#### OF LOCAL INTEREST.

Buttericks patterns for sale at Miss Erskine's.

Dr. Potter found the Park such an "awfully healthy" place that he has left the city.

Who has gone to the state Fair this week? Some one should keep up the reputation of the town for raising the biggest pumpkins.

Druggist Fred W. Schumacher and family leave tomorrow to spend about tendays among friends in Michigan. Fred has sold so much soda that he is all tired out.

The Chicago Tribune man has been around here selling a Klondyke map and giving away the paper, or the other way, and the "gold fever" is stirring among a lot of 16 to 1 fellows.

President Loss, of the electric street railway company, was in town Wednesday morning, to see about driving the first spike in his new road. Let us know, Mr. Loss, when it comes off and we will make a speech appropriate for the occasion.

There is one thing we have "agin" the summer resident: he lets the weeds have full swing, go to seed and stock the place down to weeds as soon as he gets his fill of the "garden sass." That is, some summer residents do that, and some know how to farm it.

We want the city marshal arrested and fined for setting the sprinkler on the city building lawn so it throws the water all over the sidewalk. He has common folks fined for such things; I thim suffer also. Then we are constitutionally opposed to sprinkling – in that way anyhow.

The Woman's Missionary Union, of the Presbyterian church, announce a meeting for Monday evening, October 4th, at 8 o'clock, to be addressed by Mrs. De Voie, six years a missionary in Alaska. This lady is a charming speaker, and her subject (Alaska) is of interest to all. The meeting will be held in the lecture room of the church. All are cordially invited.

Charles H. Baker, of Raffen and Baker, found their business increasing so, that they wanted scales of greater capacity than their old ones. Hence he looked all around at the Fairbanks, Howe and Buffalo, all first class machines, and finally decided on a six ton Fairbanks; than which there is no better scale in the world. We happen to know something about the construction of scales, and we have examined these very carefully and find them as near perfect as such a scale can be made. They can not only weigh big loads, but can do it with absolute accuracy.

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