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DOWNERS GROVE.

Downers Grove is situated in DuPage county, Illinois 21 miles west of the Union Depot in Chicago, on the main line of the C. & Q. R. It is attractively located on rolling ground in the midst of beautiful groves of natural timber, and contains a population of about 3500. Handsome and costly edifices line its shaded streets and groves, and a wide-awake progressive people are its residents. Its religious and educational advantages are of the best, its suburban train service all that could be desired. A first-class system of waterworks is now in operation, also telephone connection with the city. The surrounding country is settled by thrifty farmers who make this their market. Our merchants are bright and enterprising business men, all doing a thriving business. The population of the town has more than doubled in the last 4 years and many costly buildings are now in the course of construction. A healthy religious atmosphere pervades the community. Saloons are prohibited by law as well as by public sentiment, and we challenge any town in Illinois to compete with us as a place to invest in either a home or a business location.

C. B. & Q. Suburban Time Card.

DOWNERS GROVE, IN EFFECT FEB. 13, 1894.

TOWARD CHICAGO.		FROM CHICAGO.	
am	pm	am	pm
5:50	12:50	6:45	4:30
6:26	1:23	7:45	4:40
6:55	2:00	8:15	5:11
7:27	2:35	8:30	5:35
7:55	3:05	10:15	5:55
8:22	3:30	11:30	6:15
8:57	4:05	pm	6:40
9:28	4:32	pm	7:30
9:55	5:02	12:41	8:30
10:05	5:07	1:30	10:30
11:15	5:51	2:19	11:20
	10:15	3:15	12:30

Sunday Trains.

am	pm	am	pm
5:40	1:20	6:40	5:00
6:27	2:20	11:20	5:00
7:05	3:00	11:40	6:40
7:30	3:30	9:00	10:05
8:30	4:30	9:00	11:20
9:05	5:05		

THE MAILS.

From the east—8:45 am, 12:14 pm, 2:11 pm, west—9:35 am, 1:22 pm, 5:34 pm.

Belmont Time Card.

LEAVE BELMONT (FOR CHICAGO.)		LEAVE CHICAGO (FOR BELMONT.)	
am	pm	am	pm
7:55	1:55	8:30	5:30
8:30	2:30	11:30	5:30
11:11	3:11	1:30	7:30
pm	3:30	1:30	7:30
5:50	5:50	5:11	6:15

SUNDAY.

am	pm	am	pm
6:30	7:30	9:30	11:30
8:30	9:30	11:30	11:40
4:50			

ADVERTISING RATES.

DISPLAY.	
1 inch	1 wk 1 mo 3 mo 6 mo 1 yr
1 inch	\$ 25 1.00 2.00 3.00 4.00
1/2 "	1.00 2.00 3.00 4.00 5.00
1/4 "	2.00 4.00 10.00 18.00 25.00
1/8 "	4.00 8.00 18.00 35.00 50.00

Local reading notices among regular local News items, 10 cents per line, each week. Local reading notices with head under the head of "Business Notices" 5 cents per line each week. Display Ads on first page double price.

CURRENT NEWS.

Frank Shear made a business trip to Michigan the fore part of the week. Commissioner Heartt reports a great deal of sickness in the south part of the county. Atty. Blair formerly of this place, now of Chicago was calling on old friends here Monday. Attend the club entertainment Sat. evening at the Auditorium. It will be entertaining, amusing and interesting. Don't miss it. Messrs. Hall and Gardner, business men of Chicago were in the Grove last Tuesday prospecting with a view to residence locations. F. J. Lovell, traveling salesman for Lyon & Healy, made a flying visit to his home, and played the trombone in the M. E. church Sunday evening. The Ladies Library association have large attendances at their meetings much interest is manifested and the society is in a flourishing condition. The young people, to the number of about twenty, held a very pleasant surprise party on Chauncy Lovell Wednesday evening. All expressed themselves as having had a splendid time. Rev. Mr. Dowling from South Dakota preached two strong and eloquent discourses at the Cong'l church last Sabbath to large audiences. He will be with us again next Sabbath and all whose religious affiliations do not draw them elsewhere are cordially invited to hear him. Among the visitors to Springfield is Maj. S. A. Ballou of Naperville, a 49er in California, where he served two terms in the house and two in the senate of that state. Mayor Ballou is one of the oldest and most prominent citizens of DuPage county. He is the guest of Representative Charles P. Bryan.

