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OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL.

Prepared by the Village Clerk and Published as Provided by Statute.—Canvass Election Returns.

DOWNERS GROVE, ILL., April 23, 1900.

The regular meeting of the village board for the month of April was called to order by President Gallup.

Clerk White being absent, Trustee Bush was appointed clerk pro tem.

Roll call noted. Present Trustees Bush, Hughes, Mochel, Pearsall, Prince and Woelfersheim. Absent, none.

The minutes of the last regular and adjourned meetings were read and approved.

The reports of the village treasurer and collector were read and ordered placed on file.

Claim ordinance No. 90, providing for the payment of certain claims, was then read and was as follows:

P. J. Kearney	15.00
M. Stusser	15.00
J. D. Fowler	25.00
Bert C. White	8.20
F. L. Sloan	83.04
S. A. Lyman	18.92
John Davis	4.35
W. H. Mertz	28.40
White & Williams	14.50
George Hoffert	5.50
Dicke Tool Co.	77.00
National Refining Co.	38.80
P. A. Lord Lumber Co.	54.00
Mertz & Mochel	73.34
H. H. Woelfersheim	217.31
J. M. Vallette	4.00
General Electric Co.	179.50
George C. Barr	17.00
Lester Barr	4.00
Hughes & Gallup	7.20
M. Lawson	3.00
John Woelfersheim	20.00

It was moved and carried that the claim ordinance be put upon its passage. Said claim ordinance No. 90 was then put upon its passage and carried.

Those voting aye were Trustees Bush, Hughes, Mochel, Pearsall, Prince and Woelfersheim. Nays, none.

An ordinance amending section 1, chapter 8, of the ordinance of the village to provide for the sale of liquors by drugists upon written orders of parents, guardians and family physicians, was then read.

Attorney Stusser reported on matter of tax sale of the property of Mike Fowlowicz. Through error of former Collector Wells lots 11, 12 and 13, block 1, Gostyn, had been returned delinquent and sold for taxes.

The committee on purchase of transformers and meters, not being ready to report, asked and were granted more time.

The proposition of William Brice to furnish labor and material to paint the pumping station for \$70, which provided for two coats of paint inside and one outside, and also included the well house, was read.

It was moved and carried that the question of the kind of lamps to be used in commercial lighting be referred to the attorney, he to report at next meeting.

The call for the meeting was then read and placed on file.

Upon motion of Trustees Mochel and Hughes the board proceeded to canvass the vote of the village election held April 17th.

Total number of votes cast, 229, of which number F. A. Root received for president 218 votes, G. H. Bunge received for trustee 218 votes, W. S. Waples received for trustee 199 votes, E. C. Kuenzel received for trustee 198 votes, F. H. Kenelson received for trustee 220 votes, W. G. Prince received for trustee 21 votes, Bert C. White received for village clerk 218 votes.

F. A. Root, W. S. Waples, G. H. Bunge, E. C. Kuenzel and Bert C. White having received a majority of all votes cast, on motion of Trustees Pearsall and Hughes they were respectively declared elected to the offices above mentioned, which motion carried, all voting aye.

Upon proper motion the board adjourned to Thursday night, April 26th, 1900. BERT C. WHITE, Clerk.

The adjourned special meeting from April 21st was called to order by President Gallup. No quorum being present the board adjourned to meet Monday night, April 30th.

BERT C. WHITE, Clerk. DOWNERS GROVE, ILL., April 30, 1900. The adjourned special meeting from April 26th, 1900, was called to order by President Gallup.

Elaborate preparations have been made for the observance of children's day at the Congregational church next Sunday.

The largest meeting of republicans editors of the state that was ever held convened at the Great Northern hotel in Chicago yesterday to confer with the candidates and campaign committees.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Doestaere, 104 Warren ave., celebrated their wooden wedding June 17th. Among the guests that assembled was Dr. Vermeren, of Chicago, who took a snap shot at the fifty-nine people who came to do honor to the good things spread by the host and hostess.

