Worthington Pump & Mchy... DEFICIAL PRO-CEEDINGS OF THE H. J. Hawkins, Bill No. 790 .. VILLAGE BOARD

Downers Grove, Ill., Feb. 9. 1920. Regular meeting of the Council of Willage of Downers Grove, Ill Present at roll call Mayor W. C. Bar and Commissioners Austin, Bryce. Haller and Heartt.

Minutes of the meeting of February 2nd were read and Commissioner Heartt moved to approve same. On roll call Commissioners Heartt, Aus-Sinclair Refining Co., Bills .. tin, Bryce, Haller and Mayor Barber voted Aye. Nays none. Motion car-Busch-Sulzer Bros. Diesel ...

Commissioner Heartt presented various bills and moved to approve them and have warrants drawn for the several amounts as follows: Dept. of Accts. & Finances.

Electrical World, Bill Feb. 2 J. W. Nash, Bill Feb. 20\$.68 J. D. Gillespie & Co., Bill .. Petty cash January acct. 2.31 Addressograph Co., Bill Dec. 16 1.88 Dept. of Public Affairs. F. Wm. Kraft, Bill Dec. 6 \$162.05

TREASURER'S REPORT To the Council of the Village of Downers Grove, Illinois, Gentlemen:

The following is my report	for the m	onth of Jan ord Davis,	uary, 1920. Village Tre	asurer.
Funds	On hand	Receipts	Expend.	Bal.
Dept. of Public Affairs		t for month		\$ 575.2
Dept. of Accounts & Finances.	774.38	6.00	402.72	377.6
Dept. of Health & Safety		. 15	2.70	1078.9
Dept. of Sts and Public Imp.		F	554.36	972.0
Dept. of Public Property		2960.67	3005.67	1393.4
Public Library		578.34	144.15	541.8
Public Benefit				246.1
Interest Fund		29.27		2944.0
Sinking Fund	All are all all and are			3807.7
Total	\$12546.08		\$ 4183.47	
Special Assessments	11370.06	11416.79	10613.77	12173.0
Grand Total	\$23916.14	\$14991.22		
I do hereby swear to the b	est of my	knowledge t	his report t	o true and
eerrect.	C.	Ford Davis	, Village T	reasurer.
Subscribed and sworn to be	fore me th	is 9th day o	f February,	1920.
	(chas. M. Hi	tch, Notary	Public.

	Chas. M. Hitch, Notary Publ		
D C Pub Co Pill Feb 90 550	Louis L. Emmerson, Truck		
	License		
	On roll call Commissioners		
Dept. of Health & Safety.	tin, Heartt, Bryce. Haller, and M		
Am. LaFrance Fire Eng. Co	Barber voted Aye. Nays none.		
Bill No. 65352\$9.00			
Dowsers Grove Publishing Co.	Collector's and Treasurer's rep		
	for the month of January were		
J. D. Gillespie & Co., Bill Feb 2 4.05	[Mail Color		
Chicago Tel. Co., Bill Feb. 1 2.00	□ ■ 1		
Petty cash, Jan. Acct 2.20			
G. Cline-Salary, Fire 2.00			
F. Safranski 2.00	그 마다이어 전대 하다를 내용하는데 하면 하고 있는데 아이지 아니라면서 그 나는데 아니다면 하면 하는데 아이지 않아요?		
E. Dicke 2.00			
P. D. Heinke 2.00			
H. C. Dicke 2.00			
Val Wander 2.00			
Grant Dicke 2.00	Commercial Lighting\$277		
G. Vix 2.00	Light Meters 8		
T. Pesczinski 2.00			
5. Hoffert 2.00			
H. Erickson 2.00	Water Meter Repairs 3		
Dept. Streets & Pub. Improvem'nts.			
	Special Assessments		
Lord Lumber Co., Bill No. 253 9.91			
Mertz & Mochel, Bill Feb. 1			
Lord Lumber Co., Bill No. 413 11.51			
Dept. of Public Property.	DISBURSEMENTS		
The Texas Co., Bill No. 138 \$535.96	[20] [20] [20] [20] [20] [20] [20] [20]		
Standard Oil Co., Bill	lage Treasurer\$328		
No. 46864 11.64	[[1] [[1] [[1] [[1] [[1] [[1] [[1] [[1]		
Potter Mfg. Co., Bill Jan. 6 17.10	cept the reports as read, and h		

CONFERENCE MARKS BEGINNING OF INTER-CHURCH MOVEMENT

January 30 3.05

Bill No. A96054 14.16 ried.

Pittsburg Meter Co.

Neptune Meter Co.,

Hersey Mfg. Co., Bill

Kidwell Garage Co., Bill

A conference that will mark the beginning in Du Page County of the part its pastors and churches will have in the nation-wide program the many denominations are projecting through their Interchurch World Movement, will be held on Tuesday, February 17. 1920, at the Geneva Ho tel in Geneva beginning at 6 p. m. and closing at 10 p. m. There will be a conference supper at 6 o'clock for those who will have part in the survey work that is to be undertaken in the near future.

