# DOWNERS GROVE REPORTER.

TWENTIETH YEAR. DOWNERS GROVE, DuPAGE COUNTY, ILLINOIS, THURSDAY, JULY 30, 1903. NUMBER 52.


## Board Grants License.

### Supervisors Renew Permit For The Cloverdale Saloon.

**Semi-Annual Reports of County Officers Approved—County Physician Appointed—Bill and Claims Allowed.**

Proceedings of the board of supervisors of DuPage county at a special meeting held at the court house in Wheaton on the 21st day of July, 1903. Meeting called to order with Supervisor Betts presiding. On roll call all members were present. Minutes of last preceding meeting were read and declared approved. All bills and communications on file with the clerk were read and referred to their respective committees.

The report of the superintendent of the county farm was read and on motion of Supervisor Churchill was ordered filed.

On motion of Supervisor Bartlett Dr. C. S. Owen was appointed county examiner of the blind.

On motion of Supervisor Churchill the board took a recess till two o'clock to visit the county farm.

On convening for afternoon session the committee on claims made the following report which on motion of Supervisor Bender was approved. Your committee to whom has been referred the claims beg to report that they have examined all claims presented and recommend the payment of the following and that the clerk be directed to issue orders for the several amounts, to-wit:

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| Jacob Glos refund acct | $ 84 25 |
| J M Hiser clerk hire | 80 90 |
| Peironet & Co coal for Co farm | 502 00 |
| Same coal for ct house and jail | 1399 20 |
| Art Metal Con Co shelves | 47 25 |
| N E Matter printing | 99 25 |
| Wheaton Electric Co light for June | 7 40 |
| D H Givier printing | 15 00 |
| Northern Ill hospital care insane | 56 03 |
| Downers Grove Reporter printing | 7 50 |
| Chicago Tel Co toll | 15 05 |
| H F Lawrence postage express etc | 42 78 |
| Ill Industrial school for girls | 81 12 |
| Thos Betts com work | 6 60 |
| Wm Hammerschmidt same | 6 40 |
| G A Fischer same | 10 40 |
| Jas McClintock same | 7 25 |
| Pettibone & Co printing | 182 66 |
| Geo Hoffert services as deputy sheriff | 27 10 |

The claim of E. B. Howe, superintendent county farm, we have examined and find correct.

The claim of the village of West Chicago for the care of smallpox patients we recommend not allowed.

The following report of committee on fees and salaries was approved on motion of Supervisor Fischer. Your committee to whom has been referred the claims for fees beg to report that they have examined the claims presented and recommend the payment of the following and that the clerk be directed to issue orders for the several amounts to wit:

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| H F Lawrence attending ct etc | $ 223 00 |
| J M Hiser sheriffs fees | 221 79 |
| F J Knight pub assessment list | 962 03 |
| H S Lawrence clerks fees | 100 00 |
| W DeWolf deputy fees | 30 00 |
| J M Hiser care prisoners | 210 25 |

The following report of the finance committee was approved on motion of Supervisor Churchill. Your committee on finance beg to report that we met at the court house on the 12th day of June and on the 2d day of July, 1903, and examined and checked the books and accounts of the county clerk, circuit clerk and recorder, sheriff and county superintendent of schools, and find the same correct, as per their reports herewith presented, which we recommend approved and ordered of record.

I herewith submit to you the following report of fees earned and received by me as county clerk for the half year commencing December 1, 1902, and ending May 31, 1953:

| From what source | Earned | Rec'd |
|---|---|---|
| Probate fees | $ 933 79 | $ 180 71 |
| Same previously reported | | 1000 36 |
| Co Ct fees | 67 90 | 62 70 |
| Same previously reported | | 24 55 |
| Insanity fees | 98 20 | 62 25 |
| Same previously reported | | 57 95 |
| Marriage license | 137 00 | 137 00 |
| Certified copies & transcripts | 33 35 | 33 35 |
| Tax deeds, affidavits etc | 16 82 | 16 82 |
| Natural papers | 8 00 | 8 00 |
| Recording certificates | 2 00 | 2 00 |
| Miscellaneous earning | 24 10 | 24 10 |
| Fees attending ct etc | 192 00 | 192 00 |
| Making collectors books 1902 | 2700 00 | 2700 00 |
| Copying Assessors books 1903 | 899 00 | 899 00 |
| Redemption certificates | 33 75 | 33 75 |
| | $5145 91 | $5434 52 |
| Clerks sal Dec 1 02 to June 1 03 | 1000 00 | |
| Clerks hire same | 856 25 | 1856 25 |
| Due county | | $3578 27 |

