortnightly Musicales met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dr. Gibbs last evening and the members enjoyed a well prepared program of instrumental and vocal selections.

It is reported here that the marriage of one of Crown Point's young lawyers to a young lady of the town is one of the possibilities of the near future. Probably soon after the holidays.

Work was commenced yesterday by Ed McWay and a force of men in removing the large hay barn and stables from the Brown property on Goldsborough street. The old barn has become a landmark and the appearance of that section of the town will be greatly changed by its removal.

The county jail has begun to get its regular quota of cold weather boarders who make it their hotel for the night. Neatly every morning a gang is turned loose and they invariably strike out Garywards in search of employment. This fact goes to show that they are not the regular Weary Willies.

## EXCESSIVE DRINKING

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Excessive or continued use of alcoholic beverages always results in a diseased condition of the nervous system.

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as that kind don't tramp very far in search of work.

The moving picture show and five cent theater will institute a new feature in the near future by adding a vaudeville performance to their regular show on Saturday evenings and possibly Wednesday night, if the venture proves successful. Good artists will be secured from Chicago to entertain the patrons and it is thought the new features will prove a big drawing card.

The building contractors are nearly all working under cover at present, hardly any of them having outside work to do. With the exception of two or three dwellings to complete the contractors' season is at an end in this section for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Geisen are visiting relatives in Fremont and Cleveland, Ohio, for a few days.

Leslie Parry has secured a position with one of the Chicago wholesale houses and left Monday morning to commence his duties.

Thad. Fancher, Jr., leaves for Valparaiso tomorrow to resume his studies at the Valpo college of law.

Crown Point is in a generally healthy condition at present and the doctors report business rather dull.

The steel furniture is being installed at the court house and nearly every office will have a share of it in the shape of filing cases, etc.

### HOBART.

Bad Wreck on Nickel Plate.

About 10 o'clock on Sunday evening a freight train loaded with meat was thrown off the track by the spreading rails. Ten cars were thrown into the ditch, near Witt's crossing, and completely destroyed. The meat being strewn along the track for several blocks. The way was cleared as soon as aid could be obtained and work began at once on the construction of a new right-of-way. No trains were run all day Monday until late in the afternoon.

Mrs. L. Wittengal and daughter, Lena, are visiting friends in the city.

Quite a number from here will attend the skating party tonight, given by the Congregational church of Gary at the Casino.

Messrs. John Sloker and Ed. Spencer transacted business in Chicago yesterday.

### LOWELL.

Charley Huffnagle, formerly in the wagon and carriage making business in Lowell, but now general superintendent of the Laporte Carriage works, was here Sunday and Monday packing their household goods for shipment to Laporte.

Mrs. Fred Merrill of Danville, Ill., is here on a visit to her mother, Mrs. Geo. Shaver, and grandmother, Mrs. John Shurtle, and other relatives.

N. J. Phillips and daughter, Mrs. W. C. Hale, are visiting relatives at Grass Lake, Ind.

Miss Glenn Dwyer, who is attending college at Greencastle, is enjoying a visit here with her parents, Hon. and Mrs. S. C. Dwyer.

Miss Madeline Grindrod has returned to her home in Chicago after a pleasant visit here with Miss Lottie Chitwood.

Mr. and Mrs. George LeRoy have returned from a visit with Gary and Whiting relatives.

You are cordially invited to call up phone 68 when you get any news of happenings in and around Lowell for THE LAKE COUNTY TIMES.

### MERRILLVILLE.

Eva and Maude Iddings returned to their schools on Sunday.

George Elbert, who was injured at a railroad crossing some time ago, is not yet able to leave the house.

Miss Zimmers and her brother, John spent Thanksgiving at Mat Linnertz.

Miss Anna Linnertz is expected home from Milwaukee, where she is attending school.

Fred Zuvers and wife of Greendale spent Sunday at the home of S. E. Zuvers.

N. P. Banks of the Farmers' Insurance company adjusted the loss of stock killed by lightning just west of town on Friday last.

The funeral party who attended the burial of Malcom Frame near Beatrice were delayed in returning on account of a wreck some place down the road, they were finally brought to Merrillville on a freight train, and those from Hammond were transferred to the Erie train.

### VALPARAISO.

M. H. Snyder is here today from Indianapolis.

Ezra Brdie was over from Porter yesterday.

