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A dandy modern ten-room Downers Grove home to exchange for something good in way of flats in Chicago.

200-acre farm, northwest of town, good buildings, best black soil, some timber, a high class proposition in every way. Price, \$155 per acre.

10-room modern house on the north side, lot 50x225 ft., for \$4,000. This is close to depot.

160-acre farm, northeast, fair buildings, Al soil, some good oak timber. Price, \$130 per acre.

28 acres of timber, 2 miles from town, for \$200 per acre.

Farm of 47 acres, fair buildings, \$10,000.

May be this is not a good one: Sixhouse in first class condition, partor, dining room, kitchen, 3 bed rooms. complete bath, furnace, cement basement with laundry tubs. Nearly 11/2 acres of good black earth and a poultry house about 12x80 feet. This is inside the village. \$4,200.

A modern 7-room house, 30-ft. lot, on Maple Ave., for \$2,500. No use looking further if you want something for nothing. By modern we mean all conventences. House is in good repair.

92-acre farm, good buildings, near here, for \$200 per acre.

\$2,700 will buy a 7-room and bath property on Oakwood. This is a good neighborhood, where property will enhance in value. Immediate possession. All assesuments paid in full.

East front lot on N. Main street, onehalf block from depot, \$700. 80 acre farm about 31/2 miles southeast

for \$160 per acre.

9 room house on two 50 ft. lots, covered with fruit, north side, for \$2,200. 1% acre poultry farm, north, for \$3,600.

Includes poultry, house and outfit, cow and feed. All kinds of fruit and shade. \$ room house, water, gas and sewer in, price \$3,600. With this goes over one-half acre of ground, 75 ft. of the front-

age being on Main street very near \$100 per front foot property. All assessments paid. If this is not good value where can it be found? rooms, steam heat, A-1 bath outfit, dandy cement basement with two en-

trances, stone foundation, large cistern.
water motor. All floors first floor are
hardwood. With this go two 50 ft, lots.
Location firstclass, on north side. All for 13,100. And the terms will not worry you.

This one, as an all around proposition, cannot be beaten: 7 room, nearly new, full two story house, on Maple avenue, furnace, gas, bath, fine basement, large porch, fruit, shade, etc. Lot contains about two-fifths of an acre. \$3,500 will and it, and on easy terms.

Bring in your notarial work, leases and

An elegant Main street frontage in south part of town, contains about one and one-third acres, for \$2,500. All as-

8-ROOM, west front, modern house on Middeau Ave., for \$2,700.

6-ROOMS and bath, with lot 53x160,

furnace heat, south side, for \$2,700. 2 1-3 ACRES, with fair buildings, drilled well, fruit, etc., at edge of town, for 12,700. Easy terms.

A nicely located 7-room house, south

New up-to-date 5-room cottage, south side, with extra large lot, for \$2,900. Some cash, balance monthly.

For \$2,400, an exceptionally good bung-alow style cottage, a little way outside village limits north A \$1,600 cottage on Washington St.

Here is an opportunity to get away from

Bast front, in desirable part of north de, 2 lots, all assessments paid in full, ogether with good 7-room house for \$2,-700. There is considerable fruit here, also shade and poultry house. Easy terms.

2% acres, fair 7-room house, just out-side of corporation, for \$2,500. Lots of nice fruit and a fine home-like yard.

A dandy east front wooded lot on Mid-deau for \$400.

Plenty of foliage on this one, a 50-ft. corner on north side, has 8-room modern house and all assessments paid. Price \$2,700.

A Saratoga Ave. home, close in, for \$3,800. Here are some of its good points:
7 rooms besides bath, pantry and closets;
hardwood floors, new Weir furnace, good
basement, barn, 50-ft, lot and all assessments paid in full. The profit here goes
to the buyer.

Two of most attractive acres in Illinois, just outside corporation, covered with fruit and shade trees, for \$1,600.

140-acre farm, 2 miles south of Lom-bard, \$125. \$3,000 for a spiendid house, with large perch, just outside of town. Has 5 rooms inished and two unfinished. Furnace tands high and is less than 10 minutes'

Two east front, high, wooded lots on Linscott Ave., \$400 each.

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LOCAL NEWS.

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-George Jefferson and family cele-

-Mrs. John Harding of Grove street is entertaining her daughter from Canada during the holidays.

brated Christmas with relatives in Hinsdale, Ill. -W. H. Edwards went to LaGrange, Ill., where he spent Christmas with

his daughter, Mrs. E. H. Poetter. -A. J. Dent, who arrived home to spend the holidays with his family on Maple avenue, left last night for New York. Mr. and Mrs. Dent expect to soon locate in Pittsburgh, Pa., permanently.

