REPORTER.

WILLIAMS.

Associate Editor.

STRICTLY CASH IN ADVANCE.

P. O. at Downers Grove, Ill. class mail matter.

Guy L. Bush, who at- ublican love feast at ay night, states that informawal of Tanner from the he is not inclined to Haney will be the can- will be thrown the Tan- en though that appears to at the present time. He personal acquaintance we state, still he makes a n and impression, and im- e met him as a man of Bush states from what he e Henecy is being used t political schemes of the n the time comes will be Congressman Reeves inks, looms up as the candidate. He considers Northcott is pretty cer- successor, and indeed ominently suggested as governor. Secretary of wise a sure winner for Mr. Rose, it is generally given the state a thorough- administration and the aspirants to contest the with him is a confession of with the party and the people the record he has made in the of state's office. Auditor Mc- will probably be renominated, Attorney General Aiken will ong opposition. Senator Berry Works of Rockford are both will give Aiken the hard-

able to tell its read- the twentieth century nd that the time was others January 1, ars to be about equally art we believe that it il January 1, 1901. 100 years for a cen- nineteenth century will mplete until a full hundred ounded out. It is true we are 900th year but 1900 years A. D expire until December 31, 1900, ight. Several persons have gone er this question and others prob- ll if it is discussed generally as ly as it is here. The thing to do your subscription to the Repor- rance and keep cool. It is likely ll live in doubt concerning the unless the other side gives in. ars at this writing that a part ving in the nineteenth and the is the twentieth century our 1900 which began Monday ny rate we wish a happy and New Year to all our reader.

ney General Akin holds that only ate books returned to the county of the state are required to be the assessor's office for the inspec- he public, there being no require- which the original books filed county clerk shall be kept and e file in that office. In reply to asking whether assessor's books for four years should be used ly or a new set be used each holds that the books for assess- ould be made up each year, but books containing the assessment al property to be delivered to the erk by the board of review may ed to the town assessors by the the guidance in making the as- t real property under the rev-

or Tanner Friday announced at ce of his friends in the Senate that he is not a candidate for ation and re-election. The rea- was that he placed party suc- s personal ambition, and the had received had led him to candidacy might endanger the some of his friends in certain He asked for united action on was nominated, and predicted overwhelming victory for the ticket.

from Frank Jones of Chicago, property owner on the north that he knows of people who to Downers Grove to make If there was any chance to get the better train service con- the Burlington road in ion' loop. Now, he says, inducements. He is only who are holding off for nts. The Iowa must have gressive.

office was held up in W. t- Chicago, two days ago and This incident effectually ders so long circuit- the financial troubles of the who is popularly supposed for subscriptions and joyful pause when a dat in on account of advert-

PROCEEDINGS.

first page.

proved:

Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen of the Board of Supervisors:

Your committee on court house and grounds beg leave to report that they have had a tank placed in the boiler room at the court house to catch the water condensed from steam from the court house and jail at a cost of $36; also have had the catch basin cleaned at a cost of $14, the bills for which are before this board and which we recommend allowed and paid; also have had the court house roof and gutters repaired and recommend that weather strips be placed on the bottoms of all windows in the several offices.

On motion of Supervisor Betts the building committee was authorized and empowered to accept the buildings at the county farm as soon as the same were completed to their satisfaction.

On motion of Superintendent Hammerschmidt the building committee was authorized to purchase and have placed at the windows in the insane ward of the new building all necessary screens and gratings for the safety of the insane confined therein.

On motion of Supervisor Fischer the chair appointed the following delegates to attend the meeting of Supervisors and Clerks to be held at Quincy on January 9th, 10th and 11th, next: Supervisors Hull, Fischer, Bender and Clerk Lawrence. On motion of Supervisor Hammerschmidt Chairman Bartlett was added to the delegation.

On motion of Supervisor Hammerschmidt the Committee on Dedication were authorized to draw on county treasurer to the amount of $175 00 for dedication purposes and clerk was ordered draw a county order for that amount. On motion of Supervisor Betts the old county orders and script that had been paid by county treasurer as shown by his report were ordered burned in presence of full board.

On motion of Supervisor McClintock, the Board adjourned to call of chair.

H. F. LAWRENCE, Clerk.

One Dose

Tells the story. When your head aches, and you feel bilious, constipated, and out of tune, with your stomach sour and no appetite, just buy a package of

Hood's Pills

And take a dose, from 1 to 4 pills. You will be surprised at how easily they will do their work, cure your headache and biliousness, rouse the liver and make you feel happy again. 25 cents. Sold by all medicine dealers.

Groceries and Provisions

There is no Stock more complete. Any article in the trade at the lowest price quoted in any market,

And many articles much below, such as syrups and molasses in 3, 5 and 10 gal. kegs; salmon, mackeral, herring, etc., put up in the most desirable way; pickles of all kinds in bulk, sauerkraut, canned, preserved and dried fruits. All goods sold in smaller quantities if desired. Leading, well known articles of everyday use, down to date.

Ivory soap	4c
Ivory soap, large	7c
Sapolio	7c
Rice, good	3c
Rice, Japan	5c
Calif. prunes	5c
London layer raisins	8c
Quaker oats	9c
Catsup, pints	15c
Can tomatoes, doz	$1
" peas, " "	$1
" sugar corn " "	80c
" " " extra	$1
Hams, branded	7½c
Bacon, branded 4-lb strips	8½c
Soda, Dwights Cow brand	4c
Good 14c roasted coffee	10c
" 18c " "	12½c
Best 25c " "	17c
" 30c " "	20c
" 33c " "	23c
" 37c " "	27½c
Best coffee in the world	35c
Best 75c tea of all kinds	60c
Best 60c tea of all kinds	45c
Best 50c tea of all kinds	37½c
Braun & Pitts Best Butterine, 10 lb pails	$1.75
" " " Second " " "	1.60

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L. G. SCHOFIELD.

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Burcky Ladies and Gentlemen's **Milan Restaurant**

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Extract from Bill of Fare:

DINNER...	Baked Whitefish..15	Roast Mutton.....15	Mutton Pot Pie.. 15
	Boiled Trout.....15	Roast Pork.....15	Veal Pot Pie.....15
	Salt Mackerel.....15	Roast Veal.....15	Pork and Beans.....15
	Fried Perch.....15	Boiled Ham.....15	Soup.....5
	Roast Beef.....15	Beef Tongue.....15	PuddingT.....5
Breakfast and Supper	Small Steak.....15	Pork Chops.....15	Whitefish.....15
	Veal Cutlet.....15	Breakfast Bacon....15	Fried Perch.....15
	Mutton Chops.....15	Salt Pork, Broiled..15	Salt Mackerel.....15
	Broiled Ham.....15	Fried Sausage.....15	Fried Eggs.....15
	Liver and Bacon .15	Lake Trout.....15	Scrambled Eggs.....15

Endless Variety of Good Wholesome Food Properly Cooked, at Moderate Prices. Ladies' and Gentlemen's Toilet Rooms with Hot and Cold Water and other Conveniences. Perfect Service. Seating Capacity 700.

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Dr. Miles' Pain Pills stop Headache. Monthly Pains cured by Dr. Miles' Pain Pills.

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Used in Millions of Homes!

Accept no substitute!
Insist on LION COFFEE, in 1 lb. pkgs.

Best Coffee for the Money!

Try LION COFFEE and you will never use any other. It is absolutely pure Coffee and nothing but Coffee.

These articles mailed FREE in exchange for lion heads cut from front of 1 lb. LION COFFEE pkgs.

STRENGTH, PURITY AND FLAVOR

Silk Umbrella (either Lady's or Gents).

Sent by express (charges prepaid), for 170 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp.

A very fine umbrella, made of union silk-taffeta; 26-inch frame with seven ribs; steel rod and silver Congo handle. Would cost $2.00 at the store.

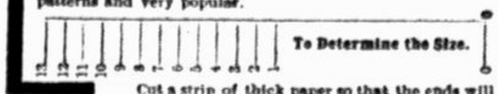
Fancy Gold Ring.

For 15 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp.

Genuine Ruby Setting Gold Ring.

For 25 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp.

These rings are genuine rolled-gold plate, having the exact appearance and qualities of solid gold, and guaranteed by the makers to last two years with ordinary usage. New patterns and very popular.



Cut a strip of thick paper so that the ends will exactly meet when drawn *tightly* around second joint of the finger. Lay one end on this diagram at the 0, and order the number the other end indicates.

Dress-Pin Set.

Mailed free for 15 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp. Three pins in the set (larger than shown), composed of fine rolled-gold, with handsome ruby-colored settings. Suitable for waist-pins, cuff-pins, neck-pins or as a child's set.

"Knickerbocker" Watch.

Given for 175 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp. Neat appearing and an excellent time-keeper. Solid nickel-silver case, with ornamental back. Nickel movements, escapement fully jeweled. The famous "Knickerbocker" watch.

Pair of Lace Handkerchiefs.

Two extra fine cambric handkerchiefs, with beautiful imported lace medallion insertions in the corners. Half-inch hem, machine hemstitched; stylish and durable. A pair of these handkerchiefs given for 18 lion heads cut from Lion Coffee wrappers and a 2c. stamp.

Art Picture, "Easter Greeting"

Given for 8 lion heads cut from Lion Coffee wrappers and a 2-cent stamp.

A highly artistic picture, that will grace the finest drawing-room. The background of royal dark-blue furnishes an appropriate contrast to the little girl and her white Easter lilies. Size, 14x28 inches.

For 10 lion heads and 2 cents we will send it tinned ready for hanging.

Sash-Belt and Buckle.

Mailed free for 15 lion heads cut from Lion Coffee wrappers and a 2-cent stamp. Latest style of imported black Swiss grosgrain ribbon belting; stylish imitation oxidized silver buckle; neat, strong and fashionable.

Ladies' Watch Chain.

A double strand of best silk cord, united at intervals with colored beads; neat and substantial. For 15 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp.

Gent's Watch.

Mailed free for 90 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp. The celebrated "Ingersoll" watch; stem-wound and stem-set; durable nickel-plated case; each watch accompanied by guarantee of the maker. A reliable time-keeper.

Children's Picture Book.

Given for 10 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp. Sixteen large pages of Mother Goose Melodies illustrated and with nicely lithographed cover. We have different books, so you can get an assortment.

Flower Picture.

For 8 lion heads and a 2c. stamp.

American Beauty Roses and Lilies-of-the-Valley. Size, 11 x 24 inches. Bright and artistic coloring.

Silver Napkin-Ring.

For 15 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp. Neat and substantial. Made of durable metal, heavily silver-plated. Two different patterns.

Ladies' Pocket-Book.

Large size and latest shape. Black seal-grain leather, with five separate divisions, including a tuck-pocket with flap to hold visiting cards secure.

Given for 25 lion heads from Lion Coffee wrappers and a 2c. stamp.

Century Cook-Book.

368 pages of valuable cooking receipts, also treatise on the labor of the kitchen, dining-room, laundry, sick-room, and remedies for the more common diseases.

Given for 15 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp.

"The Dancing Lesson."

The green grass and trees, the little brown kitten and the girl's snow-white dress form a pleasing combination of colors. Size, 15 x 21 inches. Mailed free for 8 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp.

Coin-Purse.

For 15 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp. Color, dark brown. Made of fine kid leather; chamois lining; nickeled frame, with strong snap-fastening.

Ladies' Pen-Knife.

For 15 lion heads cut from Lion Coffee wrappers and a 2c. stamp. Large size; good material; handles nicely decorated and assorted colors.

Table Cover.

Durable, dark-colored material that will stand washing. 32 inches square, including fancy fringed border. Mailed free for 28 lion heads and a 2c. stamp.

Boys' Pocket-Knife.

The "Easy-Opener"; strong, sharp blade; red-wood handle.

For 12 lion heads and a 2c. stamp.

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You always know LION COFFEE by the wrapper. It is a sealed package, with the lion's head in front. It is absolutely pure if the package is unbroken. LION COFFEE is roasted the day it leaves the factory.

IMPORTANT NOTICE.

When writing for premiums send your letter in the same envelope or package with the lion heads. If more than 15 lion heads are sent, you can save postage by trimming down the margin. Ask your grocer for large illustrated premium list. Address all letters to the

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DOWNERS GROVE DIRECTOR

CHURCHES.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL—Rev. Truman R. Green, Pastor. Services Sunday at 10:45 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday School at 12:00 m Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:00 Epworth League Sunday evening at 6:00.

CONGREGATIONAL—Rev. E. H. Libby, Pastor. Services Sunday at 10:45 a m and 7:00 p m. Sunday School at 12 m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:45. Christian Endeavor Sunday evening at 6:00.

BAPTIST—Rev. G. C. Moor, Pastor. Services Sunday at 10:45 a m and 7:00 p m Bible school at 12 m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:00 Baptist Union Sunday at 6:15 p m. Junior Union at 4:30 p m.

EV. ASSOCIATION; GERMAN—Rev. Rickert, Pastor. Services Sunday at 10:30 a. m and 7:45 p m. Sunday Scool 9:30 a m. Young Peoples' Alliance 7:00 p m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:45.

PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL, St. Andrew's Mission—Rev. W. Reed Cross, Rector. Service Sunday at 3:30 p m. Sunday school at 2:30 p. m. W. S. Waples, Supt.

GERMAN LUTHERAN—Rev. I. J. Meyer, Pastor. Services every other Sunday at 2 p m in the Congregational church. Sunday School before service.

ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC—Rev. F. Chodniewicz, Rector. Mass every Sunday morn- at 8 and 10 o'clock. Every week day morning at 8 o'clock.

SOCIETIES.

GROVE LODGE 824 A. F. & A. M. Meets every second and forth Friday evening in each month. Visiting bretheren cordially invited. Bert C. White, W. M. E. C. Huenzel, Secretary.

VESTA CHAPTER 242 O. E. S. Meets second and forth Tuesday of each month in Masonic hall. Visiting members always welcome. Mrs. C. Mochel, W. M. Mrs. Louie E. Hall, Secretary.

NAPER POST 468 G. A. R. Meets the second and fourth Thursdays of the month. Visiting comrades always welcome. T. S. Rogers, Commander. Chas. Carpenter, Adjutant.

DOWNERS GROVE LODGE 326 A.O.U.W. Meet in own hall on first and third Fridays of each month. Visiting brothers always welcome. C. B. Blodgett W. M. A. J. Cross, Secretary.

DOWNERS GROVE LODGE 750 I. O. O. F. Meets every Monday evening in hall Central block. Visiting brothers cordially invited. Frank Haumesser, N. G. H. F. Legenhausen, Rec. Sec

VICTORY COUNCIL, 110 ROYAL LEAGUE Meets first and third Tuesday evenings in Workmen hall. J. B. Huling, Archon. Chas Colwell, Scribe.

MAPLE CAMP 898 M. W. A. Meets in G. A. R. hall on the second and fourth Thursday evenings of each month. Visiting neighbors always welome J. W. Rando, V. C. W. H. Barnhart, clerk.

MAPLE GROVE LODGE 529 K. OF P. Meets first and third Wednesdays of each month. Visiting Knights cordially invited. W. H. Shannabrook, C. C. E. J. W. Dietz, K. of R. and S.

DOWNERS GROVE TENT, No. 142 Knights of the Maccabees. Meets second and fourth Wednesdays in each month in Carpenter's hall, P. C. Gallup, Commander. W. L. Hanna, Record Keeper

LADIES' LIBRARY ASSOCIATION. Library building on Curtiss street. Meet first Tuesday in each month at 2 p m. Emma J. Miller, President. Mrs. M. E. Stanger, Treas.

DOWNERS GROVE LOAN AND HOME stead Association. John Holland, President; J. W. Rogers, Treasurer; Guy L. Bush, Secretary.

COUNTY OFFICERS.

