CHAS. WERT.

Proprietor of

TONSORIAL PARLORS,

Work Satisfactory.

Downers Grove, - Ill.

∴R. T. MORGAN.∴

COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

IN THE COURTHOUSE AT WHEATON.

Examination and Office Days the last Saturday of every month, excepting July, August, November and December.

D. DUNN : : :

Contractor and Builder

All work given prompt and personal at- . . . tention . . .

DOWNERS GROVE, - - ILLINOIS.

C. A. PROUT,

SURVEYOR.

Work done in all parts of the county on short notice.

Money to Loan.

WHEATON, - - ILLINOIS.

SLUSSER & JOHNSON.

ATTORNEYS AT LAW.

OFFICES.

EXCHANGE OFFICE, Downers Grove.

AND

SUITE 28, 81 CLARK ST, CHICAGO.

ARCHIE MARVIN,

Tonsorial - Parlors,

Under Farmers and Merchants Bank, Downers Grove, Ill,

Shaving and Hair Cutting in the Latest and Most Approved Styles.

"NOW IS THE WINTER OF OUR DISCONTENT!"

And why? Because we have to use OILS

And a good article is hard to get, but D. K. Craig has a brand that is hard to beat. Leave orders a Carpente's Drug Store.

D. K. CRAIG.

WHEATON COLLEGE,

Wheaton, Illinois.

"A School for Men and Women."

Winter term opens Thursday, Jan. 2. Three college courses, Classical, Scientific and Literary. Preparatory courses leading to each of the above. Normal course for those wishing to teach. Students fitted for other colleges, east or west. For catalogue address

CHARLES A. BLANCHARD,

Wheaton, - - - Illinois.

DR. G. A. SIDDONS

HOMEOPATHIC

PHYSICIAN :- and :- SURGEON.

Office and Residence,

Miller Building, R. R. Street,

Downers Grove, Ill.

Have Your Surveys Made by the

COUNTY SURVEYOR,

ALLEN T. RUSSELL.

CONTRACTS TAKEN FOR

GRADING, MACADAMIZING, DRAINAGE, SUBDIVIDING, PLATTING.

NOTARY PUBLIC. Wheaton, Ill

GET THE BEST

When you are about to buy a Sewing Machine do not be deceived by alluring advertisements and be led to think you can get the best made, finest finished and

Most Popular

for a mere song. See to it that you buy from reliable manufacturers that have gained a reputation by honest and square dealing, you will then get a Sewing Machine that is noted the world over for its durability. You want the one that is easiest to manage and is

Light Running

There is none in the world that can equal in mechanical construction, durability of working parts, fineness of finish, beauty in appearance, or has as many improvements as the

NEW HOME

It has Automatic Tension, Double Feed, alike on both sides of needle (*patented*), no other has it; New Stand (*patented*), driving wheel hinged on adjustable centers, thus reducing friction to the minimum.

WRITE FOR CIRCULARS.

THE NEW HOME SEWING MACHINE CO.

ORANGE, MASS. BOSTON, MASS. 66 UNION SQUARE, N. Y. CHICAGO, ILL. ST. LOUIS, MO. DALLAS, TEXAS. SAN FRANCISCO, CAL. ATLANTA, GA.

FOR SALE BY

MERTZ & MOCHEL.

C. B. & Q. RAILWAY TIME CARD.

East Bound.

LV. DOWNERS		ARR. CHICAGO
5.50 a. m.	D G Passenger	6.40 a.m.
6.25	" "	7.15
6.54	" "	7.43
7.07	Aurora Passenger	7.46
7.22	D G Passenger	8.10
7.58	Aurora Passenger	8.45
8.32	D G Passenger	9.12
8.50	Aurora Passenger	9.22
9.10	D G Passenger	10.00
9.52	Mail Train	10 35
10.05	D G Passenger	10.55
11.15	Aurora Passenger	12.16 p.m.
12 50 p. m.	D G Passenger	1.40
1.23	Mail Train	2.05
2.05	D G Passenger	2.55
3.15	" "	4.05
3.55	Aurora Passenger	4.45
4.50	D G Passenger	5.40
5.20	Mail Train	6.10
5.45	D G Passenger	6.45
6.55	" "	7.45
8.02	" "	9.00
9.02	" "	10.00
9.51	Through Express	10.30
10.19	D G Passenger	11.20

West Bound.

