# REPUBLICAN CAUCUS

SELECTS DELEGATES TO COUNTY AND SENATORIAL CONVENTIONS

Representative Bush and State's Attorney Slusser Are Endorsed--Vote to Hold Township Primary Elections.

The republican township caucus to select delegates to the county and senatorial conventions was held at the Auditorium here Saturday afternoon, and delegates were chosen to those conventions favorable to the candidacy of Representative Bush and State's Attorney Slusser, though no instructions were given.

Chairman J. N. Redfern, of the town committee, called the meeting to order. and Joseph P. Bush, of Hinsdale, secretary.

follows: Seven from the Hinsdale precincts, six from Downers Grove and two from Lace, and to the senatorial town in this vicinity. convention five each from Hinsdale delegates.

mously adopted by the caucus:

kentine and Frank Cramer.

of Representative Guy L. Bush's candt- nish the steam. dacy to the legislature he was on unanimous vote permitted to select his in the foundation to the engine, the own delegates to the senatorial conven- plant will not be in operation for a few tion. He chose the following list, weeks yet. which was adopted by the caucus:

To the senatorial convention-L. C. Ruth, James McClintock, W. B. Carleton, George E. Smith, J. N. Redfern, C. V. Carpenter, T. S. Rogers, Levi Mertz, E. Wootton, Hugh M. White, George B.

A republican town committee was appointed as follows: Charles Mochel; James McClintock and Fred Anderman.

L. C. Buth introduced" a resolution instructing the delegates to the rounty convention to use all homorable means to secure the nomination of M. Sinsser as state's attorney. This was opposed by several present-not because the caucus was unfriendly to Mr. Slusser, but because of the antipathy to instructions of any nature, and the resolution was amended to the edorsement of his record as state's attorney.

Upon motion the delegates to the senatorial and county conventions were instructed to fill all vacancies and cast the full vote of the delegations at the conventions.

J. N. Redfern introduced a resolution instructing the town committee to arrange for holding primaries in each precinct in the future to take the place of caucuses. The resolution passed and was as follows:

"Resolved. That hereafter delegates to all conventions shall be selected at primary elections to be held in Downers Grove, Hinsdale and Lace, the town agree is a bargain. committee selected today to be, and they are, instructed to arrange to hold such primaries and to elect their suc- lator; 200 days treatment, one dollar, proportion to Downers Grove, Hinsdale and Lace the number of delegates each place shall be entitled to, based on the same representation as is used by the county or other committee call ing the convention."

The matter was discussed at some length, many favoring and some opposing on the ground that there would be no one to whom the primary judges could make reports. James McClintock favored holding township conventions and electing delegates thereto from each precinct in the township.

## GOING WEST?

The popular personally conducted excursions to California on the Burlington leave Chicago every week.' All through trains will stop at Downers Grove for passengers holding tickets to Dubuque, St. Paul., Minneapolia, Kansas City, Omaha, Denver and beyond. Baggage checked through. Sleeping-car berths reserved. Call as ticket office for any other desired in

## EAT A WHOLE CABBAGE

If you want to. It won't hart you People used to think cabbage hung Simonson's drug store

Brilliant Showing Made in the Initial Test Saturday Evening.

Amid the cheers of the spectators the machinery in the new electric lighting plant was started Saturday night. The throttle was thrown open by John T. Burke, the general contractor of the plant, and the immense wheels began to revolve. There was a whirr and buzz, and electricity for the first time displaced oil street lamps in lighting the village of Downers Grove. People all over the town thronged the streets and generating plant to witness the test made, and officials were busy showing the machinery and explaining its workings. The arc circuit on Main street was turned on, as was the incandescent circuits all over the village, Capt. T. S. Rogers was made chairman, and made a brilliant spectacle. The are circuit on Maple avenue was not completed and that thoroughfare was J. N. Redfern moved that delegates dark. The street lighting circuit conhe selected to the county convention as sists of twenty-two arcs and eighty incandescents, and, when all are burning, Downers Grove will be the best lighted

The generating plant consists of the and Downers Grove and one from Lace. very best machinery money can buy. The motion prevailed, and upon the Larger appliances may be procured, motion of W. B. Carleton a recess of but none better. The arc lamps used ten minutes was taken to select the are of the Manhattan make, 2,000candle power, and give a brilliant light, Upon reconvening the following lists steady and without flickering, and are of delegates were reported and unani- equalled by those of no other make. The incandescent lamps are of the Edi-To the county convention-C. V. Car- son pattern, thirty-two-candle power, penter, C. B. Blodgett, Charles Mochel, specially adapted for street-lighting P. C. Gallup, Hugh M. White, F. A. purposes. The engine is a "Buckeye," Dawes, W. B. Caleton, W. E. McGee, E. 125-horse power, with a speed of 240 P. Hinds, J. P. Bush, R. A. Childs, M. revolutions per minute. The dynamo I. Raftree, J. N. Redfern, Chris. War- 18 a General Electric alternating generator of ninety kilo-watt capacity. Two

