

RAVINIA ITEMS.

Rev. E. J. Heathcote has been ill, although still attending to his church duties.

The Improvement society meets next Monday evening at 8 o'clock. Percy Hill is chairman of the literary committee.

J. J. Hesler started last Thursday on his vacation trip to Ruthven, Iowa, where he will stay about ten days hunting ducks and prairie chickens, etc.

A change in time of the meetings is desired by some of the church members and friends. The question has been thrown open for discussion, and all interested are invited to express an opinion, and an attempt will be made to arrange things so as to suit the convenience of the largest number who will attend.

The sidewalk is about finished so that there is now a complete walk from Roger Williams avenue to Messrs. McKenzie and Comstock's. This has been a long time coming, but the one on Judson avenue has been as long on the way and has not arrived yet. We hope it will be completed before winter comes on.

The walk which was destroyed by fire on Railroad avenue has not yet been replaced. As it is in the city of Highland Park it is expected that the city officials will see that the proper ones are called upon to do their part. Whether the Railroad Co. or the city is liable for the value of the sidewalk, the city is certainly liable for damages which may arise from people who may be injured by the dangerous condition of the walk.

Married—Miss Matilda Marquardt and James Hesler were united in marriage at 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon, October 27th. The ceremony took place at the home of the bride, who is the daughter of Mrs. Fred Fisher. The bride wore white satin decorated with bride roses and carnations. The pastor of the German Lutheran church tied the knot for the young couple. An elegant supper was served after the ceremony and dancing was enjoyed by the many friends of the happy pair. They took no wedding tour, but went immediately to their new home, which has just been completed. Mr. and Mrs. Hesler have our congratulations and best wishes for the future.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES.

Roland Pease, of the class of '94, visited our school Thursday morning.

We are to have a debate the 12th of this month, the subject being: "Resolved—That the Time Has Now

Arrived for the United States to Take Possession of Cuba."

Miss Isabelle Clark has been sick with a cold for the past two weeks and has been unable to attend school.

All energetic, studious persons outside of the school are cordially invited to join the class. Six young men have already done so.

On the afternoon of Friday, Oct. 29, the students of the High School met in the school rooms, after the close of school, and organized a Chicago Record Home Study Circle for the purpose of studying mechanical drawing. W. J. Pack, a representative of the Record, was present. The officers elected were Frank J. McCaffrey, president; C. M. Hole, secretary; and J. N. Finney, treasurer. Prof. W. A. Wilson was appointed to inquire the cost of instruments, etc., used in the study of mechanical drawing, and he reported at the next meeting the cost would not exceed \$2.00. The school board has generously supplied us with light and fuel for our evening class, which will meet on Monday of each week.

HIGHWOOD HAPPENINGS.

F. E. Woodruff's dog, Sport, was killed by a train last week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Jewell went to the horse show last Wednesday.

Mrs. W. A. Hicks, of Lake Geneva, Wisconsin, spent Sunday with Mrs. H. N. Cooper.

The I. O. O. F. masquerade ball will occur this evening at the lodge rooms over Hogan's store.

S. J. Pease sings Sunday mornings in the choir of the Presbyterian Church, at Highland Park.

The Salvation Army girls who were expected to make a two weeks canvas of the town, were unable to make arrangements to be here.

A Halloween party was held last Saturday evening at the home of W. Tward. A large party was present and enjoyed dancing until a late hour.

The Rev. J. S. Crossman, from Garrett Biblical Institute at Evanston, preached last Sunday evening. He will also preach next Sunday, both morning and evening.

The city of Highland Park should take some steps in regard to the sidewalk just north of the picnic grounds on Railroad avenue, which was burned about two weeks ago. The walk for about 200 feet is all torn up and the half-burned ends of the planks obstruct the passage way. The place is positively dangerous on a dark night, and the city is liable for damages. It ought to be fixed.

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