# To-Act on Sewers Friday

Complete Sanitary Sewers Will Cost the Village \$54,515.

Board Will Buy Five-acre Tract on Lyman Es tate for Purification Works-Proceedings of the April Meeting.

No action was taken on the proposed sewer system business by the village board Monday evening pending the settlement of the price of the land for the sew er purification plant. The board has decided upon a five-acre tract on the Lyman cetate preperty west of the village. This tract includes the gravel pit. The managers of the estate hold the property at \$4,000. The board has limited the amount it will pay to \$3,500. A committee from the board and the owners will confer this week and the deal will be closed previous to Friday night when the sewer order will come up for passage. The estimated cost of the complete sanitary system is \$54,515.

The village collector reported a total of \$627.80 collected for the month of March as follows: Electric lights \$259.29, ma terial and labor \$100 82, meter rent \$2.75, water rates \$98.04, tapping fees \$12, couses \$11, third installment special assessment No. 6 \$124.16, interest \$21.74.

The treasurer's report showed the following sums: Balance on hand at last report \$920.49, receipts \$2,459.68, expended \$1, 586.89, present balance \$1,881.83.

Chairman Graves of the special committee appointed to inspect the safety of public puildings recommended the fol lowing changes in halls and churches: A fire escape on the west end of Carpenter's hall. A fire escape on the south-west corner of the Oldfield building. That is door be cut either on the north or south side of the Auditorium near the stage, also that the entrance passage be kept free from tables and other obstructions. That the doors of the Evangelical, Congregational Catholic, Methodist and Baptist churches be made to swing outward. The report was adopted and the clerk was instructed to notify owners of these buildings to make these changes at ouce.

C. B. Blodgett appeared before the board and asked a rebate of \$4.72 taxes against the residence property of W. J. Beidelman which was erroueously assessed at \$1,950 instead of \$950. The rebate was granted.

The following judges and clerks were appointed for the village election April 19th. Judges Geo. N. Jones, W. H. Barnhart, J. W. Tucker: clerks, W. E. Trowbridge, Geo. Hoffert, E. Woehrel. The board adjourned until Friday even-

## EASTER AT ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH.

The Easter services at St. Andrews all that could be desired, the bright sunny day making it possible for many to get out. The early service was well attended and at 2:15 p. m. the annual Easter festival for the Sunday school was held and after the exercise colored eggs and cards were distributed At 3 o'clock evening prayer was said with sermon by the pastor, Rev. H. E. Chase. The choir, under the direction of J. H. Lipsey, rendered the Easter music in an effective manner, and were assisted by J. J. Bott, tenor of Epiphany; A. J. Lipsey, tenor of St. Paul's, Riverside, and Master Prit chard, soprano of Epiphany. The box soprano was the soloist, and sang "An gels ever bright and fair" in a beautiful and effective way that pleased every. one who heard him. The offertory wa-263, which, with a liberal denation of J. B. Miller, will pay up every cent of indebtedness and makes the future look bright.

## ANNUAL VILLAGE ELECTION.

Notice is hereby given that on fuerday, the 19th day of April, 1904, at the and there with snappy little epigrams village hall, in the village of Downers as "cheerers." The weapons she sug-Illinois, an election will be held for plete anhihilation of beauty grievances three trustees for two years and one do not include artificial methodsvillage clerk for one year; also at such | "factory" fizzes, rouge and other horelection every elector may vote for a rors being barred She gives instrucone-half mill tax for a free public it lions on correct breathing, what to eat, brary, or against a one-half mill tax how to bathe-in brief, how to become for a free public library; that the polls a healthy, wholesome woman. will be opened at 7 o'clock a. m. and wonder she is popularly known to many remain open until 5 o'clock p. m. Dated this 19th day of March, A. D. 1904 BERT C. WHITE, Village Clerk.

## A THOUGHTFUL MAN.

M. M. Austin of Winchester, Ind., knew an unusual case case of stomach and liver trouble physicians could not He thought of and tried Dr. King a New Life Pills that she got relief at once and was finally cured. Only 25c at all drug stores.

## MAKES A CLEAN SWEEP.

There's nothing like doing a thing thoroughly. Of all the salves you ever heard sed to give satisfs tion by all druggists. 15 cents.

PLAN GREATER TRACKAGE FACILITIES.

Burlington to Extend Third Track to Aurora and Build Fourth to Riverside.

Plans have been agreed upon by officers of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad, by which a third track may be constructed between Belmont and Aurora, 38 miles from Chicago, and a fourth track between Western avenue and Riverside. Traffic officers of the company have for several years been importuting the operating department to increase the trackage facilities, and now the management has determined to make the improvement.