Uniting in this sectional conference will be representatives from the neighboring counties of Du Page, **Eendall** and Kane. This is one of a series of sectional conferences being held in February throughout the northern part of Illinois. During January a series of similar conferences was held in the southern part of the

state. This conference will be under the the State Supervisor for the survey of the counties in Illinois, and it will be attended by members of the sur vey teams now being organized in these counties and by other pastors and officers of the churches in these inties who are interested each de own county's religious conditions, can equipment and leadership. The can history.

plan which will be presented at this under which the entire North American continent is now being surveyed county by county.

This survey is the first great project of several to be undertaken by the Interchurch World Movement in which over thirty of the largest Protestant Evangelical denominations are cooperating. It is because of the positive influence of economic, social and educational conditions in all of cided to visit New York from her our communities upon the religious experiences and interests of the individual and upon the welfare of churches that this survey will take all of these related facts into account. will therefore be the most thoroughgoing and comprehensive study each state and of each county and of their problems that has ever been

This nation-wide program, as it is being developed by the leaders of the denominations that are cooperating through their Interchurch World Movement, provides a way by which tnose who are interested and are chiefly responsible, first, may know the total task of the Christian forces direction of Rev. R. H. M. Augustine of each county, and second, may undertake cooperatively whatever the conditions and imperative needs sugrest through the revelations of the survey. This movement is the most far-reaching and significant enterprise among the churches of the na tion since the beginning of Ameri

OR CONSOLATION

Corpt, Bill No. 63586 17.73

General Electric Co., Bills

No. 871309

No. C89057

No. C91693

No. GI617349

No. 603332

No. FV99954

.No. FV610649

No. 36938

Downers Grove Garage,

Bill Jan. 31

February 2

Western Electric Co., Bills..

115.16

Edgar D. Otto, Bill Jan. 24 . . 138.00 Dear Editor: 22.44 Principles disclosed by research car- so when Mary Worthington decides Generator Balance1075.00

be of interest to the community. at the churches by those outside their sportsman's hunting lodge in the circles is that there are too many mountains. churches. Many use this argument No. FV613059 11.80 as an excuse for their indifference. Mary learning this allows him to be

No. 38863 27.72 consolodated community churches has can figure out the matter quietly. long been discussed. Many local ex- And, besides, this handsome young Eng. Co., Note No. 3 308.75 V. Fredenhagen, Feb., Rent .. 25.00 ing the last 25 years. The results teresting personage. In fact they fall of these experiments have not met the in love with each other, and when expectations of enthusiastic expon-the Arnold crowd discovers her ents of consolidation. Undoubtedly whereabouts and comes to rescue her the failure of these local experiments she turns in with her abductor and is the great reason why the World helps fight them of. And how she Inter-Church Movement is now lay- fights. Jan. pumping bill 493.23 ing its emphasis on the methods of Jan. Public light 13.71 effective cooperation rather than or- novel meeting and such a case of

> be admitted that the period of experi- subsequent engagement. And with mentation is as yet brief. However, the able assistance of her sweetheart careful statistical investigation cov- Mary succeeds in obtaining possesof a century shows that, taken as a punishing the unscrupulous executor. whole local consolidation of churches into union institutions has resulted in a LOSS of nearly 35% in total memvership. There have been a few exceptions. Most of these exceptions 7 vere found among the few cases where congregations of the same denomination merged their forces, finding that they were occupying the same field. The general principle of church growth has always been multiplication of churches -never consolidating unless the field were actually over-churched. By this I mean unless there was more than a church 12.00 for each five hundred of por dation in the district in question.

It now seems apparent that problem of efficiency is not to solved by union and consolidation but ports by charitable and whole-hearted cooperation. The lives of a larger number of people of the community are rermanently effected by a half dozen spiritual churches effectively cooperating in a village of three thousand reople than by a single consolidated

The churches can fill a larger mision by brotherly cooperation. Perhaps this can best be secured by maintaining an Inter-Church Counci which should be composed of a uni form number of representatives elected annually by each of the churches and possibly including the pastors of all of the churches as well. The Council should not be too large. It should have monthly meetings at fixed time and be subject to a call to special session on short notice. It should make use of the local newspaper for public recommendations and reports, supply tracts and literature as occasion demands, etc.