As a compliment to and endorsement boilers, each of Lixty-horse power, fur-Owing to some alterations necessary

#### WITH THE MERCHANTS

New brick cheese at Nash's. Artistic wall paper at Buck's. Carpet paper in 50 yard rolls for 75c Low prices prevail. at Mertz & Mochels,

flame oil is at Nash's.

Boys knee pants 25c, 50c, 75c, 85c; a fresh coat of paint, ages 5 to 15 years; at Nash's,

A Chicago milliner will make and trim stylish hats. Address Miss Daisy Goodspeed, P. O. box 474, village.

Keep your washing off the ground by using the adjustable clothes line support, 30c each, two for Sic, at Ifaller's

For Rent. Cottage, barn and two acres, near East Grove station. Rest \$100 a year, V. Fredenhagen, 64 Main stree!

For Sale or Rent Eight-room house, newly plastered and painted; 50 feet of ground. Price, \$1,000; will rent for \$9 per month. (i. H. Bunge.

For Sale-Good cook stove, patent flour bin and seive combined, and other useful household articles, all in excel lent condition. Inquire of Mrs. J. B. Manwell.

Want it? A nicely located building iot in Downers Grove. Address Owner. 1007 Pontiac building, Chicago, and he will make you a price that you will

A Cure for Rheumatism:-The Great Blood Purifier, Kidney and Liver Regucessors. The town committee shall Call or address A. L. Palmer, agent, 78 Fairmount ave., Downers Grove, III.

D. G. Graham has legal blanks and all facilities for execution of wills and has had years of successful experience in that line. Give him a call. Charges reasonable.

For Rent or Sale .- No. 160 Highland avenue, seven-room brick house; city and cistern water; cemented basement; well drained; hard-wood floors; shades, screens, storm windows. Rent, \$12.50. V. Fredenhagen, 64 Main street.

Time for planting grass seed-best lawn seed per pound 16 cents; 15 cents in 5 pound lots; best white clover 15 cents; blue grass lawn seed 13 cents per pound. Don't waste labor on poor seed buy of Mertz & Mochel and get the best,

I have the Griffith place for rent, adjoining the village on the south; sevenroom cottage, one and three-fourths acres of good land, 200 grapevines in gaged in the business at Aurora, but bearing order, pear, apple, cherry and sickness in his family necessited repeach trees, also raspberry, gooseberry, currents, strawberries, asparagus and rhabarb. Will make necessary repairs ducts a wholesale as well as a retail and rent reasonable to a good tenant. business. D. G. Graham.

## HE FOOLED THE SURGEONS

## ..Local and Personal Paragraphs...

Garden seeds at Nash's.

Cream flour at Haller's. White Rose gasoline, Nash's.

Additional local news on fifth page. Henry Faul was taken suddenly ill vesterday.

Delicious Gona, Java and Mocha coffee at Haller's.

Miss Minnie Smith of LaGrange spent | millinery store.

Sunday in Downers. Miss June Bird of Hinsdale was the

guest of Lu Smith, Sunday. New Idea May fashion sheets now ready. Call and get one at Haller's.

To obtain good bread buy Seal of Minnesota Flour. Fcr sale at Haller's, Try a can of those famous Genessee apples at Rang's-30c per gallon can.

J. S. Perry, wino resides at 198 Highland avenue, will remove to the city May 1st. Mrs. F. L. Winsor of Geneseo, III., is

visiting her brother, E. J. W Dietz, and family. Miss Martha Rupley is visiting Mrs. Bates and Mrs. McNaught. Her home

is in Plattsmouth, Neb. Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Collins of Chicago are visiting with their aunt, Mrs. L. R.

Puffer and other relatives. Mrs. Bonnell, of Mendota, Ill., is with tier daughters, Mrs. Harry Suyder and

Mrs. Watts, for a short time. Mrs. Perry Walker, of Plattsmouth, Neb., is spending a short time with her

relatives and friends in Downers. J. F. Edgworth, of Chicago, occupies the Fredeniagen house on Fairview avenue, just south of the East Grove Park, with Mr. and Mrs. Bolger, of Chi-

T. T. Thompson is sinking a tubular well on his farm south of town, and painting his house and making other

improvements, The latest conceptions in spring Ellen Leach. headwear are displayed for your consideration at Selig's millinery store,

Peter Liebundguth has been making The only place in town to buy bine extensive repairs on his farm house south of town. The house has received

> W. H. Barnhart is building an addi tion to his house on Curtiss street, occupied by Horace C. Dutton, (), J. Daily is doing the work.

