

THE REPORTER.

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SENATORIAL CONVENTION.

The republican voters of the townships comprising the counties of Kane and DuPage are requested to send delegates to a convention to be held at Aurora, Tuesday, March 3d, 1896, at 11 o'clock, a. m., for the purpose of placing in nomination one candidate for State Senator, and two candidates for State Representative.

The various townships comprising the said Senatorial district will be entitled to representation as follows, the ratio being two for each town, and one for each 50 republican votes cast at the last general election in 1892:

Table listing townships and their number of delegates: Kane: Aurora, 56; Batavia, 13; Big Rock, 5; Blackberry, 6; Burlington, 6; Campton, 5; Dundee, 10; Elgin, 48; Geneva, 8; Hampshire, 6; Kaneville, 4; Plato, 4; Rutland, 4; St. Charles, 3; Sugar Grove, 5; Virgil, 5.

Table listing DuPage townships and their number of delegates: Addison, 4; Bloomingdale, 4; Downers Grove, 16; Lisle, 6; Milton, 6; Naperville, 7; Wayne, 4; Winfield, 8; York, 8.

Total 192. Grand Total 260. We would respectfully recommend that unless otherwise directed by the several town committees the voters choose delegates at caucuses to be held Feb. 29.

EDITOR REPORTER.—The citizens of our village, like those of nearly every other town, pay too little attention to the election of their village trustees, with whom is left the entire charge of the village business.

The men we want are those who are so situated that they can vote intelligently and impartially on all questions and not be influenced in one way or another, by fear of injury to their business.

FOR VILLAGE PRESIDENT, JOHN HOLLAND. A communication headed "The Coming Election," will strike a responsive chord in all thinking citizens' minds.

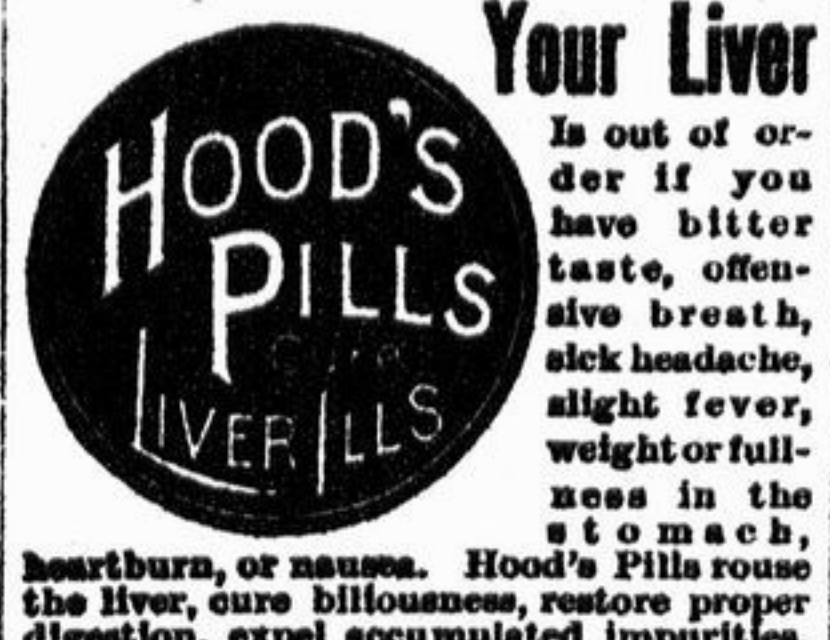
FOR VILLAGE PRESIDENT, JOHN HOLLAND. Mr. Holland is a man who is progressive, public spirited and conservative, and is decidedly a safe man to invest with municipal authority.

KEEP THE BALL ROLLING. If anything tangible is to be accomplished as a result of the electric light agitation, it must be through concerted action of the people.

Young men's republican clubs are being formed throughout the state. This is a move in the right direction. They are of untold benefit to the party as educators of young men in the principles of republicanism.

People have said they want this improvement, and that they must have it. Now let us see how their pocketbooks will react upon what they have said.

HOOD'S PILLS. Is out of order if you have bitter taste, offensive breath, sick headache, slight fever, weight or fullness in the stomach.



Many who have greatly enjoyed reading the humorous writings of Edgar Wilson Nye—"Bill Nye"—were pained to read of his death Saturday, February 22d, at his home near Asheville, N. C.

Other villages hereabouts are levying a tax of two mills on the business done by foreign insurance companies.

W.C.T.A. Column.

During the week of prayer, an all-day union missionary meeting was held in Trinity Lutheran church, Allegheny City, at which representative workers from nine different evangelical churches were present.

In a very natural and easy way Mrs. Campbell called attention to the increasing and insidious manner in which the use of alcohol was prevailing among fashionable and even among earnest Christian people.

At one entertainment she had served to her a most beautiful ice in the form of a bird's nest, and the four very innocent looking eggs were four branched cherries so strongly flavored with the liquor that a temperance woman who had eaten them might have felt she had absorbed quite a quantity of pure brandy.

A number present could tell of similar experiences, such as branched cherries put into tutti-frutti ice cream, etc. Sad indeed were the incidents mentioned of dinners, luncheons and evening receptions among the wealthiest and most influential people where young folks, both single and wedded, were taken to their carriages in a state of helpless intoxication.

Resolved, that this Union Missionary association deprecates the increase in the social drinking habits of society, even in christian homes, in these cities, and the serving of refreshments, in a most tempting form, still contain alcohol.

Such discussions as these emphasize to us workers the lack there is of any conviction among many, many intelligent christian people regarding the domestic use of liquors in cookery, and even concerning the social use of wine.

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SOCIETIES. Grove Lodge, 824, A. F. & A. M. Meets every second and fourth Friday in each month.

Downers Grove, No. 326, A. O. U. W. Meets in A. O. U. W. Hall on the first and third Friday evening of each month.

Downers Grove, No. 750, L. O. F. Meets every Monday evening. Visiting brothers are cordially invited to meet with us.

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