F. W. Stilwell greeted friends here over Sunday.

See the six feet 4 of interlocation at Auditorium Saturday night. Friends of Mrs. J. C. Myers are pleased to hear that she is improving. The World Famous Linden Orchestra at Auditorium Saturday night. The genial countenance of Mr. Cromer is again seen on our streets. Miss Griffith from Ottawa Ill. visited the past week with Miss Della Wilcox. Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Cole and children, of Ottawa, were in Downers over Sunday. Commissioner Heartt transacted business in the east part of the county last Monday.

The colored 400 Ventriloquism by Echo Talk-Back, at Auditorium Saturday night. Mr. Faul and Miss Susan Faul, with Mr. and Mrs. Levi Mertz, are visiting in Kansas. Mrs. F. W. Stilwell left yesterday for Kewanee, where she will make her future home.

Bring in your job to this office. We can do your first class work at very reasonable figures. Look out for the Maple Sugar Festival to be given by the Ladies Aid Society of the M. E. church, soon. Mrs. Wm. Stephens, of Foote St. gave a delightful live table progressive euchre party Monday evening. The famous boy soprano, Master James LeRoy, as "Jimmy, the Mascot," at Auditorium Saturday night. Mrs. Dawson, of Aurora, and Mr. Will Brown, of Chicago, attended the funeral of Floyd on Tuesday.

Mr. Chambers came out from the city on Saturday, and took dinner with his daughter at Mrs. Naramore's. Miss Della Wilcox gave a little party to a few of her friends last Monday evening, in honor of Miss Griffith.

The Young Ladies' Mite Society of the Congregational church will meet with Mrs. Naramore Saturday afternoon. Rev. C. H. Baggs, rector of the Protestant Episcopal "Church of the Advent" has resigned and his resignation has been accepted. S. Berens is making good progress with his register patent. The new Model is completed and the company have fine prospects of success.

A fine residence building has been commenced just north of the Catholic church at Gostyn. It will be church property, is intended for a parsonage and will be a large and finely finished house and grounds. A damage suit against the C. B. & Q. R. R. for about \$600,000 by some Chicago firm for damage to lumber by fire is on the court docket of this county for trial at the March term.—Illinoisian.

Mrs. Janvosi desires to extend thanks to all who assisted her by contributions and otherwise, during her late bereavement in the loss of her only son. There will be a musical and literary entertainment given by the Y. P. S. C. E. of the Cong'l church at the residence of Dr. Tope on Thursday evening March 14th, 1895. Refreshments and a general good time. All come. Hinsdale seems to be the banner town for criminal cases at the coming term of court. There are six or seven who will answer to roll call from that town. They will come under the heading of special assessments.—Illinoisian.

Episcopal church.—Services as usual on Sunday next, March 10th, commencing at 2:30 p. m. Rev. Joseph Rushton, of Chicago, will officiate. Every member of the congregation is requested to be present on this occasion. A cordial invitation extended to all. Prince's sub-division, with its beautiful groves, handsome grounds and yards, and elegant residences, is the most inviting tract of land on the line of the C. B. & Q. It has been about four years since it was sub-divided, and it immediately attracted the attention of residence-seekers, especially business men from Chicago, who have erected handsome and beautiful homes, and settled here permanently. They find in Downers Grove an ideal village for a home, with its natural and artificial attractions, good schools and churches, the best of society, the most convenient train service of any road that runs out of Chicago, and a community with less of the rough element in it than any town of its population in the state. We have noticed, within the past two or three weeks, a great many visitors and prospective buyers here, many from the city, and the prospects are now very bright for the addition of many new and desirable homes and families this coming spring and summer.

JUST RECEIVED

AT THE NEW NORTH SIDE STORE
A FINE ASSORTMENT OF
Side Combs, German, Germantown, Spanish and Saxony Yarns. Dress and Apron Gingham, Calico, Towelings, Percales, Linings, Etc. Etc. We have the Best Line of Canned Goods in Town. Crosse & Blackwell's Pickles, Ancon Olives, Catsup, Lee & Perrin's Sauce, Capers, Pepper Sauce, Olive Oil, Etc., Etc. Fancy No. 1 Salt Mackerel. SHAMROCK FLOUR—BEST ON EARTH. Try our M. & J. Coffee, 35c., 3 lb. for \$1.00 Pure N. Y. state Buckwheat.

A. H. Dannemark & Co.
We deliver goods to any part of the Village every day and take orders on
South Side North Side
Mondays, Tuesdays,
Wednesdays, Thursdays,
Fridays, Saturdays.

