

## Highland Park Department

Mr. Ed. Small has returned from his southern trip.

Mr. John A. Roach visited the Park last Saturday.

Mr. J. McGregor Adams was a Park visitor Sunday.

Mr. J. R. Cole of Racine was the guest of F. M. Evans Sunday.

Mr. H. Rubens has rented the A. S. Campbell house for the summer.

Mr. Clark of Chicago was a guest on Saturday last of Mr. W. B. White.

Mrs. Downs, a former resident of the Park, visited here with friends over Sunday.

Mr. Pfanstiehl recently received an offer from an Omaha church to become its pastor.

Miss Jane Finney of Waukegan spent Sunday with Misses Stella and Louise Finney.

Mr. F. B. Mauck of Chicago, has rented the Emerson house and will soon move into it for the summer.

Mrs. Clarissa Dwight Wilmot, widow of the late Lyman Wilmot, of west Deerfield, died Monday, aged 87 years. She was an old and respected resident, having resided in the county over 50 years.

Three hundred and three votes cast in Highland Park for trustee of school and member of high school board of education. Mr. Schauffer had 283 for member of high school board and Mr. William Millard received 302 for trustee of school. There were 55 votes cast by ladies, who manifested unusual interest in the election.

Mr. William Tillman, who has been superintendent of the Exmoor golf grounds since the organization of the club, has severed his connection with it, on account of the demands on his time of his growing business of general teaming and beautifying of lawns. Mr. Tillman is an old and respected resident of the Park, who understands his business thoroughly and all who entrust him with their work can feel assured of a first class job at reasonable price.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Loeb's 11-day-old baby girl died Sunday.

Ross Fletcher left Sunday last for Manila where he will enter service in the army.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin of Chicago, visited with Mr. and Mrs. John Sheahen Sunday.

Mr. H. D. Dickenson and family contemplate moving to Austin, Ill., about the middle of the month.

The W. S. Lrsher house is rented for the summer to Mr. and Mrs. Richardson, who were its occupants last summer.

Miss M. L. Cobb left Chicago last week with Mrs. Geneva Johnston Bishop for a concert tour in southern California, New Mexico and Kansas.

The Rev. Pfanstiehl will resume his series of sermons on the Lord's Prayer, interrupted by his vacation. Next sabbath the text will be: "Forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors."

The members of the Presbyterian church have about secured the amount desired by them to cover the expenses of erecting a parsonage, and the building which promises to be a very pretty one, will be started early in May.

Mr. Hugh MacFarlane will commence building a handsome home on the site of the former MacFarlane house on Linden Park Place. The new home, which replaces the one destroyed by fire, will be of brick and will start building early in May.

The efforts of the NEWS-LETTER to agitate the question as to the opening of Vine ave, across the railroad, have induced some of the Park's citizens to get out a petition that is being signed by such a large number of interested property owners that prompt and favorable action by the new council seems assured. Undoubtedly the C. & N. W. R. R., would prefer to put in a viaduct on Vine ave, rather than have a grade crossing to maintain at that point.

The annual meeting and election of officers of the Highland Park Public School Art League will be held on Tuesday, April eighteenth, at the public school, at three-thirty. Miss Cushman will give a "chalk talk," and it is hoped that all members will be present.

The Montgomery house has been rented for the summer to Mr. W. F. Baker of Chicago. Mr. Montgomery will build a temporary home on Maple avenue near the lake bluff, north of W. S. Cunningham's house and will soon commence erecting another and more substantial residence on the same property.

We are glad to announce that next Friday evening, April 21st, our people will have an opportunity to hear the "Ferry Hall Glee Club" in their delightful entertainment, singing, elocution, etc, at the Presbyterian church. They come under the auspices of Rev. Pfanstiehl's Sabbath School class of young men— Do not miss this rare treat. The young ladies are charming.

The North Shore Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, met last Saturday in the beautiful home of Mrs. Albert Paul Smith. After the song, "The Old Thirteen," sung by Captain and Mrs. Burke, the usual routine business of the chapter was transacted. Then Miss A. R. LaBar, the regent, made her report of the eighth continental congress, which was held in Washington in February. This report, although very long, was so interesting that it was listened to with the closest attention and profitably discussed. Miss LaBar reported more than 27,000 members in the U. S., and \$300,000 expended in hospital work and various methods of relief for soldiers during the war with Spain. The receptions and teas for the delegates were numerous, the reception tendered them by President and Mrs. McKinley being especially enjoyable. The chapter gave Miss LaBar a vote of thanks for the very able manner in which she had represented them, and for the full report made. Mrs. Burke again sang most acceptably and after adjournment the chapter enjoyed further hospitality extended by Mrs. and Miss Smith.