HULL IS NOMINATED

EASILY WINS OVER WIANT AT THE COUNTY CONVENTION.

Senatorial and Congressional Delegates Instructed for Bush, Hopkins and Rogers. No Instructions for State Delegates.

The DuPage county republican con vention held at Wheaton Saturday was one of the most notable events held in this county. The utmost harmony and good feeling prevailed and the presence of Judge Carter. Congressman Reeves. Lieut.-Gov. Northcott, T. S. Chapman, and M. O. Williamson-all candidates on the state ticket-gave an added interest to the meeting. The delegates were late in arriving, few being present before noon. The Downers Grove delegation arrived at that time and were soon followed by the delegates from other portions of the county, many coming on the 1 o'clock trains.

Chairman W. B. Carleton of the central committee called the meeting to order at 1:30 o'clock and Secretary Frost read the call. Hon. Robert A. Childs of Hinsdale was made temporary chair man and J. B. Frost of Naperville temporary secretary. On motion of Dr. J. A. Bell the roll of the convention was made up from lists of delegates handed in by delegation chairmen, there being no contests. On motion of Mr. Clifford the temporary organization was made permanent. Chairman Childs in accepting the honor made a neat speech thanking the convention and in a brief manner discussed national affairs, after which the convention proceeded with the nomination of county officers.

Judge Geo. W. Brown of Wheaton presented the name of Thos. M. Hull for circuit clerk, while A. H. Fairbanks nominated A. H. Wiant. Roll call of townships showed the following votes:

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unanimous.

Mazzini Stumer of Downers able or better qualified official had ever served the county in that capacity than Mr. Slusser.

nomination was made by acclamation. of the gubernatorial candidates' presented the name of Newton E. Matter for coroner. A. H. Fairbanks of West applause. He spoke briefly, his remarks Chicago nominated H. E. Daniels for being frequently interrupted by ap that position. On roll call Mr. Matter plause. He said in part: was declared the nominee, the vote being as follows:

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Geo. W. Wilson of Hinsdale was the only candidate for surveyor and his nomination was made by M. L. Raftree On motion of H. H. Goodrich the nom ination was made by acclamation.

On motion of Judge Brown a com mittee, consisting of C. A. Franzen. F. A. Rathje, W. L. Guild, J. W. McKee, Geo. W. Brown, H. L. Glos, M. L. Raf-C. V. Carpenter, D. D. Barnard and O. W. Strubler, was appointed to select ten delegates to represent DuPage county at the state convention and 14 delegates to the congressional convention. The committee reported the fol lowing lists of delegates which were adopted:

State delegates—	
C V Carpenter	W B Carleton
E H Tilison	J A Bell
E W Fisher	C W Olson
L C Cooper	A H Fairbanks
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Congressional del	egates-
E P Hines	M L Raftree
C.P. Hines M.L. Raftree	Guy L Bush
W Lefter	H H Peasley
I W McKee	Geo W Brown
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A republican county central committee consisting of one member from each voting precinct was elected as follows: Addison—Edward Ehlers, Gus A. Fischer, M. B. Lester. Bloomingdale-Christ. Hosman. Wayne-Dr. W. L. Winfield-J. H. Creager, J. W. James T. Horsford, Milton-York-H. L. Glos, William Hammer schmidt. Downers Grove-W. B. Carleton, M. Slusser, C. B. Blodgett, H. W. Holcomb, Frank Cramer. Lisle-H. H. Goodrich, D. D. Barnard. Neperville-

H. H. Peasley, Martin Boecker. W. B. Carleton introduced a resolu tion instructing the congressional delegates for M. L. Raftree for congress. Before a vote was taken on the resolution Judge Brown moved to appoint a

committee on resolutions, to whom all resolutions should be referred. This started a discussion on the question of resolutions, and Chairman Childs called Dr. J. A. Bell to the chair while he made a speech against instructions and resolutions in general. Judge Brown replied that he saw no danger in trusting the convention to adopt resolutions it saw proper and right; that this county had always had such a committee to draft resolutions, and that his motion was not for the purpose of securing instructions for any one, but simply for the purpose of endorsing in convention the national administration and republican policies.

