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### Additional Locals

The Highland Park Women's club held their regular study class on Tuesday of this week. Mrs. Benjamin Fessenden read a very interesting paper on "Childhood in Dickens."

Mr. J. H. Duffy has purchased fifty feet on Park avenue, just west of Mr. Laing's place, where Mrs. Glover now lives and is erecting a barn on the rear of the premises, after having divided his lot from the one in the east by a high board fence.

Before leaving for California, a farewell reception was given in honor of Miss Francis Warner, at the home of Miss Anna Blattel, Monday evening, Nov. 9th. About twenty were present. All enjoyed a very pleasant evening. Refreshments were served.

Dr. Pomeroy, who has been rooming at the Hyde Park Hotel, and taking his meals at the Highland Park Hotel since the closing of the Moraine, will soon be reestablished among the permanent residents of Highland Park. Dr. Pomeroy is daily in his Highland Park office.

The Highland Park euchre club met Thursday of last week at the residence of Mrs. C. T. Ford. Mr. John Duffy won the gentlemen's first prize, Mr. Maerklin the consolation prize. Mrs. S. Levin took the first ladies prize and Mrs. Wm Albright, the consolation prize. This week the meeting was at Mr. H. M. Prior's.

Last year there was quite an epidemic of typhoid at Cornell University. The authorities changed the entire water system and endeavored in every way to eradicate any causes that might exist for fever but it is reported that there are ten cases now in the school and a number at Ithaca. Some of our Highland Park boys are attending school there.

St. Peter Bros., of the old reliable laundry, have purchased a lot on First street, a little north of Vine avenue and ground is now being broken for a laundry building. We congratulate the young men on their enterprising spirit and efficient business ability and wish them all kinds of success, for they deserve it for the pleasing manner in which they always cater to the public.

The third of the lectures in the Raymond course at the high school was delivered Monday evening. The speaker in his usual pleas-

ing way brought Vienna before the audience in a truly masterful manner. Those who do not avail themselves of these lectures are certainly missing a treat, both of study and pleasure, as the orator is a very interesting speaker of wonderful ability and retains the attention of the audience on a subject, which in the hands of another would be a very dry affair. The next lecture will be in two weeks. Do not fail to hear it.

There is some talk in town in regard to the Public Library question, that we have endeavored to bring before the public in former issues but the general feeling on this subject seems to be very apathetic. Could we make the people feel the vital importance of this matter of putting the library on the proper site, we would feel amply repaid for our labor. In a former issue there was printed in full the certified copy of the gift of Hazel Park by the Highland Park Building Co., to the city in which they waived all rights to the Park. If anyone doubts the validity of that paper the building company is still in existence and the officers are perfectly willing and glad to file any paper giving the right to the library board to erect the Carnegie public library in Hazel Park, providing the citizens (not a few, but the voters in general) so desire. The above is not heresay but the absolute fact of the case. Now if the majority desire our public library in a spot where it will beautify the town and not disgrace it, as is the case at Waukegan. All there is to do is to place it there, but not one or two, or yet only a few should have the deciding of such an important question. It might be well to start a petition and if signed by a majority of the property owners of the city, an election could be called and the question could be decided by the public, which alone has the right to decide in all cases of public buildings. It is to be hoped someone, who has the welfare of our city at heart, will agitate this question of Hazel Park, for it is the only suitable lot owned by the city, suitable for a public library building. It will leave the rising generation something to do, to beautify this park with walks, fountains and shrubbery, with the Carnegie library building as a figurehead.

### RAVINIA.

A printing press billed at 750 lbs. arrived at our station this week.

Miss Olive Hill from the Normal School, is home on a visit.