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MASTER'S SALE.
 State of Illinois, ss,
 County of DuPage,
 In the Circuit Court of said county:
 Downers Grove Loan and
 Homestead Association
 vs.
 John Michela and
 Anastasia Michela.
 Public notice is hereby given that by virtue
 of a decree entered by said Court, in the above
 entitled cause, on the 21 day of April, 1897; I,
 Howard H. Goodrich, Master in Chancery of
 the Circuit Court of said county, will on Mon-
 day, the 10th day of May, A. D. 1897, at the
 hour of 9 o'clock in the forenoon, upon the real
 estate, hereinafter described, sell at public ven-
 due for cash in hand paid, to the highest and
 best bidder certain premises described in said
 decree and as follows, to-wit:
 Lots sixty-eight (68) and sixty-nine (69) in
 block three (3) in Gostyn, in the village of
 Downers Grove, DuPage county, Illinois, being
 a subdivision of part of the northeast quarter
 N. E. 1/4 of section eight (8) township thirty-
 eight (38) north range eleven (11) east of the
 third principal meridian, situated in DuPage
 county, Illinois, or so much thereof as may be
 sufficient to satisfy said decree and costs.
 Dated this 14th day of April, A. D. 1897.
 HOWARD H. GOODRICH,
 Master in Chancery of the Circuit
 Court of DuPage County, Illinois.
 M. SLESSER, Solicitor for Complainant.

MASTER'S SALE.
 State of Illinois, ss:
 County of DuPage, ss:
 In the Circuit Court of said county, March
 term, A. D. 1897:
 Downers Grove Loan and
 Homestead Association
 vs.
 Rozy Patrick, and
 Nicholas Patrick.
 Public notice is hereby given that by virtue
 of a decree entered by said Court, in the above
 entitled cause, on the 26th day of March, 1897;
 I, Howard H. Goodrich, Master in Chancery of
 the Circuit Court of said county, will on the
 10th day of May, 1897, at the hour of 9 o'clock
 a. m. upon the following described premises in
 said county of DuPage, sell at public vendue
 for cash, in hand, certain premises described in
 said decree and as follows, to-wit:
 Lots eighteen (18) and nineteen (19) in block
 four (4) in Gostyn, being a subdivision of a part
 of the northeast quarter N. E. 1/4 of Section
 eight (8), in township thirty-eight (38) north
 range eleven (11) east of the third (3) principal
 meridian, lying within the corporate limits of
 the Village of Downers Grove, in the county of
 DuPage and State of Illinois, or so much there-
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