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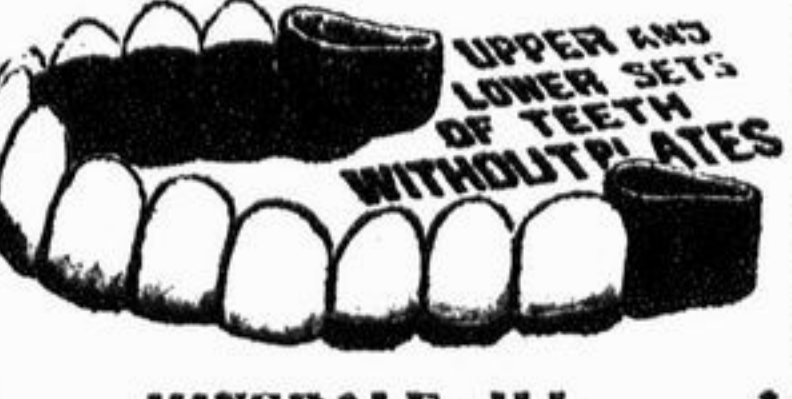
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**VILLAGE BOARD PROCEEDINGS.**  
 Downers Grove, July 5th, 1897.  
 The regular monthly meeting for the month of July was called to order by Trustee Mochel.  
 Roll call noted present Trustees Mochel, Hughes and Mayer. Absent, Trustees Barr, Root and Schultz.  
 No quorum being present board adjourned until Thursday night, July 8th.  
 BERT C. WHITE,  
 Village Clerk.

Downers Grove, July 8th, 1897.  
 The adjourned regular meeting from July 5th to July 8th, 1897, was called to order by President Bush.  
 Roll call noted present Trustees Barr, Mochel, Root, Hughes, Schultz and Mayer. Total 6. Absent, none.  
 The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.  
 The reports of village treasurer, village collector and superintendent of water works, were then read and upon proper motion were ordered placed on file.  
 Claim ordinance No. 55 providing for the payment of certain claims was then read and was as follows to-wit:

V Simonson	5 68 95
Globe, Light and Heat Co.	124 46
Wm H Metz	47 20
Geo C Barr	27 75
Emil Marchand	25 40
Wm Deveraux	6 00
P A Lord & Co.	7 31
F A Brode & Co.	131 65
P J Kearney	50 00
M Slusser	15 00
N A Williams	30 50
J D Fowler	70 00
L K Johnson	32 84
White & Williams	9 15
James C Dixon	25 15
Emil Marchand	19 00
N Lawson	9 15
Bert C White	6 65
J M Nargney	8 00
Nash Bros	2 70
F Blanchard	2 34
N Lawson	21 37
F Burkhart	21 17
G C Barr	2 15
Jake Shaerer	2 25
Chas Hitzey	2 50
W H Edwards	10 00
D G Graham	10 00
Hughes & Gallup	8 50
Farmers & Merchants bank bond 22 spl	104 17
and 2 series 2 and int to date to be paid from spl assd No 1	104 17
Farmers & Merchants bank bonds 3 4 5	416 67
and 4 spl assd 1 series 3 with int to be paid from spl assd No 2	28 50
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and 4 spl assd 1 series 3 with int to be paid from spl assd No 3	80 25

It was moved and carried that claim ordinance No. 55 be put upon its passage.  
 Claim ordinance No. 53 was then put upon its passage and carried. Those voting aye were Trustees Barr, Mochel, Root, Hughes, Schultz and Mayer. Total 6. Nays, none.  
 The following ordinance was then introduced and read:  
 An ordinance making appropriations for corporate purposes for the fiscal year from May 1, 1897, to April 30, 1898.

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 the following sums or so much thereof as may be authorized by law, be, and the same are hereby appropriated for corporate purposes of the village of Downers Grove, for the fiscal year commencing May 1, 1897, and ending April 30th, 1898.  
 Salaries of policemen and village officers \$1000 00  
 For cleaning, repairing and improving streets and alleys 1300 00  
 For payment of cost of street lighting 1500 00  
 For payment of interest on general bonds of village 550 00  
 For payment of miscellaneous claims 1400 00  
 Section 2. The expenditures for corporate purposes shall be limited to the amount of the appropriations above authorized, unless further appropriations shall be made as provided by law.  
 Section 3. This ordinance shall be in force from and after its passage and legal publication.  
 It was moved and carried that appropriation ordinance be put upon its passage.  
 Said appropriation was then put upon its passage and carried. Those voting aye were Trustees Barr, Mochel, Root, Hughes, Schultz and Mayer. Total 6. Nays, none.