The Burlington now has unlimited trackage facilities between Canal and Sixteenth streets and Western avenue, but from the latter point to Riverside tory. the three main tracks have been unable to acommodate the business of the road. The immense suburban business ing. of the line between Chicago and Downers Grove, added to the through pas senger and freight traffic, has resulted in a continual congestion.

The most inconvenience has been to suburban trains. Commuters themselves in leaving home and arriving at their offices, and the limited trackage facilities of the Burlington has caused delays that has been seriously complained about by this class of patrons. Officers of the company are of the opinion that with a fourth track between Western avenue and Riverside and a third track from the latter point through to Aurora it wil be possible to keep the suburban and through trains closer to schedules.

During the past two or three years it has been a rule of this road to operate no freight trains between Chicago and Downers Grove and vice versa be- pects to benin work on the Main street tween the hours of 6 and 8 o'clock in paving next week, the morning and 5 and 7 o'clock in the evening. This has resulted in delays to freight trains, particularly live 96 Saratoga avenue. stock intended for the early markets, but it is believed that with the improvements contemplated all classes of business may be handled during any hour of the day.

#### CASS ITEMS.

Edgar Andrus was calling on old friends n Case last Sunday.

Clark Oldfield of Chicago spent last week visiting in Cass.

Chester Heartt moved back to Case

from Lemont last week. Joseph Lrew is employed by James the lakes and will commence a seven- postal to Box 137. Craigmile of Lyonsville this season.

Henry Leibundguth is busy hauling week.

Louis Kleffell says he is greatly pleased to learn the bridges are being regained on the flat iron so he will not have to carry

The Easter services at the Casa church Sanday were well attended, people being Saturday where he went to arran hildren rendered their parts in a splen-

About forty neighbors and relatives Mr. and Mrs. James Craigmile of Lyonsthe 25th anniversary of their marriage. Relatives from Lace, Lemont and Willow Springs were present and a pleasant time was enjoyed.

did manner.

## DO YOU KNOW MME. QUI VIVE?

Probably you do for Mme. Qui Vive has a national reputation as an inspir ing friend of every woman with a beauty woe Her "Woman Beautiful" de partment in the daily and Eunday is sues of the Chicago Record-Herald is perennial source of joyous helpfulness to womankind. Her instructions on complection ills are interlarded here Grove, DuPage county, and state of gests to beauty seekers for the comthousands of women,

## ATKINS FAMILY BAND CONBERT.

Thursday evening, April 14, the At-Grove in sid of the church choir. This band and orchestra has grown to be

#### Local and Personal Paragraphs

The Woehrel Cigar.

White Rose gasoline, Nash's.

Additional local news on fifth page. Manna bread at Rang's, the best made -try it.

Seed potatoes for sale by W. C. Bonnell at cigar store.

L. W. Winchester made a business trip to Bloomington this week.

Arthur Rose was here from Michigan this week visiting relatives and friends.

The Chicago Telephone company are preparing to issue a new local direc- of ladies Friday at military euclire.

New and advanced styles spring millinery. Miss Goodspeed, Bank build- ness.

Krambs & Mertz have commenced their spring work as palaters and decorators.

spent Easter with her sister, Mrs. D. K. avenue.

past week with an attack of heart Main street,

trouble.

East Grove. For Sale—One white maple bedroom set of furniture. 96 Saratoga avenue, office will be located.

Downers Grove. Contractor Rutledge of Rockford ex- spending the vacation in southern Illi-

Wanted-A girl for general housework, good wages, Mrs. W. H. Mertz, dress box 437, Downers Grove.

tribution of books at the usual bours Fannie Belden and Birdle Rose. Friday aftersoon and evening.

and expect to make Downers Grove er May 1, their home.

Supervisor Blodgett who was re. visiting relatives and friends in Chicacontinuously for sixteen years with the last week. exception of one term.

months' cruise April 20. F. G. Rang was called to Aurora on ter Edgar Henning of Plane visited bridge timber from Downers Grove this Sunday to attend the funeral of his alster, Miss Minnie Rang, who died there

Friday of typhoid fever. Mr. and Mrs. James P. Mitchell on bere from Highland Park and now oc tertained a party of his gentlemen cupies the flat over his place of busirabber boots when traveling that thorough- friends Saturday evening with cards, ness at 22 South Main street. music and refreshments.

