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ARE you in favor of a "moral saloon" in Downers Grove?

WELL, Brother Rood, you and your people certainly had a big time of it. We expect you all feel better now.

JUDGE PARKER says he will be satisfied with one term in the White House. Yes, but will he get one term?

LA GRANGE proposes to license druggists to sell liquor. A lot of men will continue to wink at the druggist from sheer habit.

As heir to the Russian throne was born last week. He stands a splendid chance, if he grows to manhood, of having a dynamite bomb explode under him some fine day.

ANY one wishing to sell cigarettes in this village has to pay a license fee of \$100 per year. Failure to do so makes the offender liable to a penalty of \$25 a day.

THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE used about three columns of space last Saturday to justify themselves in supporting Roosevelt and Fairbanks. It was not necessary—we all knew it months ago.

WE have been told that we are making a great mistake in not advising our readers what political party to vote for. We are trying to publish a newspaper and that is the beginning and the end of our mission.

MARTIN B. MADDEN, republican candidate for congress in the first district, declares there is danger for the republican party in the apathy of the voters. Keep quiet, Martin; that's about the only way you can get to congress.

A LOOKING glass may show what we want to change or improve, friends may show each other how to change or improve, but it rests with ourselves to so live that we shall improve in every way.

THE days when a man with a jar of apple butter, a keg of shingle nails, a few cigar boxes and an "army" press can run a newspaper and job printing office, are over. We've been there and we know.

DOWNERS GROVE should have a band. These long evenings might have their monotony broken by a concert a couple of times a week. No doubt the village would be willing for a grant towards the same. Let some one start the matter. Let's be up and doing!

DEMOCRATIC newspapers declare Judge Parker's speech of acceptance was a "straightforward statement of principles," and the republican journals say he "eaved all important questions." Now what do you think of that?

THERE is possibly nothing more of a nuisance than a howling dog, and no doubt very few know that the owner of such an animal is liable to a penalty, according to the village ordinances, for having such a nuisance.

WALTER WELLMAN, in a series of letters to the Chicago Record-Herald regarding the Colorado labor trouble, gives an interview with Sherman Bell, who commanded the troops. His bluff and bluster is disgusting and reminds one of a boy bluffing while in his own yard. A cheap man can do a whole lot of blustering when he has a troop of armed men behind him ready to shoot at

the word of command. It is questionable whether there is any choice for the people of Colorado between the Western Federation of Miners and Sherman Bell. Neither of them have any place in America. If you have not read the interview referred to get a copy of the Record-Herald of August 13.

IT MIGHT be well for riders of bicycles to know that there is a village ordinance that forbids any one riding on the sidewalks; also that they must have lamps on their wheels at night, and sound a bell or whistle fifty feet from each cross street. Seven miles an hour is the limit of speed that is allowed.

SOME of the small boys have been indulging lately in the old-fashioned boyish sport of kite-flying. It takes a boy with more than ordinary ability to fly a kite, but they should remember, however, that there is a village ordinance against flying kites in the business section of the village. Why the village board saw fit to Harrison for it is his consistent attitude in regard to street railway franchises. He may not be an ideal mayor, but he has certainly

If you see Photographer Clement taking some views of your street don't imagine he's going to come round later to sell you a photograph. He has been pretty busy lately taking photographs for the brochure of Downers Grove about to be issued by The Kelscott Press. Some of those suburban villages near by will open their eyes when they see this brochure.

**Are They Above the Law?**  
For the protection of those who use the public streets, municipalities have adopted ordinances regulating the speed of automobiles, but owners of machines appear to have a contempt for all laws restricting their freedom to make everybody get out of their way. The city of Chicago recently passed an ordinance regarding automobiles, and lo, behold! an organization of owners of machines, composed of men who wish to be termed "respectable," held a meeting to decide whether or not they would obey the regulations. Of course, they decided they would not, and as usual an attorney was present who gave the customary decision that the law was unconstitutional. That will make a little money for that attorney.

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## Executrix's Notice

Estate of Joseph Spychaliski, deceased. The undersigned, having been appointed executors of the last will and testament of Joseph Spychaliski, late of the county of DuPage and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice to all persons having claims against the estate to file the same with the County Clerk of DuPage county, in the circuit court house in Wheaton on the October term, on the first Monday in October next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and required to appear and for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 22nd day of July, A. D. 1901.

PELAGIA SPYCHALISKI, Executrix



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## Better Muzzle Your Dog

Chief of police, F. Hoffert has received explicit orders to make no exceptions in regard to dogs found with no muzzles. It seems that the owners of about two-thirds of the dogs have disregarded the ordinance to muzzle their canines. The chief will be compelled to shoot them if he finds them at large. They must wear a muzzle. Eight dogs have been shot by the chief for non-payment of tax recently, and now comes the order to shoot them for being unmuzzled. It makes no difference how valuable or how docile the animal is, it must have a muzzle on.

MAYOR HARRISON's message to the citizens of Chicago, outlining how a vote may be obtained on the proposed new ordinance for the south side street car system, is denounced by those opposed to the referendum principle and those in favor of it. If there is any one thing the people of Chicago have to thank Mayor Harrison for it is his consistent attitude in regard to street railway franchises. He may not be an ideal mayor, but he has certainly

done a good service to the streets of Chicago by saving the streets of Chicago for the people. But some men seem to seek publicity by simply barking at a man in the mayor's chair.

SOME of the men who do the talking for the teamsters' union in Chicago must eat raw meat—they are so vicious. The way they talk about stopping the entire delivery of meat to families makes one think they have too much power. But some day they may attempt to enforce their wild talk and that may be their finish.

## The Death Penalty

A little thing sometimes results in death. Thus a mere scratch, insignificant cuts or puny boils have paid the death penalty. It is wise to have Buckle's Arnica Salve ever handy. It's the best Salve on earth and will prevent fatality, when Burns, Sores, Ulcers and Piles threaten. Only 25¢. at all drug stores.

Some persons who are complaining most bitterly of the heat will be taking it back about next February.

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## Special Assessment Notice

STATE OF ILLINOIS, ss.  
COUNTY OF DUPAGE, ss.

In the County Court of DuPage County, In the Matter of the Petition of the Village of Downers Grove for a special assessment for the construction of a system of sewers consisting of a sewerage purification works and system of sewers, connecting with certain houses, house connections, and branches in the village of Downers Grove, DuPage county, Illinois.

Special Assessment No. 8.

Village of Downers Grove vs. David M. Hill and Aaron B. Mead, as trustees under the last will and testament of Thomas Lyman, deceased, and all whom it may concern.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to all persons interested in the above proceeding and parties thereto under the designation of "All whom it may concern" and all other persons and parties interested in said proceeding or in the taking of private property for the cost of the improvements provided for in said petition, that on the 15th day of June, A. D. 1901, the village of Downers Grove, filed its petition in the County Court of DuPage County, Illinois, for a special assessment for the construction of a system of sanitary sewers consisting of a sewerage purification works and system of sewers, connecting with certain houses, house connections, and branches in the village of Downers Grove, DuPage county, Illinois.

The prayer of said petition is that steps may be taken to ascertain the amount of compensation to be made for the improvement provided for in said assessment, and to ascertain what property will be benefited by such improvement and the amount of such benefit.

The commissioners duly appointed by the court to act with the President of the Board of Local Improvements of said village, to investigate and report to the court the just compensation to be made for the taking of private property for the cost of the improvements provided for in said petition, which will be known as the "special assessment," and also what real estate will be benefited by such improvement, and the amount of such benefit to each parcel, having due regard to the statute in such case made by special assessment upon the property benefited.

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