"If wisdom's ways you'd wholly seek,
Five things observe with care,
Of whom you speak, to whom you speak,
And how, and when, and where.
"And if your ears you'd keep from jeers,
These things keep meekly hid,
Myself and I, and mine and his,
And what I do and did."

Some fifteen or more ladies of the north side gave an afternoon surprise on Mrs. Lucas, Tuesday. Hearts, music and lunch helped to spend a very pleasant afternoon.

Township Caucus.
There will be a township caucus held in Hinsdale, Saturday, March 16, 1895, at 3:00 p. m., for the purpose of nominating township officers.
BY ORDER TR. COM.

A CARD OF THANKS.
We desire to express our sincere thanks and gratitude to the many friends who so kindly assisted us in our late bereavement during the sickness and death of our son, Floyd. Also to those who furnished the beautiful flowers. MR. AND MRS. F. G. BROWN.

SURPRISED.
Mrs. R. D. Parker was pleasantly surprised last Saturday evening by 56 of the young folks of Downers Grove who called at 8 o'clock and engaged in various games until 12 o'clock, all who were present, report a good time, and congratulated Miss Clara Foote, for her effort. The music was very much enjoyed, especially the selections on the violin by Mrs. Nellie Murry of Aurora and the Solos by the Rose brothers on Guitar and Harmonica also the singing by Vin Lovell and others.

OBITUARY.
Floyd Farnsworth Brown was born in Leland, Ills., April 11, 1858, and died at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank G. Brown, in Downers Grove, on Sunday afternoon, March 3, 1895. Floyd had a mild attack of grippe about one year ago, the effects of which caused his death. All that loving parents could do, at home, then a change of climate, was of no avail, and in a few days after being brought home, he quietly fell asleep. Floyd's whole life, from babyhood, was spent in Downers Grove. Although gone, he will not be forgotten. Mr. and Mrs. Brown have the sympathy of all their friends. Funeral was on Tuesday, conducted by Rev. J. F. Heitner.

Dr. Carlos Martyn in Batavia March 17th, at the C. E. Convention.

The executive committee is pleased to announce that Dr. Carlos Martyn will address the Christian Endeavorers in their annual convention at Batavia, March 15, 16, 17, on "Christian Citizenship." Dr. Martyn is the gentleman whose noon addresses on "Municipal Reform" have created such wide-spread interest. He is an earnest, practical speaker, and his lecture alone will be worth going to Batavia to hear. Mr. Evans, of Chicago, will have charge of the singing during this convention. He is a first-class leader, and will bring the convention music up to time. Rev. E. W. St. Pierre, a returned missionary from Persia, will deliver the missionary address. He comes highly recommended as a first-class speaker. Every Endeavorer should make an effort to be in Batavia March 15, 16 and 17th, to attend this convention of the Elgin District.

Qualit Humor of Irish Peasants.

Appropos of the anecdote in the *Westminster Gazette* of the modern Cavan Irishman who, when his reply to a place being "two miles" distant was received with incredulity, responded: "Well, your reverence, it is two miles strong and rich, so to spake," another "rich" incident of the kind is called to mind. The story was told by one of Lord Zetland's party when on a tour through the "distressed country" during Lord Zetland's viceroyalty. The party were crossing a lake, a full gale was blowing and the waves were dashing over the boat. The gentleman in question, having been assured that an Irishman, if treated well, will always agree with what is said to him; rather than appear disagreeable, thought the occasion a good one to put the assertion to the proof. Accordingly he went up to one of the men in the boat and said: "There is very little wind, Pat." Like a flash came the answer, which had to be shouted to overtop the howling of the elements: "Very little, indeed, yer honor; but fwat there is is moighty strong."

Downers Grove must have a scarcity of the sterner sex, or something else must be the matter. The other evening two of the gentler sex were seen promenading the streets in company with two persons who were taken for gentlemen; but they could not act their parts well, and were not up on etiquette, consequently the ruse was discovered. We will venture to assert that said young ladies got all of the experience they desired, in gentlemen's clothes.

LIBRARY BOOKS.
All of the books recently purchased by the library have not yet been received, but the following will now be found upon the shelves ready for distribution:
Tribby, by DuMaurier; The Ralstons, by F. Marion Crawford; The Golden Home, by Chas. Dudley Warner; God's Fool and the Greater Glory by Maarten Maartens; My Lady Rothe by Samuel Wayman; The Firm of Griddlestone, and A Study in Scarlet, by A. Conan Doyle; Lord Ormont and His Arminta by Geo. Mindith; What's Mine is Mine, and Malcolm, by Geo. McDonald; John Ward Preacher, and Philip and his Wife by Margaret Deland; The Prisoner of Zenda; Under Fire, by Capt. King; The Wooing Celt, by Mrs. Alexander Pealycross, by Blackmore; Highland Cousins, by Wm. Black; His Vanished Star, by Chas. Egbat Craddock; A Bachelor Maid, by Mrs. Barton Hanison; Doreen, by Edna Lyall.

