ABOUT TOWN.

For anything in the furniture line call on the handy man. Pierson.

Miss Alice Watson returns to Ogontz, near Philadelphia.

George D. Boulton has put a new roof on his house this week.

Miss Eva Egan left yesterday for school at Pelham Manor, N. Y.

Miss I. V. Hammond, of Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, is visiting Mrs. M. R. Hammond.

Frances Hawkins goes next week to Stamford, Conn., for another year's schooling.

Pastor Thoren will address the county Christain Endeavor convention at Ivanhoe tomorrow afternoon.

The summer boarders still linger in Highland Park. You can't drive them away; they are so attached to this beautiful suburb that they won't leave.

The Baptists have a committee at work making arrangements for a regular supply of their pulpit from October first, when the regular services will be resumed.

Herman Denzel, the old reliable east side barber, finds business increasing so rapidly with the incoming prosperity that he has engaged Will Warren to help him.

The Northwestern trains broke the records yesterday; the 9.30 came along at 10.15. They stopped in Waukegan forty-five minutes to let the passengers see the new harbor.

John Mohr, the barber, is having a new rock maple floor laid in his shop, and it makes one of the neatest and cleanest shops in this vicinity. Contractor Rioux supervised the job.

Just a gentle hint for families who are going to winter here; put in your winter's supply of wood now while it is kiln dried by this drought, and before it is water-soaked by the fall rains.

Earl Purdy reports the fellow who hired Mr. Basye's team was in his store and tried to rent one of his tandems, but the "doctor" was not fresh enough to rent to a light fingered dude.

DeWitt C. Purdy has four men now working in the shop to keep up with business. He is putting one of his excellent Craig-Reynold's furnaces in the new Ravinia school house.

John Moore, who served as tonsorial artist here for years, till he sold out and went to carpentering for his health and later run a shop in Highweed, has returned to his old stand on the west side, formerly occupied by Will Warren.

Miss Caroline Shields is attending school at Ferry Hall, Lake Forest, one of the best schools in the west, or the country for that matter.

If you want a superb luncheon in Chicago, go to Schlesinger & Mayer's new French cafe. Their chef is J. B. Seghers, formely of the Chicago and Union League clubs. It is the only cafe of the kind in this country.

Henry Clay Basye went to Milwaukee, Wednesday, and saw Patchen trot. He says nearly 50,000 other people fooled away their money to see the same thing. Prosperity came to the Wisconsin state fair that day.

Theodore Schwarz started yesterday morning for France with his three daughters, whom he will place in a school over three for two or three years' courses of study. Miss Nellie Shields went to Chicago to see them off.

A harvest supper will be given by the Woman's Missionary Society of the First United Evangelical church next week Thursday, September 30, from 5 to 9 o'clock p. m., in Goldberg's Opera House. A good patronage is solicited. Prices: adults, 20 cents; children, 15 cents.

The three suits against Mrs. Julia D. Butler, which were called in Judge Hibbard's court for Wednesday evening were changed to Judge Dooley's and set for Saturday evening. Mrs. Butler can keep an ordinary court room laughing most of the time about as well as any one we ever saw.

Professor Bert Cole entered the bicycle race at the Lake county fair in Libertyville last week. He borrowed one of the Mason wheels for the occasion, so as to give the wheel a glorious send-off. When the race came off, he scorched ahead at a fearful rate and came out nearly one lap behind all the other fellows.

Lawyer B. W. Schumacher returned from his vacation Saturday evening, and tomorrow evening he will guide the legal bark of our neighbor, Mrs. Julia D. Butler's through Judge Dooley's court, if Mrs. Butler's irresistable jokes don't upset the craft and plunge the whole lot into the deep waters of the circuit court.

Have you seen that chainless, punctureless and windless bicycle in Purdy's shop window? If not, it will pay you to see it. We think it is the one on which Judge Comstock, the erstwhile trick rider of Ravinia, used to perform his celebrated antics. The wheel is scheduled to start for Klondyke February 2nd, 1898, at four o'clock a. m. Who will sit the saddle and propel the pedals is not yet revealed.

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