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## A Happy and Prosperous

## New Year

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## PERSONALS

HAPPY NEW YEAR!

If you needus-foneus!

at the Berwyn Sanitarium, is recov. I. M. Howe and family. ering from an operation he under-

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Jenkins and on, spent the holidays in Indianapo-Hs with relatives.

Miss Ruth DeWitt was at home from Illinois State University where she is attending college.

Mrs. Edward G. Lemon has been entertaining a few intimate friends at luncheon this week.

aunt, Mrs. Dempsey of Chicago, on a trip to Florida.

mas with her daughter, Mrs. LeRoy Renn, in St. Louis, returning on Wed-

The Misses Gabrille and Marguerite Lambert, of Bushnell, Ill., are vis-

B. J. Stevenson. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Harthon and family, of Chicago, spent Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred P.

iting at the home of their aunt, Mrs.

Miss Genevieve of Chicago, and Dr. and Mrs. H. Dewey and Betty, of La Grange, visited at the Frank Kidwell home over Christmas.

Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Morton entertained at a family dinner on Christmas Day.

toys and many good things to eat, ler, Bryce, and Heartt. which made our Christmas such a

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Foote and E. A. Berg of Chicago, were guests Mayor Barber voted Aye. Nays Mr. William Lies of Glencoe and Mr. Mr. William Shannabrook, who is on Christmas Day of Mr. and Mrs.

> Miss Margaret Howe is enjoying a two weeks vacation from her studies at the Art Institute.

A picture must have unusual merit to receive a two day showing at the Curtiss Theatre. Such a picture is "The Right to Love", the seven reel Paramount Super Special which will be shown there next Tuesday and Wednesday.

At the annual meeting of the County Superintendents of Highways of Northeastern Illinois held in Chicago, December 28th, Mr. E. L. Gates Miss Jessie Bryce accompanied her of DuPage County was re-elected to the presidency of the association. Mr. C. L. Hanson of Kane County, was elected secretary. The association has Mrs. Frank McCollum spent Christ frequent meetings to discuss road problems in the north section of the

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#### JUNIOR RED CROSS REMEMBERS BOYS IN SMALLER HOSPITALS

"I knew that the Red Cross would Bender, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dewey and not forget us." The speaker was an ex-service man. The scene was a small hospital where not even one spray of holly indicated that it was Mr. and Mrs. Wm. F. Buckley of the day before Christmas. The wom-Cicero and Mr. and Mrs. Belliss and an had handed him candy, jelly and son, Stanley, of Chicago, visited at cigarettes from the Junior Red Cross the home of Mrs. C. W. Brookins on and also an envelope containing some crisp bills and a greeting from the Good Fellows of the Tribune "to the man to whom we are so indebted."

The Red Cross nurse had served at Camp Wadsworth and knew home Hinsdale Upholstering and sick boys at once. She hurried to a takes this hospital where there was a Christmas the many custo-tree for each ward, a holly wreath will be for each window and at least one New present for each soldier. The Comdy Imanding Officer listened to her story

and sent a car to bring back the five soldiers to spend Christmas eve and to have Christmas dinner.

The Red Cross "does not forget," and it is the plan of the Junior Red Cross to remember the soldiers in the smaller hospitals every holiday during the year.

000 school children in the United States training for citizenship. By the middle of January 300,000 in Chicago, Cook County, Lake and DuPage will be enrolled. No individual fee is asked, but the one who enrolls is pledged to do his share in making America a happier place in which to

#### OFFICIAL PRO-CEEDINGS OF THE VILLAGE BOARD

Regular meeting of the Council of within thirty days. the Village of Downers Grove, Ill. ber and Commissioners Bender, Haller, Bryce and Heartt.

Minutes of the meeting of December 6th, 1920, were read and Commissioner Heartt moved to approve same as corrected. On roll call Commissioners Heartt, Haller, Bender, Bryce and Mayor Barber voted Aye. Nays none. Motion carried.

Commissioner Bryce presented the following resolution and moved for its adoption:

Resolution

Council of said Village to sign a cated and opened to the public here 20461, 20512, 20514 and 20515 res. a link in the Chicago-St. Louis highpectively, with the Chicago Tele- way, extending from Sparland to phone Company, pertaining to and Chatham, a distance of 117 miles. The

tion carried .

journ to the next regular meeting pleted of the 4,800 miles of hard surdate December 20th, 1920. On roll faced roads that are to form a concall Commissioners Bender, Bryce, nected and statewide system of high-Haller, Heartt and Mayor Barber ways in Illinois. voted Aye. Nays none. Motion car-

Chas. M. Hitch, Village Clerk.

Downers Grove, Ill., Dec. 20, 1920. Regular meeting of the Council of the Village of Downers Grove, Ill. We wish to thank every one very Present at roll call Mayor W. C. Rarmuch, who so kindly contributed the ber and Commissioners Bender, Hal-

Minutes of the meeting of Decemhappy one.-Herman Ehlig and chil- ber 13th, 1920, were read and Commissioner Haller moved to approve same. On roll call Commissioners Haller, Bender, Bryce, Heartt and none. Motion carried.

