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*Wisconsin School for the Deaf.*

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Edward E. Clippinger and Mrs. E. G. McCoy retired from the service of the school as teachers in 1895, and were succeeded by W. A. Cochrane, who is an experienced teacher of long standing in the profession, and Miss Elsie Steinke, who returned to the school after a year's absence.

Mrs. E. B. Phoenix was granted a year's leave of absence to enable her to go to Europe, and her place was filled by the engagement of Miss Laura Sparks of Beloit, a scholarly young lady, who undertakes the work with every prospect of success.

Miss Clara Maklem (Mrs. Gregory) resigned early in 1896 and the vacancy thus caused was filled by the appointment of Miss Florence Parry of the Sparta school, who is an enthusiastic teacher, and will win success.

Miss Helen Ohnstad did not return this term and is succeeded as teacher of needlework by Mrs. S. Henderson.

Mr. Hollis Stone, foreman of the carpenter shop, is succeeded by Mr. A. C. Bloodgood; and Mr. William Passage, foreman of the printing office, by Mr. Fred C. Larson, of Lake Geneva.

The last biennial period has been attended by uninterrupted prosperity, health and happiness; in no other period of the school's history has more good work been done; pupils have been orderly, studious and obedient, while officers and teachers have given close and undivided attention to their work.

The lecture course, by the gentlemen of the school, has been interesting and instructive; the teachers' meetings, profitable and popular; papers and books have been read more extensively and by greater numbers of the pupils than ever before, and the interest in general literature shown by the members of the older classes proves that the efforts of their teachers in that direction have been appreciated.

In June, 1895, the officers of the school had the pleasure of entertaining its graduates, for the fifth time, in their Seventh Alumni Reunion. Many of the former pupils of the school met with them, and all were provided with entertainment.