# LOCAL NEWS

Storm sash at Gillispie & Co. see ad on page 4 adv.

Ruth White and Margaret Hulling hiked to Naperville last Sunday.

Mr. N. C. Pearce was in the village on Saturday on business.

The Reporter office for any kind of good printing.

Buy Gerwig's Coffes and Teas and go to the movies free.—Adv. tf.

Mrs. F. Gerwig is slowly recovering from an attack of la grippe.

Mrs. M. B. Downer returned last week from a four weeks' visit in and around Boston, Mass.

Mrs. James Chilvers has returned from an extended trip through the Northwest.

Mrs. Dickerson and Mrs. Stevenson spent Tuesday in Winnetka visiting Mrs. Clampitt.

Lee Beideiman is building a new residence on his lot on Highland avenue.

Mrs. Ellen Bridgman had a visit from Mrs. Bowen of Chicago, an old friend of the Bridgman family.

Mrs. W. W. Barry entertained the Ladies' Guild of the Episcopal church Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Adelaide Kinner spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Clara Peters in Aurora.

J. H. McAllister of Montezuma, Col., was visiting the C. A. Durkee family the past week.

Mrs. W. H. Durkee of Fulton, Ill., will spend the week end at the C. A. Durkee home.

Irving Ward, wife and son left Sunday for Seattle to visit his mother and sister.

Come out to the Rod and Gun Club Sunday morning and watch the shooters, shoot yourself; ladies especially welcome.

L. Klein is preparing an extra supply of liver sausage in anticipation of the visit of Wm. Staffeldt of Star City, Ind.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist church will hold an "experience" social at the parsonage after conference closes, about the middle of Oct.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Fisher entertained Dr. and Mrs. Timpke, Mrs. Geo. Reed and Mr. and Mrs. W. W Barry Monday evening

The eager response to the invitation demonstrated that people will attend and appreciate an educational opportunity.

The stereopticon lecture given by the courtesy of Mr. Jenness was greatly enjoyed by the large audience and some beautiful pictures were shown.

A large number of Eastern Star members have been attending the meetings of that order at Medinah Temple.

Mrs. E. L. Lyman, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Homer S. Lum, of 78 Saratoga avenue, returned Saturday to her home in Topeka, Kas.

Mr. and Mrs. Meril L. Wheeler of Chicago were the guests of Sunset Farm over Sunday. Mrs. Wheeler was formerly Miss Irene Cummings.

Clifford Manshardt enrolled in the University of Chicago last week. He is a member of the sophomore class in the literary department.

Harper Hibbe is enrolled in the class in dentistry at the Northwestern University. He started his season's work Tuesday.

Sneezing, got those awful sniffles? Just stop and think, maybe you haven't changed to your heavy ones yet.

Mr. and Mrs. O'Brien have moved into their new home, the Lucore house on Lyman and Summit streets. They are former residents of Benton Harbor, Mich.

Miss Katharine Harper of Rockford, Ill., a classmate of Grace Peterson at the National Kindergarten College, was a week-end visitor at the Peterson home.

Mrs. E. H. Huntington was a guest at the Hinsdale Woman's Club opening and Mrs. G. C. Butler was a guest at the Naperville Woman's Club opening this week.

Miss Mable Leech has returned from an extensive western trip, having visited the two fairs and enjoyed the beauties of the Canadian Rockies and the Grand Canyon.

"Bum" Gregory is back from the wilds south of Downers Grove, where he has been helping to thresh the wheat and oat harvest. He says work seems to agree with him and he thinks he will try it again some time.

Mrs. E. W. King entertained on Thursday, the Ladies' Club of Chicago, of which she is a member. The dining room was very tastily decorated with fan flowers and autumn leaves. Covers were laid for ten.

Mrs. Hannumn spent the last week visiting the Clampitts in Winnetka. She and Mrs. Clampitt went to Milwaukee and called on Mr. and Mrs. Roy Morris, former residents of the Grove.

Dr. A. S. Washburn will continue the practice of osteopathy in Downers Grove and will have his office at the home of T. E. Brooks, 27 E. Curtis St., Monday and Thursday p. m. Tel. 186. adv.

Jas. Burns, who robbed the Bond home a few weeks ago, was sentenced to serve one year at Joliet. Mr. and Mrs. Bond, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wernet and Martin White appeared at the trial last Monday.

