

# BLIZZARD KILLS TEN

CLEVELAND, O., CUT OFF FROM WORLD-CITY IS THREATENED BY FAMINE.

## STREETS BLOCKED BY RUINS

Many Perish on Vessels Wrecked by Gale on the Great Lakes—Twenty-Three Persons Saved From the Steamer Waldo.

Cleveland, O., Nov. 12.—Cut off from the world from Sunday until last night, Cleveland is still struggling with little success to recover from the effects of the most disastrous blizzard in its history.

You are known to be dead, while scores are injured and dozens missing. Bodies have been left in the streets, which are covered with 21 inches of snow, as it is impossible to hold funerals.

Wires and poles have fallen in an impenetrable mass all over the city, half of which has been left in darkness.

Trains, which could not operate at all before, are moving only slightly. Few street car lines are open. Interurban lines are paralyzed. Electric light plants are shut down and the gas pressure is falling.

Famine Threatens City. Food is at a premium and famine threatens the city unless streets can be opened for deliveries, which are impossible now. There is no milk to be had at any price.

The property loss will run into millions. Water pressure has failed and the danger of fire is imminent. One fire alone did \$1,000,000 in damage. Many power plants have been shut down to prevent conflagrations and electrocutions from live wires which are dangling everywhere.

Three hundred persons were imprisoned in four interurban cars southeast of Cleveland towards Chardon, without food or drink or heat since Sunday afternoon. The snow there is eight feet deep. Scores of transients are marooned in the city.

Business at Standstill. All the city schools have been closed. Many grocery stores were not open, having exhausted their supplies. Office buildings are dark and deserted and business has come to an almost complete standstill.

The snowfall, which had been continuous and heavy for 48 hours, let up at three o'clock in the afternoon, and the terrific gale has somewhat abated.

Five Bodies Recovered. London, Ontario, Nov. 12.—Five bodies were found near St. Joseph on Lake Huron. Four had on life belts marked "Wexford" and one "London."

It is supposed that the freighter that sank in the blizzard was the Wexford. Lightship Reported Wrecked.

Buffalo, N. Y., Nov. 12.—Lightship No. 52, carrying a crew of six persons, and stationed in Lake Erie, off Point Abino, fifteen miles west of this city, is reported lost by incoming vesselmen, and is believed to have foundered during the recent storm.

Wreckage of the lightship floated into Buffalo harbor and was picked up on the beach at the foot of Michigan street.

The ship's crew consisted of the following: Hugh M. Williams, captain, Manistee, Mich.; Charles Butler, engineer, Elyria, Ohio; Andrew Leahy, mate, Elyria, Ohio; William Jensen, seaman, Muskegon, Mich.; Peter Mackey, cook, Buffalo.

Port Huron, Mich., Nov. 12.—When the tug Sarnia City returned after an all-night watch over the big steel freighter which lies upside down in Lake Huron, it brought no additional information as to the identity of the unfortunate vessel, on which a crew of about forty is supposed to have perished.

Many Ships in Distress. Detroit, Mich., Nov. 12.—There seems little doubt that many sailers have perished in the storm on the great lakes. A dozen or more staunch freighters have been driven ashore, one steamer capsized in the tremendous seas and scores of other craft have been driven to shelter in widely scattered harbors.

Twenty-Three Saved From Ship. Capt. J. W. Duddleson, his crew of 21 men and two women, were rescued from the wrecked steamer L. C. Waldo on Gull Rock, Manitowish Island, and brought into Houghton by the tug Hebard, which had assisted the Portage Lake and Eagle Harbor life saving crews in the rescue.

None of the crew was injured. The Waldo went on a reef at Gull Rock and broke in two, after all of her upper works had been washed away and the crew had been driven by the force of the waves to take shelter forward in the windless room, where they huddled for three days and three nights until rescued.

Fourteen Believed Drowned. Port Huron, Mich., Nov. 12.—Fourteen lives are reported to have been lost when the steamer Northern Queen went ashore on Kettle Point, near Port Huron. Seven bodies have been washed ashore, and seven more are to be seen on the watery decks. Efforts are being made to reach the vessel.

Wealthy Banker is Shot. Detroit, Mich., Nov. 11.—Ferdinand Palma, a wealthy banker and former police detective, was fatally wounded by an unidentified assassin who fired at him with a saved-off shotgun through the window of his bank. His assistant escaped. The motive for the shooting is unknown.

# HOME TOWN HELPS

## KEEPING THE STREETS RIGHT

Matter That Should Appeal to Every Taxpayer, From its Point of Economy.