JUVENILE.
Grimm's Fairy Tales; Arabian Nights; Swiss Family Robinson; Myrs; Robinson Crusoe, by Defoe; Twenty Thousand Leagues Under the Sea, A Journey to the Centre of the Earth by Julius Verne; Through the Looking Glass, Lewis Carroll; The Land of Pluck, and Hans Bunker, by Mary Mapes Dodge; Sea Yams for Boy, by W. J. Henderson; We Girls, by A. D. T. Whitney; Silver Pitchers, and Spinning Wheel Stories by L. M. Alcott; Bambi, by Ouida; Brother Against Brother, by Oliver Optic; Fast Friends, A chance for Himself, Lawrence's Adventures, by J. T. Trowbridge; Jungle Book, by Rudyard Kipling; Jar of the Windmill and We and the World; by Mrs. Ewing; Tom Sawyer, Mark Twain; Ten Boys, Jane Andrews; Polly Oliver's Problem, Kate Douglas Wiggin; What Katy Did and What Katy Did at School, by Susan Coolidge; Ziz-zaz journey's in the Sunny South and Ziz-zaz journey's on the Mississippi by H. Butterworth.

BIOGRAPHY.
Life of Louisa M. Alcott.
ESSAYS.
Meditations of Marcus Aurelius Antonius.

VILLAGE BOARD PROCEEDINGS.

Downers Grove, Ill., Feb. 4, 1895. Board met in regular session. Called to order by President Carpenter. Present Trustees Bush, Crescy, Edwards, Gesner and Gallup. Moss absent. Minutes of last regular meeting read and approved. Trustee Gallup moved that the treasurer's, superintendent's, collector's and street commissioner's reports be accepted and approved. Motion prevailed. Trustee Crescy moved that the president and clerk be authorized to fill out, sign and deliver bonds to the several parties, that are entitled to them. Motion prevailed. Claim ordinance No. 14 was introduced, read and passed by a unanimous vote, allowing the following claims: J. G. Bennett, \$ 22 00 J. W. Rogers, 60 96 Jesse Hall, 1 05 F. Shears, 2 25 W. H. Mertz, 13 07 Thomas Kelley, 27 00 W. H. Colville, 75 Caywood & Killer, 3 00 REPORTER Printing Co., 3 00 J. M. Wells, 6 46 G. E. Downer, 1 30 J. D. Fowler, 1 00 M. Slusser, 135 00 J. D. Fowler, 60 00 J. Hofert, 30 00 V. Wohlhuter, 15 00 W. S. Shields, 100 00 Farmers & Merchants Bank, 101 50 Close Bros., 1500 00 W. H. Shields, W. S. Shields has tendered to the village his final report as engineer, and the map as provided in his contract; therefore Resolved, That said map be accepted, and Mr. Shields be paid the one hundred dollars yet due under his contract with the village; it not being the intention, however, of this board to relieve said Shields from any liability under his bond, should it hereafter appear that by the terms of his contract he is liable thereon. Trustee Bush moved the acceptance of the above resolution. Motion prevailed. Trustee Edwards moved that Mr. Shields be authorized to have one dozen blue prints made of the map of the water-works system, so that each member of the board may have one. Motion prevailed. Trustee Gallup moved that Trustee Bush and Attorney Slusser be appointed a committee to call on the Boston Hose and Rubber Co. and make the best terms possible for the 1,000 feet of hose shipped the village. Motion prevailed. Trustee Gallup moved that no one be granted the privilege of using the village fire engine, unless under the supervision of the fire marshal. Motion prevailed. Trustee Bush moved that Trustee Gallup be authorized to procure a suitable roller for the village map. Motion prevailed. Trustee Bush moved that the proposition of G. E. Downer to paint the plastering in the water-works building for \$18 be accepted. Motion prevailed. Meeting then adjourned. Geo. T. Hughes, Clerk.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

