

**HIGH SCHOOL NOTES.**

Prof. Wilson is back again, large as life and twice as natural.

Miss Mary Turtle called on her old school-mates Wednesday afternoon.

The class of '97 have received their class pins. It is a very pretty little pin, in the class colors, blue and gold. Blue for their feelings at leaving school; gold for their golden dreams of the future.

About a week ago John Obee had the misfortune to step accidentally on the point of a pair of ice tongs. The point went through his foot, making a bad wound. Dr. Haskins was called and dressed it. John was confined to his bed for a few days, but hopes to be out soon.

The afternoon of the last Friday in each month is given up to literary exercises. On the 26th inst. there will be several essays and declamations and a debate on the question, "Is Wealth a Greater Power in the World than Learning?" Mabel Gray, Edna Wilmot and Will Belmore will argue for wealth and Lillian Freie, George Millard and Edna Wilmot for learning. Visitors welcome.

Following is the number of absences and tardinesses for January and the year ending with January:

	JAN.	YEAR.	JAN.	YEAR
Seniors (6)	4	8	1	3
Juniors (11)	30	99	7	45
Sophomore (7)	21	47	2	4
Freshmen (28)	62	197	9	37

The seniors set the others a good example which they would do well to follow, especially the freshmen.

**RAVINIA ITEMS.**

The material is being hauled to the new school site preparatory to building in the spring.

Miss Eva Sanborn of Clay Center, Kansas, has come to spend a few months with her aunt, Mrs. J. J. Hesler.

L. M. Comstock has taken the contract to make extensive improvements on the Inman house. He will be assisted by John A. Dings.

The officers of the Epworth League and the Sunday School met in business session last Monday evening. The work was thoroughly discussed and plans made for the immediate improvement of both. New song books, which are badly needed, will probably be purchased soon.

A party of ladies from Evanston accompanied by the Duffell brothers and some of their artists, gave a very pleasing entertainment at the Home Tuesday evening. The ladies with

Mrs. Hartman furnished refreshments, while the string orchestra discoursed music to the great delight of the inmates and visitors. The very pleasant evening was enjoyed by everybody and the time was all too short for entire satisfaction.

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