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#### HURSDAY, APRIL 17, 1902.

The remarkably dry and windy weather the past week demonstrates the need of ne street sprinkler. Even in the drye-t days of summer the need of this service has not been more apparent than during the past few days.

The Improvement of Main street is necessity if Downers Grove expects the Burlington company to do anything in the way of bettering the depot facilities here. A little effort on the part of the property owners here at this time will result in new depot and the general improvement of the station surreundings.

The Burlington company is making special effort this spring to direct home mekers to the suburban towns along it right-of-way. Downers Grove must be allye to secure some of these possible residonte and why should not many of them loride to locate here? In natural advan tages she excells many of her neighbors, if not all of them

The Women's club will again this year take in hand the cleaning of the streets of the accumulated refuse Last year the mondation kept streets free from garbage and was instrumental is baving the property owners keep the yards and the curb plate in front of their houses in hetter upe. This year the work will be even more comprehensive in its scope.

DuPage county's assessors have com incured the ardness task of assessing proporty for the year 1902 It is no small amount of labor to call on the tax payerof the county and list the property owner by each in the time allowed, hence little lime is lost in idle conversation. The anseeners have become pretty familiar with the new law and for this reason their bur den in very much lighter Next year wil is a harder one for them, as a complete ment of real extare must be made.

The village board will have a meeting Friday night at which time the recently monted plans for the proposed sewer sys tem, together with the topographical map of the village, will be delivered and the mird will take action on their acceptance Latte one, this is shoot the third out ans which the various boards of the fillage have obtained and still the queon of a sewerage aretem is as far from meaniful solution as ever. Well, if the line result in the sewers being built, the \$450 they will have cost will not have neen altogether wasted

Boarding houses and restautants are no making much profit with the high prices mow prevailing. Butter has taken a jump of 2 Or 3 cents and butterine will be 10 cents a pound higher as soon as the new tax gets in its work. The effect of this will he to put butter still higher. Beef is away up and steake cost several centmen than in the winter. Eggs are re maining at a point seldom known at this time of the , our and will hardly go lower at all the excess at present prices in helpy taken for storage to fill up depleted stocks Flour and bread are about the only things that have not been made more expensive his past few weeks. Meantime the price board remains the same, which means at little profit is made in keeping board-

#### WEEKLY CROP BULLETIN.

For the week ending April 14th, 1902 and the southern portion of the central district, where work has been delayed by wat soil, the conditions have been favor ble for earrying on farming operations during the first I wo weeks of April, were and of the weather and the mellow tion of the soil. Conditions have not waver, been favorable for germination ad growth of vegetation. The weather been too cold and, except as previouswatered, the soul has been too dry. As a on equence vegetation is not now in senable state of advancement. many localities rain is badly needed. Frostwere of frequent occurence in the northern and central districts, and of occasional ocsarance in the southern district. High ade have dried out the soil rapidly. he northern and central districts it is beleved there has been some slight deterration in the concition, of wheat, due nainly to dry weather and to the exposure mote by high winds, which blew away sett. In the southern district, where favorable conditions of moisture re pravailed, some improvement in the is apparent. The average condition re, appear not to have changed but its general condition is fair rell, and in some localities is d. The crop has generally beMONEY IN FEEDING STOCK. This Handsome

STOCK FED AT COUNTY PARM.

Coroner Matter has a Busy Week - Cars Are Responsible For Three Violent Deaths-Other County News From Exchanges.

C D. Bartlett and J. E. Bender, committee on county poor farm of DaPage county and E. B Howe, superintendent of same represented the locality Wednesday at the Union stock yards with eighteen steers averaging 1555 pounds that were bought there October 14th by Silas Palmer at \$4.25 per hundred and were sold Wed nesday by Palmer at \$7.85 per hundred. They also had one cow that sold at six cents per pound, one bull at five sixty and the beifers at five seventy-five. These cattle consumed 1084 bushels of corn, 202 bushels of oats and one and one-half tons of linseed meal and roughage included to off-set the grain. This will go to show that the committee of DuPage county farm are not bad judges of cattle, as they purchased a good quality to start on and there is A not a man in ten that could take this land of eattle and put the gain on them with as little expense as Mr. Howe has done, be should have the credit of being one among the best feeders in the state of Illinois. After getting \$54 70 per head gain out of these cattle after all transportation both ways and commission expenses goes to show that he is a wise conservative freder. This does not include all the profit in this transaction, they have also sold \$312.00 worth of hogs out of this same feed lot. This should give the farmers in this locality an idea of where they could make the most money in buying high-priced feed to feed the milch cows on and milking them twice a day or feeding steers on ordinary teed which does not co-t so much and it is much less work in taking care of them.