We want an active agent in Downers Grove and vicinity to represent the largest Evergreen Nurseries in the United States.

Local and Personal Paragraphs.

Cream flour at Haller's. Boys' blouses at Haller's. White Ross gasoline, Nash's. Bura Muzney's Pennsylvania oil.

The Methodist church is to be beautified with new paint. The best and largest assortment of home baked goods at Rang's.

Have Johnson's wagon call for your laundry. Good work guaranteed. A stone arch bridge is being built over the creek on West Curtiss street.

Mr. and Mrs. I. V. Pierce, of Rock Island, are visiting with the family of J. G. Wallace this week. Mr. and Mrs. Hulett, of Russell, Kansas, are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Chilvern, on North Main street.

Special village election Saturday for village trustee to fill vacancy caused by the resignation of M. K. Bush. A handsome water-color picture of the proposed new Maple avenue school house is on exhibition in the postoffice.

Several from Downers Grove attended the picnic given by Rev. M. B. Williams' Ashland Boulevard M. E. Sunday school at Burlington park Tuesday.

Rev. S. A. Perrine, of Assam, India, was the guest of Rev. and Mrs. Pope over night and spoke on his mission work very interestingly at the Baptist church last evening.

Special summer excursion rates to Colorado, Utah and the Black Hills. Cheap round-trip rates to principal points in above territory on sale July 3, 9 and 17, August 1, 7 and 21. Inquire at ticket office.

The Ladies' Aid society of the M. E. church will meet at the home of Mrs. H. M. Martin Thursday, July 5th, at 2 p. m., an important business must be transacted. Every member and friend of the society is urged to be present.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. William Franke will learn with regret that their little daughter, Thelma, has become almost totally blind.

The indictment of half a dozen prominent cattle dealers of Kane county for failure to heed the law in regard to testing for tuberculosis the animals imported and sold to dairymen has resulted in an organization that proposes to prove the law's validity.

Oil. Family Safety. No smoke; no more dim chimneys. The best oil in town, only 14c per gallon, at C. S. Hughes & Co.'s hardware store.

For Sale—Porcelain bath tub, heater and tank. Address P. O. box 287, Downers Grove. Miss Alice Cole, of Ottawa, Ill., has been spending the past week in Downers with her relatives.

David Holland will teach in Lace the coming year, and we predict for the Lace people a good school. Mrs. E. E. Dunn of Chicago, who has been visiting friends here for two weeks returned to the city today.

Fancy California prunes, the cream of California fruit, 10c per pound; other prunes 6c to 8c, at Nash's. Mr. and Mrs. Archie Marvin came up from Naperville yesterday for a visit with her mother, Mrs. H. H. Stone.

Laundry done right at Johnson's steam laundry. We protect the clothes from wear as well as make them clean and attractive. There will be a special musical program at the Congregational church Sunday evening under the direction of Carlile Tucker.

Orders for Pennsylvania and Standard oils and gasoline may be left at Bush & Simonsen's drug store. Muzey will promptly fill your cans. Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Metcalf, of Onalaska, are visiting at C. G. Graves'. Mr. Metcalf is a delegate to the prohibition convention now in session in Chicago.

Rev. T. R. Greene, at the Methodist church, next Sunday, will deliver a sermon along patriotic lines and appropriate to the annual observance of Independence day.

Permanent walks are being built in all parts of the village, the last to improve their premises by the addition of brick walks being Dr. W. A. Tope and A. J. and T. T. Thompson.

The marriage of Miss Effie Prantiss, daughter of Benjamin Prantiss, and Charles Otis Stevens of Chicago, will be solemnized at high noon today by the Rev. C. J. Pope at the bride's residence south of the village.

Rev. and Mrs. T. R. Greene, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Martin, W. J. Herring, Mrs. and Miss Pierce and Miss Emma Baker formed a party Monday who attended the addresses given by Revs. Frank W. Warne and J. M. Thoburn, bishops of India, in Chicago.