The Ladies' guild of St. Andrew's mission will hold a church fair from 2 until 10 o'clock today in the Steere building, on South Main street.

Mrs. J. B. Manwell will move to Ir. ving Park in the course of two or three weeks to make her home. Her many friends here will be sorry to see her leave Downers.

For the best and cheapest wall paper line of paints, oils, varnishes, stains ery business to Mrs. Alice Johnson, who inders and pilot were turned into scrap. and enamels always on hand. Also will take charge next Saturday. Mrs. real estate renting and insurance done.

The democrats will hold their congressional convention for this (the 8th) district in Aurora on July 26th. The senatorial convention for Kane and DuPage counties will be held on August 2d, at Geneva.

Peter Shubaski, a pauper, who has been ill with appendicitis at the home of John Graves, on North Main street. for some time past, was taken to the county farm Monday, where he will undergo an operation.

Judge Batten committed Joseph Glos segger, of Downers Grove, to the Glennwood industrial school Friday. The boy's parents secured his commitment and testified to his incorrigibility George Hoffert and John Ericson were also witnesses.

A. V. Knickerbocker has received his commission as enumerator of the cencus of the township of Lisle. O. W. Strubler is vested with authority to count noses in that part of Naperville township within the corporation, while Thomas Betts will perform the same duty in the rural district. They wil begin the work June 1.

E. Woehrel has opened a cigar factory in the building formerly occupied by L. G. Schofield, just south of the depot. Mr. Woehrel was formerly enmoving his factory here. He manufactures a choice line of goods and con-

Major Cooper's illustrated lecture on prove his leisure hours, with rake All doctors told Renick Hamilton, of ing and instructive. An inquiring care for onions, beans nor peas, a box at Bush & Simonson's drug store. Arizona, New Mexico, Utah and Idaho. Sucked down, and exclaimed "glory?"

## Oil. Family Safety.

No smoke; no more dim chimneys. The best oil in town, only 14c per gal-

Jonas Foster has been ill for several days past.

Misses and children's hats at Selig Frank Chilvers has been ill with

throat trouble for several days. Apples in gallon cans, for pies and sauce, 30 cents per can, at Rang's.

A horse belonging to John Graves dropped dead on the street yesterday. For Sale,-Two 40-barrel oak cistern tanks; \$25. Inquire at 64 Main street. Drink Gona, Mocha and Java coffee. For sale at Haller's. 20 cents per pound. Charming and dainty effects in spring and summer millinery at Selig's milli-

G. H. Bunge,

nery store.

and G. H. Bunge is here from Streator making them a visit.

For a delicious breakfast drink try Gona Java and Mocha coffee; only 20c per pound at Haller's.

Helps for garden making-useful things for seed time-spades, hoes, rakes etc. at Mertz & Mochels.

The Woman's Mission circle of the Baptist church meets this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. Hobart. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gregg, of Irving

cago, spent Sunday with Mrs. J. B. Mrs. Daniel Dunn was called to York-

ville, Ill., Wednesday morning, to at tend the funeral of her cousin, Miss Little Henrietta Woellersheim enter

tained a party of friends Tuesday from

until 9 o'clock on the anniversary of

her birthday, Mrs. Hammerschmidt, of Naperville, is here this week visiting her sisters, Mrs. Henry Woelfershelm and Mrs.

Martin Straube, The Glen Ellyn Echo is the latest venture in the journalistic field, being published in combination with the West Chicago Journal.

rented the J. W. Rogers house, at Main yesterday morning which delayed trafand Warren streets, of V. Fredenhagen, He for two hours and caused 1,000 or and will occupy it next week.

Save fuel, save work, save dirt by using Quick Meal gasoline stoves or Standard blue flame oil stoves. Mertza Mochel are making attractive prices on on summer stoves,

Mrs. J. B. Manwell has sold her bak-Johnson will occupy part of the building next door south of A. J. Thempson's store.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Steere of Chicago visited friends and relatives here Saturday and Sunday. Mrs. Steere remained over to extend her visit with her mother and sister, Mrs. J. G. Goodspeed and Miss Daisy Goodspeed.

Mrs. Elizabeth Meehan will move her family to Chicago today. They will reside at 4135 Berkeley avenue. Her residence on Foote street has been taken for the summer by J. B. Dowie, of Chicago, who is employed at Marshall

Saturday, April 22d, of stomach trouble, Funeral was held Wednesday and burial made at Barber's Corners. Miss Kasser was for many years a former resident of this county.

of education.

Services at the Baptist Church Sunday will be held at the regular hours. The service at 10:45 a. m. will be specfally in the interest of the children. The pastor will preach a sermon for children and the music will be appropriately arranged. Parents are specially requested and invited to bring their children. Bible school at 12 m. Young people's meeting at 6:30 and gospel service at 7:30 p. m.

Now doth the busy little man imthe Cliff Dwellers Thursday evening in spade he delves and dives and thinks of the Auditorium was intensely interest- fragrant flowers; he says he doesn't heavy in their stemachs. After each West Jefferson, Ohio, after suffering 18 mind is lost in wonder and astonish- rather work his muscle up than idly meal, no matter what you eat, take a months from Rectal Fistula, he would ment while gazing at these human take his ease. His good wife smiles dose of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. die unless a costly operation was per- habitations located thousands of feet suspiciously—she doubts the muscle You will never suffer from constipa- formed; but he cured himself with above the sea level, beneath overhang- story, because he had to go to Chicago tion, indigestion, sick headache or Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the ing rocks. Great mysteries remain un- on carpet cleaning day, and on his restomach troubles. For sale at Bush & world. Surest Pile Cure on earth, 25c solved in the undeveloped regions of turn he found the Brussels dusted and

#### FORMER RESIDENT DIES.

John H. Papenhausen Dies at His Home in Hinsdale-Funeral Tuesday.

John H. Papenhausen passed away at his home in Hinsdale, at 11:15 last Saturday morning. His death was unexpected and came as a sudden shock to lon, at C. S. Hughes & Co.'s hardware his friends, as the day previous hopes were entertained for his recovery. The deceased was prominent in Hinsdale business circles, having run a tailor shop there for many years. Mr. Papen hausen was born in Nienborg, Hanover Germany, September 28, 1887. Attaining manhood he served in the war be tween Germany and Denmark. In 187 he came to America, settling in Downers Grove, afterwards moving to Fullersburg. In 1875 he moved to Hins- spectively. dale and opened a tailor shop. His business prospered and in 1887 he built a substantial block on the corner of Washington First streets. In 1862 Mr. Papenhausen married Miss Mary Berns, and seven children were born of this union, all but one of whom survive their father. The deceased was a member of the German Lutheran church For Sale—One six-room house, nearly The funeral was held Tuesday and the new; 100 feet of ground. Price, \$1,000. remains were interred in Oak Forest cemetery. A number from Downers A sister of Mesdames J. D. McVean Grove attended the funeral.

#### SPECIAL BOARD MEETING.

A special meeting of the village board was held Saturday evening for the purpose of canvassing the election returns and to discuss placing insurance on bollers and machinery at the electric light plant. All members were present except Trustee Bush.

The board proceeded to canvass the official returns of the election board, which were as follows:

A. G. Prince, for trustee.....

sons were declared duly elected to their | Matter has a fair hold on the altuat respective offices. After a discussion and his nomination is anticipated. Fo of the matter of insurance the board the office of surveyor no one has an adjourned to the electric light power nounced his candidacy. house to inspect the machinery in ope-

The members adjourned to meet tonight (Thursday).

# The failure of G. W. Challender, en-

gineer of a Chicago, Burlington and Quincy freight train, to see a sems-Dr. A. S. Washburn, of Chicago, has phore signal caused a mix-up at Clyde more suburban passengers, among whom were many from Downers Grove, to be late at their places of business. Challender's train struck another train. which was passing upon a siding. ably be the nomines. Challender's engine lost its smokestack and the smoke-consuming chamber cyl-Challender's ankle was sprained, and James Markland, his fireman, cut about

## HARD TIMES PARTY.

Tomorrow evening, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lempke, on Main street, the Baptist Young People's Union will give a "hard times" social, to which all are cordially invited. Every one must be dressed in a hard-times costume, or the following fines will be imposed: Generally well dressed, 15 cents; starched shirt, 5 cents; starched collar, 3 cents; starched cuffs, 4 cents; patent leathers, 10 cents; stickpins, brooches, etc., 3 cents; rings, 2 cents; watch, 5 cents; chain, 2 cents. An of- tween the sheets a piece of paradias Miss Martha Kasser died at Lemont fering will be taken at the door to defray expenses. Refreshments will be served and a good time is expected.

## CURRENT CAUSES INDUCTION

School election Saturday brought out | phone company are experiencing con- stamps, and sells for 49 cents, while only a light vote. The caucus ticket siderable trouble with "noisy" wires as the third contains forty-eight of the was elected, being the only one in the a result of the operation of the electric stamps and sells for 97 cents. The field. It consists of W. B. Towsley for light plant. Where the wires of the books will undoubtedly prove very page president and J. W. Worley and Capt. two plants run parallel in close prox- ular. J. A. Kearney for members of the board | imity for any considerable distance induction from the heavily charged light wires causes trouble with the telephone lines. The telephone company's workmen are making the necessary changes to overcome the trouble.

## MADE CENSUS ENUMERATOR.

Wm. S. Jackson, superintendent of census in this district has appointed Alonzo E. Courtright census enumerator for Downers Grove township, which has two, one of whom will be appointed from Hinsdale. The appointment is in every way a good one and the friends of Mr. Courtright are congratulating him in securing the berth. His duties will commence June 1st.

## CONVENTION WEEK

BUSY TIME FOR REPUBLICAN POL-ITICIANS AND OFFICE SEEKERS

Fight Over Circuit Clerk Likely to Resul Favorably to Thomas Hull-District Political Matters.

Republican candidates in this county and the senatorial and congressions districts are actively engaged repairing their fences preparatory to the conventions which will be held during the coming week. The DuPage county convention will be held Saturday w Wheaton. The congressional and sunatorial at Aurora May 8d and 4th, re-

In the county there are to nominate candidates for circuit clerk, states attorney, coroner and surveyor, T. M. Hull of Wheaton, Jas. T. Horsford and A. H. Wiant of West Chicago are candi dates for this position. L. S. Manville and D. M. Gurnea were also candidates but were defeated at their town caucuses last week. A curious incident in the Winfield caucus leaves the outcome there between Horsford and Wiant still in doubt. Their caucus was held last Wednesday. Wiant, Hosford and Manville were candidates for the dele gation. Manville received a light vote, while Wiant and Hosford were thed with 156 votes each. The outcome pecessitates another caucus which will be held to-morrow. Hull defeated Gur nea and secured the Milton delegation at the caucus last Saturday. He will also have Bloomingdale and a large slice of the York delegation. In addition to these the majority of the Down ers Grove delegates are friendly to Hull, therefore the chances of his nomination are exceedingly bright.

M. Slusser, of Downers Grove, has no opposition for state attorney, and his nomination is conceded by all, N. E Matter, of the Illinoian, is again a can didnte for coroner, and has as his opport Upon motion the above-named per- nent H. S. Daniels, of West Chie

In the senatorial district, our of the counties of Kane and DuPage, a state senator and two represen are to be nominated. Senator H.

and even If he a make very little differ ponent would be sure to go down defeat. For representatives Guy Bush, of Downers Grove, will have the solid support of DuPage county, which is entitled to one candidate. Rancounty has four candidates for the nomination to the lower house, The are C. H. Backus, of Hampshire; "Billy Hunter, Mayor Price and John Wil liams, all of Eigin. Backus will prob

The congressional convention will develop into a mere ratification ment Congressmen Hopkins and Capt. T. Rogers for member of the state bones of equalization are strong with rep licans in the eighth district, and will both be renominated by sociamation. John Stewart will be a candidate for delegate to the national republican

## NEW STAMP BOOKS ARRIVE.

The new stamp books have arrived as the Downers Grove postoffice and Post master Stanger reports that they are meeting with ready sale. In size thes are such as will fit nicely into a ver pocket and are six to a sheet with manila paper cover as a protector. Be paper is inserted to prevent gummir or any adherence. The books are o three denominations. One contain twelve 2-cent stamps and sells for 2 cents, I cent being saked for the bod Local patrons of the Chicago Tele- Another contains twenty-four 2 can

## IMPORTANT NOTICE.

On account of an insufficient number of stockholders of the Downers Grove Loan & Homestead association being present for the transaction of business at the regular annual meeting on April 10th, the meeting was adjourned t Tuesday evening, May 15th, 1900, o'clock, in the directors' room of the bank building. All stockholders shoul attend this meeting.

GUY L. BUSH, Secretar JOHN HOLLAND, President.

AUMINISTRATOR'S NOTIC Estate of Franklin M. Ros, dec undersigned, having been appointed Will commence June 1st.

Wonderful are the cures by Hood's Sarsaparilla and yet it is only because as the one true blood purifier, it makes pure, rich, healthy, life-giving blood.

Start of the entate of Franklis coased, hereby gives sotics that I before the County Court of DuPa the court house in Wheston, at the on the first Monday in June as interest months and requested to purpose of having the name adjusted to said entate are Hood's Pills for the liver and make immediate per bowels, act easily, yet promptly. 25c. CHARLES