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DOWNERS GROVE AGAIN VICTORS

Beat LaGrange in Suburban League Race By an 8-5 Score.

In a slugging game on the local diamond last Saturday afternoon Downers Grove beat LaGrange, their ancient enemies, by the tune of 8 to 5. LaGrange used three pitchers in a vain attempt to stem the tide, but the unbeatable Downers nine were up on their toes at every point of the game and staved off runs right and left. Bruns pitched good ball, making eleven of the batters who faced him go the whiff route.

Hinsdale are the next victims and will play here Saturday afternoon. Downers in the recent victories have the fans with them and a large attendance is expected at Saturday's game. They are leading the league and expect to go through the entire season without being headed.

Following is the box score:

Downers Grove—	A. B. R. H. P. A. E.
Anderson, H.	4 0 2 3 0 0
MacLean, C.	4 1 1 2 0 1
Binder, C.	5 1 1 1 3 1
Curtis, C.	5 1 2 11 0 1
Shanabrook, S.	5 2 3 2 1 0
Uhlhorn, B.	2 1 1 0 0 0
MacLean, C.	2 0 1 7 1 0
Payeska, I.	2 1 1 1 0 0
Hayes, R.	4 1 0 0 0 0
Bruns, P.	4 0 2 0 12 0
	8 14 27 17 3

LaGrange—	A. B. R. H. P. A. E.
Casper, P.	3 1 1 0 2 0
Alteke, B.	4 0 1 2 3 0
Moore, G.	4 1 2 8 0 0
O'Connor, I.	4 0 1 3 0 1
Edler, R.	4 0 1 0 0 0
Murphy, C.	4 1 0 2 0 0
Williams, I.	4 1 2 8 0 0
Schesler, S.	4 0 0 0 2 0

Pierson, P. 0 0 0 0 2 0
Skidmore, B. 2 0 1 1 0 0
Fisher, P. 2 1 1 0 7 0

Struck out—By Bruns, 11; by Pierson, 1; by Casper, 2; by Fisher, 5. Stolen bases—Shanabrook, Moore. Wild pitches—Casper, 2; Fisher, 1. Base on balls—Off Bruns, 1; off Casper, 2. Two base hits—Shanabrook, Uhlhorn, Casper, Fisher.

CHICAGO HERALD FOLLOWS REPORTER (?)

The Chicago Herald announced this week that they would run in their Fiction Magazine, starting next Sunday, the great serial "Black Is White," by George Barr McCutcheon. This story, as Reporter readers know, we have been running for the past few weeks. We print this to show the undoubted "class" of the serial stories we run.

REPORTER COPY LOST IN MAILS

We think an explanation is due the readers of the Reporter on our lack of reading matter this week. Wednesday afternoon we sent into the linotypers, in Chicago by special delivery mail, about three-quarters of our copy. It did not reach its destination and Chicago postal officials could not explain its non-delivery. Most of this copy could not be duplicated.

Educating.

The stored mind is strong, mentality grows, like the body, by being fed. Knowledge is a tested route to wisdom, but meditation is a surer. What digestion is to food, meditation is to knowledge. The end of all education is to teach a person to think clearly, strongly and practically.

DOWNERS GROVE HIGH SCHOOL COMMENCEMENT.

Nineteen Members of the Class of 1915 Complete Their Studies.

The class of 1915, the thirty-second class to be sent forth from the portals of the Downers Grove High School, was graduated last Thursday evening. The nineteen members of the class, eleven girls and eight boys, stood proudly before their friends and relatives, and received the diplomas which certified that they have completed with credit the course of studies prescribed by the school regulations.

The program of the evening was unique; it was a pageant of peace in which the grandeur of peace and the horrors of war were contrasted, as one after another of the class speakers considered various aspects of the subject, now so vividly before the nation.

