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We have a most satisfactory line of winter undergarments for men including splendid lines of Heavy Cotton, Fleece Lined and All Wool garments in all sizes and at desirable prices. You cannot fail to be pleased.

Winter Hosiery for boys and men.

Our stock is complete and we are making a specialty of this line, including as it does the celebrated Leatherstockings for boys at 25c (wear like leather.) Men's cotton hose from 3 pairs for 25c to 25c per pair. Men's woolen hose from 25c to 40c per pair.

Gloves and mittens

Keep your hands warm. We have a light fall glove for 25c per pair. Heavier and better grades for winter are "Saranac Buck," the very best and warranted for \$1 per pair. "Asbestos" fire and waterproof gloves for \$1. Also a fine line of knit yarn and Jersey gloves and mittens for boys, youths and men.

Bargains in Shoes Closing out razor toe Shoes

No regard for cost. Come while the last and secure a first class shoe for less money than it takes to make them. We are cleaning them out entirely and you will miss some rare bargains if you do not take advantage of our offerings.

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SPECIAL--IN BOYS' CLOTHING.

I take pleasure in informing the people of Downers Grove and vicinity that I have just received a fine line of boys' and children's suits. Also a nice line of ladies', men's and children's rubbers, which I will sell cheaper than any store in DuPage county. The people should remember that the profit is not in selling, it is in buying goods. I buy close and will give this benefit to the good people of Downers. Read the following prices:

- Boys' Suits, from 3 to 15 years.....\$1.29
- Men's wool socks.....15
- Men's heavy fleece lined underwear.....39
- Men's Jersey overshirts.....49
- Men's Buckskin gloves.....45
- Ladies' fleece lined hose.....18
- Ladies' fall underwear.....23
- German knitting yarn.....18

And hundreds of other articles at rock bottom prices. Quick sales and small profits is my motto. Before you buy elsewhere call and see the goods and learn prices.

The Downers Grove Fair.

CORNER OF MAIN AND CURTISS STREETS, OPPOSITE BANK.

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By WHITE & WILLIAMS.
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VILLAGE BOARD PROCEEDINGS.

Downers Grove, Ill., Oct. 18, 1897.
The board met in special session called by order of President Bush for the purpose of considering the following subjects mentioned in call, said call being on file in the village clerk's office.

1. To receive report of health commissioner and constable.
2. To receive report of health commissioner on drains and diphtheria cases.
3. To consider resolution to allow John Oldfield to construct an 8-foot concrete walk from Main street to east line of his building on south side of Curtiss street.
4. To receive recommendations of local board of improvements.
5. To pass an ordinance for construction of a sidewalk on north side of Grove street from Main to Carpenter street.
6. To transact such other urgent business as may be brought before the meeting.

Meeting was called to order by President Bush. Roll call noted present Trustees Barr, Root, Mayer, Mochel, Schultz. Absent Trustee Hughes.

The bond of George Hoffert as health commissioner and police constable, in the sum of \$2,000, with Levi Mertz and J. W. Rogers as sureties, was read. It was moved by Trustee Root, seconded by Trustee Barr, that said bond be accepted and approved. Motion carried, all voting aye.

The health commissioner reported the diphtheria case as fully recovered and premises thoroughly fumigated and quarantine restrictions removed.

The health commissioner also reported outlet of north side sewer drain as being in a very unsanitary condition. The commissioner was instructed to use his best endeavors to locate the source of said drainage.

At this juncture of proceedings Trustee Hughes arose and took his seat.

Trustee Root then offered the following resolution:

Resolved, that John Oldfield be, and he hereby is authorized and licensed to construct a stone or cement sidewalk on Curtiss street in the village of Downers Grove, immediately adjoining on the north the three-story brick building recently constructed by said Oldfield upon property owned by him. Said sidewalk to extend from Main street easterly to the eastern boundary of said building, and to adjoin said building on the south, and the northern boundary thereof not to exceed eight (8) feet from the south line of Curtiss street.

Said sidewalk shall be constructed of stone or cement and under the supervision of the committee on streets and to their acceptance; provided that the permission and license herein granted to said Oldfield to construct a sidewalk eight (8) feet wide, as hereinbefore provided, shall in no wise be construed as indicating a purpose on the part of the board of trustees to require other property owners on said street to construct a similar walk. Said permission being granted only at the request of said Oldfield and in consideration of the fact that said walk is in keeping with the character of the building constructed upon the said adjoining property.

Trustee Mochel introduced a petition from property owners on Curtiss street praying such permission be not granted, but that the said Oldfield only be permitted to construct a walk of the width provided for in the village ordinances.

After considerable discussion it was moved by Trustee Root, seconded by Trustee Barr, that resolution be put upon its passage. Carried.

Said resolution was then put upon its passage and carried; those voting aye were Trustees Barr, Root, Mayer, Hughes, Schultz; total 5. Nays, Trustee Mochel; total 1.

Sidewalk ordinance No. 25, providing for the construction of a sidewalk on the north side of Grove street from Main to Carpenter streets, in front of lots 50, 49, 48, 84, and that part of lot 85 abutting on Grove street, of assessor's survey of section 7 and 8, in township 38, range 11, was then read.

It was moved and carried that said sidewalk ordinance No. 25 be put upon its passage.

Said ordinance was then put upon its passage and carried; those voting aye were Trustees Barr, Mayer, Mochel, Root, Hughes and Schultz.

Sidewalk ordinance No. 26 providing for the construction of a sidewalk on the north side of Maple avenue, in front of lot 11 of assessor's survey of sections 7 and 8, township 38, range 11, was then read.

