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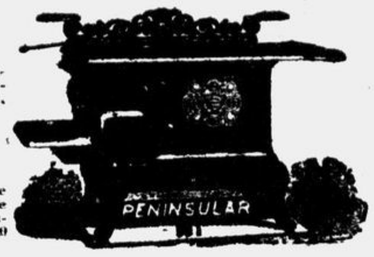
The People Know a Good Store

And its the People's trade we're after.

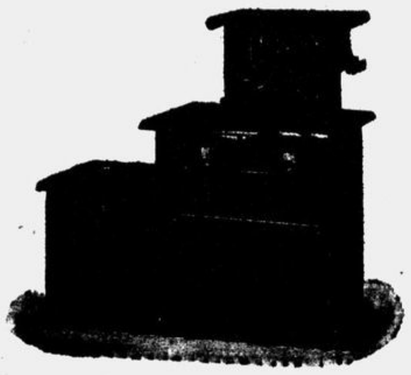
Peninsular Cook Stove.

Perfectly square steel oven. Is made in one piece. Interchangeable key plate top. Oven top asbestos covered. Cemented flue bottom protects oven from chilling, quickens baking and saves fuel.



Puritan Oil Stoves.

Safety—Absolutely safe. Simplicity—They are free from complicated mechanism. Cleanliness—They are free from odor and smoke. No dirty wick to trim. Economy—One gallon kerosene will run one burner 17 to 20 hours. Finish—Enameled and has nickel trimmings.



Quick Meal Gasoline

Self generator, lights like gas. Immense, hot blue clear flames and starts and burns without smoke or soot. All styles and sizes. Made of wrought steel nicely enameled and handsomely ornamented.

Jewel Gasoline Stoves.

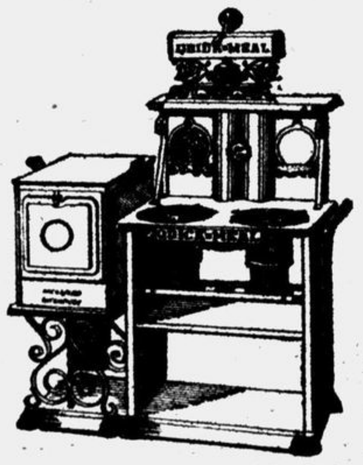
The Key to Comfort. Geo. M. Clark & Co's Jewel Gasoline Stoves handled by us. They are well known by our customers.

We are more than pleased to be able to announce to our customers and the people in general that we have secured the exclusive sale of these well known Oil and Gasoline stoves for Downers Grove this coming season. A full and complete line will be on our floors within a few days and we invite you all to come and look them over. Its a pleasure to show our goods.

Don't let that "Just as good" stove catch you.

Kerosene .. Gasoline

Strictly high grade. Try it once and you are our customer. 14 cents per gallon. Gasoline—We carry that kind that gives satisfaction. We will call for your can, fill it and return it promptly.



Other lines of best goods

Space will not permit us to mention the other lines of goods we carry. **We have a strictly Up-to-Date Store** and our goods are all the best lines in the trade.

We want to.....

Emphasize Our Tin Shop

All the latest and best tools. Fully equipped. Best material used and work done by a man that understands his business. We are showing a splendid line of Farm Implements this spring already on the floor.

Hay, Straw, Ground Feed, Oats, Corn, Wheat and Poultry Food.

All Goods Delivered. No Extra Charge.

Additional Locals.

Searchlight matches at Nash's.

Try Buck's fancy 20c Java coffee.

Miss Bernice White visited with her aunts in the city over Sunday.

J. L. Hedrick, of Pullman, visited George McNaught over Sunday.

J. M. Nargney has moved into the Aldrich house on East Curtiss street.

James Aiken, of Colorado Springs, is visiting his cousin, Mrs. H. P. Kellogg.

Minnie Escher, of Naperville, spent several days with J. B. Miller last week.

Frank G. Brown is ill with pneumonia at his home on East Curtiss street.