About 20 members of Downers Grove Lodge, No. 750, I. O. O. F., went to Lemont last Saturday night. Marble City Lodge was the host and Forester lodges from along the line and Chicago degree teams did the initiatory work.

Notice: The season supper, Thursday evening, October 14, served at the M. E. church by the Philatheas. Tickets, 35c, on sale at Miss Meyer's, 60 S. Main street. Supper served from 6:30 to 8:00 o'clock. Secure your tickets early.—Adv.

W. Shanabrook and L. E. Bunning, the w. k. a. s. and w. k. c. m. of Downers Grove, respectively, took a long journey to Chi. Wednesday afternoon to see the first tussle in the city series and try to root their favorites to a victory.

Rev. J. F. Jenness is attending the Rock River Missionary conference this week in the Englewood Methodist church. In his absence next Sunday the pulpit of the Methodist church will be supplied by some minister who is attending the conference.

The Naperville bowling aggregation failing to "show" last Thursday night for a match, Naper Hibbe and Warren Wells entertained the audience with their marvelous act, top spinning and the control they have over these little spheroids while they are spinning.

Mrs. C. H. Dicke had the misfortune to break her ankle Tuesday. She was picking apples when the limb against which the ladder was resting broke, throwing her to the ground. The ankle is very painful and Mrs. Dicke does not see how she can stand the enforced idleness.

The sixth grade boys of the north side school are very wise youngsters. The girls promoted a fruit shower on their beloved teacher. After school she invited the scholars to stay and partake of the tender fruit. The girls being too polite to remain, the boys stayed and "ate hearty, thank ye mam."

The rally day services at the Evangelical church last Sunday were of special interest and the attendance was good. The solos by Prof. Attig, of Naperville, and the duet by Mr. and Mrs. Robins, of Chicago, were rare treats. Twenty-five new scholars were received into the Sunday school.

Wood For Sale—Sawed in stove lengths, delivered in half-cord lots or more. Austin-Littleford Nurseries, phone 46-W.—Adv.

How did you like those snow flurries this morning? It sure looks as if the winter was going to set in early.


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| Certificates of magistracy | 12.75 | 12.75 |
| Certified copies and transcripts | 67.15 | 67.15 |
| Recording notarial | | |
| Recording doctors, commissions | 7.75 | 7.75 |
| dentist and veterinary licenses | 2.35 | 2.35 |
| Miscellaneous earnings | 16.85 | 16.85 |
| Redemption certificates | 61.75 | 61.75 |
| Clerk's fees attending court, board meetings, etc., from Dec. 7, 1914, to June 1, 1915 | 416.25 | 416.25 |
| Clerk's fees for recording births and deaths from Dec. 7, 1914, to June 1, 1915 | 100.75 | 100.75 |
| Clerk's fees for extending state and county tax for 1914 | 2,340.24 | 2,340.24 |
| Clerk's fees copying Assessor's books for 1915 | 1,219.16 | 1,219.16 |
| | $5,903.85 | $5,655.25 |
| Clerk's salary six months, $1,250; Clerk hire for six months, $2,451.50 | | 3,701.50 |
| Balance due county | | $1,953.75 |

Respectfully submitted,
A. A. KUHN,
County Clerk.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this first day of June, A. D. 1915.
(SEAL) CARRIE B. ASHLEY,
Notary Public.

To the Chairman of the Board of Supervisors of Du Page County, Illinois:

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 Du Page County, for the half year ending May 31, 1915:

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| Recording | $2,109.30 | |
| Advance court costs | 911.00 | |
| Clerk's fees People's cases | 5.00 | |
| Miscellaneous earnings | 78.25 | |
| Per diem attending court | 132.00 | |
| | | $3,235.55 |
| Clerk's salary, six months | $ 900.00 | |
| Clerk hire six months | 1,714.50 | |
| Court costs refunded | 16.00 | |
| | | 2,630.50 |
| Balance due county | | $ 605.05 |

Respectfully submitted,
GEORGE W. THOMA,
Clerk.

State of Illinois, County of Du Page—ss.:

I, George W. Thoma, do solemnly swear that the foregoing account is, in all respects, just and true, according to my best knowledge and belief; and that I have neither received, directly or indirectly, nor directly or indirectly agreed to receive or be paid, for my own or another's benefit, any other moneys, article or consideration than therein stated; nor am I entitled to any fee or emolument for the period therein mentioned other than those above specified.