C. H Dicke returned from St. Louis and decorating promptly done by e for Krambe & Mertz, 83 South Main street present from neighboring towns. The an exhibit of the Dicke Tool company.

at the Louisiana Purchase exposition. LOST-Leg from tripod of camera between Downers Grove and Cass on Lace children of Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Curtiss, road. Finder please return to D. J. ville gave them a surprise Saturday on Huff, 78 Washington street, and receive friends Saturday afternoon at their

> The O'Neil Sketch club are preparing to give an entertainment at the Auditorium Saturday evening, April 30, un- When completed it will be one of the der the auspices of the Knights of Pythias.

The musical committee of the Congregational church will holds its regular monthly dime social at Mrs. H. E. Strong's on East Maple avenue Friday evening.

A parish reception will be given to the Rev H E and Mrs. Chase at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Knox. first house north of the church on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. All friends of the Mission are cordially in-

Charles B. Blodgett spent Sunday with his brother, Judge Blodgett, Waukegan. The judge is gaining in health and his condition is improved over what it was a few weeks ago. He wished to be remembered to all his many Downer Grove friends, for whom he has an affectionate regard.

At the Baptist church next Sunday Pastor Hazen will take for his subject, "The Relation of the Children of the Kingdom to the Things of This World," In the morning "The Good Things of kins family band and orchestra of Chi- This World," and in the evening "The cago will give a concert at the First Bad Things of This World." In the Congregational church in Downers evening the music will be in charge of the Lotus club.

Carol Norton, a lecturer for the very popular in the west and will give Christian Scientist church, who recenta first class entertainment suitable for ly spoke here, died at the Cook county democratic convention was held at the York City.

National Light oil at Nash's. Cook's Flaked Rice at the Fair.

Best oil in town at Curtise& Heartts' Just like home made, Rang's Manna bread. Try it.

Easter Hiles can be had at Gollan & Wolf's green house.

at Sandwich Thursday. Lawn seeds, white clover and alfalfa seeds at Mertz & Mochel's.

Mrs. F. A. Root will entertain a party

Mr. John Stanley is able to be ou after a long and severe siege of sick-

Miss Middleton of Chicago was the guest of Mrs. James P. Mitchell over

WANTED-Man to work in garden and

Mrs. H. W. Dowding of Summit, Pa., around house. E. S. Peck, 85 Fairmont

G. H. Bunge and family moved into potatoes. Call at William C. Bonnell's wound. DeWolf were good clothing their recently purchased residence yes cigar store.

Correct styles in wall paper and dec-Mrs. R. O. Curtiss has been ill the orations at Kambs & Mertz, 33 South

Mrs. A. E. Selter returned from the Mr. and Mrs. Utt of Kanass City are Passevant hospital Saturday greatly visiting the family of A. E. Hall at improved in health.

T. F. Potter & Co have rented quarters in the Oldfield block in which their

Mrs. F. M. Stover and Miss Stover are

FOR SALE-A splendid lot, well aituated, cheap; reasonable terms

nots with Mr. Stover.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Ballard of Austin The library will be open for the die- spent Sunday with their relatives, Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. James P. Mitchell are Mr. and Mrs. Archie Farrar arrived settled in their home at East Grove here last week from San Antonio, Tex. | and will be at home to their friends aft-

elected Tuesday has held this position | go, Steger and St. Anne, returned home FOR SALE-A second-hand gasoline

Mrs. Wm. W. Tucker, who has been

Will Krambs has enlisted as machin- stove; good oven, four burner, self ist on a U. S. revenue cutter plying on generator; in good order. Please drop lector, Jeremiah Leffler, republican; the present cost. Wheaton will Miss Clara Cole of Ottawa and Mas-

> their grandparents at 44 and 46 South Main street last Saturday. J. D. Fowler has moved his family

Wall papering, kalsomining, tinting

-high grade work only. Open even Vivian and Edith Torode, grand entertained a party of their young

grand parents' home. C. H. Dicke has commenced the erec tion of an additition to his residence. largest and most modern of any house in the village. Contractor Horton has charge of the work.

School election on Saturday, March 16, from 4 p. m. to 7 p. m. to elect president of the board and two members, to be held at the village hall. Cauus at south side school building Thurs-

day evening, March 14, at 8 p. m. Miss Annie Heise spent Sunday with their parents at Naperville. They remained over Sunday night and the lecture, April 28, is "The Apache Warwhole family had a narrow escape from | path," and the last one occuring May asphyxiation, the cover of a hard coal 3, is on "Utah and the Mormon Comstove being insecurely fastened when monwealth." Colored views will be they retired.

