

GAVE AN EXCELLENT TALK.

Prof. Farr's Lecture Friday of Last Week Was Above the Average.

Just why a larger audience did not attend the lecture at the high school last Friday evening, is hard to ascertain, unless a too indulgent interest was taken the day before in Thanksgiving turkey, as Mr. Farr suggested or as some one else said "your people hesitate to pay even twenty cents admission to an educational lecture while they spend dollars at a cheap tent show." The program given that night was worthy of a better patronage and many who failed to be there are losers, for a most interesting talk was given by Mr. Farr, assistant Cook county Superintendent of schools, on "The Making of Illinois" and members of the high school offered musical selections. The lecture was illustrated by stereopticon views and therefore doubly instructive. The old time song "Why don't they visit the schools?" applies to the non-interest shown in some of our entertainments which are frequently of better grade than lodge, club and traveling affairs here. Some seventy people however were well pleased with their evening and the 110 views.

The Misses L. Fohmer and A. Plagge opened the program with a piano duet followed by a musical and classical piano solo played by Miss Violet Ulrich, entirely without notes, giving one further evidence of the young girl's musical talent. Miss Alta Powers accompanied the High School quartette who sang "Flag of the Free." The four men—Earl Powers, Elmer Peckham, Victor Hiecke and Verne Hawley are H. S. students who have recently organized their quartette and appeared that evening for the first time with very good success, for they sang in splendid time and harmony, and may be deservedly called our best local quartette, for their voices seemed to blend in true tones and volume very nicely.

Mr. Farr began his lecture with an historical sketch of the gradual shaping of Illinois in boundary lines and county divisions which were illustrated by outline maps thrown on a screen by the lantern which Prof. Fulton managed. Everyone was very much interested in tracing the various county partitions from St. Clair, the first one, to the present one hundred and two. General information concerning the development and data were given and no child nor adult present can fail now to be more than ever interested in our state's history. A large view of the state seal was followed by pictures of the present state officers with explanatory talks of each one and his office, including our two U. S. senators. Then the chief agricultural products of the state were enumerated, with views of prize corn. The animal life was discussed and beautiful pictures of the prize horses, cows, sheep, hogs and chickens raised in the state, shown. Special mention was made of the grand trees of Illinois, and some more arches pictured.

Running comments were made, as views changed, on the superior crop conditions of the state and on the men who have raised the biggest crops and finest animals.

Then various scenes of natural beauty, including old rock formations, rivers and lakes, and pictures of public institutions, private homes, churches and schools were quickly thrown which were so clearly and naturally given that one felt as if he had really traveled the state over and seen these places.

Miss Emma Kuebler of Palatine who is endeavoring to organize a Kindergarten here has been given the use of one of the extra rooms in the school building which she will furnish herself with perhaps assistance from a local organization. Miss Kuebler desires to secure 20 members for her class and parents should take advantage of this fine opportunity to send their little ones to a good Kindergarten. Nearly every town now has its school for the little ones from two and a half or three to six years old where they are well cared for, instructed in many useful ways and amused at the same time.

Many larger towns have free Kindergarten in connection with the public schools. Some day when other expenses are lessened Barrington, too, will no doubt establish a free department, meanwhile the charges will be small and reasonable.

Miss Kuebler has received the regular instruction for the work and is fitted to succeed in it.

Services at Baptist Church.

Saturday night 7:30, prayer meeting and Covenant meeting, Sunday 10:30 a. m., preaching, subject—"Why we can't see Jesus?" 7:30 p. m., subject "The Use of the Mind" Sunday school and L. U. X. at 11:45 a. m.; Junior Society at 3 p. m.; Young People's Meeting at 6:30 p. m.

You are all cordially invited to worship with us.

A. V. HELMS.

"The Saloon vs. The Commonwealth" will be the subject of an address by Hon. Alton F. Wilson at the Y. M. C. A. next Sunday at 2:45 P. M.



Mr. Wilson will tell his experience as a member of the legislature and how he discovered the license system was the cause of much of the state taxation. Everybody invited.