-Miss Anna Heal of Belmont street is ill.

---Miss Anna Meyers spent Christmas the guest of Aurorar friends.

-R. J. Harper, superintendent of the water and light plant, has been confined to his home with an attack of grip.

-Mrs. John Brown and family spent Christmas with friends at Vandalia.

-Mrs. A. Doesler of Carpenter

street ha been quite ill for several -J. A. Westblade and son Paul spent a few hours, as is his custom,

with his mother at Galesburg, Ill., on Christmas Day. —A baby boy arived at the home of Victor Tholin and wife on Friday, December 20, to help celebrate the holi-

days, and expects to remain permanently. -The Woman's Guild of St Andrews' Episcopal church will have their regular business meeting Tuesday. Dec. 31, at the home of Mrs. Clark,

North Forest avenue. -Mr. and Mrs. V. G. Palmer and Miss S. J. Gill, all of Chicago, spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. H.

-H. D. Wyllie of Gilbert avenue, gave a dinner Christmas to the immediate family.

-Mrs. Fred Gleismann and family spent Christmas with relatives at Hinsdale.

-Mrs. V. Simonson entertained relatives from Chicago Christmas. -Clyde Hanumm was home for

Christmas. -Dorothy Plain is spending her Christmas vacation with relatives at

Toledo, Ohio. -Miss Margaret Schibel of Port Byron, Ill., is the guest of Viola

Ciampitt during the holidays. -The following notice was taken from a Chicago paper, and the decased was well known by Downers

Grove people: SARGENT-Walter A. Sargent, Dec. 23, beloved husband of Mary A., nee Youngheim, and father of Fred R Sargent, aged 72 years. Member of Garden City lodge No. 141, A. F. and A. M.; Custer post No. 40, G. A. R.; Logan circle No. 39, Ladies of the G. A. R.; Hesperia council No. 1922, and R. A. and Policemen's Benevolent association. Funeral services Thursday, Dec. 26, at 12 m. at Moffett & Arnett funeral chapel, Ogden avenue and Ashland blvd. Burial at Naperville,

-Guy Simonson and Jay Allison are two of our college boys who are at home for Christmas vacation.

-Mrs. L. Mertz returned from South Dakota last Thursday, where she had spent the summer with her son on the ranch. Fred Mertz came back with his mother, to spend sev eral weeks in the village.

-I should worry like a thermometer and freeze by degrees.

-Miss Ruth Smart, who is attending the University of Chicago, is home for the holidays. Mrs. J. A. Fitzpatrick and daughter Marjorie is also a guest of her mother, Mrs. E. Smart.

-Wm. Zimmerlin's young son, Ernest Zimmerlin, is improving from his recent illness, having been stricken some weeks ago with typhoid fever.

-Elmer Osmondson and wife Newark, spent Christmas with Mrs. Osmondson's parents, R. J. Harper and wife of Curtiss street.

-Mrs. E. H. De Groot has been confined to her home for the past two weeks by illness.

-Mrs. Joseph Clampitt entertained a party of relatives at her home on Benton avenue. Those in the party were Miss Clara Kimball of St Charles, Nellie Kimball of Chicago, and Mrs. F. O. Kimball and daughter Esther of La Grange, Ill., and Allice Fuller of Wheaton.

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For Profit and as an Investment. Eucalyptus, the wonderful hard wood, more profitable than fruit. If you do not believe this, see our genial fellow townsman, Charles Haymond, who is connected with the San Diego Eucalyptus Co., and visit their display room, 458 29 South La Salle street. The growth of this tree is nothing short of marvelous, and its usefulness in the manufacture of all kinds of arti cles requiring hard wood is clearly demonstrated. A visit at their show room is certainly worth while. Do not miss it. Below we copy an article from the January Western Empire:

Present Day Eucalyptus Profits-Returns from Six Acres Near Los Angeles in 61/2 Years Show \$1,437 Per Acre, or \$221 Per Acre Per An-

Mr. L. Micheaux is one of the oldest growers of eucalyptus in California. He is a practical forester, and gets maximum results. In a signed statement made to the Forestry Society of he will be so grateful that he'll come California, Mr. Micheaux says:

"Referring to your recent visit to my eucalyptus grove and your request for a certified letter from me reviewing the information which I cheerfully gave you, or which I would be glad to tell any reputable business man interested in the development of eucalyp- of three young bachelors after they tus, will say that I have kept care- are married. The piece is beautifully ful records of the proceeds of my staged by Robert Milton, Henry Kolvarious cuttings as a guide to future | ker and Pamela Gaythorne in the leadcare and sale.