> Commissioner Heartt presented the semi-monthly pay roll for the period from December 1st, 1920, to December 15th, 1920, and moved to approve same and have warrants drawn for the several amounts as

#### PAY ROLL Dec. 1 to Dec. 15, 1920 Dept. of Accounts & Finances Chas. M. Hitch-Salary .... \$70.00

The state of the s	
A. B. Snow	. 7.50
William Bender	
Harry W. Bryce	
Charles Haller	
I. G. Heartt	
C. Ford Davis	
W. C. Barber	
Dept. of Streets & Public	
S. Budzik (sewers)—Salary	
(Streets)	
J. Banks (streets)	
Dept. of Public Propert	
H. L. Thompson-Salary	
Ola Irwin	
Wilber Dunn	
H. C. Hieks	
Earl Watkins	
Extra time, 7 hours	
Frank Allen-Salary	. 95.00
On roll call Commissioners	
Bender, Bryce, Haller and	ACCURACY TO A SECOND

Commissioner Bender moved to adjourn to the next regular meeting date, December 27th, 1920. On roll call Commissioners Bender, Bryce, Haller, Heartt and Mayor Barber voted Aye. Nays none. Motion car-

Barber voted Aye. Nays none. Mo-

Chas. M. Hitch, Village Clerk.

Paint Brush's Many Uses.

Nothing is better to take dust down the stairs than a good paint brush. If removes the dust from the corner niche of each step, brushes between the stair railings of moldings in a way no cloth can possibly do. Indeed a medium size paint brush of shout four inches width has many uses in the

#### VILLAGE ATTORNEY TAKES EXCEPTION TO NEWS ARTICLE

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was no question but what the petition was presented in time but the The Junior Red Cross has 12,000, Council in the case mentioned refused to call an election in compliance with the petition.

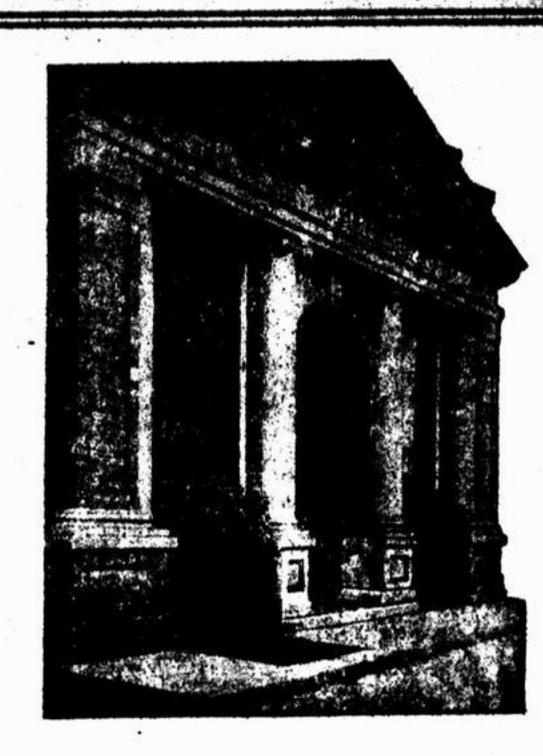
In view of the very close question involved in our case it was considered advisable by me that the Village concede that the petition was filed in time. It will, therefore, be seen that the question whether or not the Village had a right to pass an ordinance of this kind, or whether or not such an ordinance would be sustained by the Supreme Court, was not involved at all. We met specially for the purpose of determining whether or not the petition was filed in time and it was thought expedient and best for all parties concerned that the petition be considered as Downers Grove, Ill. Dec. 13, 1920. having been presented to the Council

Your article in the issue of Decem-Present at roll call Mayor W. C. Bar- ber 17th, therefore, was misleading, unfair and did not state the facts nor even the point involved.

> Yours very truly, A. B. Snow.

#### OPEN LONG STRETCH OF CONCRETE ROAD ON DECEMBER 23RD

Mason City, Ill., Dec. 23rd.-The RESOLVED, That the Mayor of longest stretch of paved road that the Village of Downers Grove be and has yet been completed under the is hereby authorized by the Village Federal Aid Act was formally dedigreements numbered 20456, 20458, today. The completed pavement is agreeing upon the purchase, mainte- entire road as paved with con rete nance, operation and use of certain and along this magnificent rural bouelectric light and telephone poles levard lie the cities of Springfield and jointly, as provided in said agree- Peoria, as well as a score or more of smaller towns and villages and hun-On roll call Commissioners Bryce, dreds of farms in what is one of the Bender, Haller, Heartt and Mayor richest farming districts in the world Barber voted Aye. Nays none. Mo- and special significance is attached to the completion of this road, since it Commissioner Bender moved to ad- is the first large project to be com-



Every year a large number of new friends come to us who

# Solve The Saving Problem

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	Felt Soled Slppers at per pair	_
35c Value	e Shirting Cheviots, at per yard	22c
40c Value	e Bleached and Brown Crashes at per yard	25c

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