TO ELECT OFFICERS.

G. A. R. Comrades, Don't Forget The Date.

On Friday evening, Dec. 14th, will occur the last regular meeting for the year 1906, at which time the annual election of officers will take place. Every comrade of the Post should be present, if possible, and cast a ballot. Elect your officers and then "stand by them." Do not "forget" nor neglect.

H. H. HUBBARD, Commander.

Met with Mrs. A. L. Robertson.

The Thursday Club met this week with Mrs. A. L. Robertson.

The afternoon was devoted to Whittier. Mrs. Clara Sears in charge. Mrs. Sears has visited all the historical places in the east and gave a very interesting talk on Whittier's birthplace.

Mrs. Olsen read "Telling the Bess the Corn Song." Mrs. Brockway, "The Barefoot Boy." Mrs. Emil Hawley, "The Captain's Will." Mrs. Austin sang "The Willow" to the tune of the "Old Oakon Bucket." Miss Beulah Otis rendered a piano solo. A full course dinner was served in the dining room. The club meets next week with Mrs. Alverson.

Lake Zurich.

The Ladies society held their meeting at the home of Mrs. Wm. Bicknese Thursday.

Mrs. A. C. By of Nevada, Ia., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Dickson.

Till and Lydia Hockmeyer spent Sunday here.

E. A. Ficke transacted business in Waukegan last week.

Miss Emilie Ahlgren returned home after a visit with Palatine and Chicago friends.

Finnes Wilsof of Palatine visited friends Monday.

Frank Scholtz, Jr., Chas. Scholtz and wife spent Sunday at the Scholtz home.

Wm. Bicknese and Bert Selp drove to Palatine Monday.

D. Smith attended the Stock show Monday.

Otto and Emil Frank received word Wednesday of the death of their sister, Mrs. Kasberg, who died of typhoid fever in Chicago.

A Miraculous Cure.

The following statement by H. M. Adams and wife, Henrietta, Pa., will interest parents and others. "A miraculous cure has taken place in our home. Our child had scema 6 years and was pronounced incurable, when we read about Electric Bitters, and concluded to try it. Before the second bottle was all taken we noticed a change for the better, and after taking 7 bottles he was completely cured." It's the up-to-date blood medicine and body building tonic. Guaranteed. 50c and \$1.00 at the Barrington Pharmacy.

Let us figure on your job printing.

Barrington Local Happenings Told in Short Paragraphs

Let us figure on your job printing. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hansen a 17 pound baby boy, Nov. 29th.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Peck visited relatives at Lombard, Friday.

Don't forget the Chicken Pie supper at the Baptist church Dec. 14th.

Mrs. Chas. Davlin of Waukegan visited Saturday with Mrs. E. Martin.

Frank and Elmer Gieske and Wm. Thoen, Upmose took in the Stock Show Wednesday.

Mrs. Gus Niemeyer and daughter and Miss Norma Dolan left for a few days visit with Poo de Jase relatives to day.

Misses Genevieve, Frances and Lenora Dolan sang "Ben-Hur" Wednesday.

Lewis Tegal has left the employ of the E. J. A. E. and is working at the Bowman plant.

On Sunday occurred the marriage of Miss Hattie Davis of Cuba township to Joseph Welmouth of Barrington.

C. F. Bochner and family of Lomira, Wis., are visiting for a week with his sister, Mrs. John Schwenn.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Bogman, who live in the Harnden flat, Monday, Dec. 3, a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dawson left Tuesday for a visit with relatives at Sidney, Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Baschke of Chicago were guests at the home of Geo. M. Wagner Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Kate Prouty went to Elgin last Thursday to visit the Waterman family for several weeks.

We have a good man who wants a steady position on good farm. He is not a cheap man but we believe he's a good worker. Who wants him? Address Review, Barrington.

Hammond, Ind., returned to their home Saturday after a short visit with T. J. Dockery and family.

