

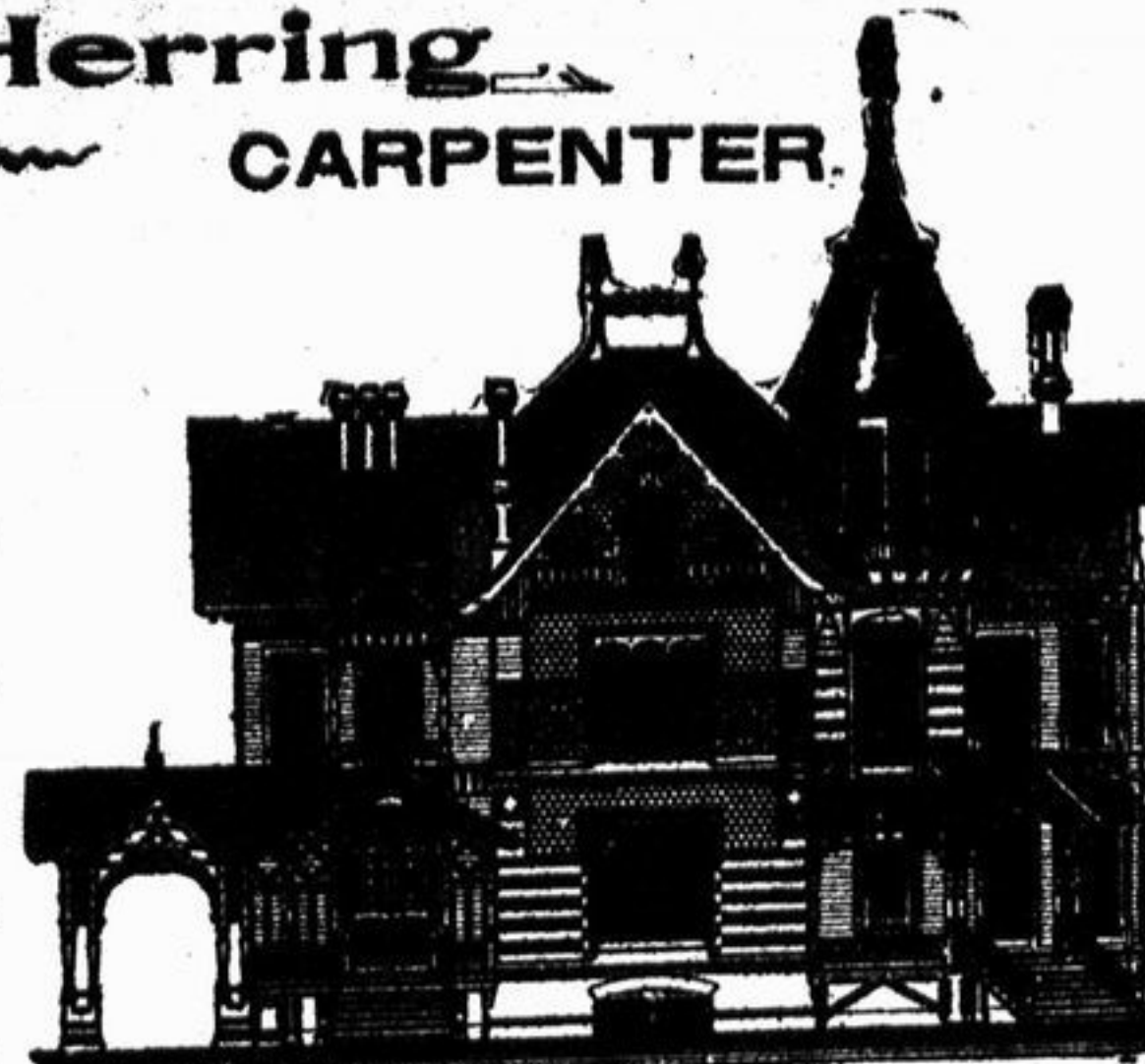
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DOWNERS GROVE.

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John M. Wells is engaged in the real estate, loan and insurance business, with office in the Central block. He carries on a general business in this line. Buys, sells and exchanges real estate, writes insurance both fire and life, and conducts a general real-estate agency. He is also the village clerk and collector. Mr. Wells has been quite successful and always manages to get his share of the business.

H. P. COURTRIGHT.
H. P. Courtright has been established here in the bakery and confectionery business a little over a year and by keeping a clean, fresh and complete stock has built up an excellent and lasting patronage. His is a model bakery and with reasonable prices and the best of goods, gives him the custom which he so justly merits. With him are associated in the livery business his two sons, A. E. and H. M. Courtright, and the same may be said of the livery business of the bakery—everything is of the best, good teams, nobby rigs, careful drivers and reasonable prices, all go to make up a business, which has since its beginning, been in a flourishing condition. Promptness is the watchword of this firm and they are always ready to serve you at any hour of the day or night.

THOLIN BROS.
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J. P. DOWNER.
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THE DOWNERS GROVE REPORTER.
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No gift is ours but cometh from above.
Keep us forever 'neath Thy watchful eye
So we may well fulfill our destiny.
Guard us against those vices which have laid
Imperial pomp and power low, and made
Vast empires slink into oblivion's dust
In thy soothing Providence we trust,
Ne'er can we Thee repay, the debt we owe,
Giver of life from whom all blessings flow.

Prosperity and peace to-day we own,
Rich in material blessings we have grown.
Accept, O Lord, the tribute which we bring,
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November, 1895. —Dr. H. R. PATRICK.

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| Potatoes, per bu. | 50 |
| Oats, " " | 18c |
| Corn, " " | 30c |
| Pork, dressed, per hund. | \$3.50 |
| Pork, undressed, per hund. | \$4.75 |
| Lard, per lb. | 10c |
| Beef, extra, per hund. | \$4.85-5.10 |
| Veal, calves, per hund. | \$2.00-4.00 |
| Mutton, per hund. | \$2.25-3.50 |
| Spring Lamb, per hund. | \$3.75-5.75 |
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