

DOWNERS GROVE REPORT

TWENTIETH YEAR.

DOWNERS GROVE, DuPAGE COUNTY, ILLINOIS, THURSDAY, JANUARY 29, 1923.

NUMBER

PLAN SOLDIERS' MEMORIAL.

SUPERVISORS ADOPT RESOLUTIONS FOR TABLETS TO DUPAGE VETERANS.

Proceedings of Meeting of County Board Held January 20th—Poor Farm Superintendent Howe is Reappointed—Minutes.

Proceedings of the board of supervisors of DuPage county at a special meeting held in the court house Jan. 20th, 1923. Meeting called to order by Supervisor Betts presiding.

On motion of Supervisor Hammerschmidt an appropriation of \$100 was made to the farmers institute fund and the clerk authorized to draw county order for the amount.

Moved by Supervisor Hammerschmidt that the chair appoint delegates to attend the convention of supervisors and county clerks of Illinois to be held at Bloomington, Feb. 17, 18 and 19, next.

On motion of Supervisor Hammerschmidt the committee on county farm was authorized to purchase one car load of corn for feed for stock on the farm and the clerk was ordered to issue county order in payment of same.

On motion of Supervisor Hammerschmidt the committee on county farm reported that they had engaged E. R. Howe and wife as superintendent and matron of said farm for another year at the same salary, which was approved.

On motion of Supervisor Hammerschmidt the committee on supplies was authorized to purchase a roll top desk for the county treasurer's office.

On motion of Supervisor Churchill, the purchase of a typewriter for stenographers office was referred to committee on supplies with power to act.

Whereas, many counties in the state of Illinois have already provided at public expense, for memorials to the veterans of the civil war, who enlisted from their respective counties, and whereas the different soldier organizations of this county have been collecting data, for some time past, for the erection of some permanent record, at the county seat, of the county's volunteer soldiery, therefore be it

Resolved, that the chairman of the board of supervisors of DuPage county, state of Illinois, hereby appoint a committee of three to co-operate with committees to be hereafter appointed by the three Grand Army posts of the county, and the Soldier's and Sailor's association of DuPage county whose duty it shall be to provide suitable bronze tablets, to be placed on the walls of the court house in Wheaton, upon which shall be inscribed the name, rank company and regiment of every soldier who enlisted in the war of the Rebellion from DuPage county, the list of names to be furnished by the Grand Army and association committees, an appropriation to be made by this board for the execution of this resolution, as soon as the cost can be ascertained by the above named joint committees, and that Thomas Betts, chairman of the board of supervisors act as one of such committee.

On motion of Supervisor Bender a recess was taken to 1:30 p. m. On convening for afternoon session the chair announced as a committee to act with committees of the Grand Army posts on the memorial tablets, Supervisors McClintock and Hammerschmidt.

The following report of committee on claims was on motion of Supervisor Bender approved:

Your committee to whom was referred the claims beg to report that they have examined all claims presented and recommend the payment of the following and the clerk be directed to issue orders for the several amounts, to-wit:

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White Rose gasoline, Nash's. Cook's Flaked Rice at the Fair. Best of lace pie at Rang's 10 cents.

RECEPTION TO SENATOR-ELECT HOPKINS. The largest demonstration ever held in Aurora was the reception given Friday night at the opera house to A. J. Hopkins.



children's and ladies' trimmed and ready to wear hats sold now below cost. All winter stock goes at cost.

Warns Against Book Agents. County Superintendent of Schools, R. T. Morgan, has issued the following circular to school officers regarding agents visiting schools during sessions.

CLUB FURNITURE TO BE SOLD THURSDAY. The billiard table, piano and all the furnishings of the old Downers Grove club will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the club rooms next Tuesday evening.

TO CONSIDER DOMESTIC SCIENCE. "Domestic Science Day" of the Woman's club will be observed February 4th. At roll call each member will respond by exhibition and description of some useful article from the kitchen.

Local and Personal Paragraphs

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On motion of Supervisor Churchill the clerk was instructed to forward a copy of the resolution and notify the several grand army posts in the county of the appointment of a committee to co-operate with a committee of the G. A. R. and the Soldier's and Sailor's association of DuPage county to carry out the provisions in said resolution.

On motion of Supervisor Churchill the old vouchers and county orders were burned in the presence of the board. On motion of Supervisor McClintock, the board adjourned to Feb. 10th.

A meeting of the executive board of the Woman's club will be held Monday evening, Feb. 2d, at the home of Mrs. Geo. T. Hughes.