Last week Tuesday in St. Louis occurred the marriage of Michael Flynn, brother of Mrs. F. O. Willmarth, to Miss Margaret McGuire of Chicago. Both the bride and groom have visited here and have the good wishes of Barrington friends.

Miss Luella Hager returned to Northwestern college at Evanston Monday after a Thanksgiving vacation at her parents' home on W. Main street.

Wm. and Theodore Uphouse of Manchester, Mich. are visiting relatives here.

Remember Hawley's auction Saturday night, Dec. 8. Good goods cheap.

Mrs. Alex Murray of Evanston spent Tuesday with her daughter, Mrs. Geo. Knaggs.

Mrs. E. K. Magee and daughter Helen, left Thursday for Ilwaco where they will spend the holidays with the former's parents.

FOR SALE—35 acres 16 miles from Chicago. Some improvements and stock, \$1,000 cash, balance 5 per cent. Also 160 acres improved 13 miles from Barrington.

C. S. HUSTON, Barrington, Ill.

Professor's A. L. Elmquist of North Western University and Walter E. Hollof of Wisconsin University and Miss Helen Lage of Chicago were the guests of Miss Rose Hollof Saturday and Sunday.

FOR SALE—Brass hanging lamp in excellent condition. Inquire at Review office.

Don't forget the sale at P. A. Hawley's store Saturday night. Come and bring your pocket book.

Don't wait for colder weather. It is cold enough now to look over your needs in the way of window glass. Bring in the cash and we will place it for you while you wait. We have in stock any size from 8 x 10 to 36 x 52. Give us your order.

LAMEY & COMPANY.

Hear Representative Alton F. Wilson of Wheaton at the Y. M. C. A. next Sunday afternoon tells how the license system increases taxes. The Dayton Journal said of him: "Splendid personality. Cultured, interesting and convincing speaker."

Come and buy your family Christmas presents Saturday night at Hawley's.

Frank Waterman made a business trip to Waukegan Tuesday.

The Misses Mabel Fulton and Nannan Riley of Woodstock were guests Sunday, of Miss Nellie Riley.

Miss Riley of Langenhelm, who has been attending the high school here, at Monday began teaching at a district school in McHenry county, just over the county line.

Mrs. Sara Otis, mother of Mrs. Chas. Otis, returned Tuesday evening to her home near Council Bluffs, Iowa, after visiting here with her daughters for a month.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dawson accompanied Mrs. Otis as far as Sidney, Iowa, where they will visit a great aunt of Mrs. Dawson's.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist Church were entertained Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. John Robertson.

Larry Dolans, Frank Foreman and George Holmoff took in the International Live Stock Show in Chicago this week.

George Foreman has received word of the illness of his mother Mrs. Morton Peterson at Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hollister had the misfortune to sprain her ankle on the sidewalk at Lake street.

Myrtle, the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Leonard, is suffering with gall stones.

A. W. Meyer's store will be open every evening until after the holidays. Don't forget the "Big Store."

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Schultz and Miss Emma McFalls of Algonquin were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Foreman Thanksgiving.

Mr. Farr, who lectured here Friday last, most urgently suggests that our school own its own electric lantern which could be bought on time and money raised by entertainments or subscription. He says the advantages are many for there are splendid lecturers in Chicago and vicinity who own their own slides and would give their lectures and pictures here entirely without charge if a lantern were owned here and then the children and the public could enjoy many an instructive evening. Who will start the subscription?

A suggestion for a Christmas gift offered by the December number of "Good Housekeeping" magazine—"Only one who has moved away, leaving many friends and relatives good times behind her, can realize how the sudden emptiness hurts. The new friends may be ever so pleasant and the new home nicer than the old one, but there always comes times when you feel like new shoes on weary feet. Men may not care so much, but woman longs for news from home; she wants to hear how the lives of even acquaintances and neighbors "turn out." Therefore, for a gift that will surprise and cannot fail to meet welcome, that will strengthen the old bonds, and that will hold the giver in frequent remembrance, send the absent one the old home town paper.

