### S. FIELD IS **BECOMING MORE** POPULAR DAILY

The high school field is becoming! Track meet in morning. more popular each day with the boys SATURDAYand girls of Downers Grove. New faces are seen practically in every session that the boys meet, showing that many are coming to the grounds to MONDAYlearn of what is happening. Monday and Tuesday of this week have been league. the largest attendance days with over TUESDAY-150 taking part in the activities.

Two playground ball leagues are being started; one already organized. The one with the older boys from 14 to 16 is called the Nut league and THURSDAYshall play in the evenings. There are four teams in this league with the following names: Peanuts. Doughnuts, Chestnuts and Walnuts.

The other league is of boys 10 to 18, called the Corn Fed League; games to be played in the afternoon. There are also four teams in this league with names as follows: Huskers, Sowers, Planters and Threshers. It is hoped that great interest will be year: displayed in these two leagues, and all people are invited to watch the

A tra k meet was held Wednesday preliminary to the coming track meet on the 4th of July. Boys 10-13 competed in the afternoon, and older boys in the evening.

The events were as follows: Track Meet of Boys 10 at 13.

- 50 Yard Dash-1: Gilbert Mochel
- 2: Douglas Huntington
- 3: George Ray 75 Yard Dash-
- 1: Gilbert Mochel
- 2: Douglas Huntington
- 3: George Ray
- 100 Yard Dash-
- 1: George Ray
- 2: Wm. Barnhart 3: Gilbert Mochel
- 220 Yard Dash —
- 1: Douglas Bebb
- 2: Victor Gustavson 8: Wm. Barnhart
- 440 Yard Dash-
- 1: Wm. Barnhart
- 2: Douglas Bebb
- 3: Ray Carpenter High Jump-
- 1: Douglas Huntington
- 2: Arthur Godfrey
- 2: Glenn Singleterry Broad Jump-
- 1: Douglas Bebb
- 2: Douglas Huntington 3: Glenn Singleterry
- Pole Vault-1: Victor Gustavson
- 2: Ray Carpenter 3: Gerald Isbell
- Relay Race won by Huntington, Barnhart. Gustavson. Carpenter.
- All around individual places:
- 1: Douglas Huntington, 14 Points
- 2: Douglas Bebb, 13 Points
- 3: Gilbert Mochel. 11 Points 4: Wm. Barnhart, 9 Points
- Track Meet of Boys 14 to 16.
- 75 Yard Dach
- 1: Russel Stephens 2: Lester Barry
- 3: Wm. Ellis 100 Yard Dash-
- 1: Russel Stephens 2: Lester Barry
- 3: Harley Rogers 220 Yard Dash-
- 1: Russel Stephens
- 2: Myron Wimmer
- 3: Lester Barry 440 Yard Dash-
- 1: Bud Smith
- 2: Don Stevenson Mile Run-
- 1: Bud Smith
- 2: Sedgwick 3: Fisher
- High Jump-
- 1: Russel Stephens 2: Homer Carpenter
- 3: Myron Wimmer
- 3: Lester Barry Broad Jump-
- 1: Don Stevenson
- 2: Lester Barry 8: Homer Carpenter
- Pole Vault-Not completed.

with 20 points. Other places are not be there Sunday afternoon. yet known

gular and individual track meet shall expected to be there. he held on the High School Grounds. The triangular part of the meet shall between the three troops of the Scouls and the individual part can be Downers Grove, Ill., June 23, 1919 contested for by outside entries and members of the Scouts. This meet real regret of the deep affliction thru will give a good representation of the which our esteemed Brother Phil. athletic abality of the boys.

the demands of the increasing number is connected with his welfare that we of girls wishing to play. Many wait feel that we share this sorrow with all evening without getting a turn. It him. We also desire to express our is hoped in the near future that more confidence in the genuine loyalty and courts will be available to help sup- faith which Marshall revealed to us ply the need.

program for next week: BOYS 10-13

Afternoon.