The motion prevailed, and the fol-

lowing committee was appointed: Fischer, Goodrich, Brown, Bartlett, Betts, Glos, Hinds and Carpenter. The committee reported back a resolution endorsing the administration of William McKinley in the highest terms, which was received with applause. Governor Tanner's illness was noted with regret and hopes for his speedy stock over. recovery were made. Charles Page Bryan, United States minister to Brazil, was greeted with felicitous utterances, and the candidacy of A. J. Hopkins for congress, T. S. Regers for mem'er of the state board of equalization, H. H. Evans for state senator and Guy L Bush for representative were endorsed, and the delegates to the congressional and senatorial conventions were re quested to use all honorable means to secure their nomination. The resolutions also endorsed Col. I. L. Elwood for delegate to the republican national convention, and were unanimously adopted.

The delegates to the state and congressional conventions were authorized to fill all vacancies and cast the full vote of the delegation. The county central committee was instructed to to fill any vacancy in the county ticket caused by death or other reasons.

The business of the convention being finished, calls for "Carter" called attention to the state candidates present Chairman Childs, however, gave Lieutenant Governor Northcott, who is a candidate for re-election, precedence of 12 the speakers, and he spoke briefly, his On motion of C. V. Carpenter the remarks being confined to the antinomination of T. M. Hull was made trust laws and expansion. He was tollowed by Congressman Walter Reeves. M. L. Reftree in a short speech nomi- Congressman Reeves, in his address, confined himself to the discussion of Grove for states attorney. Judge national issues, speaking for expansion Brown in seconding the nomination and the gold standard. He made no spoke of the able manner in which the plea for his own candidacy, and took office has been conducted during the several occasions to remark upon the past four years, and stated no more feeling in DuPage county in favor of can please you. C. S. Hughes. Judge Carter.

Judge Carter, who is immensely popular with the republicans of Du-On motion of J. A. Bell Mr. Slusser's Page county, was reserved for the last E. W. Fischer of Wheaton next speeches, and his introduction was followed by prolonged and enthusiastic

"It has been said that I am a candi date to beat one man. That is not true: iela. I am not out to defeat any one in particular, but to beat all, and, with all respect to Congressman Reeves, rather expect to do it. I want the votes of yourdelegation and I want the votes of all the country delegations. I have no sympathy with any candidate who tries to align the city against the country. Such a man has not the true interests of the state at heart. The man who is the next Governor of Illinois Miss Zelia Matthews is the bride elect. must be the candidate of all the people of the state, not alone of those in Chi- where the ceremony will be performed. I want a fair show at the primaries in the county court house. Harry's nu-Chicago, and I am going to get it. The law. So must the leaders of labor organizations and the officers of large corporations. If I am elected governor I expect to enforce the laws. Law and order must prevail, and the people of this state, especially those of Chicago, must be taught to respect the

Judge Carter was followed by M. O. Williamson, of Galesburg, candidate for state treasurer, and T. S. Chapman, of Jersey ville, candidate for lieutenant governor, whose speeches were attentively listened to. D. H. Higgins, of Joliet, also spoke in the interest of Attorney General Akin, who is a candidate for renomination, after which the convention adjourned.

CONVENTION NOTES.

DuPage county's magnificent court house was the subject of unstinted praise by the attendants of the convention from abroad.

United States Marshal John C. Ames of the northern district of Illinois was at the convention becoming acquainted with DuPage county politicians.

J. B. Frost of Lisle, who was turned down at his home caucus on account of local municipal politics, tuened up smiling at the convention and was made its secretary.

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..Local and Dersonal Daragraphs...

Cream flour at Haller's. White Rose gasoline, Nash's. Burn Muzzey's Pennsylvania oil. Additional local news on fifth page.

C. S. Hughes is selling bicycles and at prices that please. The best and largest assortment o

home baked goods at Rang's. 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. Annual school supper at the Auditorium May 11th. Everybody invited.

Don't forget the annual school supper to be given May 11th at the Auditorium. A full assortment of baseball goods

at C. S. Hughes. Call and look the Cleaning, repairing and dyeing a

B. Roth's tailor shop. Your old clothes made good as new. Lee E. Stanley returned from Saft

Lake City this week, where he has been for several months.

For Rent:—Six room house for \$7.00 per month, on South Main street. In public, participated in the Dewey pa quire of Geo. Hoffert.