The exercises were held in the Methodist Episcopal Church. To the strains of a sonorous march played by Miss Marianna Roe the graduates filed down the center aisle to their seats in the choir loft. The invocation was pronounced by the Rev. Wilbur Babcock of the Baptist Church. Then came a selection by the Downers Grove orchestra under the leadership of George Nargney. The musicians showed the result of their weeks of drill by their director, Mr. Nargney, and sweeter music has seldom been heard in the edifice. Norma Andersen, one of the graduates, delivered an address on "The Irrationality of War," in which he made an eloquent plea for peace. The doctrine of non-resistance, magnified into an overcoming force, was presented by Helen Phelps as her part of the program in a reading entitled "Who is Afraid?" The paths of peace and their pleasantness were further extolled by the united class in "Peace Anthem," which was followed by a reading by Dorothy Lathrop, "The Horrors of Armed Peace," which she pictured as more terrible than war. In a discussion on "The Army of the Future," Dwight Cox and Axel Johnson pictured a united nation battling against the forces of nature rather than against a human foe. A piano solo by Grace Towlesley, who through her high school days has been the accompanist of the High School chorus and contributed not a little to its excellence, followed. "Ideals," which she declared "were the product of youth; the object of life, the attainment of which would lift humanity to a higher plane," were described in feeling words by Luella Nadelhoffer. "Disarmament," a reading with the under current "peace unweaponed conquers," was presented by Kathryn Heckman. Another orchestra selection was the prelude for the presentation of diplomas by Jonas R. Foster, president of the Board of Education, who called the roll of the class as he gave to each graduate the certificate of diligence. The closing number was the well known recessional, "Lest We Forget," sung by the High School chorus, in which thirteen members of the graduating class took part for the last time as students in Downers Grove High School.

1915 Class Roll.

Ruth Anne Hughes, Kathryn L. Heckman, Dorothy M. Lathrop, Alice Frances Howe, Helen M. Phelps, Ruth R. Ramsey, Luella E. Nadelhoffer, Grace L. Towlesley, Winifred M. Hemphill, Myra Katherine Riel, Theo Schmitt, Norman Andersen, Dan Diener, Axel Johnson, Wm. Waples, Carleton F. Nadelhoffer, Dwight R. Cox, Gale Washburn, Edwin Curtiss.

Class colors: Black and gold. Motto: Peace not war. Flower: Jonquil.

JUNIOR-SENIOR BANQUET.

A week ago Friday night the Juniors of the High School entertained the Seniors at the Congregational Church. The supper was served by the ladies of the Congregational Church. After supper toasts were given by some of the pupils and teachers. The president of the Junior class, Frederick Sacksteder, acted as toastmaster. All of the speeches and toasts given were worthy of publication, but as a large number were extemporaneous and others are not available only a few could be had for this article.

The following program was given:
Toast to the Seniors.....
..... Corinne Nadelhoffer
Response..... Winifred Hemphill
Class Will..... Isabel Dickson
Class Prophecy..... Carl Dunnagan
Toast..... Norman Anderson
Toast..... Mr. Robison
Toast..... Miss Edsall
Toast..... Mrs. Butler
After the program was given the company adjourned to the High School Gym, where they listened to

a solo by Dorothy Moar and a quintette by the Junior Boys. A social hour was then indulged in, a number of games having been planned.

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF THE SENIOR CLASS.

Know all men by these presents, that we the senior class of 1915 of Downers Grove, Dupage county, Illinois, being in good health of body and sound and disposing state of mind and memory, and being desirous of settling our worldly affairs while we have strength and capacity, do make and publish this, our last will and testament, hereby revoking and making void all former wills by us at any time heretofore made.

First—Norman Anderson bequeaths his ability in baseball to Carl Dunnagan, and his distinctiveness in speaking to Ramango Lacey.

Second—Ted Curtiss bequeaths his bashfulness to Ruth Diener.

Third—Gale Washburn bequeaths his persistence to Helen Ehinger.