Mr. Farr recently lost, accidentally, by fire a third of his views and is anxious to replace them. He especially asks for the pictures of the beautiful scenery just west of Barrington and will be very grateful to anyone who will picture the same for him to use in his lecture which is given in many towns. This would be a fine manner to suggest to others the good points of Barrington.

Messdames R. Comstock, Geo. Comstock, Margaret Lamey, Geo. Foreman, P. Jacobson, F. Kirschner, W. Libbi, G. Hager, C. Dill and Miss Sadie Baker were entertained at the home of Mrs. Hollister Dec. 6th. The ladies served carrot rag. Mrs. Foreman won first prize, Mrs. Jacobson, 2nd and Mrs. Kirschner, 3rd.

Mrs. Hollister served an elegant repast both noon and evening. All reported a fine time.

The ladies of the Dorcas society will give a bazaar and chicken pie supper Dec. 14th at the Baptist church parlors. The bazaar will be open to the public Friday afternoon and evening.

A fine display of handmade aprons and handkerchiefs including other handmade articles will be on sale. The supper will be served by the ladies at 5:30 and throughout the evening. Come out and enjoy yourselves and help a good cause. A chicken pie and jelly booth will be in charge ladies.

Dec. 10, 1903.

Next year the attention of the whole country, and of the world for that matter, will be fixed upon the celebration of the three hundredth anniversary of the founding of Jamestown, Va., by English colonists. Other important dates connected with the settlement of America by the English are well recalled in the same connection. One of these dates is Dec. 10, 1603, when the ships of the king, the Discovery, the Godspeed and the Sarah Constant, sailed westward from the English port, bearing a strange company of men and women, who were to gain a foothold in the new world.

The fact that on this date ships sent out on this venture landed at the place afterward called Jamestown was a mere accident. The site was declared by some of the company, John Smith, for example, as unsuitable. The objection was justified later, for the colony nearly starved there. The result might have been better and probably would have been as worse had the venturesome voyagers landed elsewhere than at Jamestown. But the brave spirit of these pioneers was the unconquerable thing in the whole expedition, and the event of their sailing across an unknown sea to a savage wilderness to build a new England deserves more than a passing thought.

Consul Jesse B. Jackson of Alexandria describes the method in Asia Minor of providing a substitute for ice:

Snow is gathered in the adjacent mountains and packed in a conical pit, tamped in tightly and covered with straw and leaves. At the bottom of the pit a well is dug, with a drain connected at the bottom to carry off the water formed from melted snow. As the cost of collecting and storing is very small, the only labor is in delivering to the consumers, which is accomplished by pack horses. The selling price is 10 to 25 cents per hundred pounds and often cheaper.

When Thomas Power O'Connor was leaving England for his recent trip to this country he gravely announced that he was taking a typewriting machine with him to America in order that the readers of THE PIONEER in London Weekly might find in its columns "the usual number of contributions from my pen." An innocent bull and perfect enough to have come from Sir Boyle Roche himself.

The Journal of Commerce says that all classes of American society is smitten with the get-rich-quick disease, being taken in by tales of recent discoveries of precious metals and the attractions of mining securities.

The magazine editors reached out for Secretary Taft and got him in the first round. But they can't print his articles under the old style headline, "By Our Fat Contributor."

A writer in the current Reader says that the people of Brazil like the Americans better than they do the Germans and English. They like our way of doing things and openly express a wish to follow our example. Perhaps it will be the case of Prussia and the lesser German states over again, except that the United States has found an American federation of republics and not an empire of dependent sovereignties.

ARREST WOOD LAW VIOLATORS

State Commission Hails Mrs. to Court Who Use Advantage.

The state food commission has brought suit in 425 cases of violation of the pure food laws of the state during the past year. Of these, 130 have been instituted since June 15th for the sale of adulterated milk and cream and up to the present time a conviction has resulted in every case. The other 295 cases have been instituted for alleged violation of the food laws by adulterations in spices, extracts, jellies, jams, preserves, olive oils, map syrup, vinegars, butter and honey. Convictions in 125 of these cases have resulted. Reports have not yet been received from state's attorneys on the other cases but it is expected that convictions will be obtained in 95 per cent of them.

