

**HIGHWOOD HAPPENINGS.**

Philander Gillette has been sick this week.

Miss Thea Nelson leaves Saturday for Mississippi to join her sister, Mrs. Wilson.

Harry Clappitt has moved into Julius Laegler's place. Mr. Laegler's family is now living over Sam Ming's laundry, in the flat owned by Charles Unbehaun.

Nelson Mowers has rented his house to the Hon. Mr. Pettit, who has been staying with Mr. Marsh. Mr. Mowers will move to the house in Port Clinton occupied by Sgt. Von Wedel, owned by J. S. Prall.

The annual meeting of the township Sunday school convention will be held at the M. E. church here Sunday, May 9th, from 2:30 to 5 p. m. H. H. Thoren, secretary of the township association, has promised good speakers, and the Sunday school will discourse sweet music. All are invited to attend.

The old board of trustees held its last regular meeting Tuesday evening. Little was done, except ordering the payment of current bills. A ditch was ordered on the east side of Central avenue, from Prairie avenue south to the golf grounds and with a culvert under the road just south of Samuel Breakwell's cottage.

A party of Good Templars went out to Libertyville on Saturday to attend the final heat of the county declamation contest. They drove out in one of W. E. Cummings' two-seated rigs. After enjoying the "feast of reason," etc, they started back at about 11 o'clock. When about a mile this side of Halfday, they got stuck in the road, and the horses becoming balky, refused to stir. After persistent effort, the horses moved at 5:30, but only to back down into the ditch and break the pole. Now there was only one alternative, so Andrew Roberg walked into Cummings' and had another rig sent out. The party arrived somewhat tired at about 9 Sunday morning.

Messrs. Burke & Storms of the Antioch "News" have begun the publication of a new paper, "Milk Shippers' Bulletin," for the special benefit of those who ship milk to Chicago. As it is only 50 cents a year every milk dealer or shipper ought to have it. They are enterprising men, in the midst of a milk district and will produce a paper worth the money. We have not seen it, but know what they will do. Leave subscriptions here if you wish for it.



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School election tomorrow at the north school house from 4:30 to 7.

Owing to the illness of the pastor, Rev. Mr. Hocking supplied the pulpit Sunday evening.

Father Coffin made a brief visit to the Home last week and addressed the men on Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Morris of Highland Park and Mr. Farnsworth of Evanston, rendered special music which was enjoyed by all. Few seemed aware of the fact, but last Sunday was Mr. Starr's birthday, he being 40 years of age.

The Epworth League was entertained by the social committee at the home of Mr. Ordway on last Friday evening. After a short business session the meeting adjourned to the pleasures of the evening. After sliced quotations were properly put together, fruit was served, followed by games which were enjoyed by all. All went home at 11:10, having enjoyed the entertainment to the eminent satisfaction of the social committee. The League is planning to celebrate Sunday, May 16, with a special program, it being the eighth anniversary of the organization of the Epworth League. Special music and speaking are assured by the committee in charge.

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