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Thanksgiving Prizes.

We publish below a list of prizes for the Thanksgiving Story and Essay Competition, which was announced last week. The competition is limited to pupils of Deerfield Township High School, and it is hoped as large a number as possible will submit stories and articles. The author of the best story will have first choice of the prizes, and the writer of the best essay will have second choice. The list is as follows:

Little Classics, twelve volumes buckram binding, being selections from the best writings of Sir Walter Scott, J. Fenimore Cooper, Herbert Spencer, Bayard Taylor, Charles Darwin, Wendell Phillips, Charles Reade, John Lathrop Motley, Wm. H. Prescott and Tobias Smollett.

Universal Encyclopedia, 8 volumes, just published, and up to date.

Library of English Classics, 12 volumes, buckram binding, gilt tops, illustrated with photogravures. The best writings of English authors, in prose and verse.

Great Battles of the World, two volumes, from Marathon to San Juan.

Free Delivery

Free delivery, long talked of and looked for, is finally established. Highland Park assumes quite a "citized" air with its green mail boxes and gray coated carriers. Mail will be delivered twice a day, the business district receiving their mail first and the residents once in the morning and once in the afternoon. As the carriers deliver mail letters are taken from the boxes so they leave Highland Park for the South at 12:56 p. m. and 6:50 p. m., and for the North at 2:41 p. m. and 7:50 a. m. There are 24 mail boxes which the post office management has endeavored to place in convenient places for all residents of the city, and if more are needed they will be gladly furnished by the postmaster. Mr. Fletcher has expressed his desire to accommodate the public in this new system and asks lenience regarding the mistakes which are bound to occur until the delivery is fully established. It is so arranged that business men or any persons who wish their mail oftener than twice a day may keep their boxes and those in the family who wish it delivered may have it that way. With a willingness on the part of the post office management to please the public, free delivering can not but be a benefit to Highland Park as a city and to its residents. If all the houses were numbered and all the mail was addressed to those numbers it would facilitate matters greatly and the people would receive their mail an hour or more earlier than they can with the present conditions. Do not fail to let your friends and correspondents know of your address and you will soon have excellent mail service.

Illinois Anti-Saloon League State Convention

The first State Convention of the Anti-Saloon League of Illinois will meet in the First Methodist Episcopal church of Peoria, beginning the evening of November 13th and concluding with the evening session on November 14th.

National Superintendent, Dr. P. A. Baker; National Legislative Superintendent, Rev. E. C. Dinwiddie, and Superintendents Wheeler, of Ohio, and McCash, of Iowa, are among the national leaders who will be present. The Illinois Legislature will be represented upon the program by Senator Francis W. Parker of Chicago.

Great interest attaches to the meeting because it is the formal opening of the campaign to elect a legislature which will pass the local option bill which failed by one vote in the last session and is being fought by the allied liquor interests of the State.

The convention will be a delegate gathering. Each church is entitled to send the pastor and two others, each young people's society the chairman of the citizenship committee and two others, each Sunday school the superintendent and one other, and local temperance societies and organizations two each.

Reduced rates will be granted upon all railroads, and reasonable rates secured for entertainment while in Peoria.

Acknowledgement

The management of St. Mary's Church Bazaar wishes to thank the following local merchants for donations received.

Mrs. G. Bohl, Jardinier; Joshep Leuer, 20 pounds of sugar; Dale Sweetland, Toilet Set; North Shore Fuel and Supply Company, Ton of coal; E. M. Bilharz, Whip; J. P. Kline, One pair of shoes; J. A. Blomdahl, One pair of slippers; Vencil Muzik, One box of cigars; C. M. Schneider, Japanese Vase; R. Shannon, Fancy Dish; Frank Siljestrom, Ton of hard coal; C. A. Kuist, Aluminum sauce pan.