GEORGE W. THOMA.

Signed and sworn to before me this 1st day of June, A. D. 1915.
(SEAL.) C. H. YEOMANS,
Notary Public.
Wheaton, Ill., June 1, 1915.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Du Page County, Illinois:

Gentlemen:

The semi-annual report of the Sheriff, from Dec. 7, 1914, to June 1, 1915, is as follows:

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| Total amount of fees earned | $994.65 |
| Amount of fees collected | 221.20 |
| Amount of fees uncollected | $773.45 |
| Amount of fees received | 221.20 |
| Fees received, previously reported | 25.40 |
| Total amount of fees received | $246.60 |
| By salary, six months | 800.00 |
| Fees received, six months | 246.60 |
| Amount due Sheriff on salary | $553.40 |

Respectfully submitted,
JOHN F. HESTERMAN,
Sheriff.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of June, A. D. 1915.
A. A. KUHN,
County Clerk.

State of Illinois, County of Du Page—ss:

June 1, 1915.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Du Page County:

Gentlemen:

I have the honor to submit the following report of receipts and disbursements of the Distributive Fund from Dec. 5, 1914, the date of my last report, to June 1, 1915, to-wit:

**Receipts.**

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| Dec. 5, 1914— | |
| Balance | $ 351.19 |
| Interest on Tax Fund | 344.78 |
| State Tax Fund | 16,166.13 |
| Victor Beck, P. M. fines | 13.00 |
| Clarke B. Richie, J. P. fines | 3.00 |
| Julius J. Timke, J. P. fines | 3.00 |
| Jonas M. Tucker, J. P. fines | 6.00 |
| W. J. Hilliard, P. M. fines | 40.00 |
| | $16,927.10 |

**Disbursements.**

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| March 30, 1915— | |
| Geo. A. Fischer, Treas. 40-11 | $ 1,230.99 |
| John H. Ruecker, Treas. 40-10 | 753.69 |
| Adam M. Glos, Treas. 40-9 | 404.04 |
| Jane L. Mock, Treas. 39-9 | 1,860.36 |
| Otto F. Mau, Treas. 39-10 | 3,095.79 |
| H. C. Schumacher, Treas. 39-11 | 3,112.44 |
| V. Simonson, Treas. 38-11 | 3,403.26 |
| Alvin Scott, Treas. 38-10 | 604.95 |
| Eva E. Hunt, Treas. 38-9 | 399.60 |
| W. M. Givler, Treas. Dist. 78 | 1,445.22 |
| P. W. Dean, Treas. 37-11 | 197.58 |
| June 1, 1915— | |
| Balance | 419.18 |
| | $16,927.10 |

Respectfully submitted,
R. T. MORGAN,
County Superintendent of Schools.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of July, A. D. 1915.
A. A. KUHN,
County Clerk.

State of Illinois, County of Du Page—ss:

June 1, 1915.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Du Page County:

Gentlemen:

I have the honor to make the following report of receipts and disbursements for the Institute Fund since Dec. 5, 1914, the date of my last report, to June 1, 1915, to-wit:

**Receipts.**

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| Balance Dec. 5, 1915 | $421.53 |
| Institute fees collected from Dec. 5, 1914, to June 1, 1915 | 14.00 |
| | $445.53 |

**Disbursements.**

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| Institute expenses, Orders 38 to 44, inclusive | 34.01 |
| Balance June 1, 1915 | 411.52 |
| | $445.53 |

Respectfully submitted,
R. T. MORGAN,
County Superintendent of Schools.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of July, A. D. 1915.
A. A. KUHN,
County Clerk.

