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Highland Park.
 Miss Lizzie Madden spent a few days with her sister, Miss Madden.
 Watches and clocks called for and delivered by Schneider & Cooke.
 Miss Anna Nichols is visiting Mrs. Ingalls and daughter at South Haven, Mich.
 Henry B. Fuller, the novelist, and Glen Hall of Chicago were guests of Mrs. A. O. Mason.
 Don't forget the excursion to Lake Geneva and William's Bay, to-morrow, Saturday.
 Miss Anna Morgan of Chicago, is visiting at "Comely Bank," the home of Mrs. A. O. Mason.
 A 6-year-old cow, giving 12 quarts daily, can be bought for \$35. Call at Wilson's blacksmith shop, Highwood.
 Harry Inman of Ravenswood, formerly of the Park, spent a few days last week with relatives and friends in the Park.
 Lewis O. Brockway, republican candidate for circuit clerk, was in the Park yesterday, visiting old friends and making new ones. He is a hustler.

P. B. Salyards, of the Mills Novelty Co., of Chicago, was badly injured by a falling beam in a building in Chicago Wednesday. He is progressing finely under the doctor's care.
 Some surprise was created and something of a shock given to one of our financial institutions this week when the city police magistrate went in and deposited the net proceeds of his law business for the month of July—\$150!

Robert C. Raffan proposes to launch out into the business of raising thorough-bred Belgian hares. We don't know where he will locate his warren, but it will be somewhere in town. His breeding stock will be imported, the finest strains obtainable.

Good plan for the Baptists to drop in and hear good solid Presbyterian preaching while their meeting house is closed. It was that strong sturdy kind of preaching that made Scotland and Germany and England what they are, and the want of which crippled Spain and France and Italy and Austria.

The Telephone Company distributed their new directories Thursday, but they only come down to June 1st for the big book, though the local folder comes to the 15th, six weeks ago. Perhaps that is as late as it could be brought, but is of highest use should be till July 1st, when the summer residents are all out here.

G. D. Boulton's family have gone to Hyannis Port, Mass., for the month of August and September. There they can look out on the old Nantucket in the distance. Mr. Boulton remains at his desk in the First National bank, while Kenneth and some other young men, have rooms at the rectory. President James B. Forgan's family have the Boulton house during the family's absence.

Fred Clow won the prize, one year's subscription to THE NEWS LETTER, for first solving the problem as to the "Handsome Man in Lake County." He did it the first thing after supper that night. Lots of others guessed;

some said C. T. Heydecker, State's Attorney of Waukegan, as though the handsomest man in Lake County could be a resident of any other place than the Park. Others guessed George L. Wrenn and so on making a big list, but our popular contractor won the prize.

It lacks but two months of a year since the congregation of the United Evangelical church has been called to divine worship by the kind admonition of their bell. The bell was injured in some way, and on account of the difficulty of getting it out of the steeple it was left until about six weeks ago, when it was returned to the makers. Beginning of this week a new bell with greatly improved bearings was returned and hoisted into the steeple where it has been properly adjusted. The congregation has been made happy as though the lost prodigal had returned. The new bell is a great improvement on the old one. Bell and frame weigh sixteen hundred pounds.

About 25 of the Ladies' Society to Brotherhood of Trainmen's Lodge, No. 4 of Chicago, held their annual picnic in the "Home Grove" on the Railroad Men's Home grounds, and it was a grand social success. The grove was brightly illuminated with smiling faces and happy hearts. The ladies not only brought good things to eat for themselves, but remembered the 20 or more men who are cared for by the Home. Mr. O. B. Brand, the photographer, was there with his camera in good working order. Mr. and Mrs. Watson, the managers, will gladly welcome all and any one who wish to come to their grounds for a day's outing.

A Park Invention.
 Samuel Levin, the jeweler in at Dunn's news store, has invented a campaign badge or pin that is fair to be the popular thing. Its face or front is a gold plate fish about an inch and a half long, mounted on a pin for fastening on the coat lapel, with a genuine little flag, stars and stripes suspended. The specialty of it is that you pull the little line hanging from the fish's mouth, as though he had just taken the hook, and the fish is thrown open by a spring and there you read the motto. "Vote for McKinley," or "Vote for Bryan," or whatever word the wearer wishes. These mottoes being printed on gummed paper strips can be changed at pleasure, so the people can change their politics with the same campaign pin.

