

SUGGESTS "HELP YOURSELF" RESTAURANT FOR BIRDS

Mrs. E. G. Lemon Asks Children's Help in Making Xmas Happy for Feathered Friends.

Dear Children of Downers Grove: Have you heard of the Cafeteria Lunches being served in the free restaurants in our town? They are being served in many places and the birds are very excited and very, very busy spreading the news, at least, I think they are spreading the news for each day a larger crowd of guests present themselves at the two restaurants on our grounds. We serve a mixture of seeds made up of canary, hemp, rape and millet seeds, and fine chick feed, also bread crumbs and suet. The Hairy and Downy Woodpeckers, the Nut Hatches and Blue Jays are very fond of the suet. The Junco's Field and Song Sparrows, the seeds, of course the English sparrow is one of our steady guests, poor little chap, he gets just as hungry as our real nice birds and we cannot help but admire him for being so brave and persistent, and perhaps he is not nearly so black as he has been painted in our minds so he is made welcome at our restaurants.

We have not found out just what the little owl that has made his home with us for four years, prefers on his menu. Live mice we are told. He does not take his meals with our other birds however, as they, as well as myself, draw a line at live mice. The little brown Creepers are busy, most of the day running up along tree trunks and limbs hunting out the eggs and larva of injurious insects.

The saucy little Chickadee swings and swings from the ends of tree branches, so happy and carefree that it puts sunshine into the grayest sort of a day. You can all see the great fun and enjoyment you are missing

If you haven't established a free restaurant.

Why not start one as a Christ gift to the birds? I am sure it will help to make the day much more enjoyable for you, when you glance out of your window and see the crowds of contented, happy little guests that are patronizing your lunch counter. You have proven so responsive and helpful in the past years looking after the welfare of our winter birds, I feel confident you will act upon this suggestion that I present to you.

Hoping that all of the joys of the Yuletide may come to you I thank you in the name of our little feathered friends, the birds.

MRS. E. G. LEMON.

OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS OF THE VILLAGE BOARD

Downers Grove, Ill., Dec. 12 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 and Heartt.

Minutes of the meeting of December 5, 1921, were read and Commissioner Bender moved to approve same. On roll call Commissioners Bender, Haller, Heartt and Mayor Barber voted Aye. Nays none. Motion carried.

Collector's and Treasurer's reports



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for the month of November were read as follows:

COLLECTOR'S REPORT		Disbursements	
To the Council of the Village of Downers Grove, Ill., Gentlemen:			
The following is my report for the month of November, 1921.			
Chas. M. Hitch, Village Collector.		Total	
Commercial Lighting	33222.91	Deposited to the credit of the Village Treasurer	\$6540.01
Light Meter repairs	9.40	Commissioner Heartt moved that the reports be placed on record. On roll call Commissioners Heartt, Haller, Bender and Mayor Barber voted Aye. Nays none. Motion carried.	
Light Meters	84.00	Commissioner Heartt moved to adjourn to the next regular meeting date December 19, 1921. On roll call Commissioners Heartt, Haller, Bender and Mayor Barber voted Aye. Nays none. Motion carried.	
Water Rates	2349.28		
Water meters	33.00		
Water Meter repairs	35.05		
Water Tapping fees	105.00		
Sewer Permits	10.00		
Licenses	29.50		
Dog Taxes	2.00		
Automobile Fines	60.40		
Police Fines	23.00		
Lamp Sales	47.20		

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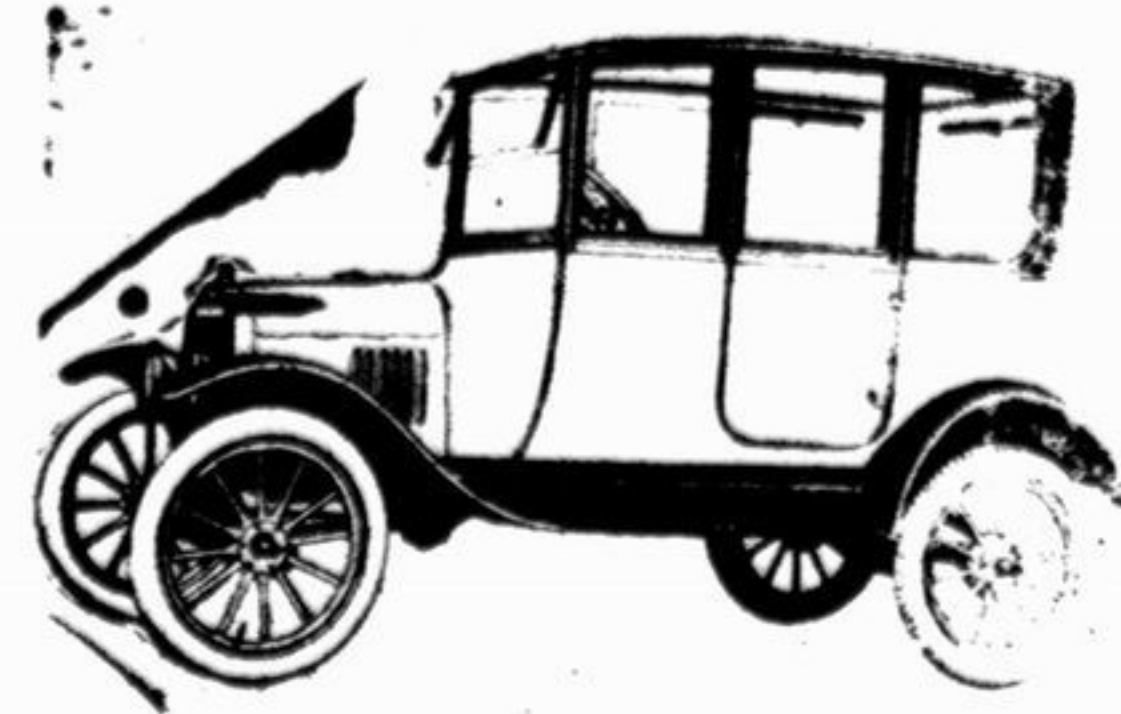
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