

Additional Locals.

Searchlight matches at Nash Bros.
 Note Woods & Sou's new ad in this issue.
 If you wish fence of any sort go to Brode's.
 John Reed was over from Hinsdale last Saturday.
 Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Graves are visiting in Glen Elly.
 Bapst's fine bakery goods to be had only at Mary S. Diener's.
 Rev. H. W. Dowding spent Sunday with his wife in the Grove.
 J. Steiger has moved into his new residence in Prince's addition.
 F. A. Brode & Co. sell axle grease that gives good satisfaction.
 W. H. Colville has moved into his residence on Saratoga avenue.
 Finest bread in town, fresh every morning, at Mary S. Diener's.
 Mrs. J. A. Hall returned the first of the week from her trip to Kansas City.

Mrs. D. K. Craig has been quite ill with an attack of pleurisy the past week.
 Supervisor McClintock of Hinsdale, transacted business in the Grove last Thursday.
 Hughes & Gallup are prepared to furnish pure ice to their customers. Leave your order.
 Miss Cassa B. Graves, with her mother, has moved into the Gallup flat on Foote street.
 Misses Coe, Hobbs and Holman of Chicago were entertained by Miss Ina Elliott last Saturday.
 H. D. Foster of St. Joseph, Mo., visited here over Sunday with J. W. Rogers and other friends.
 Ashton Staman has taken a position with Bush & Simonson as drug clerk during the summer season.
 Judge Dudley and Master in Chancery Goodrich of Naperville transacted business in the Grove last Monday.
 I have some good houses to rent in eligible locations at from \$8.00 to \$20.00 per month. D. G. GRAHAM.

office. A copy of the same may be had upon application to village clerk, Bert C. White.
 Arthur Turnbull, who has made his home in the Grove for some time past, has returned to Chicago.
 Superintendent Rassweiler and the corps of teachers of the Downers Grove schools, attended the county teachers' institute at Hinsdale Saturday. A pleasant and instructive meeting is reported.
 J. I. Weir is looking up a lost dog. The last he saw of him was about fifteen years ago and that was in Kansas, but he has documentary evidence of his existence here, as he paid a dollar tax on him this spring.
 A party consisting of Capt. T. S. Rogers, Guy L. Bush, J. W. Rogers, A. E. Williams and Hugh M. White, were pleasantly entertained at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Batten at Naperville Monday evening.
 Mr. and Mrs. Rando entertained the Mandolin club and Episcopal church choir last Friday evening, and were themselves entertained with delightful music. Refreshments and dancing were also a part of the program.
 We had a pleasant call from Attorney Hayes last Friday. If the people of Downers could have the say, the genial attorney with his estimable family would occupy their summer residence here all the year 'round.
 L. C. Farrar and family are again residents of the Grove for the summer, occupying a portion of the home place on Maple avenue. Their youngest child was initiated as a resident by a prompt attack of the measles shortly after their arrival.
 I have a good improved Texas farm to exchange for Downers Grove residence property. The farm is under good cultivation, rents for cash rental, and has been occupied by the same tenant for a number of years. D. G. GRAHAM.

THE CHILD STUDY CONGRESS.
 It seems presumptuous to try to report, even briefly, from notes and memory, an address like that given at the late Child Study Congress in Chicago by Dr. G. Stanley Hall. But unless we greatly mistake the learned doctor, he would bend his torch to the smallest rushlight, if by that means a single soul might be lighted on its way. We do not hope to do more than carry a small rush-light, so lighted. Let the pressing human need excuse the attempt.
 A Child Study Congress is unique among public assemblies. It seems almost a premature product of our civilization. And yet only premature in the sense that it takes us unawares. We have been so accustomed to ponderous and intensely practical subjects of public interest, to be met in solemn conclave and discussed within well defined limits, that the spontaneous enthusiasm, the unlimited scope of thought and feeling that marks a typical body of child students, startles us.
 The last day of the congress could not have differed very largely from any other. The enthusiasm may have had the impetus of four days growth. Be that as it may, not a listless eye, not a long drawn face could Dr. Hall have found with a search light, when he arose to discuss in his own inimitable way the period and process of adolescence.

