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LOCAL ITEMS.

Irene Lister has spent the holdays at home.

T. M. Tucker, our whilom Ravinia reporter, has moved to Chicago.

A Happy New Year, or it will be, if you subscribe at once for the News.

Cecil Whitmore has been at M. R. Williams' since Christmas with his mother.

Miss Carrie Ritter, of Milwaukee, is visiting with Peter Hintz, on Second street.

Miss Virgie Field, of the University of Chicago, is in the city for New Year's.

C. C. Cheney and his sons will be home from their Southern trip in season for the schools next week.

Mrs. N. O. Moore, of the Port Clinton district, has gone to Quincy to the burial of her father, who died last week in Dakota.

Mrs. Van Schaick was home in time for her home Christmas festivities. She left her son enjoying himself and doing well.

We are reading Dr. McClure's little book "Possibilities," and will tell you about it next week. In the meantime, you won't make any mistake if you buy it at once.

No, you always knew advertising did not pay, but Fred. W. Schmacher says the ads of his candies in the News sold his stock all out on short notice, and said also, "I am abundantly satisfied."

The News acknowledges the receipt of a very handsome home calendar from J. B. Denman, the Highwood Lumber and Coal man. We wish our friend and neighbor success and as beautiful a home as the one which adorns his calendar.

Mrs. Robie left Saturday last for the winter in the south to escape the rigors of our northern Illinois winter.

Her headquarters will be in New Orlans. Mrs. Ashton will have charge of the "Maples" during Mrs. Robie's absence, so the charming circle of boarders remains unbroken.

Gieser Bros, have the largest meat market in this city and lots of first class goods in it and east siders are steadily finding it out every week.

The subject for the sermon next Sunday at the Presbyterian church will be, "Jesus' Temptation to Avoid the Cross." Rev. S. M. Johnson, pastor.

Ladies Relief and Aid Society have their headquarters over the News office. Now, don't make any mistake and send your old clothes to the wrong place.

A. L. DuBois, of the Electric Light company, is home with his bride, from their wedding trip. Their home, for the present, is at F. M. Evans' on Central avenue.

This evening, December 31st, at her father's home in Chicago, Miss Jennie, eldest daughter of Charles L., and grand-daughter of the late S. R. Bingham, of this city, will be married to Mr. Ward Kimball, a prominent young business man of the same city.

The entertainment at Goldberg's Opera House Christmas evening was very fine and the large audience which greeted the playwrights went away more than satisfied. The Electric Vaudeville company will appear Thursday, Jan. 7th, with a troupe of first-class performers, having a fine wardrobe. Popular prices.

. C. W. Kirk was in the city Saturday greeting his hosts of old friends on the streets and at their places of business, and they were all glad to see him. He is looking better than when he went away, his life in Evanston is so free from burning, wearing care. The amount of work and energy and time and study he put into the late campaign is known only to the recording angel. But it was wearing; it was worse, it was exhausting to the last degree, and now this winter he is resting and recuperating. That's what he is in Evanston for. We all hope he will be so fully rested by spring as to come back and be a welcome leader among us.

A Massachusetts editor last week wished all his readers a "Happy New Year," and then told them they would be happy if they believed in the American Union and paid their bills!

Russell D. Hill, who has rented one of the elegant R. G. Evans' houses on Central avenue, was married Monday evening in Trinity Episcopal church, Chicago, to Miss Lucia E. Green, daughter of Judge John W. Green. They take a wedding trip and will be at home after February 15th, in this city.

Paul, the only son and heir of our esteemed neighbor, Edmund Norton, who is a cadet in the Orchard Springs, Michigan, military academy, has spent the holidays in the Park. He stands in the upper rank in his class and about 5.10 in his stockings, showing they live well up there and have a fine corps of instructors. Paul was always a good boy.

Some people thought those \$25 fines last week and costs, about \$20 more in each case, pretty rough on the Fort Sheridan Schacks. But bear in mind the legalized saloons, four of them up there, pay at the rate of \$83.33 each per month for their license and these schacks can afford to be raided any little while and then make money. What the people are bound to do is to wipe them out entirely, and they will do it; don't you forget that.

A. P. Dunn, the "Corner Store" news man, is off, no one knows where, for a little holiday trip. Now, when a waiting anxious public bears in mind this is one of the very busy seasons of the year, they recognize the significant fact that only the most important and pressing business would call him away. Coupled with this fact is the further fact that this time of year is when Cupid, as well as newspaper publishers, reaps his harvest. Verily, Mr. Dunn's absence is another of "Cupid's Capers", of which we have had one or two lately.