

WHOLE VILLAGE ORGANIZED FOR WAR DRIVE

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of the street chairmen and committees is to list the names of all individuals in their territories who are in a position to subscribe to war funds so that each may do his share in helping win the war.

The plan contemplates having sufficient workers so that the burden of the drives will not be onerous to any of the workers. Comparative small territories have been assigned to the committees, but there is plenty of room for more workers than have already been named by Mayor Kidwell.

The Mayor has issued an appeal for workers and any person, man or woman who wishes to join in the work should notify Mayor Kidwell and they will be assigned a place under the war funds committee.

The ward and street campaigns are to be permanent so that with each drive they may become more and more familiar with the conditions.

The territory assigned to Mayor Kidwell and Mr. Curtis and those appointed by them is the West half of the Township of Downers Grove, including the rural district at the south end of the township.

Every war fund drive in this territory, under the orders of the County Council of Defense, is under the supervision of the organization perfected by Mayor Kidwell and Mr. Curtis.

The system was given a try out last week in the drive for funds for the Salvation Army workers in France.

The street chairmen were instructed by Mayor Kidwell to canvass their territories. The result was remarkably successful, though the work was done by one man in each territory instead of the three or four contemplated in the plan.

Speaking of the plan and his expectations of it Mayor Kidwell said: "Downers Grove has shown itself to be patriotic to the core. It has offered the lives of its boys on the battle field. Every petty division has been lost in the common purpose to aid the nation. We stand as one behind our flag and our president and if we will work together as we can do and as we have done we will go over the top with each drive. With that accomplished we can hold up our heads when the boys come home and tell them that we helped where we could."

The credentials issued to each ward captain, street chairman or street committee man follow:

Village Hall, Downers Grove, Ill., August 17th, 1918.

Dear Sir:

As a part of the war activity of Du Page County and the State of Illinois, the Du Page County Council of Defense has established a uniform method of obtaining funds for ALL war purposes.

The Council has appointed Mayor Kidwell and Samuel Curtis to represent it in the West half of the township of Downers Grove.

Pursuant to this order of the Council, an executive committee has been named and the village of Downers Grove has been blocked off into wards by Mayor Kidwell and Mr. Curtis.

In each ward a Ward Captain has been named with Street Chairmen and Committees who will be in direct charge of all drives for funds for war purposes, such as The Red Cross, Salvation Army, Y. M. C. A., Knights of Columbus, War Savings and Liberty Loan.

The Street Committees will report to the Street Chairmen; the Street Chairmen will report to the Ward Captains and the Ward Captains will report to the Executive Committee.

Under orders of the County Council of Defense no collections for war purposes may be handled except under the supervision of Mayor Kidwell and Mr. Curtis.

You have been appointed a... under the County Council of Defense. Your territory is described in the enclosed blanks.

Your acceptance of this appointment is expected as a part of your duty to the nation in this time of war. Do not decline unless it is absolutely out of your power to do the work.

Should you unavoidably be absent from town for any extended period, notify your immediate superior at... that your work may be delegated to another during your absence.

This a position of honor and responsibility, necessary and important and your acceptance and execution of its duties will do credit to your citizenship and patriotism.

Very truly yours  
John F. Kidwell,  
Sam Curtis.

The list of offices, including ward captains, street chairmen and street committees is:

Executive Committee: J. F. Kidwell, Sam Curtis, V. Simonson, Charles Meisel, J. W. Hughes.

Auxiliary Committee: W. F. James, John Remmers, G. L. Bush, B. E. Bal-

czynski, J. W. Nash, W. H. Blodgett, James Perkin, Louis E. Jones, B. C. Downes, H. P. Jones.

Ward Captains: L. C. Mahoney, E. G. Butler, H. E. Tank, W. R. Blodgett, E. H. Huntington, L. E. Singletary, Ward Captain, L. C. Mahoney, No. 1. Oakwood Ave. (Main to Chicago Ave.) Chairman, C. L. Biss, E. J. Matson, A. Anderson.