H. F. LAWRENCE, County Clerk.

I herewith submit to you the following report of fees earned and received by me as clerk of the circuit court and ex-officio recorder, for the half year commencing December 1, 1902, and ending May 31, 1903.

| | Earned | Rec'd. |
|---|---|---|
| Recording fees | $1178 55 | $1178 55 |
| Court costs | 378 00 | 378 00 |
| Natural papers | 1 00 | 1 00 |
| Miscellaneous | 58 75 | 58 75 |
| | $1616 30 | $1616 30 |
| Paid clerk hire | 780 00 | |
| T M Hull | 750 00 | |
| | | $1530 30 |
| Balance due county | | $ 86 30 |

T. M. HULL, Circuit Clerk.

I have the honor of submitting to you my report of fees earned and received by me as sheriff of DuPage county for the six months ending June 1, 1903.

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| Total miscellaneous earnings | | $ 818 05 |
| By fees collected | $ 555 30 | |
| Amt previously reported | 70 10 | |
| Total | 625 40 | |
| Salary 6 months | 750 00 | |
| Amt due sheriff | 124 60 | |
| | 625 40 | |
| Amt collected | | 555 30 |
| Amt uncollected | | 262 75 |
| | | $818 05 |

J. M. HISER, Sheriff.

I have the honor to submit the following report for and disbursements from the institute fund, to-wit:

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| Dec 1 Bal in hands of Treasurer Knight | $ 22 18 |
| Institute fees recd to date | 74 00 |
| | $96 18 |
| DISBURSEMENTS. | |
| Feb 19 Farmers Institute | 40 00 |
| June 1 Bal in hands of Treas Knight | 56 18 |
| | $96 18 |

R. T. MORGAN, Co. Supt. of Schools.

I have the honor to submit the following report of receipts and disbursements of the distributable school funds from December 1, 1902, to June 1, 1903.

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| RECEIPTS. | |
| Bal on hand Dec 1 | $ 56 14 |
| O J Stange fines per report | 12 00 |
| D M Gurnea same | 10 00 |
| John Fischer same | 4 00 |
| D A Courter same | 25 00 |
| H G Struckman same | 24 00 |
| W G Smith same | 1 00 |
| State fund from Treasurer Knight | 4619 64 |
| Interest on state fund | 341 32 |
| Total | 5093 10 |
| DISBURSEMENTS. | |
| Addison tp G A Fischer treas | $ 531 68 |
| Bloomingdale J H Rohler treas | 282 20 |
| Cass, tp 37 r 11 Jos Gerhart treas | 115 88 |
| Downers Grove tp E H Ditzler treas | 1060 67 |
| Lisle tp A McS S Riddler treas | 347 27 |
| Milton tp L W Mills treas | 686 46 |
| Naperville tp J J Hunt treas | 241 39 |
| Wayne tp Joel Hathaway treas | 187 11 |
| Winfield tp Mrs J L Mock treas | 533 22 |
| York tp C W Oleson treas | 693 00 |
| Naperville district Thos Betts treas | 256 02 |
| R T Morgan commission on $4944.90 at 2 per cent | 98 89 |
| Card in Wheaton Press | 5 00 |
| Card in Downers Grove Reporter | 5 00 |
| Card in Star Critic | 5 00 |
| Bal on hand | 34 31 |
| | $5093 10 |

R. T. MORGAN, Co. Supt. of Schools.

On motion of Supervisor Hammerschmidt committee on county farm was authorized to purchase such stock for the farm as it deemed advisable.

On motion of Supervisor McClintock committee on county farm was authorized to make such repairs on poor farm buildings as in its judgment it was deemed necessary.

The following report of committee on license was, on motion of Supervisor Bartlett, approved, Supervisor Churchill voting in the negative. Mr. Chairman and gentlemen of the board of supervisors: Your committee to whom was referred the petition of Chas. Tedrahm of Cloverdale, DuPage county, Illinois, for a license to sell malt and spirituous liquors beg leave to submit the following report: Believing that the said Chas. Tedrahm has secured the signatures of the required number of the local voters of the township in which he desires to locate his place of business we recommend that the county clerk be authorized to issue him a license granting to him the right to sell malt and spirituous liquors at his place of business in Cloverdale upon his paying into the county treasury the sum of $500 and otherwise complying with the requirements of the statute in such case made and provided.

