

Highland Park.

St. John's Avenue.

Every citizen will be glad to know that the prospect for an early improvement of that street brightens. The council met Tuesday evening to act on the matter, but the conference committee asked for more time. Alderman Clappitt was in New York, but Mr. Stubbs, the chairman, said they had made good progress and he thought they were in a fair way to reach a satisfactory agreement if they could have a little more time to meet with the property owners to discuss and arrange some details. Alderman Van Riper confirmed Mr. Stubbs' statements and said also that he was very strongly convinced that a satisfactory conclusion would be reached and a favorable report be made; one which would of course be acceptable to the property owners and the public generally as well as as to the council. This will result in the matter being taken out of the courts so that the street can be paved early in the spring. Col. Davidson corroborated the remarks of Messrs. Stubbs and Van Riper, who have performed such careful, painstaking work. Of course we are not wholly out of the woods, but there is light and we can see out.

Please Wait.

Some one asked a series of questions last week about the Young Men's Club House, the Public Library, etc., which we proposed to answer this week. But we find it a bigger job than we anticipated. Some people talk as though there was "boodle" about it somewhere, or it may be a "nigger in the fence." Now, as we propose to tell the truth and only the truth, all of it that we can get half of, please give us an extension of time and we will investigate carefully and thoroughly and give the public the results as we find them "boodle" or no "boodle," and irrespective of whose "cullud pusson" is entangled in that barbed wire fence. Glad you called it up. It is good to have daylight turned onto things sometimes.

Miss Donna Margaret Drew gave

a sleighing party to Miss Kate Stoddard, superintendent H. P. School, and some of her young friends.

Mrs. Major G. A. Drew, who has been sick for some time, is rapidly recovering.

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Deerfield Caucus.

The Republicans of Deerfield will hold a caucus in each of its two precincts next week Friday evening, Feb. 23, at 8 o'clock; for the first precinct in the City Building of Highland Park, and for the Second Precinct in the Village Hall of the Village of Fort Sheridan, for the purpose of electing delegates to the County Republican Convention to be held in the Town Hall, Libertyville, Saturday, Feb. 24th, 1900, at 1:30 o'clock P. M.

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