

## Protect Your Feet—NOW!

For a January Thaw with its Rain and Slush—Try our RUBBERS and for the colder days to follow—OUR OVERSHOES—we have both: the price? No higher than former years.

### The Corner Grocery

J. W. Nash

Phone No. 8

## Groceries at Service Prices

4lb package Prepared PANCAKE FLOUR ..... 45c  
 4lb package Prepared BUCKWHEAT FLOUR ..... 45c  
 49 1/2 lb Sack NONESUCH FLOUR ..... \$3 65  
 CLARKE PEANUT OIL, 1/2 pint bottle ..... 32c  
 Large Can California Yellow Cling PEACHES ..... 40c  
 Large Can N. Y. Reine Claude PLUMS ..... 35c  
 Large Bottle BEECHNUT CHILI SAUCE ..... 29c  
 Imported WORCESTERSHIRE SAUCE ..... 14c  
 CHILI BEANS, 3 pounds for ..... 25c  
 Large Can COTTAGE BRAND APRICOTS ..... 35c  
 WEBB'S COFFEE—SPECIAL—1 pound 52c; 3 for ..... \$1.50  
 10 oz. Jar FLAKED FINNAN HADDIE, ready for use ..... 35c  
 3 Packages MACARONI or SPAGHETTI ..... 25c

## Another Big Special Sale on Sale Comforters

WE HAVE ON HAND ABOUT FIFTY, ALL TOLD, GOOD COTTON FILLED COMFORTERS, COTTON FILLED, WELL COVERED, GOOD LIGHT AND DARK PATTERNS, WILL WEAR SPLENDIDLY.

FOR 10 DAYS WE WILL SELL THEM AT A REDUCTION OF 75 CENTS ON EACH COMFORTER, NO MATTER WHAT PRICE. BUY AS MANY AS YOU LIKE. NO LIMIT TO QUANTITY. THEY COST US 75 CENTS TO \$1.00 MORE RIGHT NOW TO BUY.

\$1.25 TO \$2.00 QUALITY

Ladies and Misses Felt Slippers, while they last @ ..... 98c

10% DISCOUNT ON ALL BLANKETS

KEEP WARM WHILE YOU CAN—SLEEP COMFORTABLY AND SAVE TEN PER CENT.

## Lehmann & Michel

Dry Goods, Groceries and General Merchandise  
 28-30 South Main Street Two Phones 177-178

## PURITY COAL

The very name is a guarantee of its quality. It is the good old Illinois Coal that the people have been waiting for since the strike of the miners stopped production. Now it is here in the egg and lump sizes and you can again order and be sure of prompt deliveries.

## It's a Free Burning Fuel---

"Purity Sootless" is the best burning coal we have ever sold. If burned alone it leaves a white ash, fine as flour. Every atom burns and it does not clinker. This alone makes it invaluable to the man who tends his own furnace.

## Pocohontas Mine Run

For those who prefer Pocohontas, the semi-anthracite coal of the east, we have it in our bins for immediate delivery.

## Hard Coal and Coke

## Lord Lumber Company

Phone Day 20

Phone after 6 P. M. 142 J

## FINE PRIZE LIST FOR EXHIBITORS AT FARMERS' INSTITUTE

Annual Exhibit of County Products at Court House in Wheaton, Jan. 29th, 30th, and 31st, 1920

The annual Farmers' Institute and Agricultural Show of DuPage County will be held at the Court House in Wheaton on January 29th, 30th, and 31st, 1920.

What promises to be the biggest exhibit ever held in the County will draw crowds not only from this territory but from surrounding cities and towns.

A very good program of speakers and music has been prepared and it will be well worth anyone's time to attend.

### Large Prize List

The following in regard to the various prizes offered will be of interest to those who desire to enter in any of the classes.

### SUGGESTIONS FOR PREPARING

#### Corn Exhibits

Select ten ears of same length. Choose ears with straight rows and solid ears. Take out one or two kernels from each ear and examine carefully for black chit. Chit or heart must be white or cream colored. Take ears with kernels of the same depth, and same roughness at the crown or top. White ears must have white cobs, yellow ears must have red cobs. No white kernels are allowed in a yellow ear or yellow kernels in a white ear.

#### Small Grain Exhibits

Grade the wheat, oat and barley exhibits. Fan all chaff and weed seeds from sample. Hand pick all weed seed not removed by fanning mill or grader, if you so desire. Exhibits should not be musty. The largest, most plump and cleanest exhibits will be the ones that will win prizes.