Moved by Supervisor Bartlett that the petition of John D. Marvin under an act for the relief of the blind approved May 11, 1903, by the legislature of the state of Illinois be granted upon recommendation of the physician appointed by this board to make the proper examination. Declared carried.

Moved by Supervisor Steven that dating from August 1, 1903, that salary for clerk hire for the sheriff be fixed at $50.00 per month. Carried.

In response to notice published in the Wheaton Illinoian for county physician, four bids were received. Dr. F. A. Lofton of Glen Ellyn being the lowest bidder, agreeing to perform the services asked for the sum of $150 per year, the county farm committee was authorized by the board to close the contract as county physician with the said Dr. F. A. Lofton for the ensuing year.

On motion of Supervisor Hammerschmidt the abatement list submitted by Treasurer Knight was ordered abated.

On motion of Supervisor Bartlett the board adjourned to call of chair.

H. F. LAWRENCE, Clerk.

### CONGREGATIONAL LADIES ENTERTAIN.

Eighty ladies, with their pastor, Rev. Charles Reynolds, assembled on the lawn of Mrs. D. G. Graham last Friday afternoon for a social visit. The affair was planned by the Ladies' Aid society, ane admirably carried out. The afternoon was perfect, the lawn never looked better. The guest of honor was Mrs. D. H. Naramore who, that day, celebrated her 88th birthday anniversary. The hours were from 2 to 5 and time passed altogether too quickly for all there was to be said. Mrs. Graham as hostess looked after the comfort of the ladies, particularly the strangers, and made all feel they were welcome, not only for that day, but when they meet in the church, Sunday school or church entertainments. Cream and wafers were served. The afternoon social was voted a success.

## Local and Personal Paragraphs

White Rose gasoline, Nash's.

Cook's Flaked Rice at the Fair.

Best oil in town at Curtiss & Heartte'.

J. B. Moss of Morris was here a few hours last Friday.

The new Downers Grove directory will be issued next week.

R D. Parker left yesterday for a weeks visit at Frankfort, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Foote have returned from their visit at Tonica.

Mrs. Geo. Wimmer is spending a month with relatives in Chicago.

Prof. Searles and family returned last Thursday from their eastern trip.

A. W. Graham of Tarkio, Missouri, is visiting his brother and family here.

T. O Fisk of Aurora was here yesterday taking orders for monumental work.

James Pridham, Jr., of Chicago has been visiting his parents here the past week.

Mrs. Ida Morton has had her houses on North Foote street improved by painting.

Mrs. F. M. Stover and daughter Miss Grace have returned from their Wisconsin trip.

My store will be closed during August for the summer season. Miss Goodspeed.

Mrs. A. G. Prince returned last week from a visit with her husband at Iowa City, Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Stanger of Naperville, were guests of Capt. T. S. Rogers, Sunday.

G. H. Bunge and L. B. Gesner returned from their southern trip the fore part of the week.

Mrs. J. S. Forsythe of Chicago, is spending a week with Captain and Mrs. T. S. Rogers.

Mr. and Mrs. G. S. McDougal are spending a few weeks at Ludington and other Michigan resorts.

Miss Mabel O. Hunt is in Muskegon, Mich., visiting friends. Next week she will visit relatives in Stanton, Mich.

Miss Eppie McCotter of Kipton, O., with her brother, Rawson McCotter, are visiting at Jos. Batterham's this week.

A party composed of the Misses Good and Holy and Messrs. Larkins, Cross and Calvary held a picnic at Wilmette Saturday.

For Sale—Three cows; one a jersey; one has calf; other two are springers. John Venard, Sr., 1½ miles north of Downers Grove.

Frank D. Lindley is about to commence the erection of a modern residence on Highland avenue. J. W. Morford has the contract.

If you want to have a right good time attend the lawn fete given by the Epworth league of the Methodist church on the church lawn tomorrow night.

John Pajewski has moved his shoe repair shop from the Prince building south of the depot to the Miller flat just west of the hotel on West Railroad street.

General Wm. R. Shafter of San Francisco, and Jas. N. Shafter of Sandwich, uncle and father respectively of Mrs. Harry M. Courtright, were her guests last Saturday.

