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The FIRST Step Toward A Home Of Your Own Is A BANK Account

To catch the modest nickel, men combine and build street railways, slot machines, pack candy, sell cigars and bottle drinks nickel size. To get your nickel, dime or dollar a thousand devices are waiting. If money burns a hole in your pocket, put it in a fireproof vault here to earn asbestos interest at 3 per cent for you. Young couples, especially, are very apt to regard saving with derision. Older people will tell you that they wished they had saved when they were young toward a home of their own. The FIRST Step Toward a Home of Your Own is—A Bank Account.

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Downers Grove, Illinois.

Groceries at Service Prices

5 pound package of BRAN	25c
Evaporated Apples, 2 pounds.....	25c
Marshmallow Cream Cake Filling, jar.....	30c
3 lb. 6 oz. Cartoon Surbetto Sugar Wafers.....	1.35c
Large Can Libby's Asparagus.....	38c
Fancy Stewing Figs, 2 pounds.....	25c
10 Bars Family Soap.....	69c
Large Can Fish Flakes.....	22c
Large Carton Lily Flakes.....	75c
Imported Worcestershire Sauce, bottle.....	14c
42 oz. Jar Family Mackerel.....	35c
Japan Tea Siftings, pound bag.....	35c
Gorton's Fat Herrings, per can.....	10c

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AN ADVRTORIAL FOR LOCAL MERCHANTS

A friend of ours once said: "I do not use newspaper advertising. I advertise through my windows." Window advertising is good advertising. Showcase advertising is good advertising. The window advertises to the passerby. The showcase to those actually in the store. But your newspaper announcement carries descriptions of your merchandise right into the HOMES of ALL.
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EX-SERVICE MEN DRIVE FOR SALVATION ARMY FUNDS

American Legion Handling Local End Of Campaign For Home Service Money For Army.

Downers Grove is being covered this week by solicitors from the American Legion. These men, who served during the world war with the Stars and Stripes, especially those who saw service in France, are aware of what a great organization is the Salvation Army. They are all willing to return a little work for the good these people have done for them and their comrades. This is the reason they are making the rounds of the village this week on a collection campaign for money. "Home Service Drive" is the designation of the fund raising campaign now going on. Every cent collected in the state will be used in the state and all money collected outside of Cook County will be used outside of Cook County. Wherever possible the American Legion Posts have taken charge of the work.

The quota for Downers Grove township is \$1,600 of which we are to take care of half. This should be easy as the amount is not high and the cause is worthy. Those who wish to leave subscriptions downtown can do so at the First National Bank or at the Puffer Pharmacy.

When these solicitors from the American Legion call on you be prepared to "come across" with a regular subscription.

Every city, town, hamlet and cross roads in the entire state of Illinois Monday became the scene of great activity as the Salvation Army Home Service Fund campaign opened.

Scenes in the various cities and towns brought back to memory the street sights of the hectic days of war when campaign after campaign was waged to enable the Government to carry on the war or provide aid for our soldiers overseas.

Many faces which became familiar during the darker days were seen again canvassing the cities with subscription lists in hand. This new work is a work of peace, while the former campaigns were war work, but the same workers were there.

Reports received late last week at the campaign headquarters in Chicago showed that the state was fully organized with the exception of two or three small counties where organizers were then at work lining up committees in preparation for the opening.

The quota of Illinois outside of Cook County is \$750,000. Chicago and Cook County pledged themselves to raise \$1,500,000. Chicago's organization, both as to trades and wards, was well under way at the time of the last report, and L. E. Myers of the wards and A. A. Sprague, chairman of the trades division stated that with the opening of the campaign their roster would be complete.

Reports from down state showed that \$80,000 had been subscribed in pre-campaign work by the various organizations. Much of this has been paid in.

Campaign committees, chairman and executive committees have definitely pledged themselves to raise, and started today on the work of raising \$645,000 in the various counties and cities, a total received or pledged of \$725,000.

This left only \$25,000 to be accounted for in the first days of the campaign.

AMERICAN LEGION TO HOLD SPECIAL MEETING MONDAY

A special meeting of the local post, American Legion, will be held next Monday evening, September 29th. The meeting is called to prepare instructions for the local delegates to the State convention to be held at Peoria October 17th and for other important business.

Paul Bentley, temporary secretary and Walter Fredenhagen were selected at the last meeting as delegates and alternate to represent the Alexander Bradley Burns Post.

