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Mrs. David Fritsch of Deerfield, who is suffering greatly with cancer of the liver, is not expected to revive.

Our High School correspondent is at his home, Glenmoore, sick, hence literature from that altitude is wanting this week.

W. F. Edwards, after 18 years service as constable, offers himself again to the public for re-election. Mr. Edwards knows his duties thoroughly and is a perfectly fearless officer.

Mrs. William Tillman expects to leave for Missouri next week, where she intends staying with her uncle for a few months. The News wishes her a happy journey and full restoration to health.

Mrs. Morford, of Hinsdale, delivered a very interesting and instructive lecture on "Art in the Public Schools," before the Ossoli club yesterday afternoon. The Hinsdale ladies have made great progress in this line.

We had a stool for our desk made and upholstered five and twenty years ago. The other day we had Alex Norlein overhaul it and now it is better than when new; the cushion is easier and it is more satisfactory in every respect.

The list of jurors from East Deerfield, given in the News last week, was incorrect. We copied it from some of the county papers. It did not contain the name of John Stupey and did contain Mr. Burke, a name of Warren. We like to have these little things correct, even if no one is hurt.

We are happy to state that A. P. Dunn contemplates another trip to Europe for one of his unique collections of foreign curios. His former trip was so immensely successful that he anticipates large results. Meantime he has a choice collection of plants from all quarters of the globe which he is happy to show his friends.

Strange state of things—not a man or woman wants any work! Not a family wants help of any kind. Happy place, everyone has all he wants, and no desire for more. Surely this is Arcadia and Utopia combined, with Eldorado annexed. P. S. If anyone should at any future time want work or help, let the News know it, and it will help you.

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