It was moved and carried that said sidewalk ordinance No. 26 be put upon its passage.

Said ordinance was then put upon its passage and carried; those voting aye were Trustees Schultz, Mochel, Hughes, Mayer, Root and Barr.

Sidewalk ordinance No. 27 providing for the construction of a sidewalk on the east side of North Main street, in front of lots 8 to 14, both inclusive, block 6, and lots 13 to 24, both inclusive, block 17, E. H. Prince & Co. addition, was then read.

It was moved and carried that said sidewalk ordinance No. 27 be put upon its passage.

Said ordinance was then put upon its passage and carried; those voting aye were Trustees Root, Mayer, Mochel, Schultz, Hughes and Barr.

Upon proper motion board adjourned.
BERT C. WHITE, Village Clerk.

Constipation

Causes fully half the sickness in the world. It retains the digested food too long in the bowels and produces biliousness, torpid liver, indigestion, bad taste, coated tongue, sick headache, insomnia, etc. Hood's Pills cure constipation and all its results, easily and thoroughly. 25c. All druggists. Prepared by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass. The only Pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FARMERS AND MERCHANTS BANK

at Downers Grove State of Illinois, before the commencement of business on the 26th day of October, 1897, as made to the Auditor of Public Accounts, of the State of Illinois, pursuant to law.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and Discounts	\$70121.71
Cash on Hand	3168.50
Due From Other Banks	14012.32
Banking House	10134.56
Furniture and Fixtures	1128.31
Current expenses, including taxes	1801.96
Total	\$106367.36
LIABILITIES.	
Capital Stock	\$25000.00
Surplus Fund	7501.80
Undivided Profits	3004.60
Individual Deposits, subject to check	30072.93
Demand Certificates of Deposit	31007.23
Total	\$106367.26

STATE OF ILLINOIS, ss.
County of DuPage) I, W. H. Edwards,
Clerk of said County, do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct copy of the report of the Farmers and Merchants Bank, as made to the Auditor of Public Accounts, of the State of Illinois, pursuant to law, on the 26th day of October, 1897.
W. H. EDWARDS, Clerk.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of October, 1897.
[SEAL] D. G. GRAHAM, Notary Public.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

W S Waite to Ella G Waite pt 1 and 2	3000
Holls add to Wheaton	200
Chas E Bales to C A Higelow 1/2 blk 11	200
Pollock east add to Turner	200
John Martinson to T Larson 1/2 1 2 3 4 and 5 blk 8 Thaines add to Glen Ely	2000
Corz M Sharp to Wm F Todd 1/2 11 & 12 blk 6 East Wheaton	4000
Francis Miller to P A Clarke w/1/2 2 and 3 pt 1/4 blk 14 Robbins Park add to Hinsdale	7500
E P Arnold to Helen E Arnold 1/2 blk 3	500
Andersons add to Wheaton	500
Helen E Arnold to Thos R Bonfield same	500
Washington Simons to Thos R Bonfield 1/2 blk 10 Fredenheagen subdiv East Grove	200
The Lake Greener Co to Reidy & Engel-schall 1/2 blk 1 Lisle	200
Bertina Pett to Jno Macleod 1/2 11 12 and 13 blk 10 Streets add to Downers Grove	250

Just as Good

as Scott's and we sell it much cheaper," is a statement sometimes made by the druggist when Scott's Emulsion is called for. This shows that the druggists themselves regard

Scott's Emulsion

of Cod-Liver Oil with Hypophosphites of Lime and Soda as the standard, and the purchaser who desires to procure the "standard" because he knows it has been of untold benefit, should not for one instant think of taking the risk of using some untried preparation. The substitution of something said to be "just as good" for a standard preparation twenty-five years on the market, should not be permitted by the intelligent purchaser.

Be sure you get SCOTT'S Emulsion. See that the man and fish are on the wrapper and \$1.00, all druggists. SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, New York.

Domestic or New Home Sewing Machines.



Why pay \$35.00 to \$40 for a sewing machine not as good as we are offering you for much less money. We have just reduced the price on machines

and will now sell you either a Domestic or New Home 4-Drawer Machine, latest style with full set of attachments for \$26.00 Net Cash. If in need of a Machine it will pay you to avail yourself of this low offer.



Just Received Another Lot of That Granite Ware

We have just received another invoice of that excellent Granite ware which gave such good satisfaction, direct from the factory. We are selling it out at special low prices, and quote you here below a few of the articles:

- 1 quart Granite dippers each.....10 cts
- 2 quart Granite dippers each.....15 cts
- Good Granite wash basins.....10 cts
- Large size Granite wash basins.....15 cts
- 14 quart Granite dish pans.....40 cts
- 17 quart Granite dish pans.....50 cts
- 6 quart Granite deep pudding pans.....15 cts
- 8 quart Granite preserving kettles.....25 cts
- 9 quart Granite tea kettles.....60 cts

Mertz & Mochel.

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That there is a demand for the best grades of OIL AND GASOLINE, therefore if you want the best leave a trial order at Carpenter's drug store and get the best in the market, or wait until you hear the sleightbells and order of

D. K. CRAIG.

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| Perfection Oil, 5 gals for | \$.35 | Taylor's Health flour per sack | .35 |
| Gasoline 5 gals for | .40 | 18 lbs Sugar | 1.00 |
| Quaker Oats, 2 lb package | .10 | Best dried Apricots per lb | .12 |
| Price's Bak Pow 1lb full weight. | .45 | 10 bars Washing Soap | .25 |
| Best Java and Mocha coffee lb | .32 | Wisconsin Potatoes per bu | .75 |

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