

Glencoe Department.

Miss Edna Oweley left, Monday, for Smith College.

Mrs. H. P. Williams and children returned home, last week, from their summer's outing.

Mr. Calman Martin left, Saturday, for Michigan City, to spend a few days.

The Misses Schaumbrun and Miss Pauline Myer were guests at Mr. Jacob Schnuir, last week.

Miss Florence Brown, of Chicago, was the guest of Miss Saunders, last week.

Miss Bessie Chapin, of Chicago, was the guest of Miss De Lang, a part of last week.

Miss Harriet Hodder was the guest of Miss Murdow, over sabbath.

Mr. Arthur Reid, of Chicago, was the guest of Mr. Jack Fanning, over sabbath.

Mrs. Bugh left, Wednesday, for Grenville, N. Y., and other eastern points.

Mrs. Charles Shaw left, Monday, for Toronto, Canada, where she will be the guest of Miss Stanhope.

Evanston high school opens its fall term, Tuesday, of this week, with a number of Glencoe pupils on its enrollment.

Mr. John Newhall returned home from his summer outing, Saturday, a little browner, broader, and think we may add, a little fatter.

A number of young people with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Day as chaperons, took dinner in the city Wednesday evening of last week.

Mrs. John Winslow and daughters returned, last week, from Cape Cod, where they spent the summer. They will be with Mrs. Lewis Cox for a few weeks.

They do not desire to boom the place, but expect it to be improved slowly and carefully, and in a way to detract as little as possible from its natural advantages as a place of rest and comfort.

North Manitow Island.

The Chicago colony, including several North Shore people return, this week, from North Manitow Island.

We learn that they have had some rather interesting experiences. Among these may be mentioned the landing of one party of Glencoe people, mostly ladies, at the island in a storm. Their ride from the steamer Illinois in the surf-boat of the life-saving crew, and their unique landing on the beach, for the details of which our readers are referred to the parties themselves, as no others could do it justice. We learn that other quite interesting experiences were met with in the big woods and on the lakes at the island, and we may be able in a subsequent issue to give some personal narratives. We learn that this island retreat has been well patronized this summer, and, that it has not been uncomfortably crowded, owing, mainly, to the private character of the accommodations.

There is no hotel, and guests are housed in cottages and the farm house, meals being served in a general dining room close by.

This season's guests speak well of the plan and it is likely to be continued another year.

A majority of the cottages are owned by Chicago people, and they take their meals with the rest in the general dining room.

According to those already returned the meals are well served and the cooking good, though the proverbial northern Michigan appetite may be accountable largely for their view.

All report a good easy time and three or four have confirmed this report by the purchase of cottage sites near the lake. The owners of the place are still studying its possibilities, and while they have in a general way formulated some plans, the details are not yet entirely arranged.

They have been offered considerable advice as to the best treatment of the place but so far have only taken most offers under advisement.

One party insists that a big saw mill should be built, as he says there is timber enough for ten years' use of it; and this, in connection with the mammoth hotel which another would have go up at once would, of a surety, make things hum.

While these suggestions may be and are good ones, from a certain standpoint, it is doubtful if they will be acted upon at present. There are many palatial summer resort hotels and another would be no novelty, and probably of little interest unless made bigger or better than all the rest, but a place like Manitow Island, surrounded by Lake Michigan, and bearing another lake within its surface, covered with grand forests, traversed by beautiful winding roads, and all unspoiled as nature made it, is less common and more interesting, and will repay a visit next season.

Horse-back and carriage driving, sailing, boating, fishing, golf, fox hunting and tenting form the principal amusements for the active, while the perfect rest which may be had in that pure air under the forest trees is enough for many.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Schiffman, of Oak Park, spent sabbath with Mr. John L. Day.

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