For a delicious breakfast drink try

Gona Java and Mocha coffee; only 20c per pound at Haller's. H D. Henning and family, who have been visiting here, returned to their

home in Plano yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. Winter of Chicago have moved into the Lindell place on Mid-

daugh avenue, recently vacated by Fred Colliver, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Wilson of Chicago were visitors in Downers last week

were former residents. We are glad to hear of the improvement in health of Miss Ethel Edwards. She has undergone a severe struggle for her life and is in a fair way of re

They have property interests here as-

D. G. Graham is repairing the Griffith place and will rent the cottage. with or without the ground, The house will be mady for company by

A cordial invitation is extended to the ladies of the village to call and examine our oil and gasoline stoves; our prices range from \$3.00 to \$30.00. We

For the best and cheapest wall paper call on W. H. Barnhart, Also a full line of paints, oils, varnishes, stains and enamels always on hand. real estate renting and insurance done

A double sorrow has come to the family of Rev. H. H. Rood. Mrs. Rood's father and sister died, the father week ago last Friday and sister this week Tuesday. Their home was in in Downers yesterday. He takes the Sandwich.

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

Now comes the news that Harry Colburn, who went to New York last winter to take a position with the Amer ican Tin Plate company, is to marry and has already gone to New York, cago or of any other particular clique. Miss Matthews was a stenographer at merous friends throughout the county church here tomorrow (Friday) evenvoters must be taught to respect the are wishing the couple every success ing. Rev. Clancy comes in the interest and happiness.

A new time card went into effect on the Burlington Sunday on which a number of changes are inaugurated. The new schedule will be found on the added, including a later theater train, be two performances, afternoon and which leaves the city at 11:59. A Sat- evening. The students have been very urday only train now leaves for Chi- carefully drilled in both singing and cago at 2:40 p. m. and two Saturday acting by Prof. Giddings, and elaborate only trains leaves Chicago for Aurora preparations for staging and costuming at 1:30 and 1:33 p. m., the former an are being made. Seats are 25 and 35 express and the latter an accommoda- cents. The pupils of the Downers Scripture. tion. A new train at 5:55 p, m, from Grove schools are extended an invita-Chicago makes express time. A new tion to attend. Miss Ruth Beach, well Aurora theater express now leaves Chi- known here is a member of the cast. cago at the old time of 11:20,

plant will be started again Saturday the corresponding secretary, through night and will continue in regular op- the REPORTER, give Mr. and Mrs. A. J. eration, all the necessary alterations Thompson their most hearty thanks having been completed. All street for their kindness and help at the lighting circuits have been finished | woman's exchange, and the pleasant and will be used Saturday night. Work- | window they gave for the ladies' use. men are now busy placing transform- Also thanks and appreciation of ers for attaching commercial lights donation of books from Miss Lillian and many of the business houses will | Hancock. At no time since the library be lighted Saturday. Orders are com- was started have the ladies needed ing in rapidly for wiring and the prob- funds to purchase books as much as abilities are that within a few weeks now. Our patrons are increasing, and over 1,000 commercial lights will be in "new books" is the cry. Will some

ing circuit Saturday evening.

Oil. Family Safety. No smoke; no more dim chimneys. The best oil in town, only 14c per gal lon, at C. S. Hughes & Co.'s hardware

Misses and children's hats at Selig's millinery store.

Silver polish and window cleaner, 26 cents a box, at Haller's.

Summer underwear at Nash's. splendid article for 50 cents. Drink Gona, Mocha and Java coffee.

For sale at Haller's. 20 cents per pound. A new line of neckwear, the latest styles and color effects, at Nash's. Order your summer suit of B. Roth,

and be well dressed. Prices are right. Charming and dainty effects in spring and summer millinery at Selig's millinery store.

For Sale—One six-room house, nearly new; 100 feet of ground. Price, \$1,000. G. H. Bunge.

A large number from Downers Grove attended the "Dewey day" demonstration in Chicago.

Naper post, Grand Army of the Rerade in Chicago Tuesday.

C. W. Ballard and Miss Hazel Ballard of Austin, spent Sunday with their aunt, Mrs. Fannie Belden.

headwear are displayed for your consideration at Selig's millipery store. Brown, Chadwick and Verson, Wheaton; Low prices prevail.

oils and gasoline may be left at Bush & Simonson's drug store. Muzzey will dames S. A. Ballou, A. Freeman, Wm. promptly fill your cans.