No. 2. Prince Avenue (Franklin to Chicago Ave.) Prairie Avenue (Oakwood to Main Street.) Franklin (Oakwood to Main.) Chairman, J. W. Kingsley, W. Vaughan, G. S. McDougall.

Midlaugh Avenue (Belmont to Chicago Ave.) Chairman, Walter Curtis, Ernest Dawson, Midlaugh Ave. M. W. Mills.

No. 4. Lincoln Avenue (Belmont to Chicago Ave.) and around Lake. Chairman, John Jenkins, W. L. Eager, Ernest Schultz.

No. 5. Spaulding Street (Belmont to Chicago Ave.) Chairman, L. B. Wells, H. A. Gardner, H. S. Dunn.

No. 6. Forest Avenue (Belmont to Chicago Ave.) Chairman, F. Young, San Kenon, T. F. Kelly.

No. 7. Warren Avenue (Main to Forest Ave.) Belmont Avenue (Forest to Oakwood) Ward Captain, Horace Butler, Chairman, E. G. Lemon, F. D. Lindley, George Allisen.

No. 8. Main Street (R. R. Tracks to Chicago Ave.) Chairman, Wm. A. Myers, Jason Littleford, Ed. Lacey.

No. 9. Warren Avenue (Main Street to Fairview Ave.) Rogers St. (Kingland to Elm St.) Chairman, J. R. King, Charles Knoblauch, Lee Beidelman.

No. 10. Highland Avenue (R. R. Tracks to Chicago Ave.) Chairman, J. W. Graves, M. E. Coleman, Walter Chessman.

No. 11. North Washington Street (R.R. Tracks to Chicago Ave.) Prince Avenue (Main Street to Stanley Ave.) Chairman, A. F. Brevillier, Hulbert Jones, C. G. Kester.

No. 12. Territory bounded by Stanley Ave., Rogers St. and Elm Street and Chicago Ave. Ward Captain, H. E. Tank, Chairman, Frank Kidwell, Harold Beidelman, W. F. Heintz.

No. 13. Outside corporation west of Highland Avenue to Plank Road. Chairman, John Gray, Fred Gifford, E. M. Gallup, M. V. Morton.

No. 14. Outside corporation east of Highland Ave. to Plank Road. Ward Captain, E. H. Huntington, Chairman P. Beckman, A. S. Phelps, W. Schumacker, C. H. Coles.

No. 15. South Main Street (Tracks to Maple Ave.) both sides, Chairman, E. R. Dunnagan, A. G. Michel, C. F. Davis.

No. 16. South Main Street (Maple Ave. to Wootton Farm) both sides, Chairman, Rupert Bateman, Frank Hawkins, E. N. Sucher.

No. 17. Curtis Street (Main to Carpenter Street) Chairman, W. C. Barber, M. K. Bush, George Law.

No. 18. Gilbert Ave. (Forest Ave. to gravel pit.) Chairman, G. L. Bush, E. T. Lawrence, N. C. Peare.

No. 19. Carpenter Street (Gilbert Ave. to Maple) Rosa Court, Grove St. Chairman, Harry Bryce, George Hoffert, Delbert Austin, Geo. Schneble.

No. 20. Maple Avenue (Main to Carpenter St.) Lane Place, Carpenter St. south of Maple, Chairman, R. L. Kellogg, H. C. Chambers, J. F. Jenness.

No. 21. Maple Ave. Carpenter St. west to limits.) Chairman, A. C. Mickelly, Joe Weimer, F. J. Milnes, A. Modjeska, Ward Captain, R. E. Raszewicz.

No. 22. Railroad St. (Forest Ave. to Potter Plant.) Chairman, Ed. Frank H. F. Legenhausen, R. W. Bond.

No. 23. Curtis Street (Main to Mackie Place.) Mackie Place, Chairman, T. A. Verdenius, A. H. Barnhart, C. F. Durkee.

