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and patrons for the liberal support accorded us, and wishing you great success in life, we remain

Yours Respectfully. CURTIS & STILWILL

As strangers we make our first appearance before you this week, can didates for your approval, having acquired Messrs. Curtis & Stilwill's in the end of a 40 minute ride to the city. terest in the Reporter. Whether we shall secure your good will or not, time, which only can reveal the fut- would state that we think the author these companies. ure, will tell; but we hope to be able is reasoning from erroneous conclusto demonstrate by our actions that ions or a wrong standpoint. In the we merit your approval and patron first place, it is not expected to make permanent home among you, and hardware town, a dry goods, grocery naturally our first incitant is a or notion town a horse market town, wish to better ourselves financially.

PORTER is and all country news. all agree that all kinds of legitimate the following resolution and on motion of papers necessarily are-read, in a business represented here in propor great measure, solely for the news tion to our fast growing residence they contain in reference to the hap. portion and population, would be a penings in the immediate locality in good thing for Downers Grove. which they are published. The paper as heretofore conducted by Messrs. of by the author of the article, Cartis & Stilwill will be hard to im this: That this is not a town built board, be it prove upon, either editorially or typo- up around, and in consequence of, a graphically, and it will therefore be manufactory or manufactories; but our aim to keep the paper up to its that the business of manufacturing present standard of excellence as a has gradually established itself here first class country newspaper; replete as naturally as other branches of with the current news; one which business, and entirely without bonus shall at all times be prepared to or artificial growth, and that this champion any legitimate enterprise, same manufacturing is in control of, farm that has for its motive the upbuild and carried on by citizens who did ing of our village and county.

dorse the principles enunciated by property interests here for years, and Abraham Lincoln, and as also set have recently embarked in this forth in the platform of the repub. line because they think it would be a lican party; believing that only by so good thing for the place and consedoing, can the greatest needs and quently for their own interests—and good of the people be ultimately at their interests in property here as tained.

We shall probably make mistakes wellfare, will prompt them to exercise who does not? and should we do that care in the employment of their o, we will not hesitate in acknowl- help that they have exercised in sel-

that we have secured the co-opera- families, will be desirable acquisitions tion of Mr. D. G. Graham, the for- to our society. mer associate editor, who will con-Mr. Graham will have authority to smoke, which drove us from the city Fine Entered at the P.O. at Downers Grove, Ill., ness entrusted to him will be attend. air and prairie breezes have full ed to the same as through us.

action, we must have your confidence that his complaint of soft coal smoke With this issue of the Reporter and help. We desire to help you. in connection with manufacturies we cease our connection with it and Our interests then, being mutual, our bere would hold with far greater efintroduce to our readers Messrs, Hugh working together harmoniously and fect against the R. R. with its 50 to M. White and A. E. Williams of in confidence with each other can 100 engines puffing through here

Respectfully, WHITE & WILLIAMS.

COMMUNICATED.

In recent issues the REPORTER has taken occusion to speak of the desirability of having factories of various kinds in our village and the encouragement that should be given manufacturers to induce them to locate here.

Only a careful canvass of the place

would demonstrate what the prevailing satisfied that at least a good proportion of us have no love for the modest industries already here and would like who could enjoy a boil much the best when it was on the other fellow's nose, And more than this we very much object to all efforts to make this what i called a manufacturing town, for it will No paper can afford to run without then have lost all the attractive features which induced us to make a home here. We have not forgotten the villianous soft coal smoke that drove us out of the city, and we no not like to contemplate the prospect of having a second application of the foul - mudge settle over us here and thus compelanother migration. Let each one think it all over and weigh carefully the advantage or loss in each individual case and how many factory beomers ton? In these two places we find striking illustrations of a strictly manufacturing town on the one hand and a city of homes for the other side and each the direct antithesis.

In Downers Greve we have nothing tion for a term of years as has been done in some places there is quite certain to spring up a vigorous opposition to such a scheme. It is hard to see how anyone would be benefitted, unless it might be some few owners of isolated cheap lots and we can't afford to spoil our homes for such paltry profits, There might be more business for our merchants but with it would come Kindly thanking our many friends more competition or perhaps a single large department store that would wipe them all out

Another very serious thing not to be lost sight of is the risk we would run of having the present local sentiment for prohibition overwhelmed by some "personal liberty' league of newcomers,

No, thank you, we now have comfortable homes with cleanliness every where and when we want the other thing we can find it without fimit

We came here to make our this a purely manufactory town - a or any other town built up with the We recognize the fact that the RE. idea of one specific business, and yet

not come here especially for that pur Politically, the Reporter will en pose, but have lived and owned large well as in our moral and progressive

edging them promptly and man ecting residents on their new subdivisions, and thus give as a class of We take pleasure in announcing people as employees, who with their

The afore mentioned author warns tinue with us in the same capacity. us against the "villainous soft coal receive subscriptions, and any busi- etc.," but he must recollect that pure sway here, unhampered and un-In order to carry out our plans of checked by 16-story sky scrapers and daily, and no one wants the village isolated from the great C. B. & Q. R'y-in fact we would be glad to have another with as many engines coursing through our place from north to south. He asks where would would you go to spend the balance of your days. Would it be South Chi cago or Evanston? Please do not ignore the fact that South Chicago is Fruits and Vegetables facturies built up by them and known only as a manufacturing town, con predominates to the exclusion of other lines, and while Evanston has justly a reputation as a residence place the author might surprise himself by inspecting as to the number and magnitude of manufacturing establish ments within the borders of that beautiful residence city.

In regard to endangering the probibition or no-license sentiment here we cannot see why the argument should hold good, and moral welfare endangered in that

We formerly resided in almost an exclusively manufacturing city and for a dozen consecutive years nolicense prevailed by a majority of the votes, cast largely by employees of the factory, and a majority of the municipal offices, were filled by those who were connected with the manufacturing interests.

In conclusion we are glad to publish the article of our friend. We know him to be one of our best citi zens, having the interests of Downers Grove at heart, ready at all times to RESORT and SANITARIUM, spend time and money to advance the many interests of our village and the REPORTER cheerfully opens its coltimes to those who desire to express their beliefs on any questions which may affect our community and progress as a village and a people

About 900,000 persons are em ployed directly by the railroads of the United States, and probably near two million of the residents of this In reply to the foregoing, we country derive their support from

(Continued from first page) sum of \$500 was appropriated to the stationery fund.

On motion of Supervisor Hammerselimidt the clerk was directed to issue an order to the treasurer of Drainage District No. 2, for \$600.63 and interest for assessment of benefits to the poor farm.

Supervisor Hammerschmidt presented Bartlett it was unanimously adopted. Whereas, Supervisor Henry C. Middaugh has been the presiding officer of

this board for a number of years last past, Whereas, Mr. Middaugh has at all times Another important fact lost sight presided at the meetings of the board with

fairness and impartiality, and Whereas, he is about to retire from this Resolved, That in the retirement of Mr. Middaugh, this board loses a valuable and faithful officer and member, and the town of Downers Grove an exemplary, expable and efficient officer.

On motion of Supervisor Hammerschmidt the board adjourned.

M. S. Ellsworth, Clerk. On motion of Supervisor Barnard the Statement of Superintendent of the Poor Wheaton, Mar. 1st, 1895. DuPage County in account with Geo. Broughton, Superintendent of County Poor Farm from March 18t, 1894 to March 1st, 1895.

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