Thanksgiving Services

I see by my Springfield, (Mass.) Republican that one of Massachusetts's towns in the Connecticut Valley, proposes an innovation in the matter of public religious services for Thanksgiving. Instead of holding such services Thanksgiving day morning, with a baker's dozen for a congregation, scattered about the large church auditorium, the several churches in that enterprising town, will this year try the experiment of having Union services in one of the centrally located churches on Wednesday evening, when all the people are accustomed to attend their mid-week meetings, with no Thanksgiving dinner, family re-unions, etc., keeping people at home. In this way they expect to have a full house, a spirited and inspiring service, with a strong emphasis on the idea of the civic and religious solidarity of the local community. Some pastor or prominent lay-man will be selected to deliver the sermon or address of the occasion.

Now why not try the experiment here in Highland Park; all meet in one of our churches east of the track this year, then, as all great historic movements are from east to west, next year on the west side, Wednesday evening, and have a moral and spiritual "rousement" that will do us all good. Try it for once.

LEWIS B. HIBBARD.

Opening Concert

The Highland Park Musical Club will give the first concert of the season on Monday evening in Mrs. Jones' Studio. Mr. Grant Hadley, a young artist of Chicago will be the soloist of the evening. Mr. Hadley has a rich baritone voice and as the "Cycle of Songs" which he will sing are new to the music loving people of the west. Monday evening's program will be a musical treat.

PROGRAM

1. Andante and Variations for 2 pianos, Opus 46
.....Schumann
Mrs. A. O. Mason, Mrs. M. A. Ives
2. Scene de Ballet.....De Berlioz
Mr. and Mrs. George Colburn
3. Cycle of Songs from Tennyson's "Maud"
.....Arthur Somerville
Mr. Grant Hadley

Building Operations

Cold weather is not lessening the building in Highland Park. The Bardwell house on the old Rudolph farm quarter mile west of Green Bay Road is fast nearing completion. The structure is to cost \$50,000 when done, and from the Green Bay Road one would think a public institution is being erected. Large buildings are not numerous in that vicinity.

Another house almost ready for occupancy is Mr. Bergman's residence on Dean street, just south of J. F. Leaming's house.

Mr. Bayard Taylor of Chicago has purchased lot 112, east front on Rice street, Ravinia, and will soon build a permanent home upon it.

Mr. Herman Drieske, a retired coal dealer of Chicago, is building a fine home on Roger Williams avenue, on the property formerly owned by Mr. H. T. Birch.

Mr. Thur Balch is living in his new home on Kincaide avenue, south of Roger Williams avenue.

A farmer living in the southern part of the state, through motives of curiosity, took apart his telephone transmitter. While examining it, the granulated carbon fell out. The stuff looked like gunpowder to the farmer, and he replaced it with that material. Then he called up "Central" to see if his telephone would still work. An electric spark set off the powder and the experimental farmer was badly injured in the explosion.

This experience may be genuine, but it is much after the fashion of the little boy and the toy balloon - wanted to see what it was made of.

Chancery Notice

CIRCUIT COURT OF LAKE COUNTY.
DECEMBER TERM A. D. 1905STATE OF ILLINOIS, }
COUNTY OF LAKE. } ss

Louis Stein vs Beckie Stein, In Chancery. No 2585.

Satisfactory affidavit that the defendant Beckie Stein cannot be found, and that upon due and diligent inquiry her place of residence cannot be ascertained so that process cannot be served upon her, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of said court.

Notice is therefore hereby given to the said Beckie Stein, defendant as aforesaid, that the above named Complainant heretofore filed his Bill of Complaint in said Court, on the Chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said Court against the above named defendant, returnable on the first day of the term of the Circuit Court of Lake County, to be held at the Court House in Waukegan in said Lake County, on the first Monday of December A. D. 1905, as is by law required, and which suit is still pending.

LEWIS O. BROCKWAY,

Clerk.

Waukegan, Illinois, Oct. 25th, A. D. 1905.
ERNEST S. GAIL, Complainant's Solicitor.