"I have a thirty-acre tract of eucalyptus three miles northwest of Compton, the major portion of which | who agree to eliminate sex in their has been cut the third time. I have sold it practically all for cord wood purposes, cutting the timber at above five, six and seven yers of age. Last year I cut six acres of cord wood (sprout age, and sold the same for \$3,726, on the ground. This was net, cost of cutting having been deducted. I left 500 choice trees for telegraph poles standing and sold them to the Los Angeles & Redondo Ry. Co. for \$2,800.00 cash; they do the cutting and hauling. This averaged me \$5.60 per pole on the stump. In addition to the foregoing, cut about 300 cords from this six acres when thinning my trees, realizing \$7.00 per cord, net.

"This, you will see, has brought me a revenue of \$8,626.44 on six acres from a six and one-half years' growth. or an average of \$1,437.00 per acre. Eucalyptus is like everything elsescientific treatment will bring double results.

"As to the value per acre of growsay, as but little acreage has ever been on the market, but the following will give an idea: As explained to you, I expect to go back to the Old posing of my property.

"I sold recently 120 acres near Santa Ana, California, for \$700 per acre straight. It contained groves at two, three and four years of age.

"I have a five-acre tract adjoining my ranch house, which is now four trees will undoubtedly average from number of trees on the tract 12, 14 and 15 inches in diameter.

"Adjoining this is a six-acre grove, sprout growth, four and one-half years of age, and the trees will average from 9 to 12 inches in diameter. While you were here we mesured quite a number 15 inches in diameter.

"I think my grove will make a bet ter showing than the majority, as have given it considerable care. My Compton grove contains trees from nine months to five years of age. This property is in good condition, and I hold it at \$1,200.00 per acre.

"I have no personal interest in any company whatsoever, and am giving you this information purely in a spirit of good will to you and your friends, and trust that it will be o fsome benefit to you. Very truly yours, L. Micheaux."

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do well are sugar cane, upland rice, barley, oats, rye, Irish and sweet potatoes, corp. tobacco and all garden stuff that we grow in the north. Oats can be planted in November or the 1st of December, harvested when ripe and then plant corn, and when that is ripe plant potatoes, none of them wil have to be hurried; or you can plant other crops in succession, such as three crops of cabbage, peas and beans, etc. Irish potatoes are never less than \$1 per bushel and navy beans are 7 cents per pound, so that these two crops find a good market right here. Cows can be bought from \$25 to \$45, pigs for \$2 and horses from \$60 up. Mules can be hired with either a negro or white driver for \$2,25 per day. The best farm help can be had-a man and team for \$3 a man for \$1.25 per day, hours from 6:30 a. m. to 6 p. m. There is no scarcity of help either white or black. The negroes here are trustworthy and respectful, personally I prefer them for help. When I tell you that we three women, sometimes only two, are living one and one-half miles from any other settlers and are alone and vet feel and are perfectly secure, you will know that we are in a civilized

community-as we are. The land here is not hard to clear I arrived here Oct. 3 and now have an acre in garden with carrots, onions, parsley, turnips, beets, asparagus and lettuce coming and peas started. Have about 300 strawberry plants set out, while the plants I brought with me from Downers have blossoms on The currants, goosberries, peach trees and pieplant that I brought are in a flourishing condition. I am now getting my land in shape to set out the fig, orange and pecan trees, as

they must be put in this month. We have had rain, usually light showers at night, except last night and the night before, when we had a regular downpour. But the water runs off very quickly so that we have been able to work in the garden right

I now have a good well, depth 49 feet with 15 feet of water in it. The ground here is porous and not sticky clay, a good deal like De Kalb county soil between De Kalb and Shabbona, so it seems to me.

Do we like it here? Yes indeed the country grows on one so that you like it better the longer you stay and there is nothing that the Loravger brothers can do for us that they are not only willing but are glad to do. With best wishes for a Merry Xmas

and a prosperous New Year to all

Downers Groveites. MRS. E. W. LEWIS.

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AMUSEMENTS.

"Our Wives," which opened at the Cort Theater, Chicago, last Sunday is a piece which rollicks with laughter and concerns the domestic difficulties ing roles have never appeared to more delightful advantage than in the very amusing roles of two young people relationship and work together like

two machines. "Our Wives" sparkles with brilliantly clever lines, which are pleasantly handled by a very capable cast, includgrowth) at six and one-half years of ling William Roselle. Mark Smith, George Graham, John Findlay, Isabel MacGregor, Eda von Luke and Gwendolyn Piers. "Our Wives has been pronounced by the Chicago press as being a charming/swift-moving, clever comedy. Matinées Wednesday and Saturday. Prices fifty cents to one dollar and fifty cents. Popular dollar matinee Wednesday.

