

REPUBLICAN TICKET.

National.
 For President..... William McKinley
 For Vice-President..... Theodore Roosevelt

For Governor..... Richard Yates
 For Lieutenant Governor..... W. A. Northcott
 For Secretary of State..... James A. Rose
 For Treasurer..... M. O. Williamson
 For Attorney General..... H. J. Hamill
 For State University..... Mrs. Carrie T. Alexander, Samuel A. Holtz, Alexander McClain

Congressional.
 For Member Congress 8th dist. A. J. Hopkins
 For Member Board of Equalization T. S. Rogers
 Legislative.
 For Speaker..... Henry H. Evans
 For Representative..... Guy L. Bush 1 1/2 votes
 For Representative..... Chas. H. Backus 1 1/2 votes
 County.
 For Circuit Clerk..... Thos. M. Hull
 For State Attorney..... Marcellus Matter
 For Sheriff..... Newton E. Matter
 For Surveyor..... Geo. W. Wilson

AROUND THE COUNTY

INTERESTING NEWS NOTES TAKEN FROM EXCHANGES.

Masters of Prominence Concerning Places and People in DuPage County and Surroundings.

The court cases on trial this term are long ones. If all are tried, court will be in session several weeks longer.

The corner stone of the new Wheaton Methodist church is to be laid by Bishop Merrill Saturday, October 27th. The exercises will commence promptly at two o'clock.

The electric railroad is having some trouble getting a foundation for their bridge at the DuPage crossing at Warrenville. A steam pump is being put in which will be run night and day to keep the water out of the trenches.

Judge Brown adjourned court Thursday last at two o'clock to enable those who wished to attend the funeral of Captain M. E. Jones. The captain was the sheriff of the county for four years and an officer of the court. The funeral was a very large one and was in charge of the G. A. R. of which organization nearly sixty were present, coming from Chicago and all of the adjoining towns. The flag which covered the casket was buried with him.

There is not a cemetery in the county which should allow interment to be made therein without a certificate of death. This county being in such close proximity to Cook county, vice and crime can be covered up by the open door policy which our cemetery boards practice. The laws are very strict in Cook county as regards death certificates, and this county will be made the dumping ground for suspect cases if cemetery associations do not awake from their long sleep—Illinois.

The case which was taking the attention of the court last week is that of the Calumet Stock Farm vs. the Northwestern Railroad. In the early nineties Roy Wilkes was kept at that farm near Geneva and in shipping him to some race the car in which he was housed was run into by other cars on a side track. Roy Wilkes held the track record at that time and was valued at \$50,000. It is set up in the evidence he was injured by the accident to the amount of \$25,000, but after the alleged injury he went on the track and lowered his record from 2.7 1/2 to 2.6 1/4.

The body of the "unknown man" found at Granger on October 31 proved to be that of William Sleep of Bloomington. It seems strange that of the fifty or more who viewed the remains from the neighborhood where he had worked and was acquainted, none should recognize him. On Monday J. F. Goodwin, his stepfather, came down from Bloomington and after comparing notes with the coroner was sufficiently convinced it was his stepson, to order a disinterment of the body. A barbed wire cut on the left leg was conclusive evidence and the body was removed to the family lot in the Bloomington cemetery. Mr. Sleep had had his mustache shaved off a few days prior to his death and as the upper portion of his face had been smashed accounts for no one recognizing the features.

The question at the core of this campaign is a very simple one. Isn't it better to be safe than to be sorry? In other words isn't it wiser to put in the White House for four years to come a man who is pledged to maintain the gold standard than to put there a man who is pledged to strike it down (and the Nation's credit with it) if he can?

The voters of the town of Downers Grove and other townships in the county should see that their names are properly registered with the town board, which meets for the last time before election on Tuesday, October 30. Be sure and have your name on the list or you may lose your vote.

"Let well enough alone" is a good motto to follow in politics as well as in the other affairs of life. Why should any change be made in the government of national affairs when there is no possible hope of improving the conditions that prevail by making a change?

Prosperity continues to be the paramount issue of the republicans, and it is a sound and substantial issue that exists everywhere.

