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OUR PLATFORM.

The News will be a local journal, strictly non-partisan in religion and politics. It will advocate those men and measures which seem most likely to promote the best interests of this city and its immediate environments. There is no call, nor is there any room for party politics in our municipal affairs. Nor is there any demand for denominational distinctions in the general life and work of a community like ours. Each person elects the party with which he will act and the church on whose ministrations he will attend, and each alike is his own personal affair, as the selection of a husband or wife, matters all entirely beyond the range of legitimate local journalism. Our editorial comments, therefore, will be directed to general movements and tendencies as such, irrespective of party or sectarian trademarks or shibboleths.

Being purely a local paper, and not having the responsibility of the great national political or other movements on its shoulders, it will give its best thought, judgment and knowledge to the elucidation and enforcement of such measures as will most largely contribute to the good of all our people; to the cultivation of strong and healthy local sentiments, and enthusiastic esprit de corps. As such we ask for it your patronage and generous, friendly support in every way possible.

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H. F. & A. E. EVANS.

We are glad to learn that Mr. C. C. Yoe and family decide to remain in the Park during the winter. The Park has winter attractions for people of culture and refinement not found in Chicago.

Judge D. A. Holmes has been confined to his home most of the week with a severe throat difficulty. A case set for trial Thursday afternoon before him was continued till the next week by Judge Hibbard according to law.

PERSONAL AND GENERAL.

Ex-Mayor D. M. Erskine took in the Stoddard lecture last Saturday in Chicago.

Miss. Virgie Field of the Chicago University spent Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. Allen.

Ex-alderman E. A. Warren is back in the Park again. Waukegan may do to work in, but there is no place like home.

There will be a free entertainment at the Young Men's Club at 8 o'clock tomorrow (Saturday) night. All young men are invited.

Miss. Bottum, one of our teachers, fell on the sidewalk and now goes about with her arm in a sling. Dr. Haskin reduced the dislocation.

Miss M. L. Pienkowsky, who has spent several months in the Park with her sister, Mrs. Geo. B. Cummings, left Saturday for other parts.

Frank Ellis left us Monday to engage in business for himself on the west side in Chicago. Everybody wishes him success, for he is one of the good young men of this town.

We propose to publish every week a full list of real estate transfers in Highwood, Ft. Sheridan, Highland Park and Ravinia from the entries in the county recorder's office in Waukegan.

The December issue of the "Bee Hive," pastor Thoren's paper, is the last one, as it has combined with the "Pathfinder," the organ of the K. L. C. E. Mr. Thoren will now read the News.

Robert Bowie, recently Prescription expert in Wilson's Champlain Bldg. Pharmacy, and formerly manager of Star's Lake View Drug Store, has accepted a position with Fred W. Schumacher.

Henry Ohlwein saw his daughter, Theodora, married Thanksgiving day to Charles L. Gesniner, of Princeton, Ill. Mr. Ohlwein is proprietor of the Ravinia Dairy, so that the guests had genuine cream in their coffee.

Attention is called to the advertisement of the Francis Owen company on the seventh page. Persons competent to judge say that the dramas and comedies enacted the last few nights have been among the best of the season.

W. B. Morgan, our young electrician, was the guest recently, by special invitation of the family of our old neighbor, E. E. Prussing, Esq., of Chicago. He reports a delightful day with that hospitable and cultured family.

The union Thanksgiving service was a great success. Pastor Thoren had one of the very best sermons we ever heard on such an occasion. About 75 people heard it. The singing was fine, but think of folks who need a book to sing America!

Mrs. Judge Hibbard is taking her annual vacation of a week in Chicago, while "his honor" has become an anthropophagite, or as the son of the Emerald Isle would say, "he ates himself." And he is just wicked enough to say bachelor life has its compensations!

H. S. Gail, a whilom candidate for police magistrate in this city, represents the "Lake Forester" in Highwood and its environs. He is also trying to push a new society with a name ten chains and sixteen links long and wants us to publish a lot of constitutions, by-laws, etc., which no one will read. Life is too short for some things.

The building may be architecturally perfect, the interior finishing and furnishings the best, the pupils bright and orderly, the teaching corps all that could be asked, but the school won't be perfect till the teachers get the "hang of the school house." So with starting a newspaper; it will take a few weeks to get everything into shape and up to our standard.

WANTED—A position by experienced man, coaching or general work about house. Terms reasonable. Inquire at News office, McDonald's block.