

# DOWNERS GROVE REPORTER

## LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

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—My time is here, protect your horses by buying a fly net; also good selection of whips and buggy harness at C. Penner's new location, 101 South Main street.

—R. J. Elliott of Minneapolis spent Saturday and Sunday with his sister, Mrs. L. B. Wells, taking Louis and Edith Wells back to Minneapolis with him for a few weeks' visit.

—Warren and Jeanette Wells have gone to Mexico, Mo., to visit their grandparents, and Mr. and Mrs. Wells left for Orchard Bluff, Paw Paw Lake, Mich., Wednesday morning.

—Have canceled my interest with the steam laundry at 102 Main street, as before stated. Have leased and reffed the building at 114 Main street and will be open for business Monday, August 24th. —J. J. Sullivan.

—Officer Bunker drove to Barton's dairy farm south of Hinsdale Wednesday morning and arrested Edward Zrigue, 24 years old, whose home is in Texas on the charge of having stolen a suit case containing a suit of clothes, a watch, a couple of razors and other trinkets, belonging to Frank Burns. Officer Bunker will take his prisoner to Hinsdale, where a more serious charge will likely be brought against him.

## GEN. STEVENSON PLEDGES HIMSELF.

Adlai Stevenson, being an old and astute campaigner, has begun his scheming with a promise to take State charitable institutions out of politics.

If he is elected governor, he says, he will put the institutions on an entirely nonpartisan basis. The officers of every institution shall be appointed, not for political service rendered or hoped for, but in recognition of their technical training, professional skill, aptitude and sense of duty.

Illinois voters will be disposed to take General Stevenson at his word. He is an elderly man who has no political designs in future beyond the four years' term as governor. He wants to crown a long life of usefulness by a final service to the people, his neighbors and friends in the State.

How could that be better done than by taking State charitable institutions out of politics and getting rid of the whole crew of political pluggers who now are fattening on them at the expense of taxpayers, and to the neglect, abuse and injury of their unfortunate inmates?

If General Stevenson is sincere and there can be no doubt of that, in view of all the circumstances, his ambition is a noble one. Should he succeed in realizing it, he will have done Illinois a service for which his name will be forever held in grateful remembrance.

The man who rescues the insane and feeble-minded of his state from the clutches of greedy and brutal politicians will live long in the memory of Illinois citizens.

## LIST OF ADVERTISED LETTERS.

August 10, 1908.

The letters and cards advertised below will be sent to the Dead Letter Office, August 21, 1908, if not called for prior to that date. A charge of one cent on all advertised matter.

Letters—  
Mr. Barnett ..... La Grange, Ill.  
Mrs. Francis Brode ..... Mansfield, Ohio  
Miss Gretchen Boyd ..... Biggselle, Ill.  
Miss Gretchen Boyd ..... Monmouth, Ill.  
T. Donnell ..... Chicago, Ill.  
Mr. C. Hartung ..... Joliet, Ill.  
Mr. C. McDonald ..... La Grange, Ill.  
Mr. Frank Long ..... La Grange, Ill.  
Miss Maggie Rhine ..... Watertown, Wis.  
Chas. Schmidt ..... Chicago, Ill.  
Mrs. T. T. Todd ..... Pensacola, Fla.  
Rev. H. R. Waldo ..... Winchester, Ill.  
Mr. Olaf Ekholm ..... Foreign  
Cards—  
Edw. Ford ..... Milwaukee, Wis.  
Mrs. W. Hayes ..... New York, N. Y.  
Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Gibson ..... Dayton, Fla.  
Mrs. Geo. Green ..... Downers Grove, Ill.  
Miss Martha Leesberg ..... Omaha, Neb.  
Miss Marie Hewitt ..... Chicago, Ill.  
Miss Clara Nordbrook ..... Elmhurst, Ill.  
Miss May L. Hayward ..... ——  
Miss Gretchen Boyd ..... Toronto, Can.  
Annie Peterson ..... Naperville, Ill.  
Mr. Otto Peterson ..... Naperville, Ill.  
ELBERT C. STANLEY ..... Postmaster.

## DEAFNESS CANNOT BE CURED

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portions of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rambling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.  
Sold by Druggists, 75¢.

Take Half's Family Pill for constipation.

## DEMOCRATIC COUNTY CONVENTION.

The Democratic county convention at Wheaton on Tuesday was called to order by Chairman Monroe. After perfecting temporary organization they proceeded to elect officers for the ensuing two years, as follows: Bert C. White, Chairman County Central Committee; Henry F. Sonna, Treasurer. After selecting delegates to the State convention at Peoria Sept. 9 convention adjourned.

## OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

(Continued from Page 1.)

beginning December 1, 1907, and ending May 31, 1908.	Earned, Received.
Product fees ..... \$ 960.35	\$ 280.45
Previously reported ..... 334.95	
County Court fees ..... 245.75	153.90
Previously reported ..... 334.75	
Insanity fees ..... 51.75	45.00
Mariage license ..... 239.00	239.00
Certified Copies and Transcripts ..... 77.50	77.50
Tax Deeds and Recording Applications, etc. ..... 37.75	37.75
Recording Physician's and Dentist's Certificates ..... 3.50	3.50
Recording Architect's License ..... 50	50
Miscellaneous Earnings ..... 38.55	38.55
Clerk's fees for services, Dec. election, 1907 ..... 75.00	75.00
Clerk's fees attending court and Board meetings to Dec. 1, 1907 ..... 171.50	171.50
Clerk's fees making Collector's books for B.O.G. ..... 3,120.00	3,120.00
Clerk's fees making Assessor's books for 1908 ..... 1,150.00	1,150.00
Redemption certificates ..... 42.00	42.00
Total ..... \$6,219.45	\$6,105.25
Clerk's salary to June 1, 1908 ..... \$1,200.00	
Clerk hire to June 1, 1908 ..... 1,722.20	\$2,722.20
Balance due County ..... \$1,281.05	
Respectfully submitted, H. F. LAWRENCE, County Clerk.	

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3d day of June, A. D. 1908.

T. M. HULL, Circuit Clerk.

To the Chairman and Board of Supervisors of DuPage County, Illinois:

Gentlemen—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 of said county, for the half year commencing December 1, A. D. 1907, and ending May 31st, A. D. 1908:

Received, Earned, Received, Received Fees ..... \$1,272.20

Court Costs ..... 410.00

Miscellaneous earnings ..... 200.00

Naturalizations ..... 14.50

1,897.40

Paid out—

For Clerk hire, \$ 1,060.00

Salary ..... 800.00

\$1,860.00

Amount due County ..... 151.40

1,897.40

T. M. HULL, Clerk.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of June, A. D. 1908.

H. F. LAWRENCE,

County Clerk.

Wheaton, Ill., June 1st, 1908.

To the Honorable Chairman and Gentlemen of the Board of Supervisors of the County of DuPage and State of Illinois:

I have the honor of submitting to you my semi-annual report of the fees earned and received by me as sheriff of DuPage County for the half year commencing Dec. 1st, 1907, and ending May 31st, 1908.

Total miscellaneous earnings, \$1,238.00

By fees collected, \$ 213.00

Amounts received previously reported ..... 55.85

Total amount collected ..... 271.45

By salary six months ..... \$ 150.00

Amount collected six months ..... 271.45

Amount due sheriff ..... \$ 478.55

Amount uncollected six months ..... \$1,023.00

Amount collected six months ..... 271.45

\$1,238.00

C. R. GORHAM, Sheriff.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of June, A. D. 1908.

H. F. LAWRENCE, Clerk.

Office of the County Superintendents of Schools, Wheaton, Ill., June 1st, 1908.

State of Illinois, County of DuPage—

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Office of the County Superintendent of Schools, Wheaton, Ill., June 1st, 1908.

State of Illinois, County of DuPage—

I have the honor to submit the following report of receipts and disbursements from the Institute Fund, to-wit:

Dec. 1, 1907, due County Treasurer from Institute Fund ..... \$37.67

Jan. 29, 1908, Institute order paid to Peter Hoy, Treasurer Farmers' Institute ..... 40.00

897.07

Dec. 1, 1907, to June 1, 1908, Institute fees ..... \$25.00

June 1, 1908, due County Treasurer from Institute Fund ..... 62.07

897.07

Respectfully submitted,

R. T. MORGAN,

County Supt.

Schools,

Wheaton, Ill., June 1st, 1908.

H. F. LAWRENCE, County Clerk.

On motion of Supervisor Boger the following report of committee on county farm in relation to the treatment of Julia Abbott was declared approved.

To the Honorable Chairman and Gentlemen of the Board of Supervisors of DuPage County, Illinois:

Gentlemen—I have the honor to submit the following report of receipts and disbursements of the Distributable School Fund from December 1st, 1907, the date of my last report, to June 1st, 1908, to-wit:

RECEIPTS.

Dec. 1st, 1907, balance on hand ..... \$ 318.03

Feb. 21st, 1908, Thomas Betts, P. M. fines ..... 3.00

March 1st, 1908, F. E. Herrick, P. M. fines ..... 15.00

March 21st, 1908, D. G. Graham, P. M. fines ..... 22.00

March 21st, 1908, F. E. Taylor, J. P. fines ..... 9.00

March 9th, 1908, James Sanders, P. M. fines ..... 6.00

March 9th, 1908, Edgar F. Davis, J. P. fines ..... 9.00

March 16th, 1908, John Fischer, J. P. fines ..... 17.00

March 24th, 1908, state tax fund from County Treasurer 4,344.64

March 24th, 1908, interest on tax fund ..... 341.32

\$3,084.99

DISBURSEMENTS.

Apportioned to Township Treasurers:

March 31st, 1908, George A. Fischer, 40.11..... \$ 492.10

March 31st, 1908, John Ranch-

## AMUSEMENTS

### AT THE CHICAGO THEATERS.

#### MAJESTIC.

The Majestic Theater, Chicago, will have a great vaudeville bill to offer for the week of August 24th, novelties and feature acts of all descriptions having been gathered together to furnish the program for this week. The headliner will be the celebrated Mlle. Therese Renz, most noted of all the high-school riders. She is a member of the Renz Family, known in Europe as the "circus kings" of Austria. Her pure white horses are the most beautiful animals that have ever been brought to this country and the feats they go through, as well as several dances and different drills, seem almost impossible to believe.

The principal comedy element of the bill will be contributed by Edwin Holt and company in a one-act farce, by George Ade, entitled "The Maid and the Mandurie." Mr. Holt is a