Owing to a technical error in the call issued for the school election to vote on the proposition to erect a new building on the Maple avenue site, a new call will have to be issued, and the election therefore will be held Saturday, July 7th, instead of June 30th, as previously announced.

WEDDING BELLS.

Rev. Albert T. Lacey, Married at Shirland Last Thursday.

A very pretty wedding took place June 21st, at 8 p. m., when Miss Lella May Woodcock, of Shirland, Ill., and Albert Theodore Lacey, of Downers Grove, were joined in marriage at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Agnes Woodcock, in Shirland. The marriage vows were pronounced by Rev. W. W. Sleeper, of Beloit, Wis., in the presence of sixty invited guests.

The bride is a graduate of Beloit high school of the class of '96, and has since been a successful teacher in the public schools. The groom is a graduate of Beloit college and also of Chicago Theological seminary, and has just accepted a call to the pastorate of the Ellis Congregational church, Ellis, Kan.

NOTICE OF ELECTION.

Public notice is hereby given that on Saturday, the 7th day of July, A. D. 1900, a special election will be held in school district No. 2, township 35 north, range 11, east of the third principal meridian, DuPage county, Illinois.

The polls of said election will be open at 3 o'clock p. m. and remain open until 7 o'clock p. m. of said day. Said election to be held at the hall of the village of Downers Grove, in said district.

Dated this 26th day of June, A. D. 1900. W. B. TOWNLEY, President Board of Education. O. M. SEARLES, Secretary Board of Education. DEMOCRATS NAME ALSCHULER.

Samuel Alschuler, of Aurora, was nominated for governor of Illinois on the second ballot by the democratic state convention in Representatives' hall Tuesday.

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WANT ALL THE NEWS. THE REPORTER desires to print all personal notes of interest. If you are entertaining or visiting friends, let us know. We would appreciate the favor if our readers would drop us a note or leave the item in the REPORTER box at the entrance to the office.

DOWNERS DEFEATED.

LOSE IN SEVENTH INNING AFTER HAVING GAINED WIN.

Downers Grove Club Down Below the Royal Blues of Chicago by a Score of 13 to 9—Short Last Game.

Fate would have to be a most successful dodger to avoid all the mistakes in the way of ugly adjetives hurled at her by many of the members as well as some of the members of the local baseball club after the close of the game last Saturday afternoon with the Royal Blues. The weather was fine, the attendance large, and the team appeared in good shape, but they could not win, although the game was hotly contested from start to finish.

The nine is a little weak in two important positions, but these will be strengthened later. Weber is still unable to play. In spite of the result it was apparent to all who witnessed the contest that Downers Grove is much the strongest of the two clubs, and the boys can console themselves with the fact that they were defeated by a good amateur club of gentlemanly players who put up a swift game of clean ball.

They will have an opportunity to redeem themselves the first Saturday in August, a return game having been arranged for with the same club on that date. The features of the game were hot stops made by Lopez at second, Davis at short, Ed. Graves' clean-cut two-bagger and Joe Dunson's drive to deep center for a homer. The visitors are entitled to credit for two double plays. Below is the list of players in uniform:

DOWNERS GROVE.	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T
Carlisle, 1st b.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Dunson, 2d b.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Dunson, 3d b.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Davis, 1st b.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Stevens, 2d b.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Wagner, 3d b.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Graves, c.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Bassano, r. f.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Totals	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27

Penalties are light. The last day of the delinquent tax sale was a happy surprise for those who had neglected to pay their taxes.

A LIFE AND DEATH FIGHT. Mr. W. A. Hines, of Manchester, Iowa, writing of his most miserable escape from death, says: "Exposure also resulted in a severe lung trouble, which ended in Consumption. I had frequent hemorrhages, and coughed night and day."

That is the title of a very beautiful seventy-two-page book published by the C. B. and Q. railroad. It is most entertaining and informative, being being illustrated with beautifully done engravings.

Send in your news items. Stop us on the street and tell us the personal items you know that are of interest.