

NEWSLETS.

Miss Easter Holmes attended the teachers' convention in Springfield this week.

The Misses King and Bottum are spending the holiday vacation in Coldwater, Mich.

A marriage license has been granted Fred C. Glader, aged 21, and Miss Nellie Duggan, 18, of Highland Park.

Miss Kate Stoddard, principal of the public school, visited in Valparaiso, Ind., and her home in Lincoln, Nebraska, while on her holiday vacation.

Remember that at Schumacher's pharmacy is the only place you can buy Plows' and Allegrettis' candy fresh from the factory.

We thank W. J. Hemstreet, the hustling Chicago agent for the Liverpool & London & Globe Insurance Co., for a handsome business house calendar.

Mr. and Mrs. James Grant and children came out Christmas. The parents returned Monday, leaving the children for a few days more with their old Park friends.

The Ossoli Club meets in regular session next week Thursday afternoon. The paper of the session will be by Mrs. Nanny Darsey Brown on Tolstoi or the Application of Ideas to Life.

Most acceptable among the Christmas presents we received was a box of the choicest candies and sweet meats from Mrs. Bock's famous grocery store. It generally seems wicked for us to spend our money for such luxuries, but when given to us we have a whole set of incisors, molars, bicuspedes, etc all on edge for the delicacies. We just revel in what is left of that box; it has been an enjoyment long drawn out.

Commencing Jan. 1, 1899, there will be skating three nights a week at the roller skating rink at Fort Sheridan Park, Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday. Also on the forenoons and afternoons of those days, between the hours of 9 and 12 a. m., and 1 and 5 p. m.

Hot soda at Schumacher's.

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Edmund Norton and family leave the Park Tuesday next, for Indianapolis. Mr. Norton has secured a flour milling establishment near that city, at a great bargain, and takes possession the first of the year. We deeply regret their departure, as we have numbered them among our dear friends for a decade, and all their friends in this city will wish them abundant success in their new home.

Supt. Edward M. Laing of the Water Works has loaned us a book by Allen Hazen, one of the well known engineers of the country on the "Filtration of Public Water Supplies." It is an up-to-date book and if its conclusions are reliable, and we have no doubt they are, the thing for this city to plan for in the near future is a filtering bed on the lake shore. We have no doubt of that whether it will remove all the bacteria or not, it will remove so large a proportion that it will pay us to have one, if we value human life.

THE BRAND REUNION.

Old Mrs. Brand has long wished to have her children and grandchildren gather once more about her family fireside for an old time family reunion, but not till Thursday the 29th, did all things conspire for the realization of her wish. The day was perfect, more like April than December, and they gathered at her home on Second street, to the number of 35, all told, and sat down to the old parental fireside and richly laden dinner table, a happy family, and "grand-ma" Brand's heart was full.

It was to her the life of former years lived over again, only her children had grown older and grandchildren had come, so that she could hardly believe her own eyes when she saw them all. But her heart is big enough to take them all in, and warm enough to give them all a comfortable place in her affections. It was a blessed sight, the memory of which will comfort her heart these declining years.

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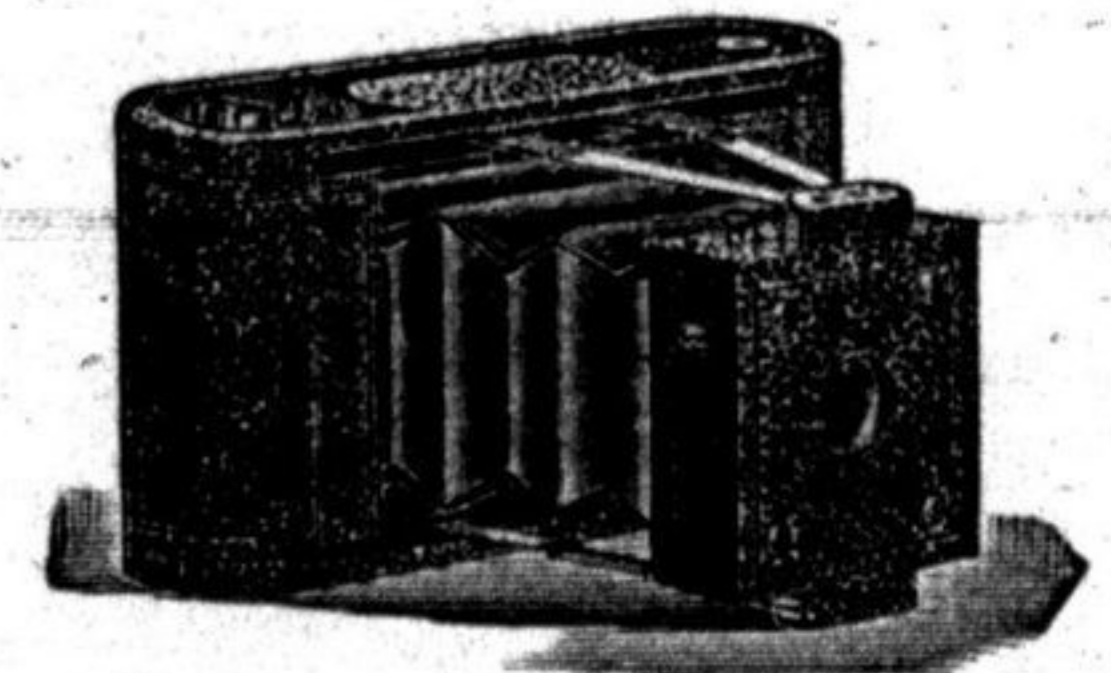
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