News of the death of F. X. Martin in Sidney, New South Wales, has been received in Downers Grove. Mr. Martin, left the village two years ago for Australia. His death occurred there June 19th.

Farm for rent, at Cass—160 acres, four miles northeast of Lemont. five miles south of Downers, one and a half miles from Lace factory, on Chicago and Joliet road; free rural delivery passes the place. Address A. R. Smart.

Mrs. Josephine Austin visited last week with friends and relatives in and near Gray's Lake. The principle object of her visit was to respond to an invitation from the Worthy Matron to visit Sorosis Chapter, O. E. S. Tuesday evening, when four candidates were given the degrees after which light refreshments were served. Mrs. Austin returned home Monday accompanied by Mrs. Sadie Meade, the worthy matron of Gray's Lake Chapter, O. E. S.

The Methodist church has voted its pastor, Rev. H. H. Rood, a vacation of four weeks. He will occupy his pulpit next Sabbath morning and evening, and early next week with his little daughter Mildred will start on his vacation trip. Most of the time will be spent at the home of his brother-in-law on a fruit ranch in southwestern Colorado. But a brief time will be spent in Denver, Colorado Springs and Salt Lake City. All the services of the church will be kept up as usual. The pulpit will be supplied each week both morning and evening by preachers from Chicago and Evanston.

Watermellons at Gerwig's.

National Light oil at Nash's.

Additional local news on fifth page.

Mrs. Pheobe Dietz left yesterday for Hartling, Manitoba.

Mrs. Harry Cronin of Chicago is the guest of Mrs. A. Krambs.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Huntington and baby are visiting in Marshal, Mich.

Peter Johnson has been having an attack of sickness the past week.

A relative from the west is visiting L. R. Tucker on Highland avenue.

Miss Lillian Hancock is spending a few weeks at Oconomowoc, Wis.

Samuel Cooperman of Chicago was the guest of Arthur J. Gray over Sunday.

W. F. Fruax is away on his vacation and is visiting at Omaha and Sioux City.

Contractor Bartlett expects to finish work on the Main street sewers this week.

J. B. June returned last week from a business trip to St. Louis for the Burlington.

Captain and Mrs. T. S. Rogers, entertained company from Naperville last Saturday.

Mrs. J. B. Manwell returned to Irving park last Friday, after a weeks visit in Downers.

Miss Louese Stanley took luncheon with Mrs. Alfred Heckman at Rogers park, Wednesday.

The monthly meeting of the Ladies' Library association, will be held next Tuesday at 2:30 o'clock.

Miss Hattie Hennessey, who has been visiting J. E. Covell and family, has returned to her home at Muskegon, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. Gust Nelson entertained Messrs. and Mesdames Carleton and Ericson and families of Chicago the past week.

The East Grove Sewing society was entertained at the Olinger home on the Wallace farm south of the village last Wednesday.

Evangelist C. E. Dodge is holding gospel meetings in the Oldfield building each night this week at 7:30 and on Sunday at 3 o'clock.

A party composed of the senior class of the high school together with a number of friends held a picnic at Brush Hill last Saturday.

Capt. T. S. Rogers, Lewis Mertz, Guy L. Bush and George Hoffert are at Fox river park today attending the Elmhurst business men's picnic.

Mrs. E. W. Otto visited her parents at Mendota last week returning Saturday. They were among those who suffered losses through the recent cyclone there.

M. E. Stanger has received a letter from his brother-in-law, S. F. Estorf of Naperville, who is on a tour abroad written from the assistant post master's birth place at Alsace, Germany.

Since the death of his wife P. C. Gallup has been compelled to give up his business at Redlands, Cal., owing to failing health. It is reported that he will make a tour of Washington and Oregon.

For Sale—A comfortable 8-room house on corner in East Grossdale, Hollywood postoffice, one block north of the Burlington depot and convenient to suburban electric railway. Apply on premises, Mrs. J. W. Phillips.

The ladies of the Congregational church will hold a lawn social at the residence of Mrs. Jonas Foster, East Curtiss and Washington streets on Thursday evening, August 6, 1903. Everybody invited.

Contractor Horton is engaged in making alterations in the Oldfield hall which will be used as a lodge room by the Masons after September 1st. The changes consist of shifting several partitions in the anti-rooms and trussing the roof so that the pillars now in the hall can be removed. The rooms will be handsomely fitted up, the walls tinted and frescoed and electric lights installed. It is stated that the hall will be one of the finest in the state.

