THE CHORAL CONCERT

Our local Choral Union under the tuition of Mrs. Ben Jones and Miss Wycoff, will give its first annual concert next Thursday evening, June 7 th, in the Presbyterian Church. The Union will be assisted by Mr. Hall. The program, herewith appended, is not only a varied, but a very choice one and one therefore which commends itself at once to the judgment and appreciation of all lovers, as well as critics of good music.

To the residents of the Park it is enough to mention the names of our two artists in charge of the entertainment to satisfy them of its classical and high order of merit, for their work has no other qualities.

The tickets are 75 cents each to help meet the expenses of the Union in its noble work of musical culture of so high an order in our midst and rightfully appeals to everyone who has not only the general, but especially the musical well being of our city at heart. All the factors of our high grade civilization cost not only money, often the smallest part, but toil and work and patience and infinite pains.

Chorus—Song of the Triton.....Taylor
Organ Solo—Grand Offertoire in D.....Batiste
Mr. Dickinson
Choruses—O, Hush Thee My Baby...Sullivan
The Miller's Wooing.....Faning
Tenor Solos—To Mary.....M. V. White
Mein Leid Ertouent.....Dvorak
Mr. Hall
Chorus—Last Night.....Kjerulf
Tenor Solo and Chorus
Sanctus from St. Cecelia Mass.....Gounod
Mr. Hall and the Choral Society
Chorus—Hallelujah Amen
From Judas Maccabaens.....Handel

EUROPEAN TRIP.

Just at the last hour we learned that Prof. Gray was to deliver a lecture last evening before the Highland Park Club on from "London to Constantinople." The audience, fair sized and as the Professor said "select," was a little slow in gathering, the summer evenings are so long now.

It was carefully written and decidedly racy and enjoyable, less descriptive of places and scenery than of personal experiences and impressions. His two minute account of his railroad ride through and out of London, gave us a better idea of it than anything we have ever read or heard. So of the train's arrival at old Dover. The trip across the Channel to Calais was inmitable, and gave us temporary touches of "qualms — not of conscience" of which he spoke.

The account of his ride in a first class compartment with four typical English fellow travellers, was immensely rich; the custom house experiences was perfect, for we lived twenty years on the border, where such things were of almost daily occurence. He gave us such an idea of the glide down the mountains from the exit of the Mt. Cenis tunnel as we never had. Then the touches of life in Rome and southern Italy were fresh. It was ludicrous enough to be told at the hotel, where Mrs. Gray had boarded for a week awaiting his arrival, that she was not there, and not find her for six hours after he had registered, albeit she was in the house all the time.

But to us, his experiences and descriptions of Constantinople were the best of all, its dogs, its noises, its beauties, —its smells he did not attempt—and its Sultan. We have many times read descriptions of the Sultan going to his prayers, but nothing in life like vivideness and reality equalled Prof. Gray's. That in fact to us was the charm of the entire lecture, all seasoned with his ever present, well known humor.

The paper ought to go to some of our best magazines: it is too good and instructive to grow yellow with age in the bottom of his unclerical barrel of unpublished documents.

The Council meets in regular session next Tuesday evening.

Buttericks patterns for sale at Miss Erskine's.

NEWSLETS.

Captain and Mrs. Robinson have rented their pleasant home on Central avenue and gone for the summer to a farm in Michigan, where the Captain will renew his youth. They left Wednesday, and their home is now occupied by Mr. Byford of Chicago.

One of the cheapest homes for a year in this city is an eight room cottage, brick, built only three years ago, well finished in Georgia pine, with city water, and a choice large garden all planted. Recent changes in the train service compels its present occupant, Conductor Vance Chamberlain, to leave town. Inquire of his wife or at this office. Rent very low.

After three long, weary months of the grippe, including one or two severe relapses, our fellow citizen, George D. Boulton has so far recovered as to be out on the porch a portion of each day. But he shows plainly that he has been a very sick man, has lost flesh and strengh, which he is now slowly regaining. He is still quite weak and finds as all victims of the grippe, that his legs are very weak, and that old time vigor returns very slowly, albeit he has a good appetite, relishes and digests his food well. But the fact is the physical man has to be rebuilt throughout and the process is both slow and protracted

HIGHWOOD HAPPENINGS.

Rev. Halsey G. Gavitt left Tuesday for Tampa, Fla.

Mrs. Henry L. Harvey has passed the crisis of her typhoid fever, and is rapidly recovering.

Garrity & Brown are moving their market this week into their new building just north of the post office.

The new administration has been inaugurated at the post-office. Chas. Carey hands out the mail, assisted by Miss Josephine Savage, while Post-master Cummings puts his head in at the door once in awhile to inquire about the weather.

On the evening of Decoration day about 40 chickens were taken from the coop of the Purcellis of Lake Forest. The booty was traced to the rooms of Thomas Myers, in the Post Hotel. A search warrant was issued and when the constable searched the premises, he found not only the stolen chickens, but also valuable property of every description, some of which was afterward identified by persons who had missed them. Mr. Myers took to the woods and has not yet been found, but his accomplice, Mrs. Rosamond H. Carpenter, was tried before Justice Cummings in the city hall Wednesday, and was held to the grand jury.

HIGHWOOD AND FORT SHERIDAN.

Beautiful Platinum Photos only $2.00 at Hartwell's.

A daughter was born to Mrs. Chas. Gordon on Monday.

The Misses Gothlins of Evanston spent Sunday with Miss Bell.

Forty-eight recruits from the hospital corps left for Camp Thomas, Ga., Tuesday night, where they will be stationed for duty till further orders.

Mrs. Sergt. Cornell left for Springfield to visit Mr. Cornell who has orders awaiting for removal to unknown destination. Mr. Cornell is commissionary Serg't and is one of the busy men at this time.

The latest developements of the Myer robbery brings to light Mr. Butlers', of Lake Forest, $350. worth of furniture, also a resident of Highland Park has identified some property which reduces the stock but very little.

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FOR SALE—A closed carriage and a single buggy at a bargain. Inquire of H. M. Prior.

FOR SALE—Horse, carriage and harness; gentle; fit for lady to drive; a bargain. Call or address, Mrs. Lieut. Conklin, No. 7 first loop, Fort Sheridan.

FOR SALE—1 six-hole range with hot water attachment, 1 air-tight wood heater, 1 laundry stove, 1 oak bedstead, spring and mattress. W. A. Wilson.

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Paul Gerhardt,
Max Morgenstern
Highwood, Ill., June 1, 1898.

Dissolution Notice.

The firm of Garrity & Brown is this day dissolved by mutual consent. J. V. Garrity will continue the business and collect and pay all bills.

J. V. Garrity.
J. E. Brown.
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