LV. CHICAGO		ARR. DOWNERS
6.45 a. m.	D G Passenger	7.36 a. m.
7.45	" "	8.36
8.30	Mail Train	9.07
8.45	D G Passenger	9.36
10.15	" "	11.06
11.05	" "	12.07 p. m
11.30	Mail Train	12.11
12.01 p. m.	D G Passenger	1.02
12.55	Saturday only	1.47
1.30	Aurora Passenger	2.23
2.10	Milk Train	3.10
3.15	D G Passenger	4.06
4.05	" "	4.56
4 40	" "	5.31
5 11	Aurora Passenger	5.50
5.15	D G Passenger	6.05
5.35	" "	6.36
6 15	" "	7.06
6.40	" "	7.40
7.30	" "	8.30
8.30	Aurora Passenger	9.30
10.35	D G Passenger	11.35
11.20	Theater Train	12.03
11.30	D G Passenger	12.30

Sunday Trains.---East.

LEAVE DOWNERS		ARR. CHICAGO
7.55 a. m.	D G Passenger	8.45 a. m.
8.30	Aurora Passenger	9.22
9.23	D G Passenger	10.15
1.10 p. m.	" "	2.00 p. m.
1.23	Mail Train	2 05
3.08	D G Passenger	4.00
5.00	Aurora Passenger	6.00
6 25	D G Passenger	7.25
9.00	Aurora Passenger	9.50
9.56	D G Passenger	10.55

Sunday Trains.---West.

LV. CHICAGO		ARR. DOWNERS
9 00 a. m.	Aurora Passenger	9.55 a. m.
11.30	Through Express	12.11
11.40	D G Passenger	12.35
1.30	" "	2.30
2.10	Aurora Passenger	3.10
4.55	D G Passenger	6.00
6.40	" "	7.33
9.45	" "	10.48
10.45	" "	11 48
11.20	Theater Train	12.03 p. m.

THE MAILS.

From the east:—9:07 am, 12:11 pm, 5:11 pm,

west;—9:32 am, 1:23 pm, 5:28 pm.

DISPLAY ADVERTISING RATES.

SPACE	1WK	1M	3M	6M	1YR
1 INCH	$ 25	$ 75	$1 50	$3 00	$ 5
2½ "	50	1 50	3 00	5 00	10
5 "	1 00	2 00	5 00	9 00	18
10 "	2 00	4 00	10 00	18 00	35
20 " 1 COLUMN	4 00	9 00	18 00	35 00	60

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.

Heart Disease Cured

By Dr. Miles' Heart Cure.

Fainting, Weak or Hungry Spells, Irregular or Intermittent Pulse, Fluttering or Palpitation, Choking Sensation, Shortness of Breath, Swelling of Feet and Ankles, are symptoms of a diseased or Weak Heart.

MRS. N. C. MILLER.

Of Fort Wayne, Ind., writes on Nov. 29, 1894: "I was afflicted for forty years with heart trouble and suffered untold agony. I had weak, hungry spells, and my heart would palpitate so hard, the pain would be so acute and torturing, that I became so weak and nervous I could not sleep. I was treated by several physicians without relief and gave up ever being well again. About two years ago I commenced using Dr. Miles' Remedies. One bottle of the Heart Cure stopped all heart troubles and the Restorative Nervine did the rest, and now I sleep soundly and attend to my household and social duties without any trouble.

Sold by druggists. Book sent free. Address Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

Dr. Miles' Remedies Restore Health.

Chas. H. Kayler,

. . PROPRIETOR . .

Naperville

Marble Works.

GRANITE A SPECIALTY

Naperville, Illinois.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

J. B. Miller has been under the weather for several days.

Thompson sells the best grades of oil and gasoline. Try them.

Miss Birdie Hall is spending the week with Miss Josie Simpson at Naperville.

It is reported that Prof. F. E. Miller is soon to wed a fair belle of the windy city.

T. S. Lovell reports having considerable success in introducing the Everett piano in Aurora.

J. W. Rogers attended the funeral of Mrs. Brown, Judge Brown's mother, at Wheaton Monday.

Samuel Curtiss and wife of Diamond, spent Sunday with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Curtiss.

WANTED—Girl to assist with housework; small family. T. Stevens, Saratoga avenue, north side.

You want footwear with a guarantee behind them. That is the kind of shoes Thompson sells at low prices.

Miss Mary Blake, who has been employed at the Hotel Miller for the past year has gone to her home in Naperville.

Mertz & Mochel have just received a car of slabs, sawed in 12-inch lengths. Just the thing for kindling, which they sell at reasonable rates.

The Odd Fellows attended the Baptist church in force last Sabbath evening. A very interesting sermon was delivered by Rev. Moor.

Shamrock flour is sold by W. H. Colville, the north side grocer. It is absolutely the best flour for general home use on the market. $4.00 per barrel. None so good. Try it.

The funeral of the late Mrs. John Graves was held at the house last Saturday and her remains were laid to rest in Lisle cemetery. Rev. Saunders officiated.