Miss Ethel Keys of Orangeville, Ont., formerly of this city, is the guest of Mrs. J. C. Rock.

C. R. Blount is here today from Wabash.

Judge Walter Olds of Fort Wayne is in the Vale today on business.

A representative of the Central Lyceum bureau was in the city yesterday in the interest of the Scotch singers, a Lyceum troupe, that he is booking for single dates.

The third number of the Glazier entertainment course at the Presbyterian church drew a fair size audience. A. Morton Reitzel, the lecturer, was the attraction.

The case of the state vs. Lariston Gooley for alleged assault upon the person of the 12-year-old daughter of William Mohsen went to the jury last evening.

The famous Dunbar Concert company,

including a male quartette and bell ringers, will furnish the third number of the Brotherhood of St. Paul's entertainment course this evening. This concert has been transferred to the opera house. Seats reserved at Heine-man & Stevens.

### CLARK STATION.

Mr. James Carroll and Master Walter Behn saw "Lucky Jim" at the Calumet theater at South Chicago Sunday.

Mr. Layne Hixon of Waukegan was visiting with friends here.

Mr. Otto Frick of Chicago was visiting with his parents here.

Mr. R. Uhlman of Clark was a Chicago visitor Sunday.

Mr. A. Watts returned here after spending last week with his parents of Ross.

### LANSING.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ton spent Sunday automobileing.

Mr. H. Beck is not improving very rapidly.

Mr. A. Ward was in Chicago Heights Sunday.

Miss Emily Vandenberg was a Hammond visitor last week.

Mrs. T. Hughes and daughter, Grace, were Hammond visitors Sunday.

Mrs. Morgan was in Hammond Saturday.

Mrs. George Kling and son, Harold, of Chicago Heights were in town Saturday.

Mrs. A. Ward and daughters, Cora and Lula, were Chicago visitors last week.

Miss Rose Trinoski was a Riverdale visitor Sunday.

The dance given at Busock's hall Saturday night was well attended by the young people of Oak Glen and Lansing, and was reported to be a great success.

Miss Alvina Lehmkier spent Sunday at her home in Oak Glen.

Rev. and Mrs. George Dowstra are making preparations to move to Hesperia, O., in a few weeks.

Mr. Tony Meester was a Chicago visitor Saturday.

A. R. Fryer of LaDelle, S. D., was a visitor in town last week at the home of Mr. Jacob Heine.

### HESSVILLE.

Mrs. Clara spent Sunday in South Chicago.

William Dedelow was a Chicago visitor Sunday.

Martin Natki is still very low and unexpected to live.

No mail was received at the Hessville postoffice yesterday on account of the wreck near Hobart, which prevented the mail trains going through on the Nickel Plate.

Gertie and Dick Erickson, who have been visiting their sister, Mrs. Haan, have returned to their home in Highlands.

Grace Gorman and Walter Vane were guests of Mrs. La Parle in Chicago Sunday.

Mr. Reickhardt Sr., father of Herman and Henry Reickhardt, and Mrs. Horace Lohse, is very ill.

Fred Mueller of South Chicago, who has been the guest of his sister, Mrs. James Vane and Mrs. William Dedelow, returned home last evening.

Mr. Muckett is on the sick list at the home of his step-daughter, Mrs. James Vane.

James Vane transacted business in Tolleston Monday.

Miss Elma Mielenz, who has made her home with her sister, Mrs. Fred Rhode, lately, will go to her home in Michigan City during the holidays and will not return.

Fred Rhode went to Danville yesterday.

Mr. Herman Reickhardt spent Sunday in Chicago.

Miss Alma Dedelow has recovered from a few days' illness.

Mrs. Annie Haan is on the sick list.

Miss Louise Carter of Belvidere, Ill., was the guest of her sister, Miss Edith Carter, at the Hessville school yesterday.

Miss Carrie Adams has a light case of diphtheria.

Mr. and Mrs. John Timola and Frank Holly were Hammond visitors last evening.

The Hessville school will close Wednesday noon, Dec. 23, for the Christmas vacation and will begin Monday, Jan. 4.

