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From the enst:-8:07 am, 12:11 pm, 5:11 pm west;--9:52 am, 1:23 pm, 5:28 pm.

DISPLAY ADVERTISING RATES.

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BUSINESS NOTICES.

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

Mrs.E.L.MILLER

of Hinsdale will be in Downers Grove every Thursday of each week, with a

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erly with the W. W. Kimball Co., of Chicago, will receive orders for tuning at Carpenter's Pharmacy, Mr. Wis mer is a first-class tuner and his recommendations are unquestionable. Give him a call.

D. F. Cornell, of Westfield, Pa., for an improvemet in lathe carriages. prize is the monthly award of the wellknown patent firm of John Wedderburn & Co., who give this sum each month for the best and simplest invention brought to their attention during the preceeding 30 days. Cornell was brought up on a farm and had had but littlefexperience in mechanical work when he made this invention. Other recent prize winners in these contests are P. H. Martin, Vershire, Vt., W. P. Gave, and E. E. Katz, of San Bernardino, Cal., Daniel Brion, Jr., of Bozeman, Mont., and A. L. Simmons, of Geneseo, N. Y.

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Subscribers in arrears may take

advantage of this rate by paying such arrears and I year in advance.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

National Light Oil at Nash Bros Additional local news on fifth page.

Don't forget the "Mother Goose Market."

Get your sidewalk plank, cut ready to put down, at Brode & Co.'s

C. H. Pearson's celebrated Baltimore

oysters, 80c per quart, at Steere's. Mrs. A. B. Cole and little daughter Clara of Ottawa spent Thursday in Harry Shepard Wednesday evening.

moved his family into the Davenport absence. house on the North side.

some time with her daughters, Mrs. Nargney and Miss Jean Fidler, returned to her home in Chio this week.

G. H. Bunge left Wednesday for Neely, Nebraska, for a visit with his father. He will visit other western points while absent.

The Ladies' Guild of the Episcopal church will give a Gypsy entertainment about the first of December. Something new and novel is promised St. Mary's church, Gostyn, will hold a fair and bazaar in the near future. All who wish to contribute articles are requested to leave them with Father F. Hodniewicz.

Wonderful are the cures accomplished by Hood's sarsaparilla and yet it is only because Hood's Sarsaprilla, the one true blood purifier, makes pure, rich healthy blood.

Keep your hands warm. In our line of gloves and mittens you'll find what you want. Warmth and wearing qual ities combined in our first-class hand vear. See them at Nash Bros.

Nash Bros. sell hats and caps. The satisfactory kind in style, quality and prices, such as the most exacting dressers approve of. Come in and let us dress your head correctly and warm.

The special services were concluded with the meeting last night at the Congregational ct.urch. Much interest and feeling has been manifested, the attendance has been large and much good will result.

These are the kind of days which make one think of the winter wrapthe warm underwear-and the other winter wearables, all of which Thompson keeps in large quantities. If you haven't purchased your underwear yet let us show you our line.

C. H. Dicke has been awarded the contract to furnish thirty thousand bicycle wrenches by a Phitadelphia cycle firm. He has lately added a special machine for this purpose, at an expense of about \$5,000 and otherwise refitted his already well stocked machine shop.

California excursions, personally conducted, leave Chicago every Wednesday via the Burlington Route. Low fare and unexcelled accommodations For full particulars write to T. A Grody, excursion manager, 211 Clark street, Chicago, or apply to the local agent of the C. B. & Q. Ry.

Since Col. Sanford's return it has would improve, but he became worse and on Tuesday was taken to Elgin. His noble, loving wife has the sympathy of the entire community which hopes for his speedy recovery,-lili-

PIANO TUNING, -G. C. Wismer, form- Captain Rogers, member of the committee to inspect the soldiers' home at Quincy reports that they found the home in a very satisfactory condition; that Captain Kirkwood is a model superintendent and the 1200 inmates un der his charge are well cared for. The A prize of \$150 has been awarded to committee recommended that the leg- On Friday Special Agent Mortough, acislature make an appropriation build two more cottages to provide for those who have already applied and cannot be provided with room at pres ent. All the employees at presen were appointed from among the in mates with the exception of four.

Some time since we stated in the REPORTER that Graham Burnham, who was engaged in working up the Downers Grove township map for Allen T Russell, had "touched us for two dollars before leaving for parts unknown." Yesterday we received a letter from him enclosing a draft for \$2.00 in pay ment of our claim in full, and take this means of giving the same publicity to the payment of the debt as we did in reverses and should his fallen fortunes mend we feel that his creditors will not

************** The first snow Nov. 9th.

> White Rose Gasoline at Nash Bros. The best-Pillsbury's Best, at A. J Thompson's.

Hood's pills for the liver and bowels, act promptly and efficiently.

Watch for the "Mother Goose Market" at the Auditorium, Dec. 4th. A card party was given by Mrs.

Mr. Tuttle is the relief agent in Express Messenger Geo. P. Jack has charge at the depct during Mr. Bunge's him success.