Nothing so nearly approaches the hearts of the citizens of any community as the condition of the streets, as they are over before us, and it is for this reason that the taxpayers cannot spend their money more wisely than to keep the streets in first-class condition. This is essential not only from an esthetic point of view and to take care of the traffic, but the character and condition of the street paving is one of the most important factors in connection with the valuation of abutting property.

In other words, statistics have proved that the valuation of property always increases when a new street pavement has been laid and is in first-class condition, and, to a certain degree, gradually decreases when the street pavement is neglected and in poor condition. This has been illustrated time and time again in cities throughout this country. There are many reasons for this, and the following are a couple of illustrations:

In the first place, if the pavement in first-class condition it is easily cleaned, and a clean street always adds to the appearance of the street and of course benefits the abutting property. Secondly, it is always desirable from a sanitary point of view, whereas, when the pavement is in very poor condition it is almost impossible to clean it and it becomes insanitary, which naturally would have a tendency to hurt the valuation of the abutting property.

It is only within the last few years that the public has appreciated the numerous benefits to be derived from good pavements, and they are becoming more and more critical and are demanding more money to be spent on and more attention paid to the pavements. The accompanying photographs bring out the general appearance of the streets both before and after laying the new paving in such a way that it must be very evident to anyone that the valuation of property both from a renting and selling point of view must be very much bettered after the streets have been paved.

This subject could be gone into in much more detail, but it is unnecessary, as generally speaking today the public appreciates the very great importance of keeping the streets in good condition and must realize that any money spent for this purpose is a wise expenditure.

## TREATMENT MAY SAVE TREE

Judicious "Dentistry" Likely to Prolong Life and Usefulness of Town's Chief Ornament.

Whether it is a shade or fruit tree a little judicious treatment of a cavity will often save the tree for many years of usefulness. Whether it be a branch or the main trunk the treatment will be the same. First, all decayed or apparently decaying or diseased wood should be removed with a sharp chisel or knife until perfectly sound heart-wood is exposed. Immediately wash the wound with a solution of copper sulphate, in the proportion of one pound of sulphate to five gallons of water.

As soon as this has been done fill the cavity with a thin mortar made by mixing one part of cement with three parts of clean sand. When it has become stiff but not hard face it on the outside with this cement, using a trowel to smooth the cement over all parts that have become injured. If a cavity or split should occur near a fork of the tree it would be an additional safeguard to put a long bolt through both branches so as to hold them together. When the cement hardens in a cavity the trunk will be perfectly solid and decay will be arrested.—Farm and Fireside.

Obliging Instructions. It was the busiest part of the day at the railway station, says Mr. W. Harvey in "Irish Life and Humor," and Michael Flynn, the newest porter, rushed up to the incoming train.

"Change here," he cried. Change for Americkgalwayanayay!

But the lynx-eyed station-master was at hand, and he descended upon Michael.

"Haven't I told you before," he said "to stave out the names of the stations clearly and distinctly? Bear it in mind. Sing them out!"

"I will sir," replied the boy. And when the next train came in, the passengers were considerably astonished to hear the voice of Michael trilling:

