

SCHOOL NOTES.

Miss Curtis has now some 38 pupils, Zella and Louis Erdman having started to school this week.

Books have been presented to the Intermediate Library by Mrs. E. M. Luce, Maude Larimore and Bessie Stiles.

Prof. J. W. Huff has been selected to read a paper before the Teachers' General Association, which convenes at Grand Forks Jan. 2nd.

On Hallowe'en J. B. McPherson entertained his room and a part of the Grammar room at a "Ghost Party." Each boy and girl invited, had to appear in white, and masked so that they would not be known. From all reports they spent a very enjoyable evening.

But this was not the only Hallowe'en party. Some 18 or 20 of the High School pupils indulged in a "Hay Ride", with George Fesler for chaperone, after which they adjourned to the Carleton home, where the remainder of the evening was spent.

The pupils of the High school have organized into two sides for the purpose of giving literary exercises every other Friday afternoon. The 8th grade composes one side and has for Class President, Effie Hench, and for Secretary, Jessie White. The officers of the other side, composed of the 9th grade, are Effie Smith, president and Jennie Taplin, secretary. The first exercises will be given tomorrow afternoon at 2:45.

The Intermediate and Primary rooms expect to give a social in the town hall, a week from tomorrow. Particulars later.

The pond in Hill's pasture has frozen over and skates are in evidence.

New pupils in the Intermediate room are Cleora Erdman, Murnia Curfman, Paul Curfman and Lawrence Perkins. These increase the attendance to 43.

Roll of Honor.

The following pupils of the Hope Public Schools have been neither absent nor tardy during the month of October:

HIGH SCHOOL.

Eunice Jacobson, Howard Boise, Ella Nelson, Jennie Taplin, Maude Larimore and Frank Gilmore.

GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

Katie Carleton, Ray Nelson, Robbie Officer, Vinnie Officer, Willie Jacobson, Zella Jacobson, Belle Carleton, Hazel Dingle, Harry Smith, Elsie Luce, Eileen Gilmore, Georgie Luce, Clara McLean and Grace Smith.

INTERMEDIATE ROOM.

Winnifred Moores, Harold Moores, Vivian Tillotson, Almar Stark, Earnest Roney, Mabel Luce, Ella Stark, Joe Cyrus, Frank Ray, Sammy Ray, Mary Smith, Porter Rugg, Otis Boise, Alida Loney, Adelaide Dittes, Earl Carley and John Elliott.

PRIMARY ROOM.

Harry Vadnic, Eya Dingle, Harry Aldrich; Elma Luce, Helen Baker, Hogen Kraabel, Blanche Van Dusen and Florence Laise.

One pupil in the Primary Dep't., Hogen T. Kraabel has not been absent or tardy since the beginning of school.

Miss Mabel Van Dusen was a visitor on Friday of last week.

Sylvia D. Brown was absent on account of sickness, Monday.

LITERARY PROGRAMME.

Friday afternoon 2:45, Nov. 8th 1901.

Song.....By the School.

Review of Memory Gems.

Recitation.....Rube Danforth.

Song.....By School.

Reading.....Eldora Doyle.

Recitation.....Maude Larimore.

Recitation.....Frank Gilmore.

Essay.....Ella Nelson.

Instrumental.....Edna Gray.

Reading.....Katie Carleton.

Recitation.....Victor Dingle.

Song.....By the School.

Debate.—Resolved: "That Women be Admitted to Sufferage."

Affirmative—Hettie Anesdell and Eunice Jacobson.

Negative—Howard Boise and Harry Dingle.

Instrumental...Eunice Jacobson.

Recitation.....Carrie Milligan.

Reading.....Essie Elliott.

Recitation.....Frank Moote.

Song.....By the School.

JENNIE TAPLIN, Sec.

Another Change.

A. M. McLaughlin and F. R. Rugg closed a deal last Monday whereby A. McLaughlin purchased Mr. Rugg's coal and wood business. Fred will close out what farm machinery and buggies he has on hand and quit that business. We have not learned what he intends doing. "Mac" needs no introduction to this community, as he is well known here. He will more than likely do a nice business.

AN OLD PIONEER GONE.

The Pioneer is called upon this week to announce the death of one of Steele county's early settlers, Comrade J. P. Pease, which occurred at his home south of Finley, last Thursday evening. Mr. Pease had been ailing for some time and his death was daily expected. He was an old Grand Army man and a member of Geo. P. Foster Post G. A. R. of this city. A number of the G. A. R. from here were in attendance at his funeral which was held at Finley, Sunday forenoon and was conducted by the Rev. John G. Dingle, of this place.

Mr. Pease was a man of excellent character, good habits and a highly honored and respected citizen. He was a member of the Board of County Commissioners for a number of years, in which capacity he proved a most excellent member. He leaves a wife and a number of grown up children to mourn their loss. The Pioneer with a host of friends all over the county extend sympathy to the bereaved family.

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