"FRIVOLOUS GERALDINE" REIGNS AT OLYMPIC.

Joseph E. Howard's Blithe and Musical Joy Creation Starts a Prosperous Run at Leading Chicago Playhouse.

"Frivolous Geraldine," the bright new musical romance which Joseph ing eucalyptus groves, I would hardly E. Howard, author of countless popular songs, produced from the book and music of Herbert P. Stothart and Theodore Stempfel, Jr., enjoyed an auspicious opening at the Olympic Country some time soon, and am dis- theater, Chicago, last Sunday night. There is every promise held forth that the production will enjoy a long and prosperous run in Chicago.

The piece is a merry love story of an American in Paris, a likeable Yankee youth who has been dragged into troubles through no fault of his years and eight months old, and the lown and who falls in love with the dainty daughter of the excitable 8 to 9 inches in diameter. There are a French proprietor of a cafe. The true Parisian spirit is maintained throughout, and the beautiful scenes are thronged with pretty grisettes, boulevardiers, flerce Apaches and stalwart gendarmes. The music has a constant and captivating swing and the haunting melodies somehow are intertwined with the culmination of every comic episode and lovers' tete a tete. "Frivolous Geraldine" is beautifully mounted; the first scene, that of a manicure shop and beauty parlor, being a delightful replica of one of the many such shops which line the Paris boulevards. The second scene shows a public square at dusk, and this is another setting of exquisite charm.

"BOUGHT AND PAID FOR"

At the Princess, Chicago, Stimulates Jewelry Engraving.

An increase in the number of let ters engraved upon wedding rings is one result of the long and successful run of George Broadhurst's "Bought and Pair For" at William A. Brady's Chicago playhouse, The Princess theater. The wedding ring figures prominently in the play, at the end of the third and fourth acts, when Stafford reads the engraving upon it-"Robert and Virginia with eternal love." The conventional method of lettering wedding rings is to give the intials of the contracting parties and the date of marriage. That the sentiment expressed upon the wedding ring which the millionaire Stafford gave to his telephone girl bride has appealed to many of the thousands who have seen the play in its ten weeks' run at the Princess is attested by the numerous requests upon Chicago jewelers to cu the same or similar expressions upon newly purchased wedding rings.

The excellent standard of acting and setting is maintained that marked the long run in New York and the Chicago run so far. Included in the cast are Frank Mills, Kathleen Mac-Donel, Helene Lackaye, Francesca Rotoli and Worldworth Gold, a Korean who plays the Jap valet and who claims to be the only Oriental playing a speaking part in English on the English stage.

FILM STORY AT MOTIOGRAPH

SATURADY, DECEMBER 28. After the Honeymoon (Nov. 28) .-Willie Doodresson marries the belle of his home town. They are both considered the fashion plates of the vil lage, and hence the pair are well matched. But six months later, after the honeymoon is past, what a duter ence! No one would believe them to be the same persons—he slovenly in appearance, and she a positive slat tern. Is it any wonder that they lose interest in each other? This little comedy is an object lesson, showing why many marriages are failures.

New Law School.

A number of discarded politicians who are going back to the law ought to get down that first great textbook written on Sinal, and brush up a little on the moral law.—Albany (Kan.) Capital.

As to Dignity. If I am walking in the very aye of heaven and feeling it on me where I go, there is no question for me of human dignity.-Meredith.

Welcome Changes. Tarming methods have changed. haven't they?" "Yep," replied Farmer Corntossel; "now a man thinks he's unlucky if he has to horrow money on his place. He used to think he was lucky if he was able to." -Washington Star.

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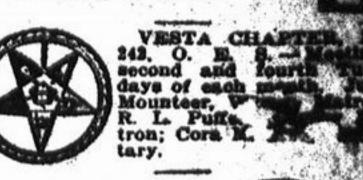
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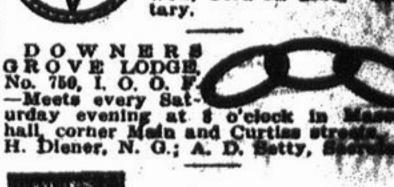
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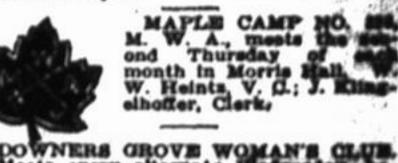




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