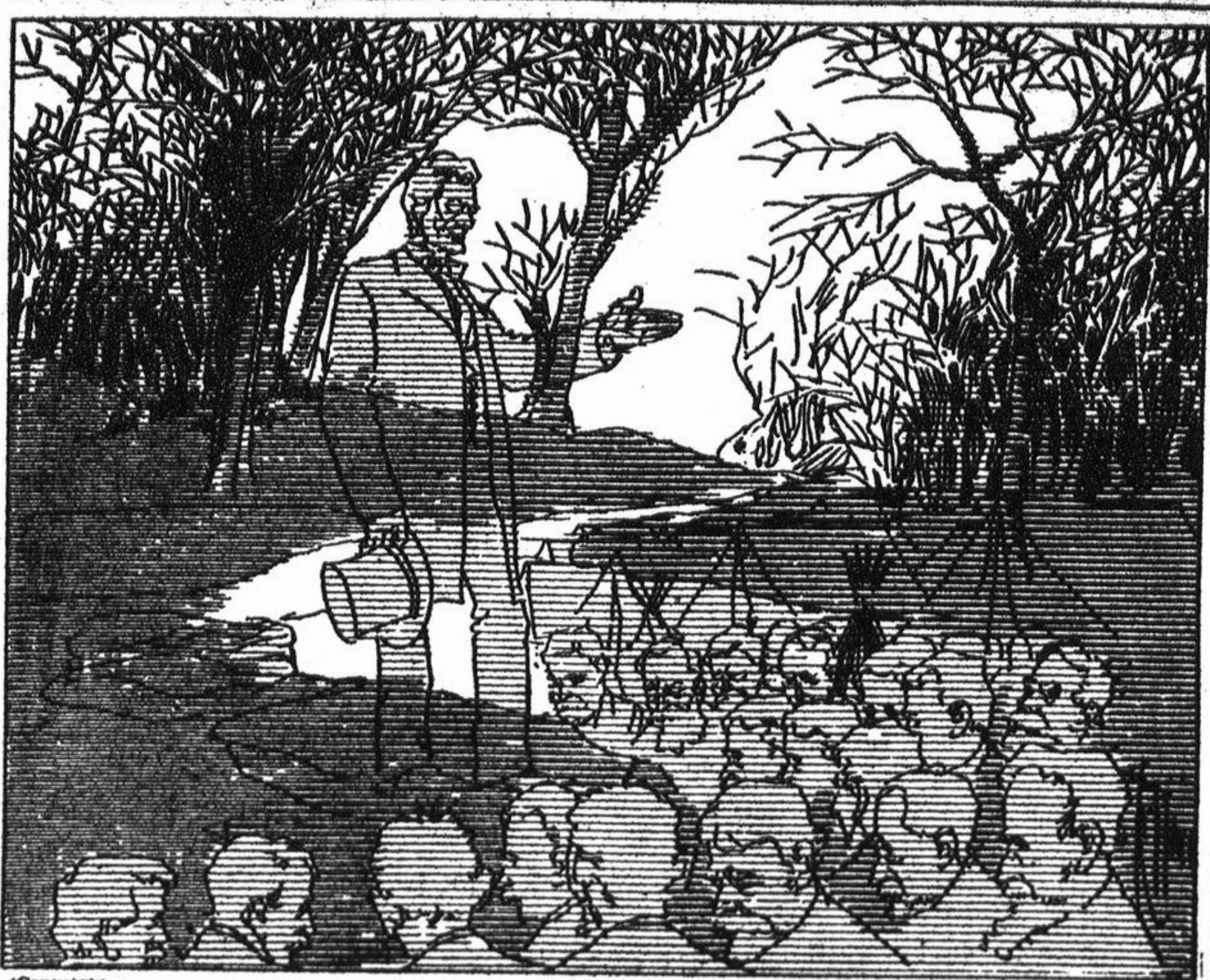
"Sweet Dreamland those Passing to and fro, Change here for Americk, Galway, and Mayo!"

—Youth's Companion.

Elements of Greatness.

"It is not necessary for a city to be either noisy or dirty in order to be great and growing," remarks the Buffalo Express. Indeed it is not, for the noisy city, like the noisy person, is under suspicion, and the dirty city, like the dirty person, is to be avoided.

# LEST WE FORGET



## Motograph Theatre

SATURDAY, NOV. 15.

The Policeman and the baby.—Patrolman Jim Muirhill, large of frame and mighty of heart, has a four months-old baby that rules him with the weapon of a cry. He simply hates to leave her cradle, but the clock points to the time he should be reporting, and he finally makes his escape by crawling out of the door. He reports at the station and goes on his "beat," which is in the suburban districts. Here he is approached by a mounted policeman who gives him other orders, transferring him at once to the downtown district.

The scene shifts to a department store with two trained nurses in attendance at the department where babies are checked, free of charge. There appears to be an odd baby that someone has deserted, which sleeps on peacefully, thus causing much excitement in the department. Patrolman Muirhill is summoned and ordered to wheel the baby through the streets to the station house. He, however, prefers to carry the infant. As he turns the corner he observes Brown, a flashily dressed old gentleman and Dipper, the notorious pickpocket, together with Nugent, commissioner of police, whom he does not know, as he is dressed in civilian attire. The latter pats the big policeman on the back as he passes into the car. The pickpocket immediately begins to work on the man of wealth and Muirhill observes it.

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WEDNESDAY, NOV. 19th.

Our Wives. (Special.—2 parts.)—Chandler and Blair are induced to become "angels" for an opera company. Hilda Deveaux is to assume the leading role and after they have seen Hilda they become enthusiastic backers of the show.

Atlantic City is selected for the preliminary performance. Blair and Chandler are anxious to attend. Their wives insist upon going too. "The Fleur De Lis" is a dismal failure. The two "angels" see their investment collapse. The next day they hurry to Hilda's hotel and tell her they are ruined and have decided to commit suicide, showing farewell letters. Hilda placed them on the table. Hilda's husband has employed a detective to follow her. He sees the men in her room. Mrs. Chandler and her daughter, Mrs. Blair, entering the room, find their husbands' hats, forgotten as they hid themselves. The husbands hear somebody coming and jump into Hilda's trunks. The trunks are locked and Blair and Chandler are carried to New York City.

