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Highland Park.
Bazar patterns at Mrs. Bohl's. Mr. Somerville has been entertaining his mother from Chatham, Ont., for a week or so.
Mrs. S. C. Dorsey and her sister, Miss C. E. Ellis, have returned from their visit in Milwaukee.
Schneider & Cooke will call for and deliver your clocks. All work warranted or money refunded.
Mrs. L. O. Van Riper returned from her summer abroad Sunday last. She had a charming time.
People are asking why the flag staff is not repaired by the city, who has taken the upper half.
Take your jewelry to Schneider & Cooke's for repairs. They do their own work.
Mr. Calhoun's address at the Republican rally last Saturday evening was pronounced by those who heard it as a great success.
Announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Grace Adele Lasher to Mr. T. L. Berry, of Evanston.
Our well known violinist, H. M. Prior, will give instructions on the violin and cornet this season. Just call and see him about it at his residence, 274 Central avenue west or call him up, phone 281. 20-21

A little party of friends spent Saturday and Sunday at Ravinook. Mr. Moss and daughter, Mr. Perry and one or two others, all of Chicago. It was their first visit to the Park and they were charmed with the loveliness of our city, of which they had heard so much.
The ladies of Highland Park will be pleased to know that Mr. John Dubskey, a ladies' tailors and cutter, formerly of the swell establishment of Weeks, in Chicago, will be in attendance at the opening of Madam Hadlock's ladies' tailoring establishment in Mrs. Bohl's Bazar store.
The Postal Telegraph-Cable Co. have made arrangements whereby they will furnish private wires for election bulletin service in November for clubs, hotels, public gatherings, saloons or individuals at a minimum cost. For rates, etc. see
Jas. H. DUFFY,
248 Central Ave.
Phone 79.

Rev. Mr. Pfaustiel begins a series of practical sermons next Sunday morning at the Presbyterian church. His subject for next Sunday will be: "Conversation." His series on "Home Life" last year put in book form has been all sold out and a demand for more than were published was had. It is possible that the present series will also be published in book form.
Mr. and Mrs. W. B. White returned a few days ago from the summer in Europe. They look wonderfully well and bright, and glad as two children to get back to their Park home. Mr. White assured us they had a most delightful trip wherever they went, but when we

spoke of the weather he said he had found no such climate as ours anywhere in this country or abroad. Save the two rather stormy months of March and April ours was the best climate in the world. He was proud of it and delighted in it.
Elisha Morgan's poultry plant, which we believe is to be called the Highland Park Poultry Yards, bids to soon excel anything of the kind that has ever been attempted in the Park. Mr. Morgan's policy of feeding the best of food and never selling a bird that shows the least signs of sickness are good points for buyers to remember. His stock is from the leading eastern poultrymen. If you want eggs that are guaranteed under three days old, or tender "broilers" or rich "roasters" call up No. 60—the Highland Park Poultry yards.
Woman's Club Meeting.
The Highland Park Woman's Club held its regular meeting last Tuesday afternoon, at Library Hall. Mrs. Cummings, the leader, had prepared a most interesting and instructive program on the subject for the afternoon.
The study class was opened by a talk from the president, Mrs. Fessenden on Witchcraft in general, and the great influence it has exerted on the world. This was followed by a paper by Mrs. Cummings on Alchemy.
Mrs. Burke rendered most beautifully a vocal solo, the sentiment of which was in keeping with the subject. She was accompanied by Miss Sweetland, with a violin obligato by Mr. George Jones. There followed papers on Greek magic, by Mrs. Bastin on Superstitions in Medicine and Surgery, by Dr. Lynch, and a talk by Rev. A. A. Pfaustiel on Magic among the Orientals closed the program for the afternoon.
This class opened the course of study on "Witch Times" which is to be the work for the winter, and which promises to be unusually full of spicy interest and information. That the subject is one of which we know but little adds immeasurably to its value, and if we can judge by the enjoyment of the first meeting will be greatly appreciated by the members of the Club.
Welcome, Sir, Welcome.
We are glad to call attention to Mr. Lofdahl's advertisement, because his coming seems to fill a long-felt want. He comes as a steam fitter whose specialty is putting in stoves and hot water heating apparatus; at least that will be his chief business here, as we have no manufacturing establishments. He has had twenty years' experience in Chicago, where he has an established reputation as a capable, honest, thorough and reliable artisan. He is now installing the heating appliances in the new and large green-houses of Wm. Boulter, near Newman's residence at the north end of town. He supervises all the work himself, so there is no shoddy jobs by careless workman.