Those pupils who were neither tardy nor absent in the Hessville school last month were:

Fred Senzig, Harry Steffy, Alma Watts, Louise Barganz, Louisa Lohse, Fred Barganz, Willie Eichner, Barbara Senzig, Freda Barganz, Howard Prashlow, Elsie Reickhardt, Willie Barganz, Wilbert Prashlow, Willie Groeneveld, Charlie Eichner, Ella Gorman, Minnie Watts, Fred Mueller, Emil Dedelow, Rose Wigginton, John Stuh, Emma Dedelow, Julia Buckhardt, Cornelius Wilson, Carl Senzig, Henry Mueller, Jack Fulgraf, James Vane, Henry Groeneveld, Herman Dedelow, Edward Mueller, Dora Kansfield, Laura Vane.

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by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation is the result, taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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## WHITING NEWS

### Masons Take a Junket.

The Masons of Whiting went to Grand Crossing on last Saturday night, where they conferred the third degree upon Grand Crossing Masons. The Masonic band and quartette also accompanied the order.

They were treated to a banquet by the Illinois order.

Mrs. Willard B. Van Horne and mother, Mrs. Harriet B. Winslow, of Indiana Harbor and guest, Mrs. Parish, of Grant Park, Ill., were the guests of Whiting friends and relatives.

Grant Gordinier of Monmouth, Ill., visited with Mr. and Mrs. Gordinier of Sheridan avenue.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Congregational church will hold all-day session in the church parlors tomorrow.

C. O. Record returned from Aurora, Ill., yesterday, after visiting with relatives over Sunday.

Mrs. Thomas Bartlett of Fischrupp avenue went to Valparaiso to visit for one week.

Leo Helman of Gary spent yesterday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Helman.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Parish of Ohio are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grant Spurrier of Oliver street.

Miss Olga Kilma was an East Chicago visitor yesterday.

Miss Martha Swant of the East Chicago Telephone company visited friends here Sunday.

Arnold Exton and Charles F. Miller, who were home to spend the Thanksgiving vacation with their parents, returned to Lafayette, Ind., yesterday morning to resume their studies at Purdue university.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Piser of the Recht flats entertained out of town relatives on Sunday.

Mrs. George N. Jones has returned from Port Richmond, Cal., where she spent two months visiting with friends.

ORDERS taken for photograph pillow tops at 75 cents each. Mrs. F. Short, Fischrupp and White Oak avenue, Whiting.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Miller of Chicago spent Sunday as the guest of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gervit, and uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Sol Recht.

Miss Margaret Lyttle resumed her studies at Valparaiso university yesterday morning after spending several days as the guest of Miss Ella C. Klose.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hannephinn of Chicago were the guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hannephinn, on Sunday.

The Misses Irene and Edna Putnam and Ivy Lloyd and Messrs. Eugene Putnam and John J. Ryan, all of whom were visiting at the home of Dr. and Mrs. William E. Putnam, left yesterday morning for Valparaiso, where all resumed their studies at the university.

Rev. F. M. Webster preached a most beneficial sermon at the Congregational church on Sunday evening, using as his theme "God's Ideal Christian." A most appropriate duff was rendered during the services by Mrs. A. B. Canfield and Ed. Gray.

FOR SALE—Household goods. Cheap if taken at once. Mrs. Andrew Kammer, Oliver street, Whiting.

Miss Helen Kaul of Englewood is visiting her sister, Mrs. Andrew Kammer, of Englewood.

Mrs. Mayme Moylan and son, Harold, returned to their home in Fort Wayne, Ind., yesterday morning after spending several days here with her sisters, Mesdames Ray Walker and George Ken-thorne.

On Dec. 8th the Fraternal Order of Eagles will hold their annual election of officers, the installation to take place on Jan. 2nd. The nomination of officers was held at the meeting on last Saturday night.

### ROBERTSDALE.

The Misses Clara and Martha Schaaf saw "King Lear" at the Grand Opera House in Chicago Saturday afternoon.

Harry Benson of Roberts avenue had the misfortune to break his leg while playing a game of football in Pink's field Saturday morning. He was removed to his home, Dr. Kohr was quickly summoned and reduced the fracture. At the present writing he is getting along as well as can be expected.

Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Biggs and Vance Nulif of Valparaiso, Ind., and Miss Mary Whitehead of Coldwater, Mich., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. La Hayn of Roberts avenue Sunday.

Misses Blanche Martinson, Olive Laufer, Martha and Clara Levernitz attended Towle's Opera House last evening.

