

**PUBLIC SCHOOL BOARD MEETS.**

The school board met last Friday night at the usual hour and all members were present.

Everything passed off in a pleasant manner until the teachers' committee's report was called for. Most of the present force of teachers were reappointed without opposition, but when the name of the new superintendent was read considerable interest was shown.

on his having the interest of the people at heart and felt it his duty to retain the present incumbent.

Mr. Fred Schumacher said something along the same line.

Mr. Cole seemed to have taken considerable interest and had looked the matter up to some extent and felt it his duty to vote against the proposition to employ a man principal.

The new members, who were elected with the express understanding that they would vote for a man superintendent, stood by their agreement to the letter and produced some excellent reasons for employing a man.

Mrs. Smoot, one of the old members, had taken some pains to look into the matter and was well posted on the advanced work being done in other schools with up-to-date business methods in their management. She considered it policy to pay a

little more salary, which would soon show in the advancement of the pupils.

On a call for the vote it stood a tie: Ayes—Smoot, Tillman and Warren; Nays—Chandler, Schumacher and Cole. President Rounseville, before voting, explained that he had taken considerable pains to look the matter up, not only in looking after good material for a principal, but as to whether the people wanted a change and was convinced it was his duty to vote for a man principal, as he considered he was elected on that understanding.

Lost—A small bow-knot brooch pin set with diamonds. Liberal reward cheerfully given for its return to Mrs. N. S. Leopold, Wildwood, corner of Linden and Laurel avenues.

The trouble with men blowing their own horns is they never hit the right tune.

There may be some worldly things better than money, but it takes money to buy them.

The clock makers are the direct cause of more strikes than any other class of workmen.

**THE MORAINE.**

The new ball room at the Moraine is now completed, and is probably one of the handsomest rooms for this purpose in the west. The maple floor is supported on brick walls and is perfectly solid, having been built under the direction of Mr. Eugene Bour-nique, the famous expert on such matters. There is a handsome

stage at one end of the room, which will be used as a musician's stand, and can be used also for the delightful little vaudevilles that were such a feature at the Moraine last summer.

The four-in-hand coach, the "Old Times," that is to run every day between the Moraine and the Auditorium Annex, has commenced its regular trips, leaving the Moraine at 8 o'clock in the morning, arriving at the Annex at 11; and on its return leaving the Annex at 3:30 and arriving at the Moraine at 6:30. This coach is correct in all of its equipments, and is an exact counterpart of the famous coaches leaving London hotels on summer mornings, and upon which no doubt many of our readers have spent delightful days during their

was for several years on the coach running from London to Brighton, and it is not impossible that some of our friends have ridden with him before. It is astonishing how exactly on time the drivers can arrive here at the end of a twenty-nine mile run, so far, having made the distance in three hours to a minute. This is quite a new feature in the west, and a delightful change towards popularizing our beautiful new Sheridan Road, of which North Shore people are so proud.

Guests continue to arrive at the Moraine, and the books show that there are many more people there now than at this time last year, and the indications are that the house will be well filled for the season.

**ALUMNI OF THE HIGH SCHOOL.**

Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock the alumni of the High School will meet at their second annual banquet. A program has been prepared and a jolly time is anticipated.

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**EXMOOR GOLFERS' PLANS.**

Exmoor golfers have planned an extensive and variegated program for the season. In addition to many interesting events for amateurs there will be an open event for professionals. This will be played August 16. At the suggestion of W. J. Louderback, of the Sports and Pastimes committee, the affair will include both match and medal play. The qualifying round will be at nine holes using a 90 yard course for the match play rounds, which will also be at nine holes.

The open tournament of the club, which will be held on July 1, 2, 3 and 5, will conclude with a novel invitation tournament, in which about thirty of the leading players in the city will be asked to participate. All the players who fail to make the first hole in bogey figures will drop out and the survivors will proceed to the second hole, where more will drop out under the same ruling. Play will continue until one survivor is left.

Open mixed foursome will be held on June 26, July 24, August 21 and September 25. There will be prizes for the pairs making the best gross and best net scores. Entries must be made at the Exmoor club on the date preceding the events, and intending competitors must give their club handicaps and the name of the scratch player on whom the handicaps are based.

The women's open tournament, which has always been a great success, will be held September 17th to 20th.

Willie Smith, the Midlothian professional, met with an accident last Saturday afternoon which will keep him out of the game for some time. While riding around the Midlothian grounds with Samuel Hunt in an automobile the machine struck a rock and both the occupants were thrown out. Mr. Hunt strained his back and Smith sprained his wrist severely.

**HIGH SCHOOL EXAMINATION.**

Friday morning, June 13th, at 9 o'clock, the principal will meet and examine candidates for admission to the High School. The examination will cover Arithmetic, through percentage; United States History, and Grammar. The examination will be held at the High School.

The sidewalk extension in front of the postoffice block will be a decided improvement to that property. Olaf Lindblom has the contract and the public will appreciate the fine workmanship shown on it.

**RAVINIA.**

Ravinia is having quite a boom just now. Henry K. Coale, the real estate man, reports a number of recent sales that had not come to our notice:

The John Hester house, corner Judson and Roger Williams avenues, to Helen A. Mott, which is now occupied by the Bell family. The Motts will rent until they can get possession, when they will remodel the house for a permanent home.

The Prof. Wm. Dodge house, corner Rice street and Railway avenue, to Harry Jessup, who now occupies the place and is putting it in good order.

The Johnson House, corner Dean and Cary avenues, to Mrs. J. F. Leaming. This place will also be modernized and occupied by owner. Mr. McKenzie, the former tenant, has moved into the Electric hotel house, now called Maplewood.

A lot on Roger Williams avenue, near Kinkead street, to Oliver O. Leonard, who is clearing up preparatory to building his house.

A lot 440x252 on the Sheridan Road, south of Railway avenue, to Sidney Stein.

A lot 132 feet on Cary avenue to Wm. J. Lukens.

The old Willoughby place on Judson avenue to Lewis E. Jones, of N. Chicago, who is fixing up the house, and will move in next week.

Three other deals in Ravinia now under contract. All of which goes to show that the south end of Highland Park is bracing up. See Mr. Coale if you want bargains.

**HIGH SCHOOL COMMENCEMENT.**

The thirteenth annual commencement exercises of the Township High School will be held at 8 o'clock, Thursday evening, June 12th, at the High school.

The address of the evening will be delivered by Hon. Alfred Bayliss, State Superintendent of Public Instruction.

Music will be furnished by the Highland Park orchestra.

There will be eight graduates. In the Latin-Scientific Course—Alic Brand, Annie Cobb and Mary Clark, all of Highland Park.

In the English-Scientific Course—Fred Bell, Harold Sweetland and Edith Lindstrom, of Highland Park; Will Galloway, of Deerfield, and Lewis Pease, of Highwood.

All residents of the township are cordially invited to attend.

You've got to hustle all the time to keep in the swim. If you are slipping down the ladder of prosperity, take Rocky Mountain Tea. Makes people strenuous. George B. Cummings, cr-1