No. 24. Washington St. (Railroad to Orchard St.) Chairman, W. B. Towsley, George Prickett, Stanley Brown.

No. 25. Maple Ave. (Main to Lyman Ave.) Chairman, I. G. Heartt, Harry Ray, M. B. Downer.

No. 26. Maple Avenue (Lyman Ave. to tracks) Chairman, J. W. Bolsby, Fred Towsley, Ed. Le Mott.

No. 27. Lyman Avenue (Maple Ave. to limits.) Farley Place, Chairman, Brian Carpenter, W. W. Henderson, O. Reinhold.

No. 28. Randall Street (Washington to Benton) Church Street (Randall to Summit) Webster Street (Summit to Orchard) Orchard Street (Main to Blodgett Ave.) Chairman, N. J. Perron, C. A. Carlson, Gay Earnest, Ward Captain, L. E. Singletary.

No. 29. Fairmount Avenue (Maple Ave. to limits.) Chairman, C. W. Van Beynum, Paul Herring, E. L. Dickerson.

No. 30. Benton Avenue (Maple Ave. to limits.) Chairman, O. B. Plumley, G. C. Butler, W. P. Kuegemann.

No. 31. Highland Acres, Chairman, W. S. Ellis, Theo. Dreutell Sr.

No. 32. Highland Acres, Chairman, F. W. Frisbie, Leo Orsinger.

No. 33. East Grove (south of tracks east of Fairview Ave.) Chairman, J. P. Mitchell, John Ehringer, W. Winchill, Ward Captain, W. H. Blodgett.

No. 34. Gostyn.

Committee to be named.

OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS BOARD OF SUPERVISORS (continued from page 2)

being first duly sworn on oath deposes and says that the foregoing is a true and correct report of his receipts and disbursements of his office from December 1st, 1917 to June 1st, 1918.

Lewis Ellsworth. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of June, 1918.

DeWitt C. Hull, Notary Public. SEMI-ANNUAL REPORT OF SHERIFF

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

The semi-annual report of the Sheriff from Dec. 1st, 1917 to June 1st, 1918 is as follows:

Total amount of fees earned \$1065.70. Total amount of fees collected \$293.25. Amount of fees uncollected \$772.45. Fees received \$293.25. Fees received previously reported \$49.35. Total amount fees received \$342.60.

By salary 6 months \$800.00. Fees received 6 months \$342.60. Total amount due Sheriff \$457.40. Respectfully submitted,

John F. Hesterman, Sheriff. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of June, A. D. 1918.

A. A. Kuhn, County Clerk. SEMI-ANNUAL REPORT OF COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

State of Illinois )  
County of Du Page )

To the Honorable Chairman and Members of the Board of Supervisors, Gentlemen:

I have the honor to submit the following report of the condition of the Distributive Fund for the period commencing Dec. 1st, 1917 and ending June 1st, 1918.

RECEIPTS  
Dec. 1917 March Balance \$596.35. School Tax for 1917 \$250.02. 84. Interest on School Fund \$344.78. Total \$2142.97.

APPORTIONED TO TOWNSHIP TREASURERS  
Township 40-11, Geo. H. Fisher, Treasurer, \$1507.50. Township 40-10, John H. Ruecker \$892.44. Township 40-9, A. M. Clos \$665.48. Township 39-9, Mrs. J. L. Mock \$2085.04. Township 39-10, Otto F. Mau \$4014.64.

Township 39-11, H. C. Schumacher \$4090.06. Township 38-11, V. Simonson \$4455.50. Township 38-10, Alvin Scott \$534.66. Township 38-9, Eva Hunt \$467.66. District Board 78, W. M. Givler \$2035.46. Township 37-11, Peter W. Dean \$285.42. Balance \$500.11. Total \$21442.97.

Respectfully submitted, R. T. Morgan, Co. Supt. Schools.

Subscribed to and before me this 19th day of June, A. D. 1918.