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 ladies of the Library Association cleared about $10 from their New England dinner last Thursday evening. Had the weather been more favorable there would have been a larger attendance.

Chas. Curtiss and I. P. Blodgett attended the seventh annual reunion and banquet of the Western Association of California Pioneers held at the Sherman house, Chicago, last Friday. Mr. Curtiss responded to a toast.

Here are some prices on canned goods at Bateman & Palmer's: Choice marrowfat peas, 3 cans for 25c; corn, 4 cans for 25c; tomatoes, 3 cans for 25c. We have other inducements. Come and investigate. Our prices are down.

About sixty persons attended the musicale given by the young people's society at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Mayer last Friday evening. The musical numbers were all good and the affair as a whole was very successful.

Commencing last Monday morning the 7.07 morning train will carry mail from Aurora, which is dropped there by the fast mail from Chicago, thus giving Downers Grove an early mail from the city. This should prove a very convenient arrangement.

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.

The Christian Endeavor society of the Congregational church will hold special anniversary services at that church Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. Good speakers from the city will be in attendance and a fine musical program will be rendered. A general invitation is extended to all, old and young, to attend.

The undersigned have opened a real estate, renting and insurance agency in their office on Main street, and would be pleased to have those having houses to rent, lots or acres for sale, to list them with us. We will collect rents keep houses in repair, sell real estate, and do a general insurance business in both fire and life. We have some desirable houses and vacant lots and acre property that we can offer you at a bargain. HUGHES & GALLUP.

January 21st, 1896.

An egg without a yolk is a curiosity most people have never seen. Geo. McNaught is not of the number however, for Monday morning he harvested one without a symptom of a yolk. George is considering starting a yolkless egg factory for the benefit of those who dislike the yellow, and is endeavoring to trace the origin of that egg. Should he succeed in doing so and discover the particular fowl that laid it, he will confer a lasting obligation on those housewives who are unable to successfully seperate the two composite parts for cake making, frosting, etc., by starting a hennery for the exclusive propagation of the yolkless egg brand of hen.

A CONFEDERATE VERSION.

Among many interesting relics of the war in the shape of letters, etc., in the possession of J. W. Rogers, is the following song written by M. Jeff. Thomson, the ranger chieftain, and copied from a young lady's album, where the famous Confederate had written it. The poem was clipped from a paper in 1862 and sent in a letter from J. M. Barr to Mrs. Rogers in that year. The song is entitled "new red, white and blue:"

"Missouri is the pride of the nation,
The hope of the brave and the free;
The Confederacy will furnish the rations,
But the fighting is trusted to thee.
For brave boys your soil has been noted,
And our flag has been trusted to you;
For freedom you have not yet voted,
But you fight for the Red, White and Blue.
Chorus—Three cheers, etc.

"The Stars still shine bright in the heaven,
But the Stripes should be trailed in the dust,
For they are no longer the sign of the haven
Of the brave, of the free, of the just.
The Bars now in triumph shall wave,
O'er the land of the faithful and true;
O'er the home of the Southern brave
Shall float the new Red, White and Blue!
Chorus—Three cheers, etc."

ELECTED OFFICERS.

The second annual meeting of the Polonia Autograph Register Co., was held at the Chicago office of the company at 180 W. Madison St., last Saturday afternoon, Jan. 25, for the purpose of electing a board of Directors of five members, and for the transaction of such other business that came before the meeting. Promptly at 4 p. m. President Stanger called the meeting to order and also acted as chairman; J. H. Rohmer being chosen temporary secretary. The majority of the stock was represented either in person or by proxy. The first business in order was the election of directors, which resulted in the election of the following directors for one year: M. E. Stanger, S. F. Adalia, S. Berens, J. G. Bohlander, Jr. and J. H. Rohmer. There being no further business the meeting adjourned.

All the members of the board of directors being present a special meeting was called immediately after the annual meeting for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year. Mr. Stanger was again chosen chairman, and Mr. Rohmer secretary. Following is the list of officers elected: President, J. G. Bohlander, Jr. Hinsdale; vice-president, S. F. Adalia, Chicago; secretary and general manager, J. H. Rohmer, Hinsdale; treasurer, M. E. Stanger, Downers Grove; superintendent, S. Berens, East Grove. The office of the company was ordered moved from West Madison street to the office of the secretary and general manager, rooms 304-5 Ogden building, corner Clark and Lake streets, Chicago, where any information may be obtained.

SIDEWALK ORDINANCE NO. 14.

An ordinance providing for the construction of a sidewalk on the west side of Foote street between Chicago avenue and Prairie avenue.

Be it ordained by the president and board of trustees of the village of Downers Grove in the county of DuPage and state of Illinois.