#### Domestic Science

Don't fail to put all exhibits on paper plates. Read premium list carefully and have exhibits conform to prize list. No premiums will be awarded on exhibits that do not conform to the premium list.

#### School Exhibits

Every township in the County is offering the schools a prize for exhibits of some kind.

The town of Downers Grove offers \$50 to public schools in said Town making exhibits of district products.

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## "PROBLEMS FACING STRICKEN WORLD" ARTICLES LATER

Last week we announced a series of articles by Frank Comerford entitled "Problems Facing Stricken World," would begin in this issue of The Reporter.

We made this announcement in all good faith but Monday we were in receipt of a letter from the Press Bur-

## LISLE COMMUNITY CLUB TO HEAR INTERESTING ADDRESS

At the next meeting of the Lisle Community Club to be held in the Lisle church next Tuesday evening, January 13th, at 8:00 p. m., Mr. Burke of Lisle, will give an interesting address.

Mr. Burke is a designer and builder of airplanes, whose business is in

## TREASURER'S AND COLLECTOR'S MONTHLY REPORTS READ

Pay Roll and Other Bills Passed at Regular Meeting of the Board On Monday Evening.

Downers Grove, Ill., Jan. 5th, 1919. Regular meeting of the Council of the Village of Downers Grove, Ill. Present at roll call Mayor W. Barber and Commissioners Austin, Bryce, Haller and Heartt.

Minutes of the meeting of December 29th, 1919, were read, and Commissioner Haller moved to approve same. On roll call Commissioners Haller, Heartt, Austin, Bryce and Mayor Barber voted Aye. Nays none. Motion carried.

Collector's and Treasurer's reports for the month of December were read as follows:

### COLLECTOR'S REPORT

To the Council of the Village of Downers Grove, Illinois.

Gentlemen: The following is my report for the month of December 1919. Chas. M. Hitch, Vil. Col.

FOR—	
Commercial Lighting	\$2624.35
Light Meter Repairs	71.00
Light Meters	85.50
Water Rates	45.00
Water Meter Repairs	36.95
Water Tapping Fees	125.00
Licenses	21.00
Lamp Sales	67.21
Special Assessments	315.23
Sale of poles	50.00
Sale of Labor	14.00
Sale of Material	37.40
Garbage Disposal	6.25
Line Extension	58.35
<b>Total</b>	<b>6577.90</b>

### DISBURSEMENTS

Deposited to Credit of Village Treasurer ..... \$3517.90

Commissioner Austin moved to accept the reports as read, and have them placed on the records. On roll call Commissioners Austin, Bryce, Haller, Heartt and Mayor Barber voted Aye. Nays none. Motion carried.

Commissioner Heartt presented the semi-monthly pay-roll for the period from December 15, 1919, to December 31, 1919, and various bills, and moved to approve same and have warrants drawn for the several amounts as follows:

### PAY ROLL

Dec. 15, 1919 to Dec. 31, 1919. Dept. Accounts & Finances

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au publishing these wonderful stories that they were delayed because Mr. Comerford was redrafting them in some of the essential parts.

Just when we would receive the first installment of the series was not known, but that they will start about the first week in February is our conclusion from the wording of the letter.

Anyway they are well worth waiting for as Mr. Comerford, in the vernacular of the day, "shakes a wicked pen."

Chicago. He will tell of the many interesting things which go into the making of planes, how they are flown and other interesting details of their construction and control.

A short musical program will also be a feature of the evening at which home talent will show its ability.

Ending up the evening will be the annual election of officers and reports of officers and committees.

Everybody, especially those living in the vicinity of Lisle and Belmont are welcome to participate in the evening's entertainment.



## SAVE FOR A HOME

Plan to have a home of your own. You owe it to your wife and kiddies. A home that you own is a real home. And it is not hard to get, either. Just put a portion of your savings into a home-savings account each pay day and you will be amazed to see how soon you will be able to quit paying rent and build or buy a home of your own.

WHY NOT OPEN AN ACCOUNT TODAY?

**Farmer's and Merchant's Bank**  
 Oldest Bank in Downers Grove



## Make 1920 Your Year of Years By Learning to Save SYSTEMATICALLY!

You will be surprised how rapidly an account grows when it is once started and the interest is added. Then there is the fact that you are laying the foundation for an INDEPENDENT FUTURE, and that foundation will become firmer and firmer with each succeeding deposit.

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 Downers Grove, Illinois.