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## EDITORIALS.

At the opening of school this term, the prevailing enthusiasm and spirit of loyalty to the school manifested by the students, was highly gratifying to the teachers and others concerned in the welfare of the school. The students seemed willing to do their part towards making this a standard school and not only showed their views on this point by their actions and attentions to studies, but also expressed them in their essays on a "Model High School." We know from these essays that the student has a good idea of what he must or must not do to accomplish the advancement of the school. The school so far has progressed very favorably, and we hope it may continue as it has begun, so that we may eventually accomplish our purpose and make this a model high school.

## DEBATING CLUB.

Wednesday, January 13, the first meeting of the High School Debating club was held. This club is composed of pupils from the senior and junior classes who wish to learn how to debate. The first meeting was simply a business meeting to organize the club.

E. V. B.

## LECTURE SERIES.

Another course of six fortnightly lectures will be given at our high school, beginning Monday, Jan. 18. These lectures are expected to be most interesting, three being given by different gentlemen of our own town and the others by strangers. The first, by Prof. Keppel, of Northwestern University, recently one of those on the "News" staff of lecturers who have been giving free lectures in Chicago, will be on

"Holland and the Hollanders". The others will be announced very soon.

It is hoped that this course will be as largely attended and as complete a success as the last.

## BASKET BALL.

The boys' basket-ball team is rounding into good shape and will be in good condition for Saturday night's game with the Waukegan high school.

Thursday evening, the boys played the Evanston high school second team in basket-ball.

The line up for Saturday night will probably be as follows: H. Bell, center and captain; C. Shields and W. Eckhart, forwards; L. Prior and J. E. Colburn, guards and J. McKenzie W. Rice and Frank Golden, substitutes.

We have not seen the boys' team at Waukegan play and therefore know nothing about their style. It will be a fierce contest; that is sure.

The girls' basket-ball team is doing snappy team work and are anxious to play, having played no games this season.

The line up for Saturday evening will be as follows: Miss Pease, center; Miss Helen Brown and Miss Schaefer, forwards; Misses Enmark and Coale, guards; and Misses Holabird and Grant, substitutes.

Misses Coale, Pease and Schaefer were members of last year's star team which never met with defeat and they will help in making the same record this year.

In fact, the girls' team gives greater promise of success than does the boys.

## HIGH SCHOOL NOTES.

Last Monday morning Mr. Sandwick gave us a short talk, explaining the frieze in our assembly room, which is an excellent copy of that in the Parthenon at Athens. The frieze was presented by the Art League of Highland Park, Mrs. H. S. Vail being president at that time. It was on exhibition at the world's fair and is a work of art, one of the very best of its kind ever modeled. The

Parthenon was a temple of the goddess of wisdom, Athene Parthenos (Minerva the Virgin); the frieze is therefore highly appropriate for a school.

Everyone reports a fine time during the holidays.

After our two weeks rest we should be able to enter upon our studies with renewed energy and good will.

Miss Pardee spent the vacation at her home in Evanston.

Miss Shearer's vacation was spent at her home in Green Bay, Wisconsin, and in visiting friends in Marshfield and Chippewa Falls.

Vacation saw Miss Williams in her home at Cincinnati, Ohio. She also visited relatives in Springfield, in the same state.

Miss Bliss enjoyed the Christmas vacation at her old home in Cazenovia, New York. On her return trip she was snow bound in Syracuse, which accounts for her late arrival.

Prof. Sandwick does not report such a pleasant vacation as the other teachers, owing to the illness of his wife. We all wish Mrs. Sandwick a speedy return to perfect health.

Monday, Miss Shearer visited the Hyde Park high school. She says the work done here compares very favorably with that of Hyde Park pupils. Her absence on Monday gave the history pupils a holiday.

Mr. Francis Pease, '96, expects to start in a few days for Boston.

Mr. Sandwick visited Principal Manly and the New Trier Township high school on Wednesday. He reports a highly interesting trip, and a cordial reception. New Trier has an orchestra of fifteen pieces which we would enjoy hearing in the Deerfield high school.

Miss Amy Holabird is suffering with a case of the grippe. We hope Amy will soon be able to return to school as we miss her very much.

Last Saturday morning the Y. Y. C. played indoor baseball against the Corinthians of Evanston at that

place. The score was sixteen to twelve in favor of the Evanston team.

Permission has been given to students to watch the practice basket-ball games. We want the teams to get used to spectators.

We hope the Highland Park hoodoo, that so far has given us the little end of the score, will kindly let up when the league games begin on Saturday.

Some very clever drawings appear on the posters for the games on Saturday night. Misses Shields Grant and Kerfoot have got out the handsomest posters.

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