An argument over the outcome of the and Mr. Brigham who is also a very township election in Lemont led to the fine sirger, will render songs in murder of Nicholas Weber, a flagman, Spanish and Indian languages. at Sag Bridge Tuesday evening in the Brigham comes very highly recomsaloon of Fred Krueger, who was a can- mended and we fell certain that he will didate for highway commissioner. A laborer known as "Jack" McGee'is held be appreciated by all who attend. The at Lemont on a charge of murdering price of the course ticket has been Weber. McGee claims that the killing placed at 50 cents for the four lectures was accidental and that he was carrying a shotgun, with which he killed school children as well as adults will Weber, to protect himself from Krueger, the saloonkeeper.

The Downers Grove democratic caucus to choose delegates to the demo-(Just Horstman and J. T. Homer,

STRANGER ATTEMPTS SUICIDE.

George DeWolf Found Sunday Suffering from a Bullet Wound in Temple.

George DeWolf, an unmarried man 26 years old claiming to live at La-Grange, attempted suicide on the rail- Superintendent R. T. Morgan road tracks west of town Sunday noon. He was found lying beside the track near Belmont by Dr. W. W. Gourley and H. J. Tweedie, suffering from a bullet wound in the right temple. The man was totally blind, the optic nerves have Mrs. Robert Dickson visited friends ing been severed by the bullet. When found, DeWolf claimed he had been shot by hunters, saying he had heard the report of a gun and felt the sting o the bullet. Later he admitted he shot himself by accident. It is supposed he attempted suicide and threw the weapon away. DeWolf came here from La-Grange Sunday morning. He carried a small pocket rifle and acted in a p culiar manner. During the morning while in Bonnell's cigar store he made s small purchase. Dr. Gourley made ar examination and decided nothing could be done for him. DeWolf was brought to Downers Grove and Dr. Tope also For Sale-Eight bushels fine seed made an examination and dressed his and was clean and neat in appearance. He claimed to have been working in LaGrange but refused to discuss his affairs. By order of Supervisor Blodgett he was taken to LaGrange by Harry Blodgett in hopes of locating his friends. No one knew him there. LaGrange hotel keeper said he had remained there all night, but left early Sunday morning without breakfast, LaGrange authorities sent him to the Cook county hospital, where physicians say he will die. The bullet is lodged at the back of the left eye. On the way to the hospital DeWolf told Harry Blodgett he had worked for the past two years at St. Charles, Winfield, Wheaton and that he had a brother living at Sparta, Wis. The brother was communicated with.

#### DUPAGE COUNTY TOWN ELECTIONS.

The primary ticket in DownersGrove township was chosen by a light vote, being the only ticket in the field. The republican ticket was elected in the Batavia plant and a wire w town of Naperville. The results in the with that power house will do the town of Lisie were as follows: Super- If Lombard, Glen Ellyn and Whenton w visor, Alvin Scott, Sr., democrat; town enter into contract with the state clerk, Oscar H. Givler, republican; as. their supply, machinery will be in sessor, George Turner, democrat; col- which will furnish light at about one commissioner of highways, Irving its own wires and have the same Goodrich, republican; school trustee, of the system as at the present time A. Bannister, republican. The whole republican ticket, headed by William Hammerschmidt, in the town of York was elected. The results in the town of Bloomingdale was as follows: Supervisor, Fred Neddermeyer, democrat; by his companion. He was taken to town clerk, William Handecker, democrat; assessor, Henry Grupe, democrat; collector, Fred Haberstitch, republican; commissioner of highways, August Plass, democrat; school trustee, Jacob E. Bender, democrat. The results in the town of Wayne were as follows: Supervisor, C. D. Bartlett, democrat; financial connection with the town sessor, William Ahrens, democrat; col- der to keep their names out of the missioner of highways, Jacob J. Klein, and will be published in a few weeks People; school trustee, M. J. Hammond, People.

## POPULAR COURSE-ILLUSTRATED LECTURES

The Epworth league of the Methodist church has just completed arrangements with Nat M. Brigham of Chicego, to deliver a series of four lectures on very interesting and instructive ering the assessors books this week and the subjects. The first lecture will occur Tuesday evening, April 12, the subject being "The Grand Canyon of Arizona." Mrs. F. G. Rang and children and The second lecture occurs April 19th. and the subject is "The Land of the Scake Dance," Subject for the third given in connection with each lecture deliver a series of lectures which and it is hoped that a large number of take advantage of the opportunity of attending these lectures.