County Seat	Wheaton
Treasurer	F. E. Ayers
Recorder and Circuit Clerk	A. H. Wiant
County Judge	John H. Batten
States Attorney	Maxim Sisser
County Clerk	H. P. Lawrence
Sheriff	C. B. Gorham
Superintendent of Schools	R. T. Morgan
Surveyor	Geo. I. Herrick
Coroner	N. E. Matter

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Clerk	Bert C. White
Treasurer	J. W. Rogers
Health Officer	Geo. Hoffert
Street Commissioner	W. H. Mertz
Superintendent Water Works	J. D. Fowler
Chief of Police	P. J. Kearney

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Supervisor	Jas. McClintock, Hinsdale
Assistant Supervisors	C. B. Blodgett, Downers Grove; Frank H. Cramer, Lace, P.O.
Town Clerk	F. R. Irvine, Hinsdale
Assessor	F. A. Rogers, Downers Grove
Collector	H. C. Colburn
Justice of the Peace	J. B. Mackie
Commissioners of Highways	Peter Leibundgruth, J. F. Ruchty, C. H. Warkentine

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Supt. of Schools	O. M. Searles

Regular meetings held first Tuesday of each month in the Maple avenue school building.

THE MAILS.

From the east:—7:07; 9:07 a. m. 12:11; 5:11 p. m

From the west:—7:07; 9:52 a. m. 1:30; 5:28 p. m

C. B. & Q. RAILWAY TIME CARD.

East Bound.

LV. DOWNERS		ARR. CHICAGO
5.50 a. m.	D G Passenger	6.40 a.m.
6.25	" "	7.15
6.54	" "	7.43
7.07	Aurora Passenger	7.46
7.22	D G Passenger	8.10
7.58	Aurora Passenger	8.45
8.22	D G Passenger	9.12
8.30	Aurora Passenger	9.22
9.10	D G Passenger	10.00
9.52	Mail Train	10.38
10.05	D G Passenger	10.55
11.15	Aurora Passenger	12.16 p.m.
12.50 p. m.	D G Passenger	1.40
1.23	Mail Train	2.05
2.05	D G Passenger	2.55
3.15	" "	4.05
3.55	Aurora Passenger	4.45
4.50	D G Passenger	5.40
5.28	Mail Train	6.10
5.45	D G Passenger	6.45
6.55	" "	7.45
8.02	" "	9.00
9.02	" "	10.00
9.51	Through Express	10.30
10.19	D G Passenger	11.20

West Bound.

LV. CHICAGO		ARR. DOWNERS
6.45 a. m.	D G Passenger	7.36 a. m.
7.45	" "	8.36
8.30	Mail Train	9.07
8.45	D G Passenger	9.36
10.15	" "	11.06
11.05	" "	12.07 p. m
11.30	Mail Train	12.11
12.01 p. m.	D G Passenger	1.02
12.55	Saturday only	1.47
1.30	Aurora Passenger	2.23
2.10	Milk Train	3.10
3.15	D G Passenger	4.06
4.05	" "	4.56
4.40	" "	5.31
5.11	Aurora Passenger	5.50
5.15	D G Passenger	6.05
5.35	" "	6.26
6.15	" "	7.06
6.40	" "	7.40
7.30	" "	8.30
8.30	Aurora Passenger	9.20
10.35	D G Passenger	11.25
11.20	Theater Train	12.05
11.30	D G Passenger	12.20

Sunday Trains.—East.

LEAVE DOWNERS		ARR. CHICAGO
7.55 a. m.	D G Passenger	8.45 a. m.
8.30	Aurora Passenger	9.22
9.23	D G Passenger	10.15
1.10 p. m.	" "	2.00 p. m
1.23	Mail Train	2.05
3.08	D G Passenger	4.00
5.00	Aurora Passenger	6.00
6.25	D G Passenger	7.25
8.00	Aurora Passenger	9.50
9.56	D G Passenger	10.55

Sunday Trains.—West.

LV. CHICAGO		ARR. DOWNERS
9.00 a. m.	Aurora Passenger	9.52 a. m
11.30	Through Express	12.11
11.40	D G Passenger	12.20
1.32	" "	2.20
2.10	Aurora Passenger	3.10
4.55	D G Passenger	5.50
6.40	" "	7.30
9.45	" "	10.35
10.45	" "	11.35
12.00	" "	12.50