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RAVINIA.

Miss Durest, of Evanston, spent Thursday with Mrs. Grant.

James Genty reports his large barn filled with boarding horses.

Rev. Pfanstiehl, of Highland Park, called on W. D. Lynch last Tuesday.

The friends of Mr. Fisher will be glad to learn that he is improving.

Mrs. Dr. Conger visited her brother, W. D. Lynch, Wednesday. Mr. Lynch is improving.

The Ravinia school will be closed Friday, December 12, to allow its teacher an opportunity to visit the Dewey school, Chicago.

There seems to be an epidemic among the dogs here. Mrs. Levi Comstock lost a very valuable pet this week, and Mrs. Sam Bowden has one which is sick.

Early and late, through this zero weather, hardy fellows, their coats thrown aside, have been digging a way for the laying of water mains along Dean avenue. They have been running an exciting race with the frost.

Dean avenue is the highway that runs past the Ravinia school building. It has a great future. Indeed its greatness has already begun. Besides the classic structure just mentioned, on it is situated a feline menagerie and a new home, attractive, but still unfinished and laboriously drawn out in process of construction. Within the past year a fine bridge has given the promising thoroughfare immediate access to Sheridan Road, and the rearing of stately white telephone poles has entitled its aspiring character. Now civilization is adding a final touch in the digging of a way for water pipes. These pipes will carry the live waters of Lake Michigan to the many homes which are about to loom up in the "forest primeval" on either side—or so real estate men assure non-resident property owners.

Judge W. D. Alford has been sick for several days, but is better.

La Tromona, Havana 2nd cigars for \$4.60 per hundred at Dale Sweetland's.

Mr. James Sheaben, who has been on the sick list for several days the past week, is able to be out again.

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Rev. Edwin Selton was in Emporia, Kas., when heard from last week. He was moving on Denver, Col., by slow approaches. Mrs. Selton and Master Richard are in Atlanta, Ga., for the winter.

Mrs. Fred P. Luther read a paper before the Missionary Society, on Wednesday afternoon, in the Presbyterian church parlors, which was highly commended.