Section 1. That a sidewalk be constructed on the west side of Foote street between Chicago ave and Prairie ave in said village of Downers Grove, Ill., and immediately in front of the following lots and lands, to-wit: Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12 of Block 15 in E. H. Prince & Co's addition to said village of Downers Grove.

Sec. 2. That the whole cost of said walk shall be levied upon said lots and lands in proportion to their frontage upon said sidewalk.

Sec. 3. Said sidewalk shall be constructed under the supervision and to the acceptance of the street commissioner of said village, and the same shall be of the width and constructed of the materials and in the manner as follows, to-wit: Said walk shall be four feet and eight inches in width and constructed of the best number one common pine lumber. The planks shall be laid crosswise and be not less that 1¾ inches in thickness, nor less than six or more than ten inches in width. Same to be supported by and securely nailed with wire nails (20 penny) to three pine stringers not less than 2x4 inches in size, securely bound together at the joints. Said stringers to rest on flat stone blocking or cedar posts.

Sec. That the owners of the said lots and parcels of land are hereby required to construct said sidewalk in front of their respective lots, agreeably to the provisions of Section 3 of this ordinance within thirty days after the publication thereof.

Sec. 5. Upon default of any owner or owners to construct that part of said walk immediately in front of his or their respective lot or lots within thirty days after the publication of this ordinance, it shall be the duty of the said street commissioner to cause the same to be constructed in behalf of said village at the cost of said owner or owners. The said street commissioner shall certify to a bill of the cost of said walk constructed by the village in front of said lots, showing in separate items the cost of grading, materials, laying down and supervision, and file it in the office of the village clerk, together with a list of the lots and parcels of land touching upon the line of said sidewalk, the names of the owners thereof and the frontage of their respective lots on said sidewalk.

Sec. 6. The village collector is hereby designated as the officer to collect the special tax herein provided, and to whom warrants for the same shall be directed.

Sec. 7. The village clerk shall in all respects comply with the provisions of an act of the general assembly of the state of Illinois, entitled "An act to provide additional means for the construction of sidewalks in cities, towns and villages," in the state of Illinois, July 1st, A. D. 1875.

Upon failure of the collector to collect said special tax pursuant to the provisions of said act, it shall be the duty of said clerk to make a report of such special tax in writing to the county treasurer and ex-officio county collector on or before the 31st day of March, A. D. 1896, as required by said act.

Passed January 6th, 1896.

Approved January 6th, 1896.

W. S. CARPENTER, President.

A. H. WETTEN, Clerk, pro tem.

....MERTZ & MOCHEL

Desire to direct attention to their Stove Department. It will give you an idea of what you want in the line of

ACORN HEATING AND COOKING

• • • STOVES

They are handling this celebrated line of Stoves and Ranges and will be pleased to show you about whether you buy or not. The Base Burner shown in the cut is one of the many styles in stock. Let us quote prices.

COAL • • • • • •

Is of course necessarily thought of in this connection. If you haven't already done so, now is a good time to buy your winter's supply. Our prices on Coal will please you.

Hardware and Feed.

And the usual line of Staples constantly carried in stock. Tin work, Sheet Iron work, Repairing promptly done.

BATEMAN AND PALMER,

.....SUCCESSORS OF T. & C.,

Will hold the fort against all competitors. Keep on hand the largest and most complete.....

GENERAL STOCK

in Downers Grove. Call and examine goods, get prices and make our acquaintance. We are bound to please.

THE OLD STAND, MAPLE AVE. & MAIN ST.

M. E. STANGER,

Keeps a Choice Line of the Best Brands

CIGARS

TOBACCOS,

NEWS DEPOT, STATIONERY, PERIODICALS, ETC.

Agent for the Celebrated

LaGRANGE LAUNDRY.

Laundry work called for and delivered. The best of work done and satisfaction guaranteed. . . . .

JOHN HAAS'

Meat...

Market.

Always Keeps on Hand

Fresh and Salt MEATS.

Poultry and Game.

Smoked Meats.

D. G. GRAHAM

NOTARY PUBLIC,

POLICE MAGISTRATE,

CONVEYANCING

FIRE and LIFE Insurance.

RENTING AGENCY.

REAL ESTATE.

Bought, Sold and Exchanged. Collections and Legal Business Transacted.

EXCHANGE OFFICE DOWNERS GROVE.

GROFF'S Rheumatic Cure

Is the only positive Cure known to the Medical Profession for the Cure of Acute and Chronic Rheumatism, Gout, Lumbago, Sciatica, Neuralgia, Ovarian Neuralgia, Dysmenorrhœa, Pleurisy, Bronchitis, Liver and Kidney Diseases. A positive Cure effected in [illegible]

For Sale by Bush & [illegible]