The coroner was called to Roselle last Thursday afternoon to hold an inquest on the remains of Henry Heltzemann, aged 84 years. Heitzemann had left his home at Ostarjoville at 7 o'clock Thursday morning to walk to Schaumburg. He was a trembly, tottering old man and at noon had only walked three miles of the distance, following the railroad track. He had kept out of the way of all trains until shout one o'clock when an east bound train saw him walking on the west bound track When several hundred feet from him he stepped between the tracks and looked east and then west, but the turning of his head apparently made him digzy and be tottered and fell over backwards in frunt of the approaching train. The body was picked up and near it was found a cigar box. In examining the remains at Ruselle for a clew of identification as a last resort the eight box was opened and in it was found \$1,245 in gold, silver and bitle. His wife at O tartoville was noti fled and she said ber husband was on hiway to Schaumburg to loan the money to

Charles H Browning, aged 28 years, whose home is in Paducha, Ky, was instantly killed by the cars about two miles west of West Chicago on Friday night. Browning had been employed in John Wheeler's planing mill at Geneva. About two weeks ago be lost two fingers and went on a spree The case boked like one of spicide as he had taken off his overcont, his coat and vest and apparently had laid down beside and with his head on the rail. A sister came from Chicago and the remains were interred at West

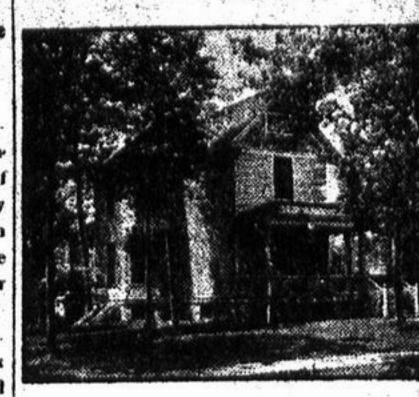
Lies, living near Cloverdale, attempted to crawl beneath the bumpers of a freight train to cross the tracks near the West Chicago depot and the train moved about ten inches to get a car on the scales. He was ernshed beneath the wheels living about four hours. Mr. Lies was 34 years of age and unmairied

Except is parts of the southern district hotel will have a nine hole gulf course on be purchased at this very low rate on the 116 acre tract which the hotel com- April 20th to 27th inclusive, final limit pany controls. There are plenty of natural June 25, 1902. For full information hazzards in the proposed course. One of call on C. P Scott, ticket agent. Telthe greens will be an island in the center ephone No. 3 of an artificial take

> The prohibition county convention of Du Page has been called for Saturday, June 7th. It is the intention to nominate a full county ticket.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS H L Koize to Henry Franzen pt ehf neg Hannah Lutman to Magdalina Dablem It 3 blk 2 Stoughs 2nd add to aperville. R A Alden to C L Johnson pl tt 14 blk 13 Original Hinsdate..... W C Lyman to A B Austin it 1 bik 2 Ly. Richard Williams to M C LeBean pt 1t 1 Stacy's add to Prospect Park .... Elizabeth West to W F Ehedt Jr It 1 Bolfes add to Turner..... T P Phillips to G B Robbins pt secs 26 & Hesterman to W J Davis pt segr swg: AC Kircher to Emma Kircher pt Its 18 19 bik 5 Middle add to Elmhurst ..... CO Stinson to W Lynch Its 39 40 bik 2 Hinsdate Heights .... W Lynch to Anna McDaniel same .... H C Horstman to Caroline Casel It 8 blk 24 Napers add to Naperville..... 2000 Wethilmine Towes to Diedrich Balgeman pt wht segr sec 24-39-11 ..... I H Micholas to W E Jones lot 9 block 4 Sleights add to Naperville ..... 900 Georgia and Fannie Otlen to John Pratt pt ehf segr 15-39-10..... Emily Emery to W H Emery It 1 bik 2 Emery's 1st add to Etmhurst ......... 2500 Rose C Madelhoffer to John Werner pt 1t 

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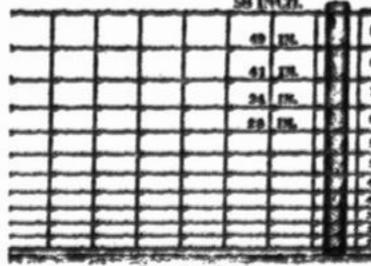
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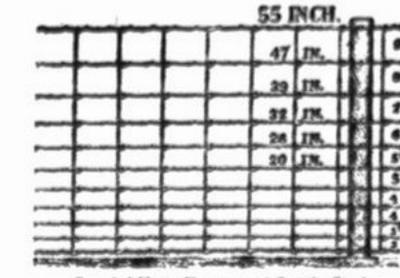
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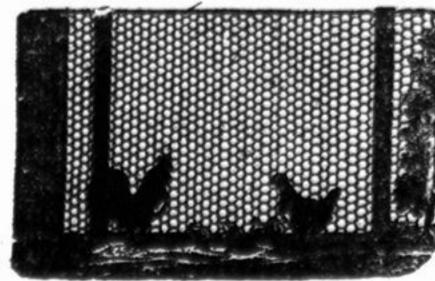
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