Football is looming up and but two more baseball games are in sight for the season. The nearness of cold

D. G. H. S. PLAYS EAST AURORA H. S. IN OPENING GAME

Local Gridiron will be Scene of First Battle of 1919 Season Next Saturday Afternoon.

D. G. H. S. starts its 1919 football season next Saturday afternoon, September 27th. The strong eleven from East Aurora high school will come here as a curtain raiser and the game will be staged on the North Side field.

The schedule for this season promises some very good games for local fans and is as follows:

- Sep. 27 E. Aurora at D. G.
- Oct. 4 Naperville at D. G.
- Oct. 11 Glen Ellyn at Glen Ellyn.
- Oct. 18 Lockport at D. G.
- Oct. 25 Riverside at Riverside.
- Nov. 1 Batavia at Batavia.
- Nov. 8 Open.
- Nov. 25 Glen Ellyn at D. G.
- Nov. 22 Riverside at D. G.
- Nov. 27 Alumni at D. G.

On November 8th, the open date, it is expected that Hinsdale will be signed up but the negotiations are not yet complete. The games between Naperville, Glen Ellyn and Batavia should prove drawing cards as the teams always seem to be somewhat closely matched.

Although representatives of D. G. H. S. on the football field this year average rather light, they are being groomed to make a fight every step of the way.

STAATS — WOLF

A quiet home wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Staats, 37 No. Main st., Saturday night when their youngest daughter, Hazel Marie, became the wife of Mr. Fred A. Wolf of Hinsdale.

Miss Staats looking very lovely in a gown of white satin, wearing a bridal veil and carrying a bouquet of white roses, entered the room on the arm of her father. She was attended by Mrs. Edward Landorf, herself a bride of but a few weeks. The groom, attended by Mr. Edward Landorf, was waiting beneath a canopy and stepped forward to meet his bride. The solemn words which embarked them on the holy sea of matrimony were spoken by the Rev. G. H. Stanger of the Evangelical Immanuel church of Hinsdale.

Immediately after the ceremony the assembled guests, all immediate relatives of the contracting parties, sat down to an elaborate wedding supper.

The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wolf and Mr. Wolf's father, Mr. and Mrs. John Horstmann and daughter Kathryn, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wolf and sons Edward and Wilber, and Mr. Albert Wolf, of Hinsdale. Miss Hazel Smith of Litchfield, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kluge, Mrs. Anna Manke, and Mrs. Mary Bohlander, of Chicago. Mrs. Mary Winter of Cicero, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Landorf, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Staats and daughter Betty Jane, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Winter and daughters Lois and Rose Arlene, and Mr. Val. Wander, of Downers Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Wolf will be at home to their many friends at 20 So. Grant st., Hinsdale, after October first.

JEWEL FARRAR ENTERTAINED BY IOTA THETA PI

The Iota Theta Pi sorority entertained Miss Jewel Farrar at luncheon at Marshall Field's last Saturday. Miss Farrar, a member of the Army Nurse Corps, being home on a short furlough from her duties at the Walter Reed hospital in Washington, D. C.

Those present at the luncheon were: Misses Mable and Nettie Riel, Madeline Hughes, Ruth Lancaster, Florence Uhlhorn, Edna Simonson, Jewel Farrar and Mrs. Roland Schultz.

Miss Clara Ruden spent Friday with her sister, Mrs. Ray McCollum.

weather is giving the boys impetuous toward the procuring of a meeting place of some kind which will be open at all hours. The committee in charge of finding permanent quarters will have something of importance to report at Monday's meeting.



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BUILD NOW for Future Needs!

Last spring we advised people to build and repair, predicting a raise in the price of lumber. Lumber has gone up, is going up and will go still higher. Where the end will be no one knows for a certainty. Sufficient to say that if prices do drop, they will never reach their former level.

Build and Repair Now

If you have been planning a home, barn, garage, or the repairing of one, or in fact any kind of building requiring lumber, DO IT NOW! Labor costs are mounting, material is going up, build now while you can.

After two years of stagnation, due to the war, construction of new buildings is now approaching normal. Everywhere the demand is for lumber, and the demand is fast exceeding the supply. Those who are familiar with the building trades, nationally, say more new work is contemplated than there will be lumber to finish. This will have a tendency to shoot prices higher.

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