

We desire to direct your attention

To the especially desirable line of goods which we are receiving just at present, comprising some of the most appropriate effects for summer wear. This includes many staple and many entirely new lines of seasonable article as

**Calicoes, Gingham, Percales, Lawns, Linings,
..Underwear, Muslins and Furnishing Goods..**

More about which will be said in this space next week. The prices we are making on these goods proclaim them special bargains to the least observant purchaser. We also have our usual full assortment of merchandise in

**Boots, Shoes and Rubber Goods, Groceries, Provisions, Flour, Teas
..and the Celebrated Chase and Sanborn Seal Brand Coffees..**

Of which we are the exclusive agents in Downers Grove. Watch for our announcement next week, or better still come and see us in the meantime.

Maple ave & Main st. **Bateman and Palmer.**
Downers Grove.

O. J. Daily,
Contractor and
Builder.



Contracts taken for all kinds of
Carpentering and Building.

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DOWNERS GROVE, ILL.

**Milk...
and Cream**

Delivered
at
Your
Door

D.H. Uhlhorn
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**Home
Dairy,**

Downers Grove, - Illinois.

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.

The Queen of the Kitchen...



The Queen of the Kitchen Stew Kettle is the most useful article to have in the Kitchen. With one hand you can draw the water from boiling vegetables, and it is impossible to burn yourself. A child can operate it with ease simply by pressing the two baills together.

**Saves Time and Vegetables.
A Blessing to Every Housekeeper.**

Has every advantage of the long handled sauce pan; with same power can handle kettle four sizes larger, and no handle in the way. Made in four sizes, which we carry in stock as follows:

2 quart Enameled Kettle..... 4 quart Enameled Kettle.....
6 quart Enameled Kettle..... 8 quart Enameled Kettle.....

F. A. Brode & Co.

Additional Locals.

Searchlight matches at Nash Bros.
If you wish fence of any sort go to Brode's.
Mrs. D. G. Graham returned from Plano Saturday.
Mr. Boardwell was the guest of A. E. Cole over Sunday.
John Holland has been quite ill for the past two weeks.
Sheriff Hoy made a semi-official call in this vicinity last Saturday.
Miss Wylie of Hinsdale visited friends here in the Grove last Friday.
Finest bread in town, fresh every morning, at Mary S. Diener's.
Mrs. Harvey Thatcher was a visitor at Mrs. George Bateman's Sunday.
Dr. Bell of Naperville made a professional visit in Downers Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Farr of Stockton, Kan., are visiting his sister, Mrs. I. W. Stanley.
Mrs. Will Hanson and daughter of Chicago called on old friends in Downers Tuesday.
Mrs. W. A. Tope and Mrs. Nargney entertained Mrs. Dr. Smith of Chicago the past week.
Mrs. Jean Manwell of Irving Park is spending a few days with her cousin, Mrs. McNaught.
Hughes & Gallup are prepared to furnish pure ice to their customers. Leave your order.
Our energetic and efficient county superintendent, Prof. Morgan, was in Downers last week.
Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Mayer were delighted with a visit from Mr. Mayer's parents over Sunday.
"We may shut our eyes, but we cannot help knowing that skies are clear and grass is growing."
Mrs. J. T. Escher and Mrs. Collins of Chicago visited with Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Stanger yesterday.
Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Wylie of Hinsdale visited with Dr. and Mrs. W. W. Gourlay and other friends Sunday.
Note the new advertisement of Nash Bros. They make reasonable suggestions of more than usual interest.
I have some good homes to rent in eligible locations at from \$8.00 to \$20.00 per month. D. G. GRAHAM.
G. A. R. memorial services next Sunday at the Auditorium at 3 p. m. Rev. Geo. C. Moor will preach the discourse. All are invited.
The Peake Sisters, fourteen "Old Maids." Come out and have a good hearty laugh for 15 cents. Do not miss this opportunity.
Mrs. D. K. Craig, who has been suffering with pleuro-pneumonia for the past two weeks, is now progressing nicely under the care of Dr. Gourley.
Refrigerators at Hughes & Gallup. Don't try to buy them at a lower price elsewhere, because you can't. You can see them at the office. Just call.
Wm. Straube is building an extensive addition to his piano factory, made necessary by the increasing demand for the product thereof. The addition is of brick, 25x50 feet, and is on the south of the main building.
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.
President McKinley Thursday sent to the senate the nomination of M. E. Stanger as postmaster for Downers Grove. It has still to be confirmed and Mr. Stanger's bond filed and approved by the department before the commission will issue. The appointment is satisfactory to everybody here.
D. G. Graham's right eye and a stick of wood came in contact with one another last Thursday, much to the discomfort of that orb of vision. He was performing the highly commendable act of splitting kindlings, when one of the sticks he was operating upon flew up and struck him in the eye, badly bruising and lacerating it. Dr. Tope dressed the wounded member and found the wound had narrowly missed doing permanent injury to the sight. As it is Mr. Graham is suffering considerable annoyance and pain.
All of our readers are aware of the magic growth of the North side of our village during the last five or six years; but in the western part of that new addition there has never been started a Sunday school until last Sunday afternoon, when twenty-two met at the home of Mrs. Hawkins, on Middaugh avenue, where it will be held every Sunday from three to four. It is called "The North Side Sunday School" and is entirely undenominational, in no way wishing to interfere with the work of any of the churches in our village. We predict that this long felt want among the growing population of that part of our village will be a success.

Prevention is better than cure. Keep your blood pure, your appetite good and your digestion perfect by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla.
Hood's Pills act harmoniously with Hood's Sarsaparilla, gentle, efficient.

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.
1/2 inch Cotton covered Hose warranted.....	10c per ft.
1/2 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.

Shoes... Correct Styles in

Oxfords, Blacks, and Tans



Drew, Selby & Co's Ladies' Footwear.

Our Spring and Summer line of these celebrated Shoes is now presented for your inspection. It is complete. The styles are correct. The prices are extremely reasonable.

Oxford Ties from \$1 to \$2.50
Tan, latest conceits at \$3.00
Black, stylish footwear \$3.00
Also a good shoe for \$2.00

The Douglas Shoe for Men.

Comprising a well selected stock of the latest shapes in the following fine lines:

Black from \$2 to \$3.50
Tans from \$2 to \$3.50
Ox Bloods \$2 to \$3.50
Enameled, fine \$3.50

Douglas Men's Cycle Shoes.

An easy shoe for wheeling.

Men's Summer Underwear.

Men's Egyptian Jersey Ribbed shirts and drawers specially reinforced in seat, a splendid article well made, at 50 cents each, \$1.00 per pair.

Warm Weather Staw Goods

Time for light headgear. We have Straw Hats for Men, Youths and Boys for 5 cents to 20 cents. Better ones for 50 cents and 75 cents.

NASH BROS.