Prohibition Rally.
Thursday night was the cold water, anti saloon folks night in the Academy drill hall, which was well filled with an interested and appreciative audience. The cadets' band was on hand with their new instruments just received that day, and they played with their old-time vigor stirring pieces, and several campaign songs were rendered by a quartette composed by Capt. Burke and wife, Miss Smith, of the High School, and Prof. Hyde.
Colonel Davidson presided and made a brief introductory speech, giving the history of the origin and purpose of the party, quoting from Lincoln and court decisions to show the need and duty of the party. He introduced Mr. Patton, of Pennsylvania, a political campaign speaker, who in about thirty minutes covered more ground and did it more thoroughly than any man we have heard in this campaign. It was not a rambling talk, but an appeal to the intelligence and reason of his hearers, and he dwelt just long enough on each topic for them to see the point and then passed on. There was not an abusive word or hint, or low clap-trap, political trickery about it.
Mr. Regan, of Rockford, a bright, little attorney, gave a unique but telling "chalk talk" in which his pictures were made to speak with irresistible force. He has been for years a Republican worker, but the course of the party in alliance with the traffic opened his eyes, he said. His cartoons were vivid, accurate and telling, driving home the argument with sledge hammer force, and in many instances you did not see the point or force of his argument till the last two or three strokes of the crayon, when it stood out clear, bold and convincing; and so for half an hour he swept away the stale cobweb arguments of the old parties about the Prohibitionists being a small party, a choice between two evils, prosperity, etc.
As a rally it was clean, wholesome, uplifting, inspiring, and one that made voters. You could see and feel that men's eyes were being opened, their reason convinced and their consciences stirred. We repeat, it made votes.

Party Criticism.
An article in the Inter-Ocean of October 19th, headed "Harvard Re-sets the Slander," is a good illustration of much political an economic talk that passes as argument on this or that side of one question or another.
The writer of the article in question severely criticises another party for saying that "Nearly all the Harvard university professors were going to vote for Bryan."
What the facts are we know nothing about, and care as little. The point with us is, the writer's criticism of that statement, and he proceeds to say that the statement was a "serious blunder," and adds: "A canvass of forty members of the faculty, made by the Boston Herald, resulted in a swift contradiction of this statement. Of the whole number in question, twenty-three will vote for McKinley, four will vote for Bryan, eight are non-committal, and five are non-voters."
Now the point with us is simply this: Not whether Harvard professors are going to support McKinley or Bryan, or any other man, but that a canvass of forty members of the faculty was a "swift contradiction" of the statement that "nearly all the Harvard university professors were going to vote for Bryan."
We pick up the Harvard catalogue for 1899-1900, and without taking the Lawrence Scientific school, or any of the other side departments of Harvard university into consideration, we count up one hundred and seventy-nine professors in that university.
Query: What argument as to the actual condition can be determined by a "canvass of forty members?" Why didn't the writer, if he wished to prove the other party of having made a "misstatement" or a "serious blunder," canvass the whole one hundred and seventy-nine at least?
Many gross errors are perpetuated, not only in politics, but in many other lines, by garbled quotations, and by incomplete examinations of the facts. We will not be so severe as to say that these are oftentimes purposely done, though we presume nobody doubts it.
The statement has been frequently made that there is more drinking done in Maine than in licensed states, and therefore prohibition is a failure. Any unprejudiced person, who has lived in Maine and then in New Jersey, or some other licensed state, knows perfectly well that the statement is notoriously false, but what is their argument? Is it this: "There are more arrests for drunkenness in perhaps Bangor, or it may be in the whole state, in proportion to the population, than in New Jersey."
Anybody knowing the facts in the case knows that outside of three or four cities in Maine a man seen under the influence of liquor is dead sure of being arrested, while in many parts of New Jersey, unless he actually gets to fighting, or committing some other notoriously disturbing act, people pass him by with simply a smile.
But this custom of garbling is not confined to politics or economics. The same thing not unfrequently occurs in religious matters, we are sorry to say. We heard an excellent minister, an able man, once say in the pulpit that it is impossible for one who has been converted to fall from grace, and to prove the correctness of the assertion he makes this argument, quoting from the Scriptures: "For He which hath begun a good work in you will perform it until the day of Jesus Christ."
Now if the reader will kindly