Fourth—Axel Johnson bequeaths his swiftness to Orvie Peterson.

Fifth—Dwight Cox bequeaths his singleness of devotion to Linne Tholen.

Sixth—William Waples bequeaths his good voice to Alexander Burns.

Seventh—Carlton Nadelhoffer bequeaths his cheerfulness to Mabel Cooper.

Eighth—Alice Harve bequeaths her love of pictures to Emerson David.

Ninth—Myra Riel bequeaths her high spirits to Lawrence Cox.

Tenth—Kathryn Heckman bequeaths her sunny smile to John Mochel.

Eleventh—Winifred Hemphill bequeaths her stateliness to Corinne Nadelhoffer.

Twelfth—Ruth Hughes bequeaths her ability to spell to Frederick Sacksteder.

Thirteenth—Dorothy Lathrop bequeaths her ability to entertain to the junior class as a whole.

Fourteenth—Theo. Schmitt bequeaths her domestic qualities to Dorothy Furlong; she may need them.

Fifteenth—Grace Towlesley bequeaths her democracy to Bernice Littleford.

Sixteenth—Luella Nadelhoffer bequeaths her brilliancy to the first honored pupil of 1915.

Seventeenth—Ruth Ramsay bequeaths her blushes to Agnes Roth.

Eighteenth—Helen Phelps bequeaths her fair complexion and lively spirits to Dorothy Moore.

Nineteenth—Dan Drener bequeaths his length of limbs to Aubrey Jones and his sunny disposition to Paul Schmitt.

Lastly we appoint Miss Manley and Prof. Butler as our executors.

In witness whereof, we have hereto set our hand and seal, and published and declared this instrument to be our last will and testament, the second day of April, 1915, in presence of the persons whose names are subscribed as attesting witnesses.

(Signed) Mr. Caldwell and Mr. Kroeger.

FOREST PRESERVE CARRIES COUNTY

The little ballot (on the authorization of a forest preserve) was carried in DuPage County at the judicial election held Monday, with a little over 800 votes to spare. (Unofficial.)

A seemingly strange thing about the issue was the way the outside-of-town precincts voted against it. The rural community was solidly against the passage of the measure. As an example, in the Lacey precinct, 36 votes were cast. When the ballots were counted it was found 36 had voted "No."