I have money to loan on real estate security, at 6 per cent interest. D. G. Graham.

B. B. Muzzy, of Iowa, has purchased the oil business formerly conducted by Arthur Holt.

Fresh Baltimore oysters at John Haas market. Good, wholesome meats at lowest prices.

The Monarch ready-mixed paints are guaranteed strictly pure. For sale by Hughes & Gallup.

Here we are again with that pure N. Y. buckwheat flour; the best on the market. J. W. Nash.

Good accommodations and great comfort assured over the Red Line route. Inquire at Nash's.

Carriage and wagon painting neatly and promptly done at Q. Schmitt's blacksmith and wagon shop.

F. E. Miller, who has been under the weather for the past three weeks, is now confined in bed, under the doctor's care.

For Sale—Fine lot on Maple avenue; 50, 75 or 100 feet in width to suit purchaser. Inquire of Geo. Bateman, the grocer.

Elsewhere in this issue will be found the call for the township nominating primaries Saturday, March 17th, is the date set.

Mrs. Walkinshaw, who has spent the winter with her sister, Mrs. Manwell, left Downers for her home in New York city on Saturday.

The Downers Grove Dramatic club expects to make a few changes in the construction of the stage at the Auditorium before the benefit.

Pepsin Syrup Co.—Gents: I cannot recommend Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin too highly. It has been a great benefit to me. Very truly, Ray Buckley. For sale at Bush & Simonson's.

The B. & B. Red Line is well equipped to make comfortable a large portion of the sterner sex on their journey through the shirt world. You can purchase transportation at low rates at Nash's.

Brunson, the tailor, has recently added a new line of samples of suitings and trousers, together with spring top coats, vestings and fabrics suitable for ladies' tailored gowns. Prices never ruled so low.

Rockford has the banner camp of Modern Woodmen in the state. It consists of 1634 members. For the largest camp in the United States the banner is held by the camp at Kansas City, which has a membership of 1744.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Congregational church will serve supper in the church basement this evening (March 8th) from 5:30 until 8 o'clock, or even later, if the eatables hold out and people call for supper after that time. Price of supper, 15 cents. Please don't forget where you can get a good meal cheap. Come and bring your friends.

The REPORTER is in receipt of an article criticising some of the statements made in the REPORTER last week in regard to the fire at the Episcopal church. If the party writing the article will furnish his name, publicity will be given the letter. It is contrary to the custom of the REPORTER to publish articles when the name of the writer is withheld.

For the past two years there has not been another such chance for boys and girls to revel in the delights furnished by snow which "packs good" as that of last week; and they have made the most of it. Many an unwary victim has thrown dignity to the winds and run himself out of breath trying to catch a parcel of boys who had so far failed in respect to their elders as to "hit him in the neck" with snowballs and added insult to injury by laughing in fiendish glee at his frantic objections.

Since Herbert Spencer wrote his epoch-making inquiry into "what knowledge is of most worth," many people, who recognize that the newspaper is the greatest modern agent of education, have been inquiring "What news is of most worth?" Those who have read the Chicago Times-Herald know that it has solved the problem in a practical way, and therefore use it as their standard of newspaper success. If you will be led by their experience you can secure the paper through your newsdealer.

By Its Record of remarkable cures Hood's Sarsaparilla has become the one true blood purifier prominently in the public eye. Get only Hood's.

Hood's Pills are the best family cathartic and liver medicine. 25c.

SHIRTS

We have received a new line of Fancy Colored Shirts in all the latest stripes and shades for spring and summer wear, including the celebrated **B. & B. Red Line**—an eastern made shirt which we guarantee to give perfect satisfaction in wear and fit.

These shirts are laundered and have detachable cuffs, and we sell them at $1.00 for men's and 75c for boys'.

A large number of samples to select from provided that we have not the shade in stock which you would prefer.

Neat and nobby shades in Percales, with two collars to match, Men's at 75 cts. - - Boys' at 60 cts.