MONDAY-Opening game of playground ball

WEDNESDAY-

FRIDAY-

Playground ball league game. THURSDAY-

Practice for track meet and games.

Baseball game. BOYS 14-16

Evening.

Opening game of playground ball

Track practice.

Volley ball. WEDNESDAY -

Playground ball league game.

Practice for track meet. FRIDAY-

Baseball game in afternoon. Men.

# LIBRARY NOTES

ANNUAL REPORT

Number of volumes added during the

Juvenile-44 Adults-221.

Total -265 Number of volumes in Library May 31st, 1919: -4138

Number borrowers cards issued during year-206 Number borrowers cards in use May 31st, 1919-1205

Number books circulated during the

Juvenile-8748 Adults-9921

Total-18669

Number periodicals circulated during year-1825 Total -20494

Day, Friday July 4th.

The Civil Service Commission at Springfield. Illinois is sending to the Library samples of the questions used | We sell Victrolas cash or on terms by them in conducting examinations. Anyone who is planning to take the Civil Service Examination may inspect these questions any time during Library hours.

Beginning July 1st the Library Hoard has arranged to let borrowers have five books at one time for va cation reading.

#### COMMUNITY WEL-FARE LEAGUE IS TO MEET TUESDAY

W. S. Barber, newly elected president of the Community Welfare League has called a meeting of that body for next Tuesday evening. July

The meeting will be held at Library Hall and will be called to order at 7:30 o'clock

A few reasons for taking an active | Main & Grove Sts. interest in the League will be found elsewhere in this issue in the article headed "Mayor Barber Now Heads Community League."

#### ARRANGEMENTS ARE COMPLETE FOR BIG **BROTHER MEETING**

All arrangements have been completed for the Holy Name meeting in the parish hall of SS. Peter and Paul Church at Naperville on Sunday July 6th at 2:30 p. m. Rev. B. I. Schuette, Spiritual Director, has worked hard to round out the plans and his efforts wil no doubt be repaid with a record crowd

Catholic farmers in all sections of Du Page County as well as other Catholic people are very enthusiastic over the Holy Name Union proposed for Du Page County by Rt. Rev. A. J. McGavick, Spiritual Director of the Archdiocesan Union. Thru the Big Brother Committees that will be or ganized the farmers will be able to obtain farm help and at the same time they will be doing a Christian duty

toward the needy boys. Bishop McGavick announces that the Holy Name men of Chicago are ready to give all the assistance they can in getting the new Union organi-Russel Stephens wins first place zed and that a large delegation will

All Catholic men are invited to this On the morning of the 4th a trian- meeting and all Holy Name men are

## RESOLUTIONS

WHEREAS: We have learned with Statton has been called to pass in the A second tennis court has been lay- death of his son Marshall. So much out on Mrs. Prince's lawn to meet interested are we in everything which as a member and Brother of Down-The following is a summary of the ers Grove Ledge No. 750, I. O. O. F., and the splendid manner in which he responded to our country's call and the service which he faithfully gave

> to the last. THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED: That the members of Downers Grove Lodge No. 750, I. O. O. F., hereby extend to our Brother and family our

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: That these resolutions be read in open logde, one copy to be sent to Brother Statton and a copy to the Downers Grove Reporter for publication. Signed:

> Delbert Austin E. M. Brunson C. J. Winter. Committee.

## ANNOUNCEMENT

Starting at once, the undersigned will do electrilal contracting and repair work. New or old houses wired, fixtures hung, no job to large or too

Anything in the electrical live, new or oif work, promptly attended to. John Kenniston, 59 South Washington St.

## Our Monuments

are executed from a variety of acceptable designs and every detail is looked after by experts. That is why our monuments always appeal to good taste. If you plan a memorial in your plot we will show you a great variety of designs to choose from.

