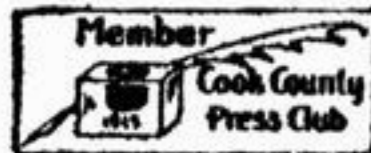


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MICKIE SAYS

THESE GENERALLY SOME STORE KEPPER EXPERIMENTING WITH CIRCULAR LETTERS 'ROUND THIS TOWN, UNTIL HE TUMBLES THAT FOLKS ARE TOO DIZZY THESE DAYS TO WASTE TIME READING IMITATION 'LETTERS'. YA KIN SEND A MAN A 'LETTER' BUT YA CANT MAKE HIM READ IT—BUT EVERYBODY READS THE NEWSPAPERS



IMPORTANT ELECTION TOMORROW.

One of the most important questions which have confronted the people of this community for years comes up for a vote tomorrow.

The sanitary district was organized to build an outlet sewer and disposal plant for the village of Downers Grove and to allow those living outside the corporate limits to be able to connect up with an established system, drain their lands and provide for the sanitary disposal of all sewage.

In order to do this funds are necessary and the trustees of the district are asking for authority to issue bonds in the sum of \$75,000. At the same time they desire to raise the tax rate one-third of one per cent per annum.

Both of these propositions are necessary to the welfare of the people of the community. Both have had the long consideration of those best qualified to judge what is needed and both should have the full approval of the voters.

The election is tomorrow, Saturday, July 9. Vote for both propositions.

A SWIMMING POOL.

There is in Downers Grove a real need for a swimming pool of some kind. This was demonstrated in the last two weeks by the number of responses received to a tentative "feeler" in the Reporter columns.

If any other evidence is required a journey to the beach at Romeo any time of the day or night will give it. Here, almost twelve miles away, Downers Grove people flock in crowds for the bathing.

Downers Grove needs an ole swimmin' hole, not so much for the grown-ups who already know the delights of going in the water, but for the kiddies who should be learning to swim.

Can this be accomplished? YES! All that is necessary in Downers Grove to accomplish anything is to start it, get the right men behind it—the workers—and it will be done. LET'S GO, fellers.

A SUPERINTENDENT FOR DOWNERS GROVE SCHOOL.

Through the resignation of Kenneth M. Snapp Downers Grove has lost a good superintendent of schools. They are now looking for a man to fill his place, and we understand have about thirty-five applicants for the position.

We hesitate to give advice to as able a body of men as we have on our School Board, but think the situation calls for at least a "tip."

Samuel S. Vernon filled the place of Principal of the High School during the last term. He made a record which is hard to beat. He had the co-operation of students and faculty alike. By his methods the student body were one in their desire for knowledge.

There is the man to be at least offered the superintendency of the

Downers Grove school system. We doubt whether such a thought has entered his head, for he is a modest man, in spite of being a good educator.

Mr. Vernon is dignified, he is business-like in his methods, he is well able to fill the position, and should be given it, we believe.

Why hunt the country over for men, taking them on someone's else recommendation when we have right here at home a man who has proven himself in our own schools.

When we say our choice for the place is Samuel S. Vernon we are not standing alone in the belief that he would carry on the work of making Downers Grove's schools better and better.

There's the tip. Members of the Board of Education, give it at least a little thought before making a final decision.

OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS OF THE VILLAGE BOARD

Downers Grove, Ill., July 5, 1921. Regular meeting of the Council of the Village of Downers Grove, Ill. Present at roll call Mayor W. C. Barber and Commissioners Bender, Haller, Bryce and Heartt.

Minutes of the meeting of June 27, 1921, were read and Commissioner Haller moved to approve same. On roll call Commissioners Haller, Bender, Heartt, Bryce and Mayor Barber voted Aye. Nays none. Motion carried.

Commissioner Heartt presented the semi-monthly pay roll for the period from June 15 to June 30, 1921, and various bills and moved to approve same and have warrants drawn for the several amounts as follows:

Table with columns for Department, Name, and Amount. Includes entries for Dept. of Accounts & Finances, Dept. of Public Affairs, Dept. of Streets & Improvements, Dept. of Public Property, Dept. of Health & Safety, and Dept. of Accounts & Finances.

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VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL STARTED TUESDAY MORN

Enrollment of 73 on First Day Indicates Another Successful Season for School.

Sixty-two, fifty-four scholars and eight teachers, were present at the opening of the Vacation Bible School at the Baptist church on Tuesday morning. Seventy-three children of the village had been enrolled up to Tuesday noon which equals the mark set last year.

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children to register. They can do so by attending one of the sessions at the Baptist church, or through their parents by calling Mrs. Hattie Tiffany, 321-M.

Any morning will do to register, but the sooner the better.

The school is absolutely non-sectarian. It keeps the younger ones off the street, teaches them Bible work, basket weaving, scroll and other handy work. The instructors tell them stories and the program is all planned according to the ages of the children and what is good for them to do in this hot weather.

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