• Winnetka Department • •

Mr. J. G. Weart is in Wisconsin.

Miss Helen Hess is visiting Mrs. I. Kiem.

Mrs. Wm. Margerum is visiting in Catawissa, Pa.

Miss Ella Lucas is spending a few weeks in Michigan.

Mrs. Carl Behm is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. Butz.

Miss Paulina Lyons is the guest of friends in Indiana.

Miss Pauline Taylor has returned from her visit in Chicago.

Mrs. Suane is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. Brown,

Miss Jaenette Finley is visiting friends in the wooden nut meg state.

Miss Gertrude Thorne returned July 25 from her outing in Wisconsin.

Mrs. J. Webster of Wheaton, Ill., is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Gramm.

Mr. Carlton Prouty and cousin are camping for a short time in Wisconsin.

Mrs. Charles Eastman and children have returned from a visit in Indiana.

News items and subscriptions may be left with Miss Scrimgeour at the post-office.

Prof. Aug. F. Uhe has been spending a few days of the past week in Rockford.

Work on Mrs. A. M. White's house on Lincoln avenue is progressing very fast.

Miss Emma J. Mead of Chicago is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Taylor, Jr.

Mr. J. E. Bradstreet and son, Percy, have returned from a two weeks' trip in the east.

Mr. Louis Favour, who recently went to Mississippi on a brief visit, is expected to return soon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Bowers of New Haven, Conn., are spending the summer with L. Bower in the Greeley house.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Arnold and Miss Alice Arnold of Cambridge, Mass., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Coffin.

Mrs. T. F. Mackey of the "Star of Hope Mission," Chicago, will speak at the Winnetka Congregational church, Sunday, July 30th, at 11 o'clock, regarding her city work. All are welcome.

The badly decomposed body of a man was washed ashore at Winnetka some time Saturday night. The remains appeared to have been in the water for some months. It is thought the unfortunate was one of the sailors who perished in the wreck off Glencoe last December.

A sale of fancy articles will be held on M. de Windts' lawn in Winnetka on Friday, August 4th, at 5 o'clock. There will also be lemonade, ice cream and a grabbag for the children. The money taken at this sale will be spent for pictures to be put in the Public school. As the cause must appeal to all, let everyone come and bring the children,

Lake Excursion.

The Waukegan Chapter Order Eastern Star, will give an excursion on the steamer C. W. Moore. Tuesday, Aug. 8th. Leaves Waukegan 1 p. m., returning leaves Kenosha 5 p. m. Bring your dinners with you which will be disposed of on arrival of boat in Kenosha. 25c. round trip.

TO LOCATE SCHOOL SITE.

A public meeting to discuss the location of site for a township high school was held at the village hall, Winnetka, July 20th, 1899.

The meeting was called to order by Mr. F. E. Herdman, who was made chairman. J. C. Burkitt was chosen secretary.

Gen. Howard of Glencoe, one of the high school trustees, addressed the meeting in favor of a site on Winnetka avenue, east of the railway tracks. He submitted a letter from A. C. Frost, vice-president of

the Chicago & Milwaukee electric railway, offering a 4-cent fare for teachers and scholars from any point on their road within the township if this site is selected, also to build a suitable station.

Remarks were made upon this offer by the chairman and S. W. Osgood.

S. W. Osgood referred to consent from Mr. Temple to assessments for sewer connections, etc., and sidewalk.

A letter from Joseph Sears of the Kenilworth company was submitted offering to join the frontage owners of Winnetka avenue in grading, draining and macadamizing; also to open a street from Kenilworth, connecting at a convenient point with said avenue.

Gen. Howard stated that he was assured by the frontage owners of Winnetka avenue that they would agree to putting in water.

S. W. Osgood subsequently addressed the meeting more fully in favor of this site and opposed a site at Gross Point.

S. W. Osgood moved the appointment by the chairman of a committee of five, but upon an amendment offered by E. W. Osgood, and accepted, the number was made fifteen to co-operate with committees in the other villages in securing the adoption of this site.

F. E. Herdman was appointed chairman of the education committee.

Finance—E. W. Osgood, chairman; J. A. Pugh, C. S. Thorne, W. H. Curran, Chas. Densmore, A. B. Capron.

Literature—F. Greely, chairman; S. W. Osgood, J. C. Winship, Rev. F. J. Haarth, E. W. Osgood.

Circulation and Policy—S. W. Osgood, chairman; M. K. Meyer, Wm. Schultz, A. F. Richardson.

The prices quoted for three different sites offered were as follows: Five acres at Gross Point, \$15,000; Six acres on Winnetka avenue, \$14,500; Site below Garland place, per acre \$3,000.

Mr. Dennis of Glencoe suggested the erection of painted signs on the different sites.