The matter of placing a name plate in the mound at park was brought up and discussed at length.  
 It was regularly moved and seconded that a cement name plate be placed in mound at the railroad park by the improvement committee at an expense not to exceed \$50.00.  
 Said motion was carried, all voting aye.  
 The matter of repairing fire apparatus was brought up. It was regularly moved and carried that Trustee Mochel be instructed to see Fire Marshal Blanchard and instruct him to attend to repairing fire apparatus at once.  
 The street and alley committee to whom petition for sidewalk on the north side of Prairie avenue in Gostyn was referred, reported that they would recommend that a walk be built on the north side of Prairie avenue from Goev street west to the alley between Gostyn and DeBolt subdivision.  
 It was moved and carried that the report of street and alley committee be accepted and that the ordinance committee be instructed to prepare an ordinance covering same.

Village Treasurer J. W. Rogers being present requested an expression of the board in regard to depositing the village monies.  
 It was moved and carried that the village treasurer be authorized to deposit all money in the Farmers & Merchants bank of Downers Grove and that said bank be required to give a bond in the sum of \$8000.00 with signers acceptable to the board.  
 Upon proper motion board adjourned.  
 BERT C WHITE, Village Clerk.

**Additional Locals.**  
 Miss Edith Graham returned home Monday from Plano.  
 Whooping cough is prevalent among the children of the village.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Brunt of Chicago spent Sunday with Mrs. McNaught.  
 Mrs. A. B. Cole and daughter Clara were in Downers the past week.  
 Mrs. Belden and Birdie Rose have gone to the DesPlaines camp meeting.  
 Mrs. Catherine Wiles entertained a party of friends from the city last Sunday.  
 Miss Kilgore of Ohio was the guest of Mrs. W. A. Tope and Mrs. Nargney last Sunday.  
 Little George Nargney is visiting his grandparents and aunt, Miss Jean Fidler, in Ohio.  
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The Bankers' Athletic club of Chicago, were guests at the Rando residence last Sunday.  
 Mrs. John Egan of Geneva Lake, Wis., visited her niece, Mrs. L. W. Stanley, the past week.  
 Mrs. F. A. Belden and Mrs. Calla Bush were in attendance at the DesPlaines campmeeting this week.  
 Samuel Curtiss of Diamond, Ill., was here and spent Friday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Curtiss.  
 Don't buy any cheap granite cookers until you examine the "Queen of the Kitchen" cookers at Brode & Co's.  
 Miss Ina Elliott and Bessie Hall left Monday for Plymouth, Ind., for a two weeks visit with friends and relatives there.  
 Mrs. F. K. Mayer took her Sunday school class to Lincoln Park last Friday, where they spent a delightful day's outing.  
 The crop of hay this year is larger and heavier than for many years past. The weather, too, has been very favorable for the harvest.  
 Miss May Robbins celebrated a birthday anniversary last Saturday. Her young girl friends surprised her and they had a great time.  
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 Every taxpayer should attend the dedication of the new DuPage county court house at Wheaton Saturday. Go and see how your money has been spent.  
 S. O. Curtiss of Fremont county, Iowa, was here the past week visiting his uncle, Chas. Curtiss, and family. While here he took in the Logan day demonstration.  
 A lawn social is to be given by the Baptist Junior society at the home of R. O. Curtiss this Thursday evening. All are cordially invited to attend. Ice cream and cake, 10c.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Geo. R. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Guy L. Bush spent several days the past week at Eagle Lake, Wisconsin, in quest of the flinty inhabitants of the deep. They were quite successful in their endeavors, though to the ladies belongs the honor of securing the best catches.  
 Clarence Logan, the little infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Shannabrook, died Monday morning after a life of but seven short weeks. The little one had been ill during the greater part of its brief life, and was hardly expected to live, yet its death was no less keenly felt by the bereaved parents. The funeral was held from the residence Tuesday afternoon.  
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