

The Schools Will Open—When?

In face of the action of the county commissioners and the town council in favor of opening the public schools, backed as it was by a large majority of parents signing a petition in support thereof, the Lake City school board refused to order the schools to start last Monday, although all the teachers were here and Principal Heath was strongly in favor of starting. President Williams, however, spoke and voted consistently for opening the schools.

If our public schools are to be kept closed so long as there are cases of influenza here and there through the country the school board might just as well decide on dispensing with our schools for years to come, for so long as the influenza germ cannot be isolated by the doctors so long will "grippe"-like colds be termed the flu.