The interest to us is that it is a Park invention, and we are not surprised that the Chicago parties who are manufacturing them have orders by the scores of thousands, soon to run up into the millions. They will retail at ten cents each and every live voter will want one.

The Exmoor Entertainment.
 The Exmoor golf club gave its second entertainment and dinner with dancing Thursday evening in the club house. If possible it was a greater success than the former one. The attendance was not quite as large, though something over one hundred sat down to dinner.

The entertainment was of the monologue order and exceedingly humorous, with a vaudeville attachment, and was enjoyed immensely by all present. A Chicago orchestra furnished excellent music and the dancing was prolonged till the last train. Quite a delegation rode over from the Moraine after dinner to witness the entertainment and participate in the dancing.

Winnetka.

Miss Christine Straud is enjoying a few weeks' outing in Madison, Wis.
 Mrs. Tostevin and Miss Tostevin leave Monday for a visit to friends in Indiana.

Mr. Anthony Strand is at home in Winnetka after a business absence of nearly two years.
 Watches and clocks called for and delivered. All work warranted. Schneider and Cooke.

Young Mr. Frank Herdman is suffering from a broken arm, the result of a comparatively slight fall.
 Miss Bibbins and Miss Goddard, teachers of the second and sixth grades, are in town for a few weeks.

A good audience greeted Rev. Mr. Dowd as he occupied his pulpit after an absence of nearly six weeks.
 The Winnetka ball team won its first victory over Kenilworth on the Winnetka common Saturday, July 28, a red-letter day in the annals of the club.

Miss May McAllister left Winnetka on Thursday for a visit to Hubbardstown, Mass., where she will stay for a month or two.

Mr. H. W. Lindwall's new upholstery rooms and workshop are rapidly taking shape on Linden avenue. Thus the business section of the town grows.

The reception given by Mrs. Landon Hoyt for Mrs. Tompkins at her lovely home, "Breezy Point," was a most charming affair and an occasion of much pleasure to all present.

We understand that a new business firm has entered Winnetka. Osgood & Prouty—a combination not unfamiliar—announce themselves ready to place insurance for all who wish it.

Mr. and Mrs. Gray (the latter known as Miss Leta Danly to her Winnetka friends) are under appointment to the Caroline Islands as missionaries of the American Board of Missions, and are now en route across the Pacific.

Mrs. J. W. Nelson and Mrs. Todd (formerly Miss Nelson) gladdened many friends by their visit of Saturday and Sunday. Mrs. Nelson returns to her home in Topeka, but Mrs. Todd will spend a year at the Chicago University preparatory to continuing her work as a teacher in Utah.

School of Magnetic Healing.

Professors H. L. Morin and H. S. Gail have started a school of magnetic healing in Highwood. It is situated east of the depot, upstairs in the large yellow painted house at east end of Highwood avenue in Highland Park, Ill. No medicine or surgery is used. Chronic diseases a specialty; some of them being heart disease, gout, gravel, diabetes, rheumatism, stomach trouble, stammering, etc. Specialties of all cases given up by physicians. P. O. address, Highwood, Ill. Enclose stamp for return mail or inquiries.

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County Politics.

The Prohibitionists hold the county convention today at Libertyville. They begin early and will catch the prize if the early bird the field wins out.

The Republicans will hold the county convention in the "heart of the county" August 24. Three weeks from today, Friday. There are several candidates for coroner and state's attorney. Among those who want to be coroner are Dr. Frank Ingalls of this city, Dr. Taylor of Libertyville, Dr. Jameson of Antioch, Undertaker Bower, of Waukegan. While Dr. Knight does not enter the race, all understand he will accept if nominated. As there is such a scarcity of candidates, and wishing to hold up this end of the county, we may enter the lists later on so the people can have a fair choice. We have held a few inquiries and always found the victor dead and so reported, seeing to it that he had a Christian burial. For state's attorney there is C. T. Heydecker and S. D. Talcott, one of Lake county's rising attorneys, formerly of Half Day.

Lewis O. Brockway, formerly of Deerfield, is the only candidate for Circuit Clerk.

Young James Anderson, Jr., of Lake Forest, so far as we know, the only man in the field for county surveyor, in his services in the past have been so satisfactory that no change is wanted.