W. E. Farrar has just put in a full Mrs. Fidler, who has been spending line of flour and feed, hay and grain. Please give him a call.

> Gloves and mittens at Thompson's at the lowest kind of prices consistent with good quality. All kinds,

A. Reading and Misses May Hubbard and Belle Hilton of Chicago visited

large order of nursery stock in the first Thursday in December at Mrs. J streets of that village.

The choir of St. Andrews Mission will meet for practice at the residence of Mr. James Lee, Saturday evening at 8 o'clock. A full attendance is re-

There will be a raffle for a watch at Wendlowski's Hall, Gostyn, Saturday, Nov. 30, for the benefit of the parish house. Tickets 50c, including admission to hall and dance.

You are cordially invited to attend the services at the Congregational church on Sunday next. Special subjects morning and evening. Evening-"A Plea for the Old Sword," Henry W. Dowding, pastor.

Attention is directed to the adver tisement of Mrs. E. L. Miller elsewhere in this issue. Mrs. Miller has opened a millinery store in the old Moore stand and will be in Downers every Thursday with a large stock of the latest effects.

The Ray, John C. Sage, rector of St. Andrew's church, will officiate on Sunvited to meet with us on this occasion. Come and spend a profitable hour. Strangers especially welcome. Services at 10:30 a. m.

point to be at the opening session of This makes greater the responsibility the county Sunday school convention which rests upon those who have bewhich is to be held at Turner next fore taken up the work of the Master. Thursday and Friday, Nov. 21 and 22, Three little girls were also taken on as Dr. Tomkins of Wheaton gives the probation. address. His theme is "Duties and Opportunities," The session Thursday evening is in the Congregational church, Friday's meetings are in the M. E. church. Everybody will be welcomed by the good people of Turner.

Last week Thursday Chris Jorgensen. a native of Denmark, accompanied by Special Agent Mortough of the C. B. & Q. appeared before the police magistrate and entered a complaint against a party named Charles Scott for swindbeen hope against hope that his mind ling the complainant out of \$30, by means of the "three-card-monte" game, on the train passing through here and occurring in DuPage county. A war rant was issued and Officer Hoffert went to the city and brought out the accused who had been captured there and was confined in Central station. Both the accused and the prosecution wanting a continuance the examination was continued by agreement till 10 a. m. the 11th. The magistrate held the prisoner in honds of \$500 for his appearance and failing to give the bond he was committed to the county jail. companied by an attorney for the defense, appeared in court and the agent stated that the complainant had hi ticket for Denmark and he was anxious to get away; that the accused, according to the witness, was not an active participant in the swindling, only being in the company of the "gang:" that the prosecution desired to withdraw the charge and enter another under the head of "disorderly conduct." The prisoner was brought into court, a new affidavit filed under the latter charge costs paid and the witness's lost \$80 re

funded and the first charge dismissed. The prisoner plead guilty to the charge of "disorderly conduct," making the statement that he was not acquainted with the members of the gang, an entire stanger, simply at their request holding the stakes (?) The evidence of the prosecuting witness was weak, only that the accused was present during the game. The court fined the prisoner | 12th, was a pronounced success. The further states that it will be only a costs. The accused was a bright, sleek-debts—which he says in the aggregate of many debts—which he says in the aggregate of the costs and innocent of inamount to less than \$20—contracted tentional wrong-doing, and claimed to here by him will be liquidated to the last dollar. The gentleman has met in the last few years severe financial

Dane his \$80, and pay the \$25 fine.

CORRESPONDENCE.

LACE.

Little Johnnie Fender is very sick. We wish him a speedy recovery.

The REPORTER from now until Jan. 1st, 1897, for \$1.50. This offer should be taken advantage of at once.

Our genial townsman John Fender is kept busy taking hogs to the Union Stock yards, notwithstanding the low prices.

We see in last week's REPORTER that our neighbor J. F. Smart has gone to Wisconsin on a hunting tour. We wish

We hear that the C. P. and S. W railway will soon be under construction which will give Lace direct railroad communication with Chicago.

Our much needed rain came at last, After three days rain it cleared up with snow on Saturday, but now we have pleasant weather, and the farmers will at last get a chance to husk their corn.

On account of the rain last Thursday with the family of A. E. Williams last the meeting of the W. C. A. S., at Mrs. Marwitz was meagerly attended, but A. B. Austin is in East Grossdale we hope for better weather for the superintending the setting out of a next meeting, which will occur on the Behm's.

CASS.

Choir practice at F. W. Winbolt's,

Illness kept Miss Cora Heartt from school the past week. Mr. and Mrs. Carson are visiting their

daughter, Mrs Breyer. The entertainment was postponed on

account of bad weather. Jason Littleford spent Sunday with

his grandfather in Cass.

ed at Isaac Cleveland's over Sunday. know that the church is to be made ine about two weeks ago. Blood poison warm. We understand that the work is to be pushed immediately.