Vote for a Republican State Legislature which will elect a Republican to the United States Senate.

Remember that in voting for candidates for the Legislature you are voting for United States Senators.

You voted for prosperity and got it. Will you now vote against it?

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY,

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25 cents.

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Judd B. Light to Alice Bellinger, 1 1/2 blk 9 Prince add to Downers Grove. \$ 500
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 Ida L. Whitcomb to Wm. Dunn, acre near sec 11-40-31 40 acres. 2000
 A. B. Robinson to Adella Bessinger, 1 1/2 blk 9 Prince add to Downers Grove. 200
 J. J. O'Connell to L. L. O'Connell, 1 1/2 blk 9 Prince add to Downers Grove. 200

Tonight

If your liver is out of order, causing Biliousness, Sick Headache, Heartburn, or Constipation, take a dose of

Hood's Pills

On retiring, and tomorrow your digestive organs will be regulated and you will be bright, active and ready for any kind of work. This has been the experience of others; it will be yours. HOOD'S PILLS are sold by all medicine dealers. 25 cts.

WITH THE MERCHANTS

The black stockings for boys at Nash's.

Perfection oil, 5 gallons 35 cents, at Haller's.

November New Idea Fashion sheets now ready at Haller's.

Palm olive soap, just what you want for the bath, at Haller's.

If you want good shirts don't forget the "Red Lane" at Nash's.

Ask for Osner's School Boy shoes they stand all kinds of weather, at Haller's.

A varied assortment of stylish and seasonable shirts at prices that double the comfort these desirable summer necessities at Nash's.

Hughes & Gallup have the right kind of coal, the right price and they are right in it. They are all right in their way and their weight is all right.

Puritan oil stoves have stood the test: over 40 stoves sold in this community. They are no experiments. Call and let C. R. Hughes explain them to you.

Do you need new gutters or repairing? Now is a good time to have them looked after. Leave your orders and we can attend to same promptly. Mertz & Moebel.

Home-seekers' excursion tickets, will be on sale the first and third Tuesdays of each month, at all stations of the Burlington, Cedar Rapids & Northern Railway, to various parts of the country at a low rate. Call on any agent of the "Cedar Rapids Route," or address, Jas. G. Farmer, A. G. P. A. T. A., B. C. R. & N. Ry., Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

Bitter fighting does not necessarily mean personal abuse or unseemly remarks. Keep your temper. Work for your party and stand by your convictions—work all night and talk all day if you find it essential to your success. It will irritate you and cause dyspepsia, but you can find relief for that in Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, which is guaranteed by Bush & Simonson's.

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, Minneapolis, Kansas City, Omaha, Denver and beyond. Baggage checked through. Sleeping-car berths reserved. Call at ticket office for any other desired information.

Mr. W. S. Whedon, Cashier of the First National Bank of Winterset, Iowa, in a recent letter, gives some experience with a carpenter in his employ that will be of value to other mechanics. He says: "I had a carpenter working for me who was obliged to stop work for several days on account of being troubled with diarrhoea. I mentioned to him that I had been similarly troubled, and that Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy had cured me. He bought a bottle of it from the druggist here and informed me that one cured him, and he is again at his work." For sale by Bush & Simonson, druggists.

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DANGER IN OVER-CONFIDENCE

The great danger to Republicans of Illinois at this time is over-confidence. If the election were held today there could hardly any limit be placed upon the Republican majority and each day shows substantial gains. Republicans must not forget, however, that the Democrats are quietly and secretly at work canvassing and laying particular stress on the necessity of getting their voters to the polls. Secret meetings are held in private homes, in many cases. Frequently the chairman of the Democratic committee will visit a township, call the Democrats into a room, lock the door and then a canvass will be made of voters in the township and special means devised for winning over doubtful voters and getting the vote out on election day. The people are flocking to the Republican standard every day and if the proper work is done in getting out the vote on election day, Illinois will give the great Republican majority in its history. But if Republicans become over-confident and let the Democrats beat them by secret work, the people may be robbed of a victory.

VOTE THE TICKