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GEORGE L. HERRICK.

Almost daily aspirants for the nomination of county clerk are "coming before the people." Up to date there are seven candidates, with probably more to follow. have their friends and all are confident of legislature notorious, However, about the strongest man, and certainly among the best qualiyoung man, well liked throughout the county, and is making his fight for the position on his own record, as a faithful employee of the county during the past six years.

Hinsdale will make an attempt to throw the entire strength of Downers Grove township to her caudidate, J. P. Bush, and have the cancus instruct for him. This, however, will be a hard matter to accomplish. In the past Downers Grove has been adverse to sending instructed delegations, and there is no reason to believe the precedent heretofore established will be disregarded at this time. Another matter which will prevent an instructed delegation from this township is the remembrance of the manner in which Himsdale antagonized Downers Grove ing been deferred from last meeting, previous to the regular county convention, in the states attorneyship matter. Howe is well liked here and it is probable that he will receive a share of the Downers ferred until later. Grove delegation.

The strength of the other caudidates is pet to be developed. Strubler feels confident of carrying Lisle and Naperville. The number of the candidates for the office precludes the possibility of any one township dietating where the nomination shall go, and the outcome is doubtful. Meanwhile Howe's friends are laboring with very good prospects of a successful Outcome in securing for him the nomina tion. He deserves the position.

It would be interesting to know how many Americans there are whose memotheir attention was called to the death McGuffey, of "McGuffey's reader" fame. The number of people who must have gone through McGuffey's books during their school days is probably far larger than one would dare to estimate, even at a guess. The books came into use early and their anthor's name probably enjoyed as long a period of prominence in the school room world as that of any other man. In the ays when they were first introduced male were not what they are in this time of cultured degenerates. The deaks ware ruder and in the country districts were often only benches. Books cost more and were kept longer, and more than see treasured McGuffey has passed down he family line from eldest to youngest. fundreds of persons who many years ago meetly hated the tasks any text books mposed would be glad of a chance now to on one of the books they used and call in fin annociations.

Downers Grove enjoys the untavorable Maction of being the only suburban wa on the Barlington without a train for the accommodation of its passen Quite naturally the patrons of the kick against the negligence of the smpany in not providing this hands of street and alley committee.

Free silver coinage at 16 to 1 is the short way of saying: "The free coinage of silver with sixteen ounces of silver bullion take n as equal in value to one ounce of gold bullion," when in point of fact it takes 31 ounces of silver to equal the commercial value of one onnee of gold all over the world. Under a 16 to 1 free coinnge law any man who has 51 cents worth of silver bullion can take it to the mint where the government will coin it into a silver dollar for him free of charge. In other words its advocates want the law to provide that for every 371 14 grains of silver—worth in every part of the world 51 cents in gold-the government shall give them back a coin that will be accepted in lieu of their claims as the equivalent of a gold dollar worth 100 cents.-Harvard Herald.

Senator Cullom, says a Washington cor respondent, is not aware of any intention on his part to present the name of Col Fred Grant as candidate for vice president | charges against policeman Hoffert. at the St. Louis convention, as reported in some of the newspapers. The idea has never entered his head; he has never exchanged a word with Colonel Grant or any other person on the subject and does not expect to attend the convention. Mr. Cullom thinks that Reed is the logical candidate for vice president, and that he will be nominated with a whirl, no matter whether he declines in advance or not. He says the republican party expects its members to obey orders, and the vice presidency is a very honorable office, which neither Mr. Reed nor anyone else can afford to

The art syndicate people at St. Louis are sending out newspaper cuts to illustrate sights and scenes at the republican national convention, to be printed in the newspapers as "made by our artist on the spot." The cuts include one ornate illustration of the Cullom headquarters. And some one may do Mr. Cullom a great service by informing the artist that Mr. Cullom's boom perished several weeks ago, and it is not doing the fair thing by the corpse to disinter it in this fashion.

Simon Shaffer, representative in the They are as follows: E. B. Howe, Louis late general assembly from the 18th sena Elleworth and Dr. J. H. Ashley of Milton; torial district, has been convicted of solic-J. P. Bush, of Downers Grove; Oliver iting a bribe from Aurora distillers for his Strubler, of Naperville; A. H. Fairbanks, influence in securing the suppression of of Winfield; and S. S. Rathje, of York. an unfavorable report. This is the only The fight will be a hard one, and it is an actual conviction growing out of the scanimpossible task to pick the winner. Each dale which made the last session of the

Mr. Medill, through the old-time printfled, in E. B. Howe of Wheaton. He is a ers association, has presented Chicago with a statute of one of the greatest of Americans, Benjamin Franklin, the statesman, philosopher and patriot. The donor in making the tender truly said that no man knowa to history equalled him in all the things in which he was great.

VILLAGE BOARD PROCEEDINGS

Downers Grove, Itla., May 11, 1896. The adjourned meeting from May 4th, 1896, was called to order by President Carpenter.

Boll call noted present Trustees Haghes, Schultz, Mochel, Bunge, Wetten and Chilvers.

It was regularly moved and seconded that the salary of street commissioner be \$3.00 per day instead of \$2.25. Motion was carried, all voting aye. The appointment of policemen hav-

the matter was brought up and Presi dent Carpenter offered the name of 1 J. Carney for the appointment, after some discussion the matter was de-

The matter of sidewalk on Belmont street was referred to street and alley coramittee.

The matter of granting druggists | Nalson Allen to Ed M Winslow It I Allen permits to sell intoxicating liquors was then brought up and the bonds of Bush & Simonson and W. S. Carpenter being approved of by the village attorney it was moved that the permits be granted and the bonds accepted which was carried, all voting ave.

A communication was read from E C. Kuenzel in regard to being over charged on his water tax, which was referred to the water committee.

An ordinance making appropriation for the year was read and upon motion said ordinance was put upon its passage and carried, those voting aye were rice would not be more or less stirred if Trustees Bunge, Chilvers, Wetten Mochel, Hughes and Schultz,

Mr. S. Berens being present requested the board to grant privilege to have beer to give away in Gostyn at a raffle for benefit of the church. Upon motion the request of Mr.

Berens was refused The bonds of V. Simonson, village collector; J. W. Rogers, village treasurer; J. D. Fowler, superintendent of water works; and C. V. Carpenter as president

were read and accepted by the board, It was regularly moved and seconded that Nicholus Patrick be appointed policeman for Gostyn for one year, without pay. Carried, all voting aye. It was moved and carried that the bonds of police officers in village be fixed in the sum of \$500.00, with two

good sureties. It was moved, seconded and carried that police officers be instructed to enforce ordinance in regard to riding bicycles on sidewalks and shooting in

side village limita. It was moved that all police constables or police officers be instructed to report all misuse of water and if in consequence of said use shall be shut off as per section 22 of ravised water ordinance, the officer making complaint shall receive one half of the turning on fee mentioned in said section. Carried

all voting ave. Mr. Slusser then stated request of Mr. John Holland regarding matter of water way running through his land.

It was moved and seconded that Mr J. D. Fowler be given permission to purchase \$5.00 worth of flower plants to be placed in grounds at water works, same was carried, all voting aye.

Trustee Bunge then brought up matter of fixing up park at depot. Upon motion it was left in hands of street and alley committee. It was moved that board adjourn untion and permits food to forment and putrify in

the stomach. Then follow dissiness, headache,

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til further call by the president. Carried, all voting ave. BERT C. WHITE, Village Clerk.

Immediately after adjournment the board reconvened and was called to order by President Carpenter in executive session for purpose of appointment of policemen, and to investigate

President Carpenter offered the name of P. J. Carney for policeman. It was moved by Trustee Bunge, seconded by Trustee Wetten, that the appointment be rejected. Those voting aye were Trustees Bunge, Mochel, and Wetten. Those voting nay were Trustees Chilvers, Hughes and Schultz. President Carpenter casting deciding vote nay.

It was then moved by Trustee Schultz and seconded by Trustee Chilvers, that the appointment be confirmed. Upon call those voting aye were Trustees Chilvers, Schultz and Hughes, nays, Trustees Bunge, Mochel and Wetten, the vote being a tie, President Carpenter cast deciding vote aye and P. J. Carney was declared appointed. Upon motion board adjourned.

BERT C. WHITE, Village Clerk.

A special meeting of the board was held Friday evening, May 15th, 1896, in response to a call from President Carpenter for the purpose of accepting the bond of P. J. Carney for the office of policeman for the current year and formally installing him in said officewas called to order by President Carpenter. Clerk White being absent Trustee Wetten was appointed clerk

Roll call noted present Trustees Mochel, Chilvers, Wetten, Bunge, Schultz and Hughes. The bond of P. J. Carney with C. B. Blodgett and D. K. Foote as sureties was formally read by the clerk, upon motion of Trustee Bunge, seconded by Trustee Schultz the bond was approved and accepted and P. J. Carney instructed to forthwith consider himself on duty...

A. H. WETTEN, Village Clerk pro tem. REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

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