The REPORTER from now till Jan. 1st will be sent free to those paying one year in advance. We wish to increase our circulation in Cass. Take advantage of this offer at once.

Rev. E. J. Baker of Dakota will od day, Nov. 17th. You are cordially in- cupy the pulpit next Sunday morning, as Rev. Sedweek preaches in Downers Our rooms are comfortable, and the Grove. The evening services will be choir is furnishing excellent music, as usual. Ira Heartt conducts the Epworth League.

Miss Anna B. Oldfield, Messrs. Will Andrus and Carl Carlson were received All who can ought to make it a into the church in full membership.

WHEATON

Carleton N. Gary is moving to New York city where he has business inter ests of considerable importance.

Judd Patrick of Omaha, eldest sor of H. B. Patrick, was in town last week-his first visit since he went west several years ago.

Col. Sanford was taken to Elgin last week. Ever since his return it has been hoped that he would improve, but a change for the worse made this step seem advisable.

Erasmus O. Hills, who purchased farm in Bloomingdale nearly 60 years ago, and was a resident of this county until 1880, died at his home in Evanston a few days ago.

Geo. Purnell is again "rushing the an" on his old milk route. He reports but few of the old customers left that he supplied when he rented the route about two years ago.

Fred Waterman of Wheaton as Miss Edith Liberton of Grand Crossing were married at the home of the bride's parents, Nov. 5th, Rev. Dr. Tompkins of Wheaton officiating.

The jury in the case of the people vs. Art Godfrey, charged with assault, found him guilty and fined him three dollars and costs, although the evidence seemed to show that he was n the aggressor and that he got th most of the battering. If L. C. Brown who defended Godfrey, expects to make much of a success as a criminal lawyer he should get some cheap clerk to give him a few points on selecting a jury

The dime sociable given by the Indies of the W. R. C. auxiliary to E. S. Kelly Post No. 518, G. A. R., at the house of M. E. Jones on Tuesday evening, Nov. an entire stranger for their treasurer, went home feeling that they had a and somebody furnished the teady very pleasant evening.

Tholin Bros, and Steers have new ada

LISLE SIFTINGS.

J. C. Hatch has been quite ill for the past few days.

Robert Yackley is quite stak, but it is hoped he will soon recover.

Geo. Mertz of Indiana is spending several days with his brother Dan.

Mrs. Thoman has been quite sick for several days but is slowly improving. Adolph Hartman went to Chicago Tuesday to look after the butter bust-

Hereafter services will be held on Suaday at 1:80 p. M. at the Congregational church.

James Scovill hurt his hand dutte seriously two weeks ago, but is getting

1897, for \$1.50. Renewals will be credited at the same rate.

Friday after spending a week with his

Mrs.Frank Haumesser returned Tuesday evening from Odell where she has spent several weeks with her relatives.

a drive south every Sunday afternoon. Joe Reidy is now thinking of building a new store and residence combined. Think it looks rather suspicious.

A young man from a neighboring town passed through our village the other day and mistook it for Hinsdale. He wanted to go to Hinsdale and to Wheaton, but as he was midway between the two towns he left for Whee-

Mr. Warner of Chicago is now the buttermaker at the Lisie factory. Mr.

Henry Heitzler living south of Liste Everyone in Cass will be glad to had hand crushed in a husking machset in, which caused his death Thursday The funeral was held at Naparville of Saturday, Oct. 9th. The bereaved have

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HINSDALE.

From Doings and The Beacon. Chas. Marks left Tuesday for Waterfoot Center, N. Y., where he will mal a short visit. Mrs. Marks, in the meanwhile is visiting in Downers Grove.

Considerable excitement was caused Sunday about one o'clock by the ringing of the fire bell. The cause of the alarm was a small blace in a shed in the rear of H. F. Grabo's residence. The flames were extinguished before the arrival of the fire department.

An accident which nearly fatal occurred in excavating for Clay street sewer. The earth caved in, completely covering Lewy Nelson, a laborer. The pressure of the earth dislocated one of his breast bones, came ing a very painful injury.

Our band met with great success at Downers Grove in their concert. large audience greeted them and every number was encored. Misses Irish, Obney, Curtiss and Johnson were heartily received. The band and Lincoln Higgins brought down the house. stated that the concert was the talk of the town the next day,

Had it not been for our station agent C. C. Snow, another fatal a would have occurred at the Was ton street railroad crossing. afternoon. Abovt five o'clock, a lad of six years started across the tracks and stopped in front of the west-bound mad train, but he was espled by the st agent, who shouted to him to run or This the boy did, just escaping a f train which was coming from the wes Parents should be more careful allowing young children to cross railroad tracks alone.

As a result of injuries received runaway, A. Tully, a clerk for Fox

along nicely now. The REPORTER from now to Jan. 1st,

John L. Remmers returned home

parents in Yorkville.

Soems rather strange to see a certain young man from the north side taking

Fergleff will assist him the remainder of this month, and Mr. Horstman intends to leave soon to look after the Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cleveland visit- butter trade in the city.

the sympathy of their many friends,