Governor Deneen appointed H. E. Schuknecht assistant commissioner and Dr. T. J. Bryan as state analyst for the commission.

Nearly 70,000 tons of cork are needed for the bottled beer and aerated waters consumed annually in Barrington.

The first meerschaum pipe was made by Karl Hower in 1728. This pipe is still in the Peck museum.

WARREN E. POWERS DEAD.

Paces Away Sunday Last at His Home Near Waukegan.

In the death of Warren E. Powers, which occurred at his home near Waukegan on Sunday last, the community loses a most estimable citizen, one of whom no one can say anything but that what will rebound to his credit. He was a man who was universally beloved and admired by all who knew him.

Warren Powers was born in Cortland county, New York, on July 6th, 1838. In 1862 in company with his father's family he came by way of Erie Canal, Lake Erie and Michigan Central railway to New Buffalo, Michigan, thence across the Lake, settling on a farm in Elia township.

On Jan. 1st, 1860, Mr. Powers was united in marriage to Celia Maria Houghton, three children blessing the union, Leagan A., Willis H. and Cora M., all of whom survive.

On Aug. 9, 1862, he enlisted in the service of his country, becoming a member of Company B, 96th Illinois Volunteers.

He was honorably discharged at Nashville, Tenn., on June 10, 1865, and mustered out at Chicago, June 27, 1865. Among the important engagements in which Mr. Powers participated must be mentioned Lookout Mountain, Chickamauga, Kenesaw Mountain and siege of Atlanta. He was wounded through the right forearm at Rocky Face Ridge. He has been a great worker in the Grand Army of the Republic, having served as Commander of the Waukegan Post for several years.

After the war he returned to the farm near Elia, and in 1870 he moved to his present farm near Waukegan.

The deceased has held many offices, trust, of which he has acquired himself invariably with credit to himself and the Republican party.

PALATINE LOCAL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. M. Reynolds attended the 25th anniversary of the latter's brother in Chicago Thanksgiving.

W. Ost and wife entertained G. Stroker and family of Waukegan Thanksgiving.

W. L. Smith and wife of Des Moines, Ia., are visiting relatives.

Misses Pauline Clausius, Alta Bennett and Elzora Arps and Messrs Aug. Burkhardt, Ewald Clausius and F. R. Sullivan attended the dance at Waukegan Thanksgiving night.

Miss Elsie Gainer spent Sunday at Barrington with Mrs. Chas. Lytle.

Henry Schoppe attended the Stock show Wednesday.

Chas. Dean, Jr. had the misfortune to sprain his wrist last Wednesday.

A correction on the item of the bazaar, Mrs. Gibbs, Friday both \$7.40.

The band concert Thanksgiving Eve was well attended. The boys are improving under the leadership of W. N. Sears and the program was very pleasing, all numbers receiving hearty applause. After the concert many joined in the dance.

Mrs. Bertha Luck (nee Horstman) of Beatrice, Neb., arrived Wednesday. She will spend some time visiting relatives and friends here.

Ir. Frye is on the sick list. All hope for his speedy recovery.

Frank Kooley and daughter of Iowa are visiting at A. C. Zimmerman's.

Mrs. G. H. Arps attended a convention of the W. H. C. at Bloomington last Friday and Saturday. She assisted Mrs. Mae Lincoln the department president instead the Soldier's Orphan Home at Normal.

The Palatine foot ball team went to Des Plaines Sunday, but neither team was able to score.

Mrs. Lizzie Clark is visiting relatives at Elgin this week.

Mrs. Young left for Seattle, Wash. last Sunday where she will make her home with her daughter.

Miss Etta Mueller of Milwaukee visited her aunt, Mrs. Torgler last week.

118 acre farm for rent to good party for 4 years, and a half mile to Barrington, Ill. Part of farm now being tilled. Cash rent only. Will make necessary improvements.

SIMON STOFFEL.

West McHenry, Ill.