Retribution is not always swift but it's sure. As a case in point a couple of Downers Grove men were sight seeing in Mississippi last week when they "met up" with an aged colored brother, a resident there, who charged one of the two with stealing his hogs. This is a serious case as the reputation of our community in one of its leading citizens is involved and the police magistrate feels that the accusation should be further investigated. It seems from the complaint that the alleged larceny occurred about 40 years ago and the accused will have uphill work in proving an alibi as he was in that vicinity with General Grant and others about that time.

### A VISIT TO OUR COUNTY FARM.

**Supt. and Mrs. Howe Entertain Supervisors and Party of Friends.**

Under the auspices of the committee of the county farm, Messrs. Churchill, Bender and Steven, the members of the honorable board of Supervisors with several invited guests drove out and took dinner with Supt. and Mrs. Howe at the county farm last week Tuesday. After a repast, such as only she can serve, the guests, under the guidance of Superintendent Howe, were shown through the buildings and about the premises where everything was found to be in elegant condition, most scrupulously neat, efficiently managed and thoroughly cared for, reflecting great credit upon the committee and much honor upon Mr. and Mrs. Howe for the superb manner in which the inmates are cared for and for the deep interest they show for DuPage county.

Fifteen years ago last Friday a resolution was introduced by Charles Cooper, states attorney, and passed by the board of supervisors appointing a committee to look after the wards of this county.

As one looks over the model farm of today, the best kept public farm in Illinois, also at the buildings so elegantly and substantially constructed, then turns from the farm where weeds are strangers, and from the buildings and surroundings, the sanitary conditions of which cannot be surpassed, as a citizen of DuPage county his heart swells with honest pride as he is driven up in front of an elegant court house and thinks of how much has been done since the day of that resolution; and again his mind turns to the source of so much thrift and beauty and a deep feeling of gratitude comes over him toward the men whose keen business ability, tact, self-sacrificing and hard work has given DuPage county a farm not equaled in Illinois, a court house the queen among her sisters, a sheriff's home, and jail which United States officers say has no peer for comfort and cleanliness, and above all a county entirely out of debt.

All honor to our board of supervisors past and present, whose hands have so nobly wrought and whose hearts have beat true to the highest and holiest impulses for every citizen of DuPage county.

Among the guests were Wm. Gary, Editor Monroe of the Democrat, Frank Hageman, O. H. Givler, A. L. Hamilton, L. C. Brown, F. B. Peironet, L. C. Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Slusser and others, about thirty in all, who will rise up and call Mrs. Howe blessed and extend their heartfelt thanks to the honorable committee for their kind invitation.—Illinoian.

### GIVE NEWS-BOYS A PICNIC.

Fifty boys from the darkest side of life in Chicago are being given a happy day in Lyman's woods, as the guests of the Epworth league and their friends. They are being entertained with swings and races, and are being given all they can eat of good wholesome food with plenty of fresh milk to drink. These boys are brought out from the city under the direction of the Chicago Boys' club and Mission, 262 State street, of which the Hon. Luther Laflin Mills is president and W. W. Cooper, a prominent manufacturer, is vice-president, and J. F. Atkinson superintendent. Many of the boys from this club—the enrollment of which reaches a thousand or more—have no homes and sleep out on the lake front during warm weather. Others of them that have homes are homes only in name. The majority of them are news-boys. The merchants and homes of our village are responding very kindly in helping to provide food for this most worthy work but a little money for the purchase of some things that have to be bought is much need. The boys come out on the 11:05 train today and return on the 5:58. The Bureau of Charities looks after the matter of transportation. Great credit is due the railroads for their generosity in this work.

### PRESENT GOLD WATCH.

Sunday morning as the opening exercises of the Baptist Sunday school were being conducted by the Supt., W. S. Towsley, an interruption was caused by one of the members walking forward and addressing the gathering. The superintendent stopped his part of the program very much surprised but evidently content to allow all an opportunity of freeing their minds. During the brief but very pointed and graceful speech that followed he found himself being presented with a handsame solid gold watch and seal fob, as an expression on the part of the Sunday school and its friends of their appreciations of his devotion to the interests of the school and unselfish labors in its behalf. The surprise was a complete one and in reply Mr. Towsley though somewhat overcome, endeavored to respond and most feelingly thanked the school for its expression of love and confidence bespeaking for the future a continuance of the co-operation with him in the work which had brought the school to its present high state of efficiency.