The opera is to open that night in New York. The detective reports to Hilda's husband what he had seen at Atlantic City and also that the two men are in her trunks. The old man takes the detective to the library to await the coming of the trunks. Hilda's maid comes into the sitting room, unstraps the trunks now arrived, and releases the two men. She tells them their suicidal letters have been published. She forces them into another room when she hears approaching footsteps.

Got His "Compliment."

Apparently it is dangerous for the young clergyman to fish for compliments. There is a story of a reverend divine who once asked a sexton how he liked the sermon. "I didn't like it at all," candidly answered that worthy. "Why, pray?" inquired the preacher. "First, because you read it; secondly, because it was not worth reading."

The Devil's Shop.

He who has no mind to trade with the devil should be so wise as to keep away from his shop.

## Legal Notices

### GUARDIAN'S SALE.

State of Illinois, County of DuPage, ss.—In the matter of the Application of John Pajewski, Guardian of Daniel Pajewski, a Minor, for leave to sell real estate.

To Daniel Pajewski, a minor, and to all whom it may concern: Public notice is hereby given that by virtue of a decretal order made and entered of record by said Court in the above entitled cause on the 1st day of November, 1913, the said John Pajewski, as Guardian of the Estate of Daniel Pajewski, a minor, will, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon, on Monday, the fifteenth day of December, A. D. 1913, at the premises herein noticed to use and hereinafter described, offer for sale and will sell at public auction to the highest and best bidder for cash, all the right, title and interest which the said Daniel Pajewski, a minor, has in and to the following described real estate, situated in said DuPage County, to-wit:

An undivided one-half (1/2) of an undivided one-half (1/2) of the North half (1/2) of Lot Ten (10), in Block One (1) of "Beadley's Addition to Downers Grove," Addition to Downers Grove, DuPage County, Illinois, the father of the said Daniel Pajewski.

No deed or deeds will be delivered to the purchaser or purchasers until said sale has been reported to and approved by said County Court.

Dated, Downers Grove, Illinois, November 14th, 1913.

JOHN PAJEWSKI, Guardian of the Estate of Daniel Pajewski, a Minor.

WM. KARR STEELE and A. B. SNOW, Attorneys for Guardian.

### ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

In the matter of the Estate of Henry Lloyd Devedon, Deceased.

All persons having claims against the estate of Henry Lloyd Devedon, deceased, are hereby notified and requested to attend the present matter of the application of Nellie Erickson, guardian of the estate of Harold Robert Erickson, minor, for leave to sell real estate, to Harold Robert Erickson, a minor, and all persons whom it may concern:

Public notice is hereby given that by virtue of a decretal order made and entered of record by said court in the above entitled cause on the 3rd day of November, 1913, the said Nellie Erickson, guardian of the estate of Harold Robert Erickson, minor, will, at the hour of 11 o'clock a. m. on Monday, the 15th day of December, 1913, at the west door of the court house in the city of Wheaton, in said DuPage County, Illinois, offer for sale and sell at public venue to the highest and best bidder for cash in hand, all the right, title and interest which the said Harold Robert Erickson, a minor, has in and to the following described real estate, situated in the village of Downers Grove, County of DuPage, and State of Illinois, to-wit: Item 1.—An undivided one-fifth interest as tenant in common in Lot eighteen (18), in Block sixteen (16), in E. H. Prince & Company's Addition to Downers Grove, subject to right of dower and homestead therein of Nellie Erickson, as widow of Olaf Erickson, deceased. Also subject to mortgage in the principal sum of Fourteen Hundred (\$1,400) Dollars, dated June 1, 1901, to Mrs. M. McNaught, mortgagee, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent per annum.

No deed or deeds to be delivered to the purchaser or purchasers until said sale has been reported to and approved by said County Court.

Dated Downers Grove, Ill., Nov. 3, 1913.

NELLIE ERICKSON, Guardian of Harold Robert Erickson, a Minor.

CARNAHAN, ELSDON & SLUSSER, Attorneys.

### OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS OF THE VILLAGE BOARD

Downers Grove, Ill., Sept. 22, 1913. The adjourned regular meeting from Sept. 15th was called to order by Clerk White.

Roll call noted present Trustees Haller, Handy, Heartt, Kellogg, Littleford and Mahoney. Absent none.

A petition signed by various citizens residing on West Maple avenue requesting the installation of two additional street lights on West Maple avenue between Carpenter and Village Halls was read. Upon motion of

Trustees Mahoney and Handy same was referred to the Water and Light committee with power to act.