ARTHUR R. BEIDELMAN Phone 35- R NAPERVILLE, ILL

Fred D. Heinke PLUMBING

Steam Heating - Sewer Building Gas Fitting Telephone 53-R



The Local Chicago Telephone Directory

# Goes to Press Soon

Notify us to-day if you are about to move, or if there are any other changes that should be made in your telephone listing.

Telephone 9903

CHICAGO TELEPHONE COMPANY

# The Library will close Independence OUR HOME TOWN BOOSTERS av. Friday July 4th.

to suit the purchaser. Records Stationery School Supplies Books and Magazines

J. L. SWEARINGEN CANDY CIGARS & TOBACCO Phone 123-J 23 S. Main St.

Canned Goods

LOUIS KLEIN SANITARY MEAT MARKET

By, Important to Residents

of Country.

pendent Upon Each Other--Co-

operation Alone Brings Pros-

perity to Bath.

(Copyright.)

Residents of towns and cities every-

where are beginning to realize more

acutely the fact that, except under

very unusual conditions, their commu-

nities will prosper and develop only

in proportion to the prosperity and de-

velopment that comes to the farming

sections which surround them. Real-

izing this fact, commercial clubs and

chambers of commerce have in recent

years been devoting as much of their

attention to developing the country

districts as they have to securing new

industries and attracting new rest-

dents. They know that as the coun

try about the towns becomes more

thickly settled and as the farmers be

come more prosperous the more money

will be spent in the towns and the

faster these towns will grow. It is

largely for this reason that the resi

dents of the towns and cities have

been doing more and more to aid the

they are placed on the market.

Not One-Sided Proposition.

But this is not a one-sided propost

tion. If the city is dependent upon

the country, so is the country depend-

ent upon the city. What the farmer

raises is worth absolutely nothing to

him unless he can sell it at a price that

will pay him a fair return on the

money and time invested in its pro-

duction. The farmer, without mar-

kets, would be in the same fix as

storekeeper without customers. In al

most every case the farmer is de

pendent upon the near-by town or city

for a market for at least his perish-

In the language of the street, it is

a fifty-fifty proposition. The town

Farm Lighting Plants

PLUMBING - HEATING

**ELECTRIC WIRING** 

H. FRANKENFIELD

able products.

32 S. Main St.

42 S. Main St.

Vegetables | | Printing of every kind for anyone. Good work and right prices

> THE DOWNERS GROVE PUBLISHING Company

A Complete Banking Service The First National Bank

BY THE FARMERS Private and Commercial Accounts Solicited Presence of Thriving Cities Near

Overhauling -- Repairing -- Storage **Downers Grove Garage** Prompt Service by

Experienced Men Phone 22

Cleaning

Pressing

Dyeing Repairing JOSEPH MAZZA

LADIES and GENTS TAILOR Phone 62-M 27 S. Main St.

Prescriptions ZINDT'S DRUG STORE A full line of Wedding. Birthday & Birth Congratulation Cards

34 S. Main St. Phones 281-282

LOANS REAL ESTATE W. H. BLODGETT 42 S. Main St.

Phone 24 Fire, Accident, Plate Glass, Automobile and other INSURANCE

Everything Complete for the table North Side Grocery

and Market

Phone 2 32 N. Forest Ave.

Funeral Pieces Beautiful Boquets J. F. KIDWELL CO. Wholesale and Retail **FLORISTS** 

Downers Grove, Ill.

Shoes, Slippers, Rubbers, Boots

for the Entire Family

Phone 183

32 S. Main St. Downers Grove

Phone 20

LORD LUMBER

COMPANY

Downers Grove, Ill.

