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Their latest is

"The Queen of the Kitchen" Stew Kettle.



A Blessing to Every Household.

Saves time and vegetables, also pain from scalds and burns. With one hand you can pour the water from boiling vegetables, and it is impossible to burn yourself. 'Tis the best thing in enameled iron ware. We are glad to have you call and inspect goods.

We also carry a good line of

Rope, Screens,
Screen wire,
Poultry Netting,
Wheelbarrows,
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Examine our . . .

Lawn Mowers
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Ice Cream Freezers
Automatic Oil Cans

And Tools of all sorts, before buying.

Don't forget the "Old Hickory."

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Business Men This is the season when your supply of commercial printing should be replenished. We were never so well prepared to do your work as now. Don't wait until you are entirely out, but order at once.

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Bring Your Collars, Cuffs, Shirts, Underwear and other Wearing Apparel

To the . . .

Downers Grove Laundry

We will return them clean and nicely laundered.

JOHNSON & LARSON,
Proprietors.

Next Door to Bush & Simpson's.

Laundry Called For and Delivered.

W. S. Alden of Pulaaki Co., called on friends here this week.

W. C. Bartle is engaged in the cultivation of mushrooms.

W. H. Barnhart's cottage on Curtis street is almost completed.

John Oldfield, Mrs. Walker and Mrs. Bachellor, visited in Cass today.

The moist weather of the past week was badly needed by vegetation of all kinds.

Fred Hicok and sister, of Douglas Park, visited with the Misses Walker, Sunday.

Allen Barnhart received the sad news of the death of his cousin in Potsdam, New York, last Friday.

Albert Wheeler, formerly of this place, has been in the city having his eyes treated, but has lost his sight entirely. The prospects are, he will be hopelessly blind the rest of his life.

The building adjoining Thompson on the south will be occupied about the 12th of next month by a millinery store. There is certainly a field for this particular business in Downers Grove.

The bicycle meet, one of the Illinois State Circuit, which will be held at the driving park at Sycamore, Monday and Tuesday, July 27 and 28, promises to be an event of unusual interest to cyclists. Nearly \$1,000 in prizes are offered for eighteen races. The half mile track is known to cyclists as one of the fastest in the state. Entry blanks may be obtained by addressing C. L. Upham, secretary.

Additional Local.

Gunpowder at Brode's.

Binding twine at Brode's. Get prices.

Seasonable fruits and vegetables at Thompson's.

Ed. White is back at his post on the "Q" after a brief vacation.

The wood work on the Chillier's house is now entirely completed.

Men's balbrigan underwear—best and cheapest—at Thompson's.

Uhlhorn and Schram, the milkmen, have both new milk wagons.

R. Hevenor is receiving a visit from his daughter of New York city.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Frank Parker of Chicago, on July 17th—a boy.

Miss Boucher of South Dakota, is visiting her friend, Miss Maud Parke.

Ten cents for the largest and best pie on the market, at Courtright & Rang's.

A house on Curtis street is being fitted up for a certain young couple, who will soon wed.

Summer goods at Thompson's. All the late fancies in calicoes, gingham, lawns and muslins.

Mrs. Aspin and Miss Alice Wells are visiting their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. John M. Wells.

WANTED—Good housekeepers to call at Brode & Co's and inspect their patent enameled cookers.

Ludwig Huth rejoices over the advent at his home of a bright new boy. The newcomer arrived last week.

Bob Wilson of the Hinsdale cabin is in charge of the station here during the absence of Station Agent Bunge.

FOR SALE—Household furniture nearly new. Cash on easy terms.
L. P. NARAMORE.

Miss Wilcox of Chicago, is visiting her friend, Miss Hevenor, who is spending her vacation with her father in Downers.

The excursion train for Oregon next Saturday will leave at 9:07 a. m. The other train to leave at 12:11 has been abandoned.

Geo. Sproul, father of Mrs. G. A. Siddons, has returned to his home in Hamburg, Ia., after a three weeks visit with his daughter.

Mrs. T. Lyman has placed a new sidewalk across her lot on Maple avenue. It is an appreciated accommodation for pedestrians who use it.

We make our ice cream of pure country cream, and can deliver you any quantity from a pint to a barrel. Courtright & Rang.

Miss Anderson, of Nashville, Ill., visited with the family of A. L. Palmer the first of the week. She is now calling on Hinsdale friends before returning home.

Mushrooms—Parties desiring this luxury can be accommodated to a limited extent, by calling on W. C. Bartle, corner South Washington street and Summit avenue.