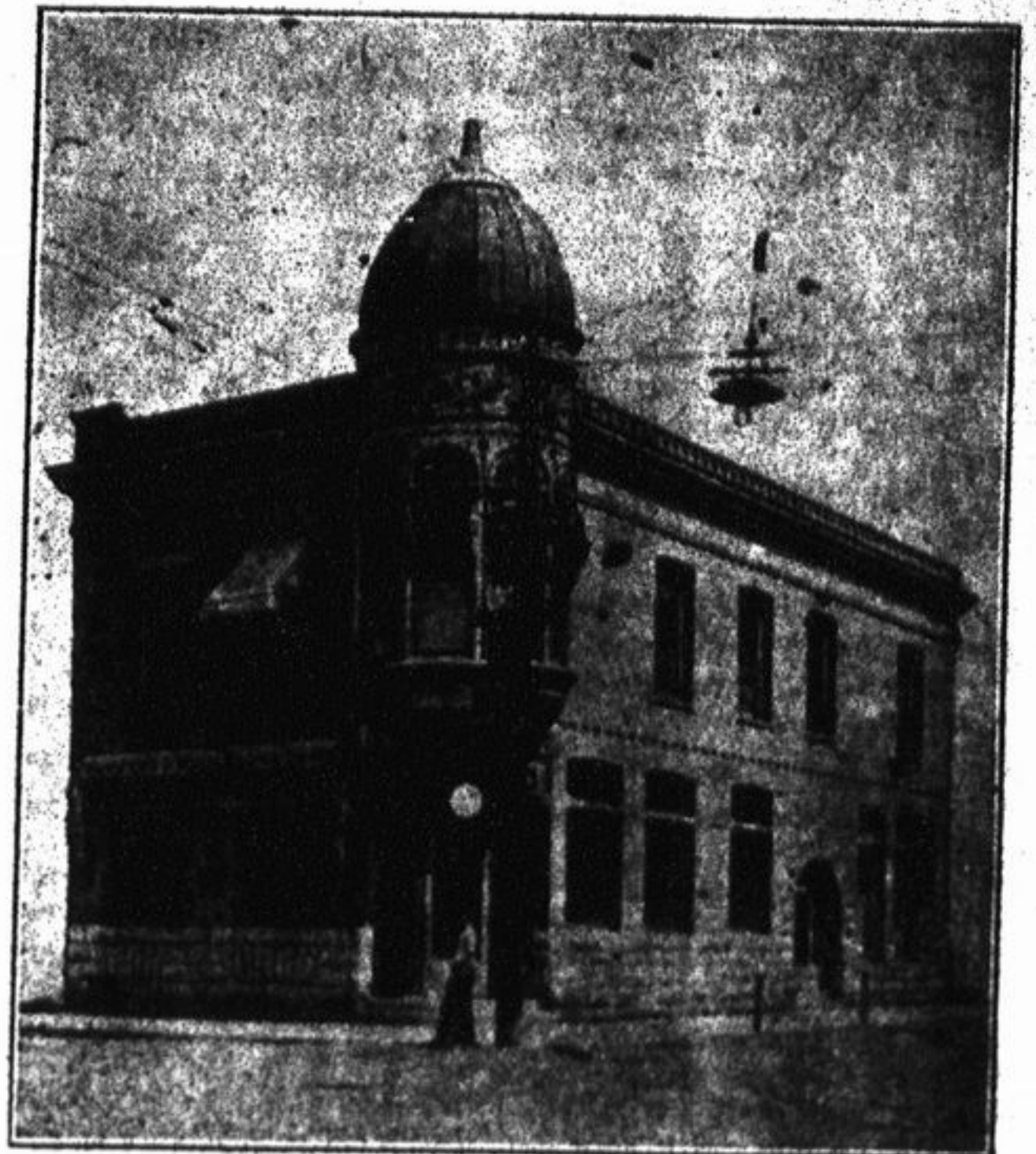
UNION MEETING AT BAPTIST CHURCH

The Rev. E. J. Houghton, of Hinsdale, is to deliver the "flag day" address to the G. A. R. members of Naperville. It is earnestly desired that every one who can, should go and honor the Veterans of the Civil War and show honor to the flag they love.

This will be a Union service and will be held at the Baptist church, Sunday night.

ANNUAL HIGH SCHOOL ELECTION HELD.

At the annual high school election held Thursday, June 3, Alex. Burns was elected president, Ruth Dewitt secretary, John Mochel treasurer, Romanzo Lacey captain of major sports, Owen Griffith captain of minor sports and vice president. In spite of much boosting by his friends and supporters "Radium" Russell Tholin was unable to defeat Chester Eugene Hall in the race for the honorary office of cheer leader. Hall won 88-4. Well, cheer up, Radium; you'll have another chance next year.



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DOG OWNERS RECEIVE WARNING.

In another part of this issue you will find a warning by the authorities of the village in regard to dogs. Owners of dogs, it is said, have had ample warning to pay for their 1915 licenses. Every dog caught after next Wednesday will be picked up, taken down to the village dump and made a target for some revolver practice.

A covered wagon is to be used to gather the dogs and we think the driver will not have a "steak" if a few fighters are picked up.

METHODIST CHURCH.

The annual Children's Day exercises will be held next Sunday morning at 10:30. A special invitation is extended to the parents and friends of the children to be present. There will be no evening service on account of the union meeting in the Baptist Church.

The Rev. Leo Schmitt loaded his household goods on a car yesterday and leaves with his family for Washington, Ill., to his new field of labor.

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