the request was referred to the committee on streets and alleys with power to act.

A petition requesting a subway on North avenue under the C. & N.-W. railway and also the electric railway was referred to the committee on streets and alleys for investigation.

The president stated that A. W. Harris & Co. had agreed to look after the redemption of \$5,000 of the outstanding bonds, to carry \$5,000 additional until collections were made to take them up and also to refund the remaining \$8,000 at 4½ per cent. for eighteen months. The written offer not having been received no action was taken.

Attorney Osgood stated that he had consulted a tax sale agent and had turned over to him the tax sale certificates for investigation.

On the suggestion of Trustee de Windt the clerk was directed to get bids for sprinkling the streets during the coming summer.

The attorney presented copies of an ordinance making the annual appropriation, and also for levying a tax for the current expenses of the ensuing fiscal year, and recommended the passage of the appropriation ordinance.

The attorney suggested that the clerk procure postal cards to notify owners of property abutting on defective sidewalks that repairs were needed.

The president called a meeting for next Monday evening, when the electric light question will be considered by the board.

On motion of Trustee Baker, s conded by Trustee Curran, the bonds of A. F. Irons and G. Bisset, as plumbers, were unanimously accepted.

The clerk was directed to notify village officials that a report for the the month of May would be required of them at the first meeting in June. On motion the meeting adjourned.

Glencoe Women's Club.

The Women's Reading Club held its annual meeting, as well as its 26th anniversary at the residence of Mrs. U. B. Kletzing Thursday afternoon of last week. The meeting was called to order by the president. A

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hymn, "Blest be the tie that binds". was sung after which Mrs. Hiram Day led in prayer. Mrs. Thomas King then followed with a piano solo, White Lilies. The secretary's report for last meeting was read and approved. The president, Mrs. John Parry, gave a short address, followed by the librarian's report. Mrs. Taylor of Winnetka, read a paper on " Art for the child. " Mrs. Ernst, of Willmette, spoke at some length on the same question; Mrs. MacLeish was asked to speak and she supplemented what the others had said. Miss Curtis sang a solo, Spring Flowers, accompanied by Mrs. Hurford on the piano and Miss Hurford on the violin. The secretary's report of the last annual meeting and the treasurer's report for the year were read and approved. Mrs. S. R. Hurford gave a 25 years retrospect of the club. A trio, The Echo, by Mesdames Parry, Allison and Clementi followed, after which the fol-

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