A full line of Work Shirts, - - 50 cts. Winter Goods at Big Reduction.

WE do not offer you a cheap article in this line, but good substantial goods at prices that you cannot duplicate anywhere, and guarantee every article worth the price.

This line of shirts is the best we have ever had in our store, Come and look at them and be convinced of their worth.

J. W. Nash.

Telephone 232. **15 South Main Street.**

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Meats • Poultry • Fish.

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Furnish rigs for Pleasure Driving, Balls, Parties, and Entertainments, Closed Carriages and Carryalls. Good horses and careful drivers. Horses boarded by the day or month.

Undertaking and Funeral Directing.

Special attention given to Undertaking, Embalming and Funeral Directing. An elegant new funeral car and all equipments. Calls promptly answered day or night. Telephone.

W. H. Barnhart has just received new sample books of wall paper. It contains the latest effects in silver, gold gilt, embossed and ingrain paper. Look at his samples before purchasing.

That Cough Hangs On

You have used all sorts of cough remedies but it does not yield; it is too deep seated. It may wear itself out in time, but it is more liable to produce la grippe, pneumonia or a serious throat affection. You need something that will give you strength and build up the body.

SCOTT'S EMULSION

will do this when everything else fails. There is no doubt about it. It nourishes, strengthens, builds up and makes the body strong and healthy, not only to throw off this hard cough, but to fortify the system against further attacks. If you are run down or emaciated you should certainly take this nourishing food medicine.

50c. and $1.00, all druggists.
SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, New York.

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GET THE BEST! A poor picture is a discredit to you. Our photographs are stylish, artistic, up-to date, durable and superbly finished. We have all the latest ideas in the art.

Bring the Baby.

We take time and pains with the little ones, and as a result we have pleased customers.

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A complete wholesale stock at wholesale prices

Any article in the trade at the lowest price quoted in any market, and many articles in large quantities MUCH BELOW.

The attention of families buying Monthly Supplies Specially Solicited.

Leading well-known articles of every day use, DOWN TO DATE.

Armour's Best Star Ham	10½c
" Picnic Hams	9½c
" California Hams	6½c
" Sugar Cured Bacon	9c
Best dry salt, clear side	6½c
The finest line of canned vegetables and canned, dried and evaporated fruit ever shown in Downers Grove, at prices 20 per cent below the market:	
Good California Prunes	5c
Silver Prunes, the finest ever shown here	12½c
Fine Cooking Raisins	8c
Ivory soap	7c
Best Family Soap, per case, 60 lbs	$2.50
" " " per bar	3c
Best German Mottled, per bar	3c
Best yellow Corn Meal, per lb	1c
Buckwheat Flour, good	3c
Fine Table Syrup, 5 gal for	$1.50
Pure Maple Syrup, 5 gal for	$3.00
Best N O Molasses, 5 gal for	$2.00
Quaker Oats	8c
Best Rolled Oats, fresh every day, per lb	2c
Sixty cent teas of all kinds, including Sun Cured, natural leaf Japan, Basket fired Japan, Uncolored Japan, English Breakfast, Gunpowder, Young Hyson, Imperial and Oolong, till further notice	37½c
The celebrated KOBE Japan Tea, natural leaf, uncolored, sun dried, pure, true flavor, only sold in largest cities, at 75 cents; till further notice	48c
A clean roasted Coffee, in 25 pound lots; pronounced good by my best customers	12½c
The best Plantation O G Java and Mocha Coffee—never sold under 35c anywhere, per lb	25c

And last but not least,
BRAUN & FITTS BEST BUTTERINE
In 10-pound pails.....For $1 75, 17½c per lb

All delivered free of charge in Downers Grove.

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The excellent features about our Hardware have convinced many people of the advantage of buying here. It is because C. S. Hughes gives a little better quality and a little more satisfactory prices, from high-grade Stoves to tacks and other small necessities.

B. Roth

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Has the largest and handsomest line of **Fall and Winter** suitings ever shown in Downers Grove. Call and see samples at

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