THE NEWS-LETTER is not "taking sides" in this matter, though it is its personal preference and it wants good men.

Republican County Convention.

A Republican County convention will be held in the Town Hall in the village of Libertyville, Lake County, Ill., on Friday, August 24 (A. D. 1900, at 1:30 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of nominating candidates for the following several county offices: Circuit clerk, state's attorney, coroner, surveyor.

Also such other business as may come before the convention.

It is therefore recommended that primary elections or caucuses be called for each primary district in said county on Thursday, August 23 at the usual hour. The representation for each primary district will be one delegate for each 27 votes or major fraction cast for the Republican candidate for President in 1896. The primary districts will thus be entitled to send delegates to the said convention as follows:

- Benton, 97 votes, 4 delegates
- Newport, 178, 7; Antioch, 394, 14
- Grant, 80, 3; Avon, 258, 10; Waukegan, 198, 7; Waukegan (1) 571, 21
- Waukegan (2), 292, 11; Waukegan (3), 339, 13; Waukegan (4), 312, 12; Shields (1), 377, 14; Shields (2), 119, 4; Libertyville, 278, 10
- Fremont, 168, 6; Wauconda, 208, 8; Cuba, 145, 5; Ela, 194, 7; Vernon, 182, 7; West Deerfield, 121, 4; Deerfield (1), 358, 14; Deerfield (2), 130, 5. Total vote 5028; number of delegates, 188.

SAMUEL BLACKLER, Ch'mn.
 R. D. WYNN, Sec.

We acknowledge the receipt of the Winthrop Harbor News. It is an eight column quarto sheet full wide-awake matter of our northern Lake County neighbor, which Mr. Van Vlissingen is pushing for a there is in it. It contains plates of the new city, which from a personal visit we can say is a beautiful spot. Give us your "X" neighbor and put us on your "X" list.

Glencoe.

Mr. Ben Newhall left Wednesday evening for Cleveland.

Rev. Marc Darling is visiting his old home in New York state.

Miss Catherine Prindle of Evanston is the guest of Miss Harford.

Miss Kale of Chicago was a guest at Mr. John Parry's over Sabbath.

Mrs. Edward Brewster and little daughter left Sunday for Wibeaux, Mont.

Miss Murdow returned Wednesday from a week's visit at Edgewater.

Mrs. Alec Falls, who has been very ill the past week, is very much improved.

Mrs. Joseph Plummer entertained a number of ladies at luncheon Wednesday.

Misses Freda and May Leiss returned last week from a two weeks' visit at Lonsdale, Ill.

Mrs. Ben Newhall and daughter Hazel returned last week from North Manitowish Island.

Miss Elizabeth Saunders left Friday for New York City.

Mr. W. H. Johnson was called to Lawton, Mich., Mich., Sunday by the illness of his mother.

Miss Ethel Parry gave a salmagundi party Tuesday afternoon in honor of her guest, Miss Moyer, of Lagrange, Ill.

A case of diphtheria has developed among the little visitors of the Gads' Hill settlement. The patient is in quarantine and receiving the best of care.

For the entertainment of her house party Mrs. Charles Shaw gave a musical Thursday eve and a lawn party Saturday afternoon of last week, and a luncheon and beach picnic this week.

Monday afternoon, at his office in the city, Mr. Lewis H. Cox was overcome by a sudden illness. He was able to come home without assistance, but has since been so very ill that his life was despaired of. At the time of writing this paragraph (Thursday morning) he is markedly better, having passed a good night, and family and friends are hopeful of his recovery. Mr. Cox is the Treasurer of the village.

The assassination of King Humbert of Italy, Sunday, was a most shocking affair and adds another to the lengthening catalogue of such occurrences which have disgraced the pages of the world's history since Caesar's day. Humbert was a good ruler; he loved his people, was loved by them in return and was in no way entitled to this treatment, as some of the victims have been. It was a deed of malice and madness and injures the cause it was intended to help.

The Board of Tax Review is still in session at the court house in Waukegan. Next Monday is the last day on which complaints or grievances may be presented to the board, which after that date will be engaged in settling those presented.

A dinner party, elegant in all its appointments, was given at Hotel Moraine last night by Victor Elking. Twelve covers were laid. Those attending were from Lake Forest.