John Holt to Levi P. Pease It 3 blk 5 Lansing's add to Hinsdale \$1400. Alfred R. Heckman to John C. Nolan It 23 blk 11 Straube's add to Downers Grove \$225. Same to David M. Gregory It 10 blk 5 Straube's add to Downers Grove \$375. Earl H. Prince to Wm. E. McLaren It 10 blk 8 Prince's add to Downers Grove \$600. Wm. J. Herring to Henry L. Wheeler It 21 blk 3 Prince's add to Downers Grove \$1800. Earl H. Prince to Frank C. Pettifer It 16 and 17 blk 22 Prince & Co's add to Downers Grove \$650. Wm. J. Herring to Phoebe J. Daily It 22 blk 3 Prince's add to Downers Grove \$500. Alfred R. Heckman to Dora B. Russell It 5 blk 8 Straube's add to Downers Grove \$300. Sherman T. Kimball to John Finger Its 28 to 31 blk 4 Estabrook's add to Hinsdale \$30. John Finger to Lillie E. Finger It 87 blk 28 Stough's 2d add to Hinsdale \$350. Diedrich Lawing to Edward A. Blodgett It 44 blk 7 Gostyn \$125. Nellie R. Ford to John Pinger It 87 blk 23 Stough's 2d add to Hinsdale \$800. Earl H. Prince to Chas. O. Bethness Its 16 and 17 blk 35 Prince's add to Downers Grove \$460. Henry Jackson to Alfred R. Heckman It 20 blk 10 Straube's add to Downers Grove \$1400. Mary C. Lundy to Largery Hurd It 6 blk 22 Prince's add to Downers Grove \$100.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

National Light Oil at Nash Bros. California prunes at 5c per lb. at Nash Bros. WANTED:—Girl for general housework. Mrs. C. V. Carpenter. Please call and inspect my stock of meats and get my prices. GEO. F. STEERE. Duluth Imperial is the best flour on earth. A test will prove it. For sale by Nash Bros. White Rose Gasoline at Nash Bros'. Money to loan, for a term of years on good real estate security. D. G. Graham. A BARGAIN. Good pony, cart and harness for sale CHEAP. Inquire at this office. For Rent. The farm and premises known as the E. O. Stanley place. Apply to Walter Scott Bryan, Downers Grove, Ill. For Sale. Two gasoline stoves, one quick meal three burner, one generator three burner. Will be sold cheap. W. E. FARRAR. NOTICE. Having sold out my business to A. H. Dannemark & Co., I desire to get my books balanced up and closed as soon as possible; all parties having accounts with me will confer a favor by calling at the market and settling at once. D. N. DANIELSON. FOR SALE. THE HERRING & DAILY FACTORY. Having bought of Mr. Daily his interest in the above property, I now offer for sale or exchange, the lot, buildings, machinery and stock complete, all in working order, or will sell engine, boiler and machinery separately, and rent building if desired. Apply on premises or write to W. J. Herring, owner.

NOTICE.

Is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Farmers and Merchants Bank, of Downers Grove, Ills., will be held Saturday, March 9, 1895, in the directors' room of said bank at 2:00 p. m., to hear the reports of its officers, election of directors, and to transact such other business as may properly come before the meeting. W. H. EDWARDS, Sec.

NOTICE.

DOWNERS GROVE, March 1, 1895. Notice is hereby given that the first installment of special assessments No. 1, 2, 3 and 4, for putting in water system, etc., must be paid on or before March 31, 1895, or the same will be returned delinquent to the county treasurer. JOHN M. WELLS, Village Collector.

If you want first-class laundry work done, and are not getting it, give the Sun Laundry a trial package. Drop me a card and I will call. I collect regularly every Monday morning, and deliver on Thursday and Friday. Satisfaction guaranteed. RALPH RASWELLER, Agent.

Buy the Chase & Sanborn coffee. The Hayt Co.'s spices and teas; Curtice Bro.'s canned fruits and peas. At the grocery house of T. & C's. The REPORTERS are on sale at W. S. Carpenter's drug store every week where extra copies can be procured at any time. It will be to your interests to call and inspect my line of meats, canned goods, etc. I carry the best to be had on the market and sell at very low prices. GEO. F. STEERE. The C. B. & Q. Ry. will sell Home-seekers tickets to all points west and south on March 8th and April 2nd, 1895, at one fare plus two dollars for the round trip. G. H. Bunge, Agt. C. B. & Q.

Our postmaster has extra copies of the REPORTER every week for the accommodation of those who fail to receive their's regularly. If the paper is not in your box when it should be, ask him for one. The Heliothrops Club of this place will give a social dance in Thompson's hall on Tuesday night March 19. Mrs. James Drew died at 6:30 this morning, after a lingering illness of several weeks. The funeral will be Sunday at 12 m. Short services at home and the sermon at Cass church.

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