O. J. Dally and family will leave today for Lake county to camp for a week. Mrs. R. D. Parker of Downers, and Miss Ella Dally of LaGrange, will accompany them.

E. H. Watts has established a meat market in conjunction with his grocery store on the North side, J. S. Fuller of Chicago, having that branch of the business in charge.

Rev. Saunders is spending a few days out at the Des Plaines camp meeting and reports the largest attendance and greatest interest ever known in the history of the camp.

F. J. Lovell and wife have taken up their abode among us. They are boarding at Mrs. Bateman's on Main street. They are expecting to build this summer on the North side.

Hugh M. White of the REPORTER, after a ten day's sojourn in Kansas, returned last week Tuesday, and departed again Saturday to continue his vacation with his family in Wisconsin.

Capt. R. D. Parker, was knocked out the other day with a certain pole in the hands of an irate Chicago expressman. He is now exhibiting a fine surgical operation of five stitches in his scalp as the result of the fracas.

Miss Belle Lyman has returned from a two week's visit at Washington, D. C., and Canton, Ohio. Mrs. Lyman, her mother, who accompanied her, remained at Canton to extend her visit with her son, H. M. Lyman, of that place.

The Downers Grove Juniors will play the Naperville Stars Saturday, on the grounds here. The game will commence at 3:30 p. m. The Juniors have been practicing diligently for the past two weeks and they are in condition to put up a strong game.

Mrs. W. C. Cooper and sons, returned yesterday, after a three weeks visit with her sister, Mrs. George Cooper, of Perry, Iowa. She reports a pleasant trip, also a 40 mile drive across country, to visit an old schoolmate, Mrs. T. E. Dreher, who lives near Scranton City.

The M. E. church choir returned from their outing Tuesday night. They went into camp on the banks of the Fox river, just above St. Charles—one of the most delightful spots in northern Illinois. They enjoyed themselves immensely. A full report of their experience is promised next week.

The average merchant is a fair and square dealer, meeting his obligations. Of course there are exceptions, but the rule holds good in fair and honest men. There is a class of patrons, men who deal with the butcher, baker, shoe dealer, dry goods dealer and even the poor printer, who make it the aim of their life to get something for nothing, men who are fair in promises, but who never fulfill them. These fellows are a curse to the community at large, as business men lose many sums through them annually. The merchants and grocers of Downers should combine in an association through which these dead beats may be known and be compelled to pay hereafter spot cash for everything they order or receive.

SUPERVISORS' PROCEEDINGS.

Proceedings of the board of supervisors of DuPage county at a regular meeting held at the court house in the City of Wheaton on Monday the 18 day of July, 1896.

All members were present.

The minutes of the last three meetings were read and approved.

All bills and communications were read and referred to the proper committees.

The bids for county physician were opened and on motion of Supervisor Hammer Schmidt the bid of Dr. C. S. Owen of \$175 was accepted.

On motion of Supervisor Blodgett the indictment in the hands of the state's attorney was left to the judiciary committee with full power to act.

The committee on fees and salaries made the following report and upon motion of Supervisor Bender it was adopted.

Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen of the board of supervisors, your committee on fees and salaries would beg leave to report that they have examined all claims presented before them, and recommend the payment of the following, and that the clerk be directed to issue orders for the several amounts to the several claimants to-wit:

Lewis Ellsworth attending county court and board of supervisors \$15 00

C. H. Hoy, receiving and discharging prisoners and attending court and board meetings 16 50

All of which is respectfully submitted.

THOMAS BETTS,
JOHN CHRISTIE,
D. D. BARNARD, } Com.

The committee on claims made the following report and on motion of Supervisor Barnard it was adopted.

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John H. Batten, expenses and fees \$263 75

J. H. Ashley, balance expenses on Ott case 70 05

J. H. Kamppa, flowers for M. S. Ellsworth funeral 14 25

W. P. Fulmer, screen for door and window 4 00

J. W. Nicholson, constable fees 6 40

Wheaton Electric Light Co. 9 75

Lewis Ellsworth, for stamps express and telegrams 23 39

Illinois Institution for feeble minded, Lizzie Brakenberg, clothing 5 98

C. H. Hoy as per bill 132 10

Illinois school of agriculture for boys Wm. A. Fred Bendall and W. C. Lent 145 33

Northern Hospital for the insane, clothing 95 77

Illinois Industrial school for girls Emma Bendall, Lydia Lent, Lydia Swan and Mary Swan 158 67

We refer the bill of Hahneman hospital to the full board.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

JACOB E. BENDER,
GEO. E. FISCHER,
FRED ANDERMAN } Com.