REWARD
A suitable reward will be given to any one who will furnish the information to Post Office Box 144 that will lead to the recovery of a black cow that disappeared on the night of Oct. 24 p-22
Madam Hadlock, a ladies' tailor and dressmaker from Evanston, has secured space in the store of Mrs. Bohl, in McDonald Block, where she has announced an opening for Nov. 1, with a fine display of gowns and tailor-made dresses that will please the taste of the Park's elite. She has employed permanently Mr. John Dubskey, formerly of Weeks', who will have entire charge of the tailoring department. Mr. Dubskey will be pleased to give callers the benefit of years of experience in this line. p-22
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Lake County C. E. U. Convention.
The semi-annual convention of the Lake County Christian Endeavor Union will be held at Gray's Lake, Saturday, October 27. Omnibuses will leave the Waukegan House, Waukegan, at 8:30 in the morning for the accommodation of any who may wish to go over that way. An especially interesting program has been prepared, as follows:
MORNING SESSION.
10:30-10:45—Song Service. Rev. T. E. Stevens, Gray's Lake.
10:45-11:00—Devotional Exercises. Rev. Stromire, Rockefel er.
11:00-11:30—Reports from Societies.
11:30-12:30—Best Things from the State Convention.
AFTERNOON SESSION.
1:30-1:45—Devotional.
1:45-2:30—Talk on Bible Study. Study of Book of Ephesians. Prof. Adolphe Diem, Aurora College.
2:30-3:00—Address. The Soul Saver's Outfit.
3:00-4:00—Committee Conferences.
MISSIONARY.
LOOKOUT.
Mr. J. D. Mersereau, Highland Park.
SOCIAL.
Mrs. J. G. Briggs, Waukegan.
JUNIOR.
Miss Cross, Chicago.
OFFICERS.
Miss Alice E. Smith.
EVENING SESSION.
7:00-7:15—Song Service.
7:15-7:30—Resolution Service. Mr. Paul Fischer, Gray's Lake.
7:30—Convention sermon. Rev. D. C. Dutton, Wauconda.
Centennial Jubilee.
The close of the 19th century also witnesses the close of the first one hundred years of the Evangelical Association, its historic genesis dating from this, the most remarkable century the world has ever witnessed.
From the little band of praying Germans of the Pennsylvania type, organized by Jacob Albright, has developed a strong, well organized branch of the Christian church, known as the Evangelical Association. The influence of this organization has been carried by zealous missionaries and sturdy pioneers from the Keystone State to where the waves of the quiet Pacific wash the shores of our country, also reaching from the heart of Canada to the plains of Texas, and also where Galveston's catastrophe spent its destructive fury.
As a fitting memorial to the first one hundred years of wonderful progress and manifestations of Divine favors and blessings in this association, every local society has been called upon to celebrate a centennial jubilee. Therefore in keeping with this grand movement, the Ebenezer Society of Highland Park will celebrate on Sunday, October 28, at 10:30 a. m. The Rev. H. Hintz, of Chicago, will preach the centennial sermon, and at 7:30 p. m. President H. J. Kiekhoefer, A. M. Ph. D., of North Western college, will speak on "The Genius of the Evangelical Association. The special music will be a leading feature, and will be furnished by the N. W. C. male quartette of Naperville, Ill. All are cordially invited to be present at these meetings.
THE COMMITTEE.