## **NEWS ITEMS ACCEPTABLE.**

The REPORTER is always glad to reany church. This orchestra has de- hospital on Friday as the result of in- village hall Thursday evening. Alex ceive items of persons who are visiting First Church of Cheles lighted many large audiences in parks, juries received the day before when a Y. Tully was chairman and Bert C. or entertaining friends or news of local holds Sunday services on the to churches, chautauquas and assemblies trolly pole fell from a car at State and White secretary. The following dele- interest, and to that end invites sub- of the Oldfield building and has always given the highest satis- Randolph streets, striking him on the gates were chosen: G. H. Bunge, Bert scribers to send such information to Sunday school for all faction. Miss Emm. Atkins gives de head and fracturing his skull. Mr. C. White, James Penteney, F. A. Be this office, Notices of receptions, par- This church holds recent lightful readings, especially in the Norton had just returned from a lec- mer, H. H. Woelfersheim, L. W. Win- ties, building improvements, removals, evening testimonial of Dr. Bucklen's Armon Salve is the best. child dialect, and will please all who turing tour through the west. He was chester, C. H. Staate; A. Y. Tully, F.A. social events, personals of former rest. p. m. in Oldfield hall. It sweeps away and cures burns, sores, hear her in her fine impersonations. All known to Christian Scientists in all Keiser, M. B. Downer, J. W. Tucker, F. dente all of these subjects come under for the be braises, cuts, boiles, ulcers, skin erap are especially gifted in music. Admis- parts of the country, and was second A. Root, Bruce E. Ritchie, J. G. Bob- this head and information will be great every Wednesday tions and piles. It's only 25c and guaran- sion 25 cents, children up to 12 years reader of the Fourth church of New lander, W. H. Marsh, John C. Ross, fully received. Telephone, write or o'all

# County School Teac

Will Hold Institute at D Grove Saturday, April 16th

News of Durage Count

The DuPage county to be held at the Congregational in Downers Grove, Saturday, April to be conducted by county ou R. T. Morgan, promises to be an tional feast of marit. And strong program has been arra large attendance of teachers from of the county is expected. The session will open at 9:80 o'ch program follows: Opening exe Chas. Reynolds, pastor church, Downers Grove. solo, Miss Grace Huling, Downers high school. "Arithmetic," Frank Harriet Doughtey, supervisor musi anaton. "Drawing," Miss Come B.G. sixth grade teacher. Downers 'Primary reading; rational method,"

The afternoon session begins at 1 o'clock. The program opens with sung by the 3rd and 4th grade room, Maude Woodruff, teacher. "Attenti a teacher's problem," Supt. O. M. S Downers Grove. "Relation of ashaul home," Miss Waugh, Elleworth school principal, Naperville, "Ol orcise in Primary reading." Miss. Sweet, primary teacher, Downson "Lady of the Lake," Harry 'Arithmetic," Frank Hall. G orcises and business.

Dinner will be served in the

The next meeting of the Wheston ofthe council will be an important one. A co tract will be entered into with the railway whereby the electric light plan can be dispensed with and all Wh will need to a switchboard. The A. E. C. railway propose to manufacture al current for the lighting of cities at their source of supply at Wheaton.

Bernard Weibler of Glen Ellyn, while duck hunting last Saturday, was through the instep of his left foot, by accidental discharge of a shotgus, home of his brother, John Welbler, whom he lived. A doctor was called and after a temporary dressing was sentered to St. Elizabeth hospital, Chic

County Tresenrer Knight is covered as with work. Tax payers who did not make town clerk, Fred A. Gloss, People; as- collectors are paying the treasurer in lector, James E. McCabe, People; com- quent tax list which is new being conte

> Of the outgoing supervisors whose terms expire this spring, Jacob E. Bender Bloomingdale and Adam Kahley of Links refused renomination. They have filled the position with credit to their real townships and honor to themselves.

County Clerk Lawrence has been dellabasis of your schedule returnable to the assessor will be on the property in g name today, April 1. When making your return do not forget the dog.

# JOHNSON-MOCHEL WEDDING

The marriage of Mr. Peter Johns of Downers Grove, and Miss Mattid Mochel of Lace, was celebrated la night at the home of the bride's par ents at Lace, Rev. M. Weber perform the ceremony in the presence twenty-five guests at 8 o'clock. The ring service was used. The bride an groom were attended by Laurin By ning and Bertha Mochel. Folley the ceremony an elaborate supper was served. Both of the principals are well known and popular in Downe.s Grov The bride is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Valentine Mochel. the groom is a prominent building contractor. Mr. and Mrs. Johnson will reside at 158 Belmont avenue.

## FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST,