

WORK STARTED ON NAPERVILLE-WHEATON ROAD

Other North and South Roads Contemplated in the County—State Aid.

The work on the County road from Naperville to Wheaton has been started and will be pushed as rapidly as possible under the supervision of County Road Commissioner E. L. Gates. The work is all being done by local men and we can be assured of a good job.

The road south of Bronsonville corner has been closed and detour signs have been placed so that the traveling public can easily find its way.

The contractor has built a larger bin in the gravel pit on the Beckman farm, which is on the road that is being improved, and expects to start his crusher in a few days. The road from Naperville to Wheaton is to be constructed of crushed gravel and will also have a dirt road on each side so that it can be used for horse drawn vehicles if desired.

The road from Wheaton to Cloverdale, Bloomingdale and connecting with Roselle is to be constructed of crushed stone. Work on this section will follow the completion of the south section.

When this road is completed we will have the first and only north and south road in which the State is interested in this part of Illinois.

A very interesting fact about this road is that it is all paid for and the money is in the treasury of DuPage County at the present time. This money is a refund of money returned by the state. After the completion of the road the State will also refund half the cost of construction and also pay one half of the cost of maintenance.

The Naperville-Wheaton-Bloomingdale road is the type of construction advocated by the Board of Supervisors for all main north and south roads in the county. It is the type contemplated for the York road from Hinsdale to Elmhurst and north to Bensenville with a connecting link to Itasca. For the road from Lombard south through Downers Grove to Lemont connecting with the Archer avenue road in Cook county, which is completed from Chicago to Joliet and down state.

From Bartlett south through West Chicago and connecting with Wayne, Warrenville and Eola and extending southerly to connect with the Roosevelt road, Naperville-Aurora road and meeting the Aurora-Joliet road at the Will county line.

These roads when constructed will

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TAG DAY NETTED \$62.93 FOR RUSSIAN FAMINE RELIEF

Money Collected in Downers Grove is Enough to Care for One Child For One Year.

The Tag Day for Russian Famine Relief, authorized by the Chicago Council unanimously, and endorsed by our own Village Board, was carried through with the generous cooperation of the following young ladies: Misses Elizabeth Shaffer, Jeannette Phelps, Jane Frankenfeld, Virginia Lacey, Irene Tank, Betty Mahoney, Eleanore Schultz and Margaret Groat, under the direct supervision of Mrs. A. H. Barnhart and Mrs. H. S. Paine.

The amount raised and forwarded to headquarters was \$62.93, which will be enough to care for one child a year, at the rate of \$5.00 per month.

In order that the citizens who so generously responded may know how the fund is distributed, we are glad to quote from a letter received from the Relief Committee: "We intend to distribute through the Quakers and through the Russian Red Cross, under American supervision. We have invited the Quakers, the Knights of Columbus, and members of the American Relief Association to participate in this distribution. We intend to invite the Lutherans, and other American Relief organizations to assist. We will probably have stricter American supervision than any other relief organization operating in the famine region. Our work has been highly praised by Dr. Fritjoff Nansen, head of the League Nations Relief work, and in every way is worthy of confidence and cooperation."

interact or connect up all of the concrete east and west Bond issue roads Lake street, St. Charles road, Roosevelt road, the "Plank" road, Starved Rock Trail and Lincoln Highway.

FARM BUREAU TO HOLD PICNIC ON JULY TWELFTH

Affair to be Held in the Forest Preserve East of West Chicago on the DuPage River.

On Wednesday, July 12th, in the Forest Preserve, one mile east of West Chicago and one quarter of a mile north of Roosevelt Road on the west bank of the DuPage river, there will be a picnic given under the auspices of the Farm Bureau of DuPage County for all farmers and others interested in farm life in this county.

The Forest Preserve is a tract of 110 acres of wooded land thru which flows the west branch of the beautiful DuPage river, across which there is a concrete dam forming a fine swimming pool with bath houses adjacent. Fresh spring water bubbles up and out of the concrete storage tank in the hill-side, and the location in general provides one of the most ideal places for a picnic that could be imagined.

The St. Charles School for Boys' Band, the band that furnished the music at the State Fair at Springfield last year, will furnish music at the picnic. A men's quartette will sing. D. O. Thompson, former secretary of the Illinois Agricultural Association will speak, and a celebrated reader will be present. There will

ST. PAUL LADIES HELD PARTY

The Ladies Aid Society of St. Paul's Evangelical church held its first annual birthday party for all members of the society on Thursday, June 22, in the afternoon. The program which was given in church consisted of a short address by the pastor, birthday greetings for all members, and three groups of songs most pleasingly sung by Mrs. Geo. Jakes, of Chicago, who was accompanied on the piano by Miss Esther Kien.

After the program, which was greatly enjoyed by all, the committee invited the members to the church parlors where cake and ice cream were served. The tables were beautifully decorated with flowers of the season.

LOUISA SCHULTZ MARRIED

Miss Louisa Schultz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Schultz, 194 Fairmount avenue, was married Saturday, June 17, to Mr. Frederick W. Vorreyer, of Chicago, at St. Paul's Evangelical church, Grove street.

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VISITING FROM MINNEAPOLIS

Mrs. J. E. Replinger Jr., and son, Roger, of Minneapolis, Minn., formerly of Downers Grove, are visiting at the home of the Senior Replingers.

Mrs. J. E. Replinger, of Linscott avenue, will entertain this afternoon in honor of Mrs. J. E. Replinger, Jr. who is visiting her. The guests are Mrs. Ralph Broadwell, Mrs. Jack Carpenter, Mrs. J. R. Chrissinger, Mrs. E. I. Pfaff, Mrs. Henry Widekind and Mrs. Vernon Grush.

ACCIDENT VICTIMS RECOVERING

Mr. E. L. Dickerson returned from the Aurora hospital last week where he was taken after the accident several weeks ago with Mrs. Dickerson and Mr. and Mrs. King.

Mrs. Dickerson is getting along nicely and expects to be home this week. Mrs. King is staying with relatives in Aurora while Mr. King is still laid up in the hospital. They expect to be home soon.

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