Proselyting should be condemned ac and the shifting of membership from Lord Lumber Co., Bill No. 413 10.92 them placed on the records. On roll munity should be discouraged. Bishop Phone 212-W-2 .48 call Commissioners Austin, Bryce Leet of the Methodist church puts the Petty cash, Jan. Acct 84.41 Haller, Heartt. and Mayor Barber matter very tersely but none too toted Aye. Nays none. Motion car- strongly in his book, "The Church in the City." when he says of this prac-Bill No. A96123 16.02 Commissioner Haller moved to ad- tice. "It is all in vain to make exyourn to the next regular meeting cuses. The practice is wrong. It is call Commissioners Haller, Austin. great injustice. Ministers of the gos-No. 100624 62.37 Pryce, Heartt, and Mayor Barber pel and laity who are supposed to J W. Nash. Bill Feb. 2 2.19 oted Aye. Nays none. Motion car- know the eighth commandment and could not think of taking a dollar Chas. M. Hitch. Village Clerk. from another unfairly, exhaust many expedients to entice members to come to them from another's flock. Thou halt not steal!" Effective cooperaconference by Mr. Augustine is that tion and brotherly love will solve a great many problems of the relation of the church to the community.

> Sincerely. J. Alfred Nansen, a local pastor.

"A FAVOR TO A FRIEND"

At the Dicke Theatre February 17 If Mary Worthington had not dehome in the West to take possession of the estate left her by her father. none of this would ever have haprened. But she did, and Mark Arnold. the crafty executor, in oredr to hide from her his double dealings enlists of the aid of his nephew, Sam Arnold. and an equally unscrupulous lawyer named Williams in camoulflaging his thefts. It is their plan to force her to sign an authorization which Mark Arnold has drawn up and in which he had inserted the loophole through which he may escape with the thou-

eands he has already lost by misstruggled along for a whole week on Broadway, and the producers are for taking it off on Saturday night, Danny Abbott, the press agent who went to college cannot dope out some thing to give it a new lease on life. So Danny conspires with a friend Robert Garrison, to kidnap the star Gloria Morning, as she arrives home from the theatre Saturday evening. They expect to advertise the abdue-

CHURCH COOPERATION bring her back and then hang out the date, a member of the woman's when an event gets into print is it

napped. She has her own reasons, :ied on in the Department of Church to escape from the upstairs room Organization and Extension in a The- where Arnold has locked her in, and ological Seminary prompted the writ- to flee to her only friend Gloria, it ing of this article. The facts should is Mary who is enveloped in the arms of Robert Garrison and carried off One of the chief criticisms aimed in his powerful automobile to the

Garrison thinks he has Gloria, and Are they justified in this criticism? deceived. It is a good place, she be-The problem of union churches or lieves, to hide from Arnold while she eriments have also been made dur- man who is her captor is a very in-

It is inevitable of course, that this ganic and mechanical consolidation. love at first sight should result in the But the facts of the case? It must declarations of each, followed by the ering the period of the last quarter sion of her rightful property and in

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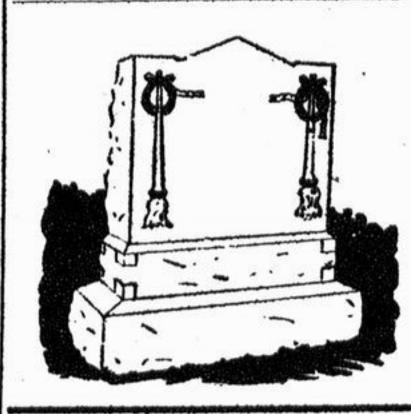
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tion of the star, recover her and to club of the town, sat down and read officially recorded and filed for refthe article. "This gives me exactly erence. Flimsy as it is, the printed Gloria, however, refuses to be kid- the information I wanted," she said. word of today is the counterpart of "I thought it would," said the li- the ancient stone inscriptions that sppreciate how valuable is the local yesterday. I consider the bound vol-



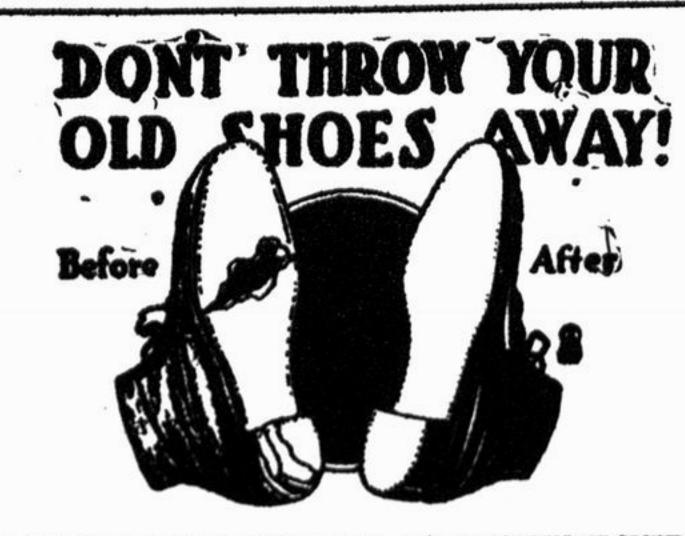
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