A. A. Kuhn, County Clerk. SEMI-ANNUAL REPORT OF INSTITUTE FUND

Wheaton, June 1st, 1918. State of Illinois )  
County of Du Page )

TO the Honorable Chairman and Members of the Board of Supervisors: Gentlemen:

I have the honor to report the condition of the Institute Fund for the period commencing Dec. 1st, 1917 and ending June 1st, 1917.

RECEIPTS  
Balance Dec. 1st, 1917 \$401.75. Institute fees received from Dec. 1st, 1917 to June 1st, 1918 \$20.00. Total \$421.75.

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DISBURSEMENTS

Feb. 1st, 1918 Institute instructor \$10.00. Feb. 2nd, 1918 Treasurer of Farmers Institute, supplies and expenses \$54.72. June 1st, Balance \$317.03. Total \$421.75.

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

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of June, A. D. 1918.

A. A. Kuhn, County Clerk. On motion of Supervisor Miller, the Board employed Dr. Migeley at \$5.00 a visit, to make one visit a week to the county tuberculosis patients at County Farm.

On motion of Supervisor Hammerschmidt the Board took a recess to 1:30 P. M.

On reconvening the following report of committee on claims was on motion of Supervisor Fix declared approved.

Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen of the Board of Supervisors: Your Committee on claims beg leave to report that they have examined all claims presented before them, and recommend the payment of the following, and that the clerk be directed to issue orders for the several amounts to the several claimants, to-wit: Aurora Rubber Stamp Works, Rubber Stamps \$1.60. Frank H. Cramer, Committee work and expense \$43.00. R. T. Morgan, postage, express and expense \$66.00. H. L. Durant, printing \$25.50. Lewis Ellsworth, expenses attending Convention \$24.87. Chicago Tuberculosis Institute, care of patients at Edward Sanitarium \$130.41. Western United Gas and Electric Co., gas and electric light for July 1918 \$50.96. Elmhurst Press, publishing assessment list \$66.58. W. A. Alexander & Co., Gen'l. Agents, insurance at County farm \$36.33. City of Wheaton, water to August 1st, 1918 \$47.25. M. D. Milner, printing \$30.50. Paul Rudolf, M. D., witness fee in case of Samuel Grannis \$5.00. C. Estenfelder & Co., supplies for courthouse \$6.75. L. C. Smith & Bros., typewriter ribbons \$9.00. Rieser Bros., plumbing supplies \$16.45. Guck, Hahn and Stoize, repairs etc. for courthouse \$40.55. Reliance Electric Co., rental burglar alarm system \$25.00. P. F. Pettibone & Co., supplies for county offices \$113.60. A. L. Hawker, electric lamps and labor \$6.90. John H. Kampp, repairs \$11.50. A. L. Webster, rent of phone for July and Aug. 1918 \$6.00. Chicago Tel. Co., telephone tolls \$55.83. Standard Oil Co., oil and gasoline \$111.51. W. V. Hopf, Coroner's fees \$50.00. Chas. W. Hadley, telephone tolls, etc. \$41.66. A. A. Kuhn, expenses attending County Clerk's convention \$23.85. Wheaton Illinois, maps \$17.80. Wheaton Progressive, printing \$24.00. E. L. Gates, express and plate for map \$23.95. Austin-Western Road Machinery Co., supplies for road outfit \$48.56. H. J. Karstens, inspection work on bridge etc. \$162.00. A. F. Beckman, on acct contract for road \$3727.58. The Report Con. Co., on acct contract for bridge and culvert work \$2973.00. A. F. Beckman, tar \$15.00. A. B. Dick Co., stencil paper \$21.14. Elmhurst Press, printing \$23.40. O. H. Stange, posting notices \$2.00. A. D. Miller, committee work and expenses \$6.60. N. W. Lies, committee work and expenses \$7.80. Wm. Hammerschmidt, committee work and expense to convention \$45.80. Wm. J. Yackley, same \$41.00. George Fix, committee work \$9.00. A. W. Kohley, same \$4.20. John F. Hesterman, expenses for July 1918 \$84.62. John F. Hesterman, board for prisoners for July 1918 \$91.00. N. E. Matter, County Treas. County Farm expense \$469.05. N. E. Matter, care of county inmates \$157.27. N. E. Matter, Almshouse expense 1356.15.

