

Miscellaneous

The Chamberlain Memorial Museum, Three Oaks, Michigan, is engaged in removing its large historical and natural history collections from the several detached buildings which it formerly occupied to a large three-story building formerly occupied by the Warren Featherbone Company. This marks a decided advance in the history of the development of this museum already widely known as one of the richest and most active museums of its class in the country. Mr. Carl F. Richter of Oconto, Wisconsin, has recently joined Director George R. Fox as his assistant.

We learn through others that Mr. Alonzo W. Pond of Janesville, widely known for his connection with the recent explorations of the Logan Museum, Beloit College, of prehistoric sites in France and Algiers, is to become a member of an expedition to be conducted to the interior of China by Roy Chapman Andrews.

Dr. George L. Collie spoke on "Men of the Aurignacian Age and Their Culture" at a meeting recently held by the Chicago Society of the Archaeological Institute of America at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Frank G. Logan, in Chicago.

At Neenah the old Governor Doty log cabin has been removed from its former site to the city park and is in use as a museum. The Green Bay Public museum has taken possession of its new municipal museum building. The historical museum at Baraboo has been crowded out of its former quarters in the county court house. Its valuable collections have been placed in storage because of the failure of the city council to provide other quarters. At Clintonville a museum containing manuscripts, books and other personal belongings of Eben E. Rexford has been installed in several rooms in the public library building. A new museum is reported as in existence at Neillesville.

During the past summer the Geneva Lake Historical Society was organized at Williams Bay. This new society, of which Dr. Paul B. Jenkins has been the leading moving spirit, has erected at Fontana at the western end of this beautiful southern Wisconsin lake, four fine bronze markers all mounted on boulders. Two of these mark the course of the old Chicago to Mississippi River trail, and two stand on the site of the noted Potawatomi chief Big Foot's village of 1831-33. These were unveiled with impressive ceremonies on the afternoon of July 28.

In the public library at Williams Bay is a case of Indian implements and some historical specimens, the nucleus of a future museum.

On August 14 and 15 a meeting of the Door County Historical Society was held at Ephraim. During this meeting an Indian "totem pole" was erected. A group of Forest County Potawatomi were present and helped to entertain the large number of persons who attended.

In coöperation with the archeological survey the Milwaukee Public museum excavated during the past summer two groups of Indian mounds, one located at the Black River, near Sheboygan, and the other near Juneau, in Dodge County. Mr. Charles E. Brown and Mr. Theodore Brown conducted an archeological survey of the Lake Geneva and Lake Como regions in Walworth County. Several mounds were excavated. The first photograph of an effigy mound