Mrs. F. Belden and Mrs. Roberta Rose have moved back into their cottage on South Main street. Mrs. Rose returned from the south a few weeks ago.

B. Roth is turning out a great num ber of nice suits of clothes; they bear the stamp of good work and have that stylish appearance which is so desir-

William W. Weare and wife, of Chicago, passed through Downers Grove Tuesday in their automobile, bound for Aurora. They made the run from Mor- D. M. Havens, on Belden place Monton Park in 1:10.

H, Taylor of the piano factory has rented of W. J. Herring what was formerly known as the Ducker place on ing been in ill health for a consider-Fairmount avenue, and will move his family here from Chicago this week.

re-elected the entire present corps of teachers. This is well. Our teachers are earnest, efficient and conscientious and no advantage could possibly be Rev. C. J. Pope of the Baptist church. gained by a change.

E. B. Day, of Chicago, a reporter for Bradstreet's commercial agency, was position resigned by F. C. Crouse, or East Grove, who has recently associated himself with another agency.

All doctors told Renick Hamilton, of Havens, of Downers Grove, Charles G. West Jefferson, Ohio, after suffering 18 Austin, Simi, Cal., Elvira and Esther. months from Rectal Fistula, he would die unless a costly operation was performed; but he cured himself with Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world. Surest Pile Cure on earth. 25c est person in the village, was only coma box at Bush & Simonson's drug store.

Rev. J. F. Clancy, who recently gave a very interesting sketch of his work in the mission field in Chicago in conwill lecture at the Methodist Episcopal of the Woman's Home Missionary society. Admission free.

Sullivan's comic opera of "Pinatore," on Saturday of this week. There will

At the meeting of the Ladies' Library The machinery of the electric light association May 1st it was voted that for new books.

THE WEDNESDAY CLUB.

Reciprocity Day Draws a Large Attend-From Other Towns-The Program,

"Reciprocity day" was observed by

the Wednesday club yesterday afternoon, and the affair drew a large at tendance, over 100 ladies being present from Downers, in addition to the number present from Chicago, Hinsdale, Wheaton, Naperville and other points. The parlors of the Downers Grove Club were prettily decorated with flowers and palms, and presented a handsome setting for the smartly gowned ladies, whose wit and satire made the affair long to be remembered. Reciprocity day closes the season for the year, and is the time when members of other women's clubs are invited to compare notes of the progress made by their respective organizations, Following is the program of yesterday's meeting:

Piano Solo, "Largo". Miss Mabet Rutherford vocal Solo-"I know that my Redeemer liveth" from the Messiah ... Mrs. Edith Hudson Report Wheaton Women's club ... Mrs. Brown Hinckley club..... St Joseph, Mich. clubs .. Vocal solo-"Angels ever bright and fair".

Among the visitors from out of town were Mrs. Alice B. Wiles, past president of the Illinois Federation of Women's clubs, Chicago; Mrs. Anthony Canavan, St. Joseph, Mich.; Miss M. Wadsworth, Oak Park; Mrs. Shannon and The latest conceptions in spring Edith Shannon Hudson, Hinsdale: Mesdames Traver, Snider, Beach, Strickland; Mesdames Wood, Baldwin, Fox and Orders for Pennsylvania and Standard Tomek of Millard Ave; Mesdames A. I. Prince and A. R. Davis, Hinckley; Mes-Laird, J. L. Nichols, Naperville; Mrs. Cora Black, Chicago; Mrs. L. A. Howland, Riverside.

Succeeding the program refreshments of ice cream and cake were served in the dining room, the table being ornamented with bunches pink and white carnations, represent ing the colors of the club,

MRS. CATHARINE B. AUSTIN.

Mrs. Catharine Blakeman Austin died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. day night, April 30th, 1900. Her death was due to the infirmaties of old age and was not wholly unexpected, havable time. Monday the thread of life, weighted with the burden of over nine-The school board on Tuesday evening ty years, snapped and she passed into the great beyond. Funeral services will be held at the house this morning at 10 o'clock and be conducted by the ted. and burial will be made at Cass, where the family lived before moving to Downers Grove. Catharine Blakeman was born in Columbia county, Ner York, Aug. 23, 1809. She was married to Charles G. Austin in 1826 and came to Illinois in 1848. They have had five children, Asel B. Austin, Dedimia M.