On motion of Supervisor Hammer Schmidt the bill of Hahneman hospital be referred to the state attorney for investigation.

The committee on equalization made the following report and on motion of Supervisor Blodgett it was accepted and adopted.

Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen of the board of supervisors.

Your committee to whom was referred the assessment of the several towns in DuPage county, would beg leave to submit the following report on the matters before them.

We recommend that the assessment rolls as reported by the assessors be approved.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

JAS. MCCLINTOCK,
WM. HAMMER-SCHMIDT, } Com.
R. S. CHANDLER.

On motion of Supervisor Betts the polling place of the 2nd precinct of Naperville was located at the barn of W. E. Jones on the North side of Jefferson avenue.

On motion of Supervisor Chandler the boundary line of the 3rd precinct Winfield, was made as follows: To run 300 feet south on county line, thence east parallel with section line to center of town, thence north to corner of section sixteen (16.)

On motion of Supervisor McClintock the following judges of election were appointed.

Winfield, 1st district—A. H. Hills, Wm. Carr and R. C. Manville.

Winfield, 2nd district—Wm. V. Lamb, C. M. Jones.

Winfield, 3rd district—Casper Vale, Milton, 1st district—Geo. Hageman.

Milton, 2nd district—J. D. McChesney, Wm. H. Leithner and F. M. Wagner.

Milton, 3rd district—James Congleton, Wm. H. Johnson.

York, 1st district—Emile Studley.

York, 2nd district—John Fischer, Fred Marquardt.

Downers Grove, 1st district—C. E. Hinda, C. B. Kimbell, J. F. Ruchty.

Downers Grove, 2nd district—F. A. Rogers, Alonzo Courtright, Bert C. White.

Downers Grove, 3rd district—F. A. Berner and C. B. Blodgett.

Downers Grove, 4th district—John Bohlander, Jr. and G. H. Burt.

Downers Grove, 5th district—Phillip Rohmer and Jerome Smart.

Naperville, 2nd district—Thomas W. Saylor, Joseph Bapst and John E. Ehrhardt.

The judiciary committee made the following report. That we decided best to drop the matter referred to us by the state attorney.

On motion of Supervisor Barnard the clerk was ordered to draw an order for Sargent Brooks for \$25.00.

On motion of Supervisor McClintock the board adjourned.

LEWIS ELLSWORTH, Clerk.

Large barn for rent on Highland ave. Plenty of room for horses and carriages. Rent \$2 per month. Apply to H. H. Rood on premises.

People's Feet

Just Notice

And see if you can find any that look nicer or more comfortable than those encased in the shoes we sell. They come to us because they can't be suited elsewhere.

Dry Goods And Furnishing Goods.

A new line of calicoes and gingham now on the way. We carry a complete line of dress linings. The best Twilight summer corsets, from 50 cts. to \$1.00.

Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods

Comprise an important part of our business. Our line is complete. See our Summer Underwear.

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

C. Penner, Harness Maker

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Buggy Harness	\$5.00
Fine Nickel Trimmed Buggy Harness	8.50
Heavy Single Harness	8.00
Fine Nickel Trimmed Single Harness, Hand Made	10.50
Genuine Rubber Trim'd hand made	13.50

These goods can not be purchased at a lower price in the city.

Lap Husters Shown New Designs All Prices.

Hughes & Gallup,

Dealers In

ARTIFICIAL ICE.

COAL and WOOD is also in our line. If you leave your orders with us they will be promptly attended to, and prices will be right.

A. P. THOLIN

Artistic Tailor

NORTH FOOTE STREET, DOWNERS GROVE, ILL.

The Bicycle

Season is upon us! If you are thinking of wheels it is high time you were making a selection. We are handling the best makes, and only the best—no inferior wheels on our list. We have made a few sales already this season, and think we could interest you if you would favor us with a call. We can sell you a good wheel at the price of a poor one.

Also Bear in Mind that we are Headquarters for

W. E. FARRAR'S FLOUR and FEED.

Biliousness

Is caused by torpid liver, which prevents digestion and permits food to ferment and putrify in the stomach. Then follow dizziness, headache,

Hood's Pills

Insomnia, nervousness, and if not relieved, bilious fever or blood poisoning. Hood's Pills stimulate the stomach, rouse the liver, cure headache, dizziness, constipation, etc. 25 cents. Sold by all druggists. The only Pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.