## Will County Man Kills.

### In Fit of Anger Shoots His Son Death Resulting Instantly.

**Another False "Cigarette Charley" Located—Naperville Man Seriously Injured—Other County News Taken From Exchanges.**

Delirious with grief and remorse, John Gatons, aged 71 years, is confined in the Joliet jail, held without bonds for the murder of his son, John, aged 31 years. The slaying took place Friday on the Gatons farm, five miles west of Joliet. The father and son had a quarrel over the latter's wife, the former objecting to her presence in the house. In a fit of anger he drew a revolver and shot his son, death ensuing within fifteen minutes. The murderer ran to the home of a married daughter, told her what he had done, gave her the revolver and started for Joliet. On the way he was apprehended by deputy sheriffs. The man submitted quietly to arrest and acknowledged his crime. At the jail he broke down completely, and the jail physician is of the opinion that he will go insane. At the time of the shooting the murdered man was getting dinner. His wife, who was not well, was upstairs. She rushed down, to find her husband dying. The prisoner is an old and respected citizen. He has lived there more than fifty years, is a wealthy farmers and has a large number of prominent relatives in the city.

Some ten years ago a son of Frank Otto was murdered by a man know as Cigarette Charley. The county has spent hundreds of dollars in an endeavor to locate him and bring him to justice but up to this time he has managed to elude every detective placed on his trail and to cover his tracks in a manner that defied pursuit. Last week the sheriff received word that Cigarette Charley was under arrest at Hammond, Ind. Mr. Hiser, taking with him a lady with whom Cigarette Charley boarded while working for the Otto, went to Hammond, but the Cigarette Charley found was not the Cigarette Charley wanted. Charles Carmody was the man arrested and his habit of smoking the paper rolls is what gave him the nick-name. It may be that the right Charley will never be apprehended, but if he is he will get a taste of DuPage county justice.—Journal.

The three-year-old child of John Miller, living on the Ehrhardt farm near the East Wheatland creamery, wandered from home at 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon and was not found until next morning. Footprints in the soft ground led to Mr. Gleavy's cornfield, and the little tot was found in the center of the field, unharmed and apparently contented. Neighbors willing assisted in the search which was carried out systematically, and resulted in restoring the wanderer to the anxious parents.

Moses Otto who lives on a farm seven miles southwest of Naperville, is suffering great agony as the result of a wound received from a hay fork last Wednesday. Otto was in his barn when a fork dropped from the floor above onto his arm, the tines sinking deep into his flesh. He began to suffer terrible pain and the arm became swollen to twice its natural size. A visit was made to the doctor, who prescribed for him. Otto is still suffering and it is feared the arm is poisoned.

The extension of the LaGrange Gas company's trunk line high pressure main to Downers Grove has been laid to the west side of Washington street in Hinsdale, and the company expects to run the Downers Grove line along Exchange street to the western limits of the village. In case a franchise is secured in Wheaton, a line will be run from either Fullersburg or midway between Downers Grove and Hinsdale.

The Baptist society of Wheaton is about ready to build its new house of worship. They expect to spend in the neighborhood of $12,000, and of this amount $10,000 has already been raised.

Florence Bark, eleven years old, had the scalp torn from her head near Sandwich Tuesday by having her hair caught in the rod of a windmill.

### CASS ITEMS.

Frank Meyers and Lewis Lang left for the west last week....Mrs. August Swanson and family of Chicago are spending the week with Elmer Oldfield and family....Miss Grace Palmer of LaFayette, Ind., is expected to arrive in Cass this week to visit her grandmother, Mrs. Mary Walton....Reuben Littleford of Lemont is repairing the barn on his farm this week....John Brier and Miss Cora Smart made a business trip to Downers Grove Saturday. ....It is reported that Fred Gansberg and F. Schuster living east of Lace are having a law suit in Hinsdale over the value of two pigs. Gansberg's pigs while running at large [illegible] Schuster's premises and [illegible] porkers. Gansberg brought suit to recover the value of the shoats. [illegible] Misses Nettie and Cora Reader [illegible] birthday party on one of their girl friends at Downers Grove [illegible] ....Some vandal in Downers Grove [illegible] a new harness on Elmer Oldfield's horse last Saturday.