Trustee Mahoney, a certain ordinance, which was read, entitled an ordinance providing for the issuance of bonds of the Village of Downers Grove in the amount of Eighteen Thousand Dollars (\$18,000.00) and providing for the levy of an annual tax to pay the installments of principal and interest thereof and calling a special election submitting the said proposition to the voters.

It was moved by Trustees Mahoney and Kellogg that the ordinance as read be put upon its passage. Motion carried. Those voting aye were Trustee Haller, Handy, Heartt, Kellogg, Littleford and Mahoney. Nays none.

Said ordinance was then put upon its passage and passed. Those voting aye were Trustees Haller, Handy, Heartt, Kellogg, Littleford and Mahoney. Nays none.

Upon motion of Trustees Handy and Littleford board adjourned to Oct. 6th, 1913.

HERT C. WHITE, Village Clerk. Downers Grove, Ill., Oct. 2, 1913.

The Board met in special session pursuant to call issued on request of Trustees Kellogg and Mahoney to consider business mentioned in said call, said call being on file in the clerk's office.

The meeting was called to order by Clerk White.

Roll call noted the following present: President Mackus, Trustees Mahoney, Kellogg, Heartt, Haller, Handy and Littleford. Absent none.

The call for meeting was read which provided for the following: To consider business relating to the investigation of oil engines and other matters relating to the Electric Light plant.

After considerable discussion it was moved by Trustees Mahoney and Handy that a committee of four be appointed to thoroughly investigate the different types of oil engines in order to determine the particular type of engine best suited to the needs of our village. Motion carried, all voting aye.

President Mackus appointed as such committee Trustees Mahoney, Kellogg and Littleford.

Upon proper motion board adjourned.

HERT C. WHITE, Village Clerk.

Daily Thought. Avoid extremes, and shun the fault of such who still are pleased too little or too much.—Pope.

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Have you provided for your family's needs in case of accident, illness or death? You don't know when it will be needed, and you can always get the best in accident, health and life insurance at this agency.

There is one place in Downers Grove for sale that has just recently been put on the market at \$12,000. Seven modern; bath, best; wooded lot facing a fine neighborhood and an unusual value.

Could you use a lot, 50x125, inside corporation and well located? There are a few left at \$190. \$100 after October 1st. Water, gas and sewer in.

We have a booklet, listing about 100 of the numerous places on sale in Downers Grove. This booklet also contains pictures of most of the churches and public places. Interested, call or write for one.

Numerous inquiries are received from Chicago for 8 or 7-room modern houses. If you have one that you don't wish to place it on the market, a good 6-room house (not modern) on a lot 50x125, inside of town, facing a fine neighborhood, and not too far from main business. Cannot be located anywhere at \$4,000. Hope you will doubt this assertion enough to investigate.

A fine, modern house on South Side 2 rooms, cement basement, lawn, water, bath, furnace—in fact, that could not be duplicated for the price of the whole place, which includes a little over one acre. A number of fruit trees, cement walks, \$4,500, on very easy terms; \$4,000 with 1/2 acre.

A comparatively new story and a half dwelling with cement basement, laundry tubs, furnace, hot and cold water, living room, dining-room and kitchen on first floor, 2 bedrooms and bath on second. An unequalled lot of 50x125. A number of fruit trees, cement walks, \$4,500, on very easy terms. Small fruit and a number of trees just coming into bearing.

Something extra in residence property, with plenty of ground to occupy your spare time. Eight rooms and pantry, hardwood floor and trim throughout. Bath, steam heat, gas and electric light; lot 50x125, with a kind of fruit. Chicago on house 12x18. House recently decorated inside at a cost of \$700. A South Side home of this nature will not last long at \$2,250. Better see it.

One, and the only one of its kind in DuPage county is for sale. Four acres at \$250 per acre. Improvements are worth \$25,000. Figure out what the ground is selling for. This is an ideal country gentleman's home, and could not be duplicated at any price in the unequalled location and perfect appointments. House of 12 rooms, with a kind of fruit, even to a 16x16 refrigerator built on the pantry, supplied with ice from the ice house on place. Have a standing offer of \$10,000 for 15 acres of this place, which owner refuses to split. Ripe for subdividing.

A comparatively new story and a half dwelling with bath, parlor, living room, kitchen, pantry, 1 bed room, bath, hot and cold water, cement basement, laundry tubs, etc. good cement walks with 2 lots, at \$4,500.

Accident and health insurance is a good proposition for investigation.

A cozy 5-room cottage, water, gas, hardwood floors in good condition. Lot 50x125, with fruit and shade. \$2,500, 1200 down. This is a good solution of the rent problem.

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