On Sabbath evening the pastor of the Methodist church will preach the second sermon on "The Young Men and Women for the Times."

Are you interested in sidewalk materials? If so give us a call and let us show you our repressed and side cut sidewalk bricks, or, if you prefer, cement. We have got just what you want to make a smooth, handsome and durable sidewalk.

Miss Agatha Sweet returned from her home at White Pigeon, Mich., Sunday, where she was called by the serious illness of her sister, who is now on the road to recovery.

Miss G. A. Korten, one of the teachers in the high school, was severely burned Tuesday while instructing a class in chemistry.

Miss Struggles of Evanston who has been teaching in Miss Sarah Holland's department on the south side for a month past has accepted a position as principal of a school in Iowa to commence Feb. 2d.

The Christian Endeavor young people and their friends spent last Thursday evening very pleasantly at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Chas. Reynolds.

The old time spelling school given by the Library association in the club rooms Saturday evening brought out a large number of people who imagined they could spell, but many soon found themselves deficient in orthography.

The first annual banquet of the Acadia club was held in Carpenter's hall Saturday evening, Jan. 24th. The program of the evening was quite elaborate, consisting of a short play, followed by speeches, toasts and other features.

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National Light oil at Nash's. California Toka grapes at Gerwig's. Additional local stews on fifth page.

Put a Buckwheat flour and Tselmo maple syrup at G. N. Maxwell & Son's. Mrs. C. Roth has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Kimball, for a few weeks.

Do not fail to attend the luncheon in the Congregational church at noon today. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jacobson left Tuesday for an extended visit at Ashton, Ill.

Mrs. Spencer Greene and Mrs. Fred Goodrich spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. Wm. Barber. The 'Fraternity Girls' have issued invitations for a dance at Carpenter's hall Saturday evening Feb. 7th.

Rev. F. G. Crasby supplied at the Baptist church all day last Sunday. His evening sermon on "The Price of Man" was particularly interesting.

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Miss Lura Hughes returned to her home in Downers Grove Friday after an absence of several years at Colorado Springs and other points in Colorado.

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The incorporators of the Downers Grove Furniture company have called a meeting for the purpose of adopting plans for the completion of the organization, to be held at the office of the American Forwarding and Mercantile company, 284 East Madison street, Chicago, Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

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FARMERS' INSTITUTE SCHOOL PRIZES.

Many Prizes to be Awarded DuPage County Students and Schools for Exhibits.

The DuPage county Farmers' Institute, which meets at Wheaton Feb. 19 to 20 inclusive, offers a premium of \$5 each as first prize and \$3 each as second premium, to the schools in the county having the best exhibits in the following articles: Best exhibits of products grown in school districts used by a practical farmer daily.

The township of York offers \$20 in premiums to her schools exhibiting district products and school work—no school to enter work above the 8th grade. In addition to the above the merchants of the county offer various prizes for the following articles: Best 10 ears of yellow corn; 2d best of same; best 10 ears of white corn; 2d best of same; most perfect 6 ears of corn, any variety, exhibited by lady, need not be produced; best 5 lbs. of corn shelling the largest per cent of grain to cob; 2d best of same; best peck of potatoes raised in county; best half peck of white oats raised in county; black oats same; best half peck wheat raised in county; best 2 pounds of butter made by farmer in county; best loaf of white bread by lady; 2d best same; best apple pie by lady; 2d best same; best loaf of fruit cake by lady; best half dozen doughnuts by girl under 16; best chocolate layer cake by girl under 16; best loaf white cake by girl under 16; best half dozen white cookies by girl under 16; best half dozen ginger cookies by girl under 16; best half dozen apples; 2d best same.

Reserve your seats for the Cosmorama at Bush & Simonsen's drug store tomorrow morning. "A word to the wise, etc."

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BENEFIT FOR LIBRARY.

THE COSMORAMA OF BUSINESS AND TO BE GIVEN MONDAY EVENING.

The Ladies' Library association has been working for some time on the Cosmorama of Business and Industry in Chicago, in arranging the details of a novel entertainment, the "Cosmorama of Trade and Art," which will be given at the Auditorium next Monday evening.

The Cosmorama is an entirely new and more elaborate vision of a popular idea, differing entirely in form of presentation from the standard theatrical entertainment. Plan to attend Monday night and thereby assist the Ladies' Library association and at the same time get your money's worth in good wholesome enjoyment.

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