Mrs. Gotthe and children of Pearl street visited relatives in Maywood, Ill., yesterday.

Mrs. C. Keim and daughter, Beatrice, returned after enjoying a few days' visit with relatives in Chicago on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bingham entertained a number of friends at a dinner in honor of Miss Freda Schalow of Hammond at their home in Harrison avenue Friday.

John Fischrupp is quite ill with an attack of lagrippe at his home in Indiana boulevard.

Mrs. E. Rogers of Roberts avenue spent Friday visiting friends in Blue Island, Ill.

Mrs. E. C. Holmes of Harrison avenue was a Chicago shopper Saturday.

Miss Mary Stein returned Monday to her duties at the Franklin school after spending several days in Carey, Ill., visiting her parents.

Frank Smith of Chicago was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. William Eggers of Roberts avenue yesterday.

George Sladek of Sheffield avenue and granddaughter, Miss Louise Hatt, left

Saturday for North Judson, Ind., to spend a week hunting and visiting relatives.

Trustee Richard Schaaf returned from West Baden, Ind., where he has been spending the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Hubbard and daughter, Beulah, attended the Calumet theater last evening.

Mrs. Charles Fritz and children were the guests of friends in Englewood Friday.

Mrs. Martin returned to her home in Donovan, Ill., after a pleasant visit with her daughter, Mrs. Louis Ferrigo.

John Eck of Chicago was a Robertsdale business visitor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. August Dreesen are entertaining the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claus Dreesen, of Valparaiso, Ind., at their home in Roberts avenue.

Mrs. Charles Allen and sister, Miss Clara Schmittle, attended the matinee at Towle's Opera House Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. John Cremen of Chicago was the guest of Mrs. Margaret Buehler at her home in Indiana boulevard yesterday.

### HEGEWISCH-BURNHAM

Miss Nellie Powell spent Saturday evening and Sunday with friends in Englewood.

Mrs. Rotschey of Chemical Park visited friends here yesterday afternoon.

The Ladies' Aid society of the M. E. church will meet Thursday afternoon in the rear room of the church. As it is the regular monthly business meeting it is requested that every member be present at this meeting.

Ms. Samuel Burnham was a Hammond visitor Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Smith of Burnham was married last Thursday at the bride's home in Milwaukee, Wis. Mr. Smith returned to his home in Burnham with his bride Saturday afternoon. Mr. Smith has quite a large milk route at Burnham and Hegewisch. His many friends wish him good luck and prosperity.

Mr. William Guthridge of Burnham was a Chicago visitor yesterday.

The new brick building which is now being erected on the corner of One Hundred and Thirty-second street and Erie avenue is almost completed. The owner is Mr. Martin Struke, who intends to use it for a dance hall.

The town board meeting of Burnham was held Saturday evening and as some of the business could not be transacted, the meeting was discontinued until Monday evening.

Mrs. John Patterson and Mrs. A. C. McDonnell drove to Hammond yesterday afternoon. When Mrs. McDonnell returned home later in the afternoon she was greatly surprised. When she walked into her house she found four of her lady friends enjoying themselves as they waited her return. A very pleasant afternoon was spent. A light luncheon was served. Those present were: Mrs. I. Silverman, Mrs. Ed. Jashe was greatly surprised when she Anderson.

Mrs. Starkweather and children are visiting relatives at Valparaiso, Ind.

Miss Mabel Anderson of Commercial avenue witnessed "A Broken Idol" at the Whitney theater Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. William Neil of Burnham spent Sunday afternoon with Rev. and Mrs. B. G. Swaney of the East Side. They found Mrs. Swaney just recovering from a severe attack of lagrippe.

Mr. Martin Carry has just opened a new poolroom in Mr. Living's building, next to Mr. Jordan's coal office.

The children of the M. E. Sunday school are busy getting ready for the Christmas entertainment to be given at the church Christmas eve.

### OYER.

A number from here left this morning for an extended trip through Texas to convince themselves of all that is claimed for that state with regard to climate, soil, etc.

Mrs. Phillip Kellman is quite sick at present.

The outdoor temperature this morning makes us feel as though we ought to move to a climate where overcoats and base burners are not needed.

Has it become useless to you? Could somebody else make use of it? Dispose of it by inserting a small ad in The Times' Bazaar and Exchange column.

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