

Local Happenings

Mrs. Graham is visiting with friends at Plano.
Miss Cora Blodgett spent Sunday at Oak Park, Illinois.
V. H. Balcan after a long siege of sickness is now up and down to his office.

Samuel Aischuler, of Aurora, will be the democratic orator here on November 5.
James Soper and family have moved to their new home at 2283 West Monroe street, Chicago.
James Chilvers is in Vandalia this week looking after his farming interests in that vicinity.

Miss Grace Peck entertained about twenty friends at a progressive euchre party on Saturday evening.
J. W. Nash is home from his trip to Peoria, where he has been at the grand lodge meeting of the Knights of Pythias.

Captain R. D. Parker is a delegate to the New Thought convention that meets in Saint Louis on October 25-28.
A party composed of C. V. Carpenter and wife, V. Simonson and wife, and Dr. W. A. Tope, who have been visiting the Saint Louis fair, are home again.

John Olson, who went to Oklahoma on the Frisco excursion last week, has purchased a three hundred and twenty acre farm in that territory.
Mrs. C. A. Radell, of Mauston, Wisconsin, and Mrs. G. Ramsey, of Milwaukee, were guests of Mrs. W. H. Radell the past week.

M. R. Smart is up to the times and is repairing and painting number 81 Elm street, 104 east Curtiss street and 81 and 83 south Carpenter street.
A teachers' convention was in session yesterday, and concludes today, at Evanston. All the local teachers, fourteen in number, are in attendance, and in consequence the schools were closed yesterday.

The Elgin papers contained glowing reports of the farewell sermon and reception given to Reverend Doctor F. F. Farniloe, who was recently transferred from Grace church at that place to the Methodist church here. We will reprint some of the interesting portions of the newspaper reports next week.

The Entertainment Course
The tickets for the entertainment course have been printed and will be distributed between the guarantors of the course, to sell. The price for the six entertainments will be one dollar and a half. A plan of the auditorium seating will be at Bush & Simonson's and at Carpenter's drug stores, and anyone who has purchased a ticket or tickets can have a seat "reserved" for himself, herself or family at seven o'clock in the evening of November 15. No reservations will be allowed for any but actual purchasers or members of their families, when tickets are presented by such.

Miscellaneous Locals
For Sale—One new large Oak heater at 73 north Main street.
Fine home-made candies at Perkins' bakery. Fresh every day.
Macarons and fine cakes at Perkins' bakery.
Notice to patrons. Physical and mental collapse of my father at Kankakee on October 8, necessitating his removal to the hospital, has compelled me to be absent from my Downers Grove office; to take charge of his business and property here since that date. My own office and business will remain closed until affairs are settled here. I will, however, be in my office at 33 South Main street, Downers Grove, on Saturday evening and Sunday morning October 29 and 30, for transaction of such business as demands immediate attention. George A. Dean, Kankakee, Illinois, October 27.

Wheaton Happenings
Dorris Stafford has purchased the J. G. Lorbeer lot on Knob Hill and will erect a house thereon at once. It was sold through F. E. Herrick.
Two marriages were celebrated here Sunday morning by Justice Herrick. The contracting parties were Thomas Kerwin and Miss Annie Walsh, both of Chicago, and Charles Utman and Miss Bessie Bairman, both also of Chicago.
The "Paramounts," a football team from Chicago, went up against the Wheaton "Hercules" last Saturday afternoon on Lawson field, to put them to the edge of the sword. The "paramount" issue at the end of the first half was "22 to 0," and the aforesaid Chicago team quit the game and returned to their home city, leaving the locals victors.
Pumpkin Pies and Doughnuts
Thursday night the annual pumpkin pie social that is held each year at E. O. Stanley's, Maple avenue, by the ladies' aid society of the Baptist church, occurred as usual. The house was elaborately decorated for the occasion, and the cherry rooms, enhanced by the autumnal floral decorations, proved a pleasant place to visit for an hour or so after supper. In the center of the room was a large pumpkin gaily decorated. After some musical renditions the ladies served great "cuts" of pumpkin pie to

the waiting crowd. Interspersed with the "pie" were doughnuts and coffee just to enliven the event. About a hundred were present. A feature of the occasion was the reading of the poetic and prose "experience" contributions of the ladies' aid members, telling how they earned the "dollar" contribution made during the summer for this occasion. About fifty dollars was realized.

