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High School Notes

The University of Chicago has offered scholarships in that institution for the scholars passing the highest in examinations in English, Latin and Mathematics, to be held at the University on Friday afternoon, November 16th. Our high school has a representative in the English examinations, but has none in the Latin because the subjects called for have not been covered. There is also a scholarship for public speaking and the contest will be held on the evening of that day. Each school is permitted to send two representatives, a girl and a boy. Deerfield's representatives in this are Gertrude Nevins and Francis Pitt.

A number of the scholars are preparing for the preliminary debate with Waukegan. The question is "Resolved That Cuba should be annexed to the United States." The affirmative will be represented by Gertrude Nevins, Frances Kemp, Kenneth King, Riley Procter and George Phillips, while Joy Miller, Carl Rommel, Madalene Ryder, Letitia Jones and Francis Pitt will uphold the negative.

On Tuesday afternoon, football practice for the school team was begun and twelve or fifteen men reported. The chances are bright for a winning team this year as the men are fast and confident and all enthusiastic about the game. The captain is James Hickey and the manager is Eddie Conrad.

Practice for the girls basket-ball team was started this week. Miss Gertrude Schaefer will coach the team. Madalene Ryder was elected captain and Gertrude Nevins manager.

On Monday morning, Mr. Edwin O. Grover gave a very interesting and instructive talk, which was much appreciated by the students. Several prominent men in this vicinity have promised to address the school, one each week. Next Monday morning Prof. Stuart of Lake Forest College will speak.

The silver cup, known as the Deerfield Cup, given by Mr. A. R. Williams, has arrived and has been on exhibition at the school. It is well worth winning.

About fifteen young men have signified their intention of taking up work in the proposed night school either in the shop or gymnasium. Unless there are forty or fifty, it will not be possible to carry out this plan. All those interested should communicate with the principal, Mr. R. L. Sandwick, at once.

Is It—or Isn't It

There is a class of people throughout the country steadily increasing in numbers, but who insist that "High License" is not a good thing. But they are wrong. Why, of course it is a good thing. Even the liquor dealers themselves admit that it is a good thing.

The Prohibition Ticket

For State Treasurer—
Wm. P. Allin.
For Rep. in Congress—
Malcolm G. Harper.
For Rep. in Gen. Assembly—
N. J. Garrison.
For County Judge—
Geo. H. Truesdell.
For County Clerk—
Chas. F. Gunn.
For County Treasurer—
Horace D. Wells.
For County Supt. of Schools—
Chas. W. Grandey.
For Sheriff—
Ellsworth M. Metcalf.

Here are the three candidates for State Treasurer. On the 6th day of November, every American citizen voting in Illinois will take his choice for State Treasurer.

Prohibition—William P. Allin, McLean County.
Republican—John F. Smulski, Cook County.
Democrat—Nikodem Piotrowski, Cook County.

Upwards or Downards--Which?

In all God's animated universe, there is no such thing as standing still. If you do not learn something new to-day, you will know less than you did last night, for you will almost certainly have forgotten something. If you do not gain something in physical progress to-day you will have lost something. If you are not drawn spiritually into closer communion with your Father to-day than you were yesterday, you will have receded from him. To earn an additional dollar to-day over and above your expenses is to be a dollar richer than you were yesterday, to have lost a dollar is to be a dollar poorer than yesterday; but to have done neither one you pay to be just where you were. Not by any means, neither physically, mentally nor spiritually. You may as well row out into the middle of Niagara River a hundred feet above the Falls, throw your oars into the rapids, fold your arms and expect to remain just where you are. Some years ago when one of the Pacific Railroads was being built, some workmen had gone way up the slope ten or fifteen miles beyond the last station and had left the engine standing on the track while they were working just beyond; some little jar suddenly started the engine in motion. It had gone two or three hundred feet before it was noticed. Two or three workmen started in pursuit, but before they could quite reach it, it had so increased its speed by the momentum of a down grade that it began rapidly to increase the distance between it and the workmen. A message was quickly dispatched to several stations. Before the lightning wire could take the message to the first station that an engine was loose, it was already too near for anything to be done. But at the next station, all hands were quickly summoned and a lot of sleepers or ties were quickly piled on the track. The engine struck the pile, hurled them hither and thither in every direction, jumped the track and wrecked itself in a sand bank. It had run 27 miles in 20 minutes, but when it was first seen in motion the men actually gained on it.

You think one day is nothing, but every day lost is an increased momentum down grade. When that engine had gone but 50 feet a single man might have stopped it. When it had gone a mile a thousand men could not have held it. Every day lost makes it more and more impossible ever to regain one's former position.

Special Assessment Notice

SPECIAL WARRANT No. 107.

Public notice is hereby given that the County Court of Lake County, Illinois, has rendered judgment for a special assessment upon property benefited by the following improvement:

For the construction of a cast iron lateral main water supply pipe, together with fire hydrants, shut-off valves and special castings, to be constructed and laid along and under First Street in said City, commencing at and connecting with the water main now laid in First Street, at a point in said main which would be intersected by the northerly line of lot sixteen (16) in block sixteen (16) of Exmoor Addition of Highland Park produced easterly in its course across said First Street (said point being the northerly terminus of the present water main now laid in said Street), and from thence said main shall run northerly on a line parallel with and twelve (12) feet west of the center line of said First Street, to the northerly line of Burtis Avenue, produced easterly in its course across said First Street, as will more fully appear from the certified copy of the judgment on file in my office, that the Warrant for the collection of such assessment is in the hands of the undersigned.

All persons interested are hereby notified to call and pay the amount assessed at the collectors office D. M. Erskine & Co.'s Bank, North-east corner of St. Johns and Central Avenue's, Highland Park, Illinois, within thirty days from the date hereof.

Notice is further given that said assessment is divided into ten (10) installments; that the amount of the First Installment is \$200.00 and that each of the remaining installments is \$200.00

That all installments draw interest at the rate of five (5) per cent per annum from August 22nd, 1906.

The first installment is payable on January 2nd, 1907.

The second installment one year thereafter and so on annually until all installments are paid.

JOHN C. DUFFY,

City Collector.

Dated this 20th day of October A. D. 1906.

Dr. W. B. Metcalf, M. D.

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