The following report of Committee on Fees and Salaries was on motion of Supervisor Fix declared approved.

Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen of the Board of the Board of Supervisors: Your Committee on Fees and Salaries would beg leave to report that they have examined all claims presented before them, and recommend the payment of the following, and that the Clerk be directed to issue orders for the several amounts to the several claimants, to-wit: George F. Leineke, Deputy fees \$92.00. Joseph B. Casel, same \$8.00. A. M. Hopkins, Stenographer's fees \$16.00. Wm. W. DeWolf, same \$44.00. Michael Kross, services as Assistant Clerk of Board of Review and postage \$120.92. W. W. Reed, services as Member of Board of Review \$126.00. George Boger, services as Chairman of Board of Review \$126.00. Henry F. Senne, services as Clerk of Board of Review \$126.00. C. T. Coe, court cost in People's case \$3.45. W. H. Johnson, Justice's fees in People's cases \$32.00. R. P. Hadley, labor on state aid roads for July 1918 \$135.00. John F. Hesterman, clerk hire for July 1918 \$60. P. L. Hadley, labor on state aid road for July 1918 \$100.00. Mrs. M. W. Coultrap, Chairman, Women's Committee, State Council of Defense, Du Page County Unit, defraying expenses of said Committee \$200.00.

On motion of Supervisor Hammerschmidt it was ordered that the Clerk issue a warrant for \$200.00 in favor of Mrs. W. L. Coultrap, Chairman of Women's Committee of the State

CURTIS THEATRE

This Saturday, August 24th. Announcing the offering of WILLIAM FARNUM in TRUE BLUE A Fox Production De Lux. Great Britain's Bulwarks & The Hearst Pathe News. Seats, Matinee 10. Night 10 and 20 Net

Tuesday, Aug. 27. Seats 10c & 15c net Beautiful NORMA TALMADGE the Screen Idol in The Safety Curtain A Harold Loyd Comedy & The Official Allies War Review SEE THEM

Thursday, Aug. 29. Seats 10c & 20c net The Big Hip Hip Hooray Show MAE MARSH in Glorious Adventure Hearst-Pathé news, 3 Acts of Standard Vaudeville and our Own Patriotic Community singing. Local talent invited to attend Watch in next issue of this paper for the biggest of all sensations ever offered before in Downers Grove. This Labor Day—to be held at the curtain

Attend the M'HENRY COUNTY FAIR at Woodstock, ILL. Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, Aug. 27., 28., 29., 30.

Horse Races and Ball Games Each Day Plenty of Entertainment for Both Young and Old

Good Bands Every Day — Jackie Band from Lake Bluff on Friday HON. RICHARD YATES Former Governor of Illinois, Speaker for Wednesday.

Hon. George Edmund Foss Will Speak at Fair Grounds on Friday. Big Exhibits of Live Stock, Farm Products, Culinary and Needle Work.

Greatest Exhibit of Machinery, Tractors, Milking Machines and Farm Implements Ever Shown in McHenry County.

MRS. DALE UPHOLSTERING AND REPAIR SHOP Repairing and Upholstering done neatly and promptly. Work called for and delivered. Phone or drop postal. Phone 635

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Council of Defense, Du Page County Unit, to defray expenses of said Committee. On motion of Supervisor Fix the Board adjourned. A. A. Kuhn, Clerk.

VOTE FOR FRED E. STERLING OF ROCKFORD CANDIDATE FOR REPUBLICAN NOMINATION FOR STATE TREASURER Primary Election Wed, Sept. 11. The man who, as Chairman of the Republican State Committee, managed the successful Republican campaign in Illinois in 1916. He comes from Big Republican Winnebago County, which has never had a Nominee on a Republican State Ticket. He is widely known and will add strength to the Ticket at the November Election.