"The Feast of Mondamin"
"Tis the moon when leaves are falling;
All the wild rice has been gathered,
And the maize is ripe and nacy,
Let us gather in the harvest,
Let us wrestle with Mondamin."
—The Song of Hiawatha.
Indian corn, or maize, is one of the most wonderful products of our most great country. You may know something of its many and varied uses, but you will know a great deal more after you have partaken of the feast that has been prepared by the Congregational Sunday school in the basement of the church on the evening of November 4. The serving will begin at five-thirty o'clock and continue until seven o'clock, in order that both the home people and the city workers may have ample opportunity to enjoy it. Come early and make room for those who must come late. Everything of the best. Supper twenty-five cents a plate. The following menu will be in order:
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Among the Churches

The woman's guild of Saint Andrew's church will hold their annual bazaar on December 8.

The official board of the Methodist Episcopal church met on Monday evening and decided to make some improvements at the parsonage.

The ladies' aid of the Methodist church will meet at the home of Mrs. M. A. Sacksteder, corner Middaugh and Prairie avenues, on Thursday, November 3.

Saint Andrew's Episcopal church—Services on Sunday afternoon, October 30; Sunday school, two-fifteen o'clock; evening prayer with sermon, three o'clock. Seats free. All are welcome.

Reverend F. F. Farniloe was called to Elgin on Thursday to assist at the funeral services of the late William Brady, of that city, who was one of the prominent officials of Grace Methodist church.

The subject of the sermon at the First Church of Christ, Scientist, for Sunday October 30, is "Adam and Fallen Man." Text: "As in Adam all die, even so in Christ shall all be made alive."—I. Corinthians xiii:22.

A "Harvest Home" service at the Baptist church, at ten-forty-five, will be given by the Sunday school. The vegetables raised by the children for prizes will be used in the decorations. Evening service at seven-thirty. Subject, "Jesus' Lesson from a Roman Coin."
Miss Rodkey, the new leader of the Methodist choir, is succeeding well in her work. On November 6 a special musical program will again be prepared for the evening service, similar to the one recently given and which was so well appreciated.

Next Sunday morning the quarterly meeting service and "Love Feast" of the Methodists will be held in the First Methodist church here. At nine-forty-five the meeting will be opened by the pastor, and at ten-forty-five Reverend Doctor Roe, presiding elder, will preach. Following the service the communion will be served. In the evening the pastor will preach.

The quarterly meeting of the West Side and Suburban Sunday school association will be held at Saint Barnabas' church, Chicago, on Thursday afternoon, November 3. There will be two services, commencing at four o'clock and seven-thirty. Supper will be served in the parish house at six o'clock. All the teachers of Saint Andrew's are expected to be present.

The November meeting of the Christian Endeavor society of the Congregational church will be held Monday evening at the house of Mrs. J. W. Graves, on Highland avenue. The date has been changed from Tuesday to Monday night, owing to the fact that the spirit of Hallow'en is to be observed. A good time is guaranteed for all.

A reception will be tendered to the new pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church, Reverend F. F. Farniloe, and his family on Saturday evening, in the church, at eight o'clock. All members of the congregation and friends, and the pastors and members of the other churches, are cordially invited to attend. At seven-thirty, and for a half hour before the reception, the regular quarterly meeting will be held. Reverend Doctor James Roe, presiding elder of the Joliet district, to which the Methodist church here has been added, will be present. All members of the official board are requested to be present.

Observe "Illinois Day"

The woman's club held a unique meeting on Wednesday afternoon. Members and guests to the number of eighty were present and listened to the early experiences of the pioneers of this country. The members responded to roll call by giving their place of nativity. Mrs. Galusha, of Warrenville, read the paper of the afternoon, her subject being "Glimpses Backward." It was a most interesting paper for young as well as the older guests. Mrs. James Frake, of Chicago, the new president of the Illinois federation of women's clubs, was present and gave a short talk to this, the first club to entertain her as the president. Major Hunt, of Naperville, Messrs. Cooper and Stacy, of Glen Ellyn, made short addresses, as did many of our resident guests. Light refreshments were served and a general good time was spent by all.

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