Cut Your Lawn
 With one of our **Lawn Mowers.**
 We have all grades—cheapest to the best—All easy running, and they cut the grass, don't pull it up. Note these prices:
 14 inch Razor Blade Mowers.....\$2.25
 14 inch F. & M. Mowers..... 4.00
 16 inch F. & M. Mowers..... 4.25
 18 inch High Grass Mowers..... 5.75
 14 inch Genuine Philadelphia Mowers..... 5.50
 16 inch Genuine Philadelphia Mowers..... 6.00

Sprinkle Your Lawn
 With water through our **Rubber Hose.**
 The following prices will make our hose a necessity. You can't afford to let your lawn be ruined through insufficient water.
 3/4 inch Common Grade.....4c per ft.
 3/4 inch Good three ply Hose.....7 1/2c per ft.
 3/4 inch Good three ply Hose warranted.....9c per ft.
 3/4 inch Cotton covered Hose warranted.....10c per ft.
 3/4 inch Oxford brand Hose warranted.....12 1/2c per ft.

Then Play Croquet
 With one of our **Croquet Sets.**
 Have a nice quiet game to rest you after the busy day. We have the latest improved sets. Our line comprises the following:
 4 ball Croquet sets.....\$.65
 6 ball Croquet sets..... .85
 8 ball Croquet sets..... 1.00
 8 ball Croquet sets..... 1.25
 8 ball Croquet sets..... 1.50
 4 ball Professional Croquet sets..... 1.65
 4 ball Professional Croquet sets..... 2.25

Mertz & Moebel.

Spring Head and Footwear.

MEN'S HATS:
FEDORAS—A good hat for \$1.00. Better one's at \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00. All stylish and the latest ideas.
DERBYS—New shapes and colors, \$2.50 and \$3.00—none better.

Men's and Boys' Caps:
 Men's Caps at 25c, 35c and 50c. Boys' caps at 25c and 50c. We have bargains in this line that are—bargains!

SHOES:
 We have a new and complete line of the celebrated DOUGLAS SHOES—Latest toes and lasts, in tans, oxblood and black. The prices are on the shoes, and are well known.

LEATHERSTOCKINGS
 (Not leather, but wear like leather.)
 Black Cat brand, for boys and girls. The best and cheapest article for schoolchildren because they are nearly indestructible and always look well. Sizes 6 to 9 1/2. 25 cts.
 Men's cotton half hose. 2 pairs 25c. Men's socks, cotton, 2 pairs for 25c, and others at 10c; 3 pairs 25c. Ladies' black hose, they're good, 25c.

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Townsend & Westphal,
 HOUSE PAINTING,
 PAPER HANGING,
 AND DECORATING.
 We Guarantee Work to be First-Class
 Leave orders at A. J. Thompson's store.

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 Contractor and Builder.

 Contracts taken for all kinds of Carpentering and Building.
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M. E. STANGER,
 Keeps a Choice Line of the Best Brands
CIGARS TOBACCOES,
 NEWS DEPOT, STATIONERY, PERIODICALS, ETC.
 Agent for the Celebrated
The LaGRANGE LAUNDRY.
 Laundry work called for and delivered. The best of work done and satisfaction guaranteed.

OREGON FRUIT AND FARM HOMES COLONY.
 An Illinois colony is being formed to settle on Grain Fruit and Dairy farms in the famed
Wilamette Valley of Oregon.
 Fruit Orchard Tracts from 5 acres up. Grain and Dairy farms, sizes to suit. Lands gently rolling, Soil very rich, Timber and Water abundant. Winter is so mild grass is green and flowers bloom every month in the year. Within sixty miles of Portland, with 100,000 inhabitants, and the best market on the Pacific coast.
 Join The Colony. For full particulars address
OREGON FRUIT AND FARM HOMES COLONY,
 Germania Life Building, St. Paul, Minn.
 Or POWELL, HOWORTH & DEE, McCoy, Oregon.