With her death one of the most beloved and revered of lives passed out of existence. Her great age, and as far as can be ascertained, she was the old mensurate with her remarkable plety as nearly sixty years of faithful membership in the Baptist church will at test. Her name was a synonym for charity and patience in the commun ity, and it can be truly said that the world is better for her example.

SACRED CONCERT PROGRAM.

The following is the program for the The pupils of the Hinsdale high sacred concert to be given at the Conschool are to give a presentation of gregational church Sunday evening: Chorate (Hymn of Praise) The Birth of a King. oprano solo and chorns. Pastor Soprano solo-An Angel's Message Minn A. Anna Wetten. Pastor

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 to Tuesday evening, May 15th, 1900, at 8 o'clock, in the directors' room of the ank building. All stockholders should attend this meeting.

GUY L. BUSH, Secretary. JOHN HOLLAND, President.

Golden weddings are taking place all over the country. The old couples eviuse. The village board will make an one lend us aid in that direction? We dently took Rocky Mountain Ten in inspection of the plant and street light- have a pleasant room and shelves ready their young days. 25 cents. At drug-

THE COUNTY BOARD

PROCEEDINGS OF A MEETING HELD MARCH JOTH, 1900.

Annual Report of Superintendent Howe of County Farm, Read and Approved -Other Routine Busines

Proceedings of the board of supervisors of Du Page county at a special me ing held at the court house in Wheel on Friday, the 80th day of March, D. 1900, pursuant to adjournment last meeting.

Supervisor Bartlett in the chair. Meeting was called to order and

call of roll all members answered I their names. Proceedings of the two last preceding meeting were read and declared approved. All bills on all with the clerk were read and referred to their respective committees.

The report of the grand jury, formerly published, for March term, 1900, was read and ordered of record,

On motion of Supervisor Hammerschmidt the claim of Supervisor Hull, of Milton township, for \$81.79 for the care of transient pauper, was declared a county charge.

On motion of Supervisor Hammerschmidt the board took a recess to 1:80

On convening for afternoon session the various committees handed in their reports which were read to full board. On motion of Supervisor McClintock the following report of committee or claims was declared approved.

Merrill Prig Co, printing D Keiley, hardware Matthews Gas Machine Co, gasoline at fixtures county farm. H C Bitter, manual and care of pauper.,
Dr F H Haten, med arve translent pumper.
E W BixBy board for jurors.
Mrs Jane Ripley board translent pauper
T H Hull board and care translent pauper
T G Isberwood med att'nce lammerschmidt com wrk & milam Frank E Ayres exp to Sori ohn Cramer reward finding hores this Claim of Lawis Elisworth referred

full board The bill of R. T. Morgan against the state of \$946 we recommend be paid. All of which is respectfully submit-D. D. BARNARD, Chairman.

On motion of Supervisor Beat claim of Lewis Elisworth for 18 for postal cards used in collection of taxes was not allowed.

On motion of Supervisor Barnard the following report of committee on feet and salaries was declared appr Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen of the Board of Supervisors:-- Your committee on fees and salaries would beg leave to report that they have examined claims presented, and recommend the payment of the following and that the clark be directed to issue orders for the several amounts to the several dist

Lawrence ass'rs bles in duplic'te A Courter J P justice fees crimini es ohn Mulcahey serry subpress for coron W Nicholaos countbl fees crimal case John Malcahay 4 days attades circl com C Fox 19 days attndg gr jury & cir cet.
I Christie attndg Co and probaté court
I Christie 15 days attndg circuit court
W De Wolf 15 days attendg circt court The bill of Ernst P. Mayer we refer to the full board. All of which is respectfully submit

T. G. ISHERWOOD, Chairman. On motion of Supervisor Ishae man the claim of Ernst F. Mayer for \$7.3 justice and constable fees in crimina case was allowed.

On motion of Supervisor Hammerschmidt the clerk was instructed to insue county orders for per diem and mileage for the respective members the county board for the year last past

The following annual report of E. B Howe, superintendent of county farm, was read and on motion of Supervisor Hammerschmidt was approved and or dered of record and the clerk instance to draw county order in favor a tendent for \$1,074.45, in payment of deficit for the expenses of the last year To the Honorable Chairman and G tlemen of the Board of Supe Your Superintendent would n ly submit report of county farm for year ending March 1, 1900

Total amount of bills payable..... Amount of bill receivable March lan Total amount of deficiency

Total income from farmers