**Semi-Annual Report of County Treasurer.**

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

The following is a statement of receipts and expenditures for the period beginning Dec. 7, 1914, and ending May 31, 1915:

**Receipts.**

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| Received from Frank J. Knight | $25,969.66 |
| Dec. 11, 1914, M. J. Town, field Twp., use of road outfit Treas. Road Com'rs Winfit | 64.00 |
| Dec. 14, 1914, City of Elmhurst, use of road outfit | 100.00 |
| Dec. 17, 1914, H. F. Lawrence, Co. Clk., earnings of office | 5,620.45 |
| Dec. 17, 1914, A. A. Kuhn, Sheriff, earnings of office | 807.76 |
| Jan. 5, 1915, Geo. W. Thoma, Circuit Clerk, earnings of office | 2,162.75 |
| Feb. 5, 1915, Chas. W. Hadley, State's Attorney, fines and fees collected | 920.00 |
| Mar. 23, 1915, Geo. Fix, Treas. Road Com'rs Milton Twp., use of road outfit | 40.00 |
| Mar. 30, 1915, Wm. Hammerschmidt, Treas. Road Com'rs York Twp., use of road outfit | 54.00 |
| Mar. 15, 1915, county tax, Wayne Township | 1,885.47 |
| Mar. 16, 1915, county tax, Bloomingdale Township | 2,736.77 |
| Mar. 18, 1915, county tax, Naperville Township | 4,117.13 |
| Mar. 19, 1915, county tax, Addison Township | 3,838.78 |
| Mar. 19, 1915, county tax, Winfield Township | 4,090.26 |
| Mar. 20, 1915, county tax, Lisle Township | 4,128.19 |
| Mar. 22, 1915, county tax, Milton Township | 5,818.71 |
| Mar. 24, 1915, county tax, Downers Grove Township | 7,252.62 |
| Mar. 29, 1915, county tax, York Township | 5,846.08 |
| Apr. 26, 1915, Geo. Boger, Treas. Road Com'rs Downers Grove Twp., use of road outfit | 96.00 |
| | $75,453.67 |

**Disbursements.**

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| County orders as per schedule No. 1 | $37,506.27 |
| Balance cash on hand | 37,949.40 |
| | $75,455.67 |

I do hereby certify that the foregoing statements are correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.
N. E. MATTER,
County Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of August, 1915.
A. A. KUHN,
County Clerk.

On motion of Supervisor Hammerschmidt, the Board adjourned to 1 o'clock today.

On re-convening for the afternoon session the Committee on Claims made the following report which, on motion of Supervisor Boger, was declared approved:

Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen of the Board of Supervisors:

Your Committee on Claims would beg leave to report that they have examined all claims presented before them, and recommended the payment of the following, and that the Clerk be directed to issue orders for the several amounts to the several claimants, to-wit:

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| G. H. Robinson, flags | $ 22.50 |
| C. E. Stoos, services on Board of Review | 125.00 |
| W. H. Barnhart, deputy fees | 6.00 |
| T. C. Gleason, badges | 18.75 |
| Downers Grove Pub. Co., printing | 11.75 |
| Wm. W. Stevens, insurance on almshouse | 85.50 |
| C. B. Blodgett, expenses for soldiers' reunion | 77.10 |
| John H. Kampp, labor and supplies | 116.00 |
| The Ideal Store, cigars for soldiers' reunion | 27.50 |

Respectfully submitted,
CHARLES H. HERMANN,
Chairman.

On motion of Supervisor Hammerschmidt, the following resolution of the Plat of Grane's Woods Subdivision, Elmhurst, Illinois, was declared approved and adopted:

Whereas, A plat of a subdivision known as Grane's Woods Subdivision, of part of Section 3, Township 39 North, Range 11, East of the Third Principal Meridian, Winfield, County, Illinois, has been [illegible] Clerk of this Board are hereby [illegible] to the Board of Supervisors [illegible] County of Du Page and State of Illinois, in meeting assembled:

Whereas, said plat [illegible] and parcels of land lying [illegible] city, village or incorporated [illegible]

Whereas, There is no [illegible] tax sales or unpaid [illegible] against any of the [illegible] in the above plat; and

Whereas, said plat [illegible] complete, proper and [illegible] therefore

Resolved, [illegible] visors in [illegible] plat and the [illegible] County of Du Page [illegible] by the [illegible]


# MATINEE

**Every Saturday afternoon at 2:30**

To decrease the attendance of our evening entertainments we have arranged for a Saturday afternoon matinee at which we will admit children (under 6 years of age) free, provided they are with their parents

## Saturday Oct. 9th

"A Perilous Chance"
"Mister Paganini"
Paramount Travel Series
"The Drug Clerk"

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Essanay Comedy

## Tuesday Oct. 12th

Jesse L. Lasky presents
**H. B. WARNER**
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