NOTICE
 To All Who Are Affected with Decayed and Aching Teeth.
 On or before June 1st, '97, we will open a first class dental parlor in Downers Grove for the purpose of doing dental work at the most reasonable prices ever offered in this part of the country. By our very low prices and our superior workmanship we feel sure of a sweeping success and expect to build up the largest practice on the Burlington road, and make Downers Grove the center of our modern dentistry. Our office will be equipped with all the latest improvements and modern conveniences used in dentistry, and none but the most skilled workmen employed. All work will be guaranteed for from five to ten years, and only the best of materials will be used. The manufacture of artificial teeth, gold crown and bridge work will be done in our city laboratory, where every facility for excellent work can be afforded.
 Our Downers Grove office will be located in the bank building where it will be convenient to all.
 The reasons we can do our work at these extremely low prices is because we buy our goods in such large quantities, we are satisfied with small profits and all work is done on a strictly cash basis. With the wonderful offers we are about to put forth no one should neglect their teeth or spend care and waste time in going to Chicago. For prices see our ad in next week's REPORTER.
 Yours truly,
 DOWNERS GROVE DENTAL PARLORS.
 Wonderful are the cures by Hood's Sarsaparilla and yet it is only because as the one true blood purifier, it makes pure, rich, healthy, life-giving blood.
 Hood's Pills for the liver and bowels, act easily, yet promptly. 25c.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.
 John Graves to Aaron Olson pt 1/2 6 De-Bois's subdiv Downers Grove.....\$ 1,300
 A M Baker to Avery Chadwick pt 1/2 sec 29 39 10 3 acres..... 400
 Geo M Graves to Frank O Butler Its 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 Robb's 1st add to Hinsdale..... 11,500
 R E Jenkins to Frank O Butler w/1/2 near blk 6 Robb's 1st add to Hinsdale..... 8,500
 Geo M Graves to Frank O Butler Its 1 2 and 4 Robb's Park add to Hinsdale..... 5,000
 David Nettanstrom to R R Carew Its 36 to 40 blk 13 Sec 13's subdiv..... 1,500
 Henry Liefer to Mary E Higley pt 1/2 blk 5 Ayer's add to Hinsdale..... 250
 D W Schenpp to Maria Schenpp pt 1/2 blk 19 Lombard..... 1,500
 J H Roehler to Emma Neidermeyer pt sw 1/4 sec 10 40 10 6 acres..... 600
 Chas E Boiles to Martha A Briggs Its 3 and 4 Vine street add to Turner..... 350
 Catharine Lake to Charles E Hathaway Its 3 blk 2 River Bluff add to Hinsdale..... 200
 A R Beckman to Wm A Aytsworth Its 11 and s/4 blk 12 blk 3 Stramba's add to Downers Grove..... 4,500
 Ira Brown to Emily M Thayer Its 4 & 5 blk 5 Hills of Lombard..... 600
 Maria Thies to Herman W Schnadt pt n/4 sec 1 40 9..... 1,600
 Amos Churchill to Edward H Cleaver pt 1/2 blk 1 Phillips' add to Prospect Park..... 2,500
 Ella R Delany to Luther M Hill pt blk 1 2 3 North Elmhurst..... 3,000
 William Rathje to Naomi E Jones pt 1/2 blk 4 W L Wheaton's add to Wheaton..... 400
 Magdalena Marwede to Ernst Stuenkel pt n/4 sw 1/4 39 11 Rakow's subdiv..... 2,500
 Joseph Loos to Vincent It 12 blk 1 Carpenter's add to Lacton..... 250
 Amos Churchill to Edward Cleaver pt Its 5 and 6 blk 1 Prospect Park..... 2,500
 Frank E Klise to Herman N Wheaton and pt 1/2 blk 6 Park add to Naperville..... 325
 Geo W Hoyt to P J Bryan Its 21 blk 11 Hills of Lombard..... 200

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 Will it not be to your advantage to buy of us? Considering your railroad fare, time and trouble, and other things being equal, we can sell you a wheel cheaper than you can buy same in Chicago. Try it.
 We Sell All Grades of Wheels. Prices Range Astonishingly Low This Year.
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