Millwork - Lumber - Coal

- Building Material -

Phone 279 | 37 N. Main St. Phone 188

> needs the country and the country needs the town. The farmer needs the assistance of the storckeepers of the town in securing a market for bis

products. He needs the assistance of

needs the assistance of the storekeep-

the storekeepers of the town in getting good roads over which he may haul his products without losing more time than the products are worth. He often

ers in helping him over a period of financial stringency. Storekeeper Needs Farmer's Trade. On the other hand the storekeeper

needs the business of the farmer. He **MERCHANTS DO THEIR PART** does not ask the farmer to sell him his products on credit even though at the time he may be hard pushed for cash and may need more credit badly. He Town and Rural Community Are De does not ask the farmer to help him build a sidewalk in front of his store. He does not ask for the business of

the farmer provided that he can sell

the farmer the goods he needs at as

low a price as he can secure them for But does he siways get the farmer's | Kow Kure, Calf Meal, Bag Balm business? Ask the mail order man L In the big city or ask the postmuster or the express agent in any town of city in the country. They could, if they would, tell of thousands of dollars sent away to the big cities to pay for grants that could be purchased just as cheaply and much more conveniently in the nearest town or city. These thousands of dollars, when sent to the mail order houses in the big cities never come back. They do not help to build good roads past the farmers' houses. When the next crops are har-

far as the mail order man is concerned. No Credit From Mall Order Man.

vested, the mail order man won't buy

any of the farmer's products. The

potatoes, the tomatoes, the melons and

other things that the farmer raises

may lie and rot upon the ground so

farmers in growing bigger crops and in improving marketing conditions. The mail order man won't sell the The towns and cities have contributed farmer 2 cents' worth of goods on more and more liberally toward the one day's credit no matter how badly building of good roads in the country the farmer may need the goods or how districts and have paid a large part little ready cash he has to pay for of the expense of maintaining agrithem. If the farmer's house burns cultural experts to assist the farmers down, the mail order man is not goin growing bigger crops and getting ing to sell him any lumber on credit more money out of their crops when so that he may build another home. He will take what cash he can get the farmer to send him and there his interest in the farmer ends. If the farmer has no money to pay for what he needs, the mail order man will find others to help swell the stream of dollars which is building up his great fortune and helping build up the great city in which he lives. Let the home merchant help the farmer when he needs it. And the local merchant does help the farmer as long as he can, but there comes a time when he cannot. He cannot make money without customers. Without the legitimate profit that he makes from his sales he cannot "carry" the farmer over the rough spots, he cannot contribute to the good roads funds, he cannot pay the farmer

S. A. DEXTER VARIETY STORE 16 S. Main St Phone 240-J

China Ware, Granite Ware, Glass

Ware, Stockings, Ribbons, Laces,

Cigars and Confections

THE FARMERS AND MERCHANTS BANK

Oldest Bank in Downers Grove

PAY YOUR BILLS BY CHECK

KIDWELL GARAGE CO. OLDSMOBILE AGENCY

Overhauling .. Repairing .. Storage

Main & Warren Phone 284

Trunks,

HARNESS MAKER 101 S. Main St.

C. PENNER

Prescriptions

33 S. Main St.

Blankets,

Novelties Tobaccos

Phone 6

Phone 266-J

Whipe

PUFFER PHARMACY

Main & Curtisa Sts.

Fire Insurance Renting Cyclone Insurance Notary Public

CHAS. HALLER REAL ESTATE AND LOANS

Groceries LEHMANN & MICHEL

GENERAL MERCHANDISE

Lowest Prices

28-30 S. Main St. Phones 177-178

H. O. SUTTER BLACKSMITH

Horse Shoeing and Repairing 128 S. Main St.

Agricultural Implements, Repairs International Fire Motor Truck For Sale by

Hawkins & Hawkins

Electric Wiring Electric Pumps | LUMBER

COAL Potter Manufacturing and Lumber Company

Phone 267-J

Mason Supplies

PLUMBING - HEATING Phone 184 | 48 S. Main St.

cash for his products!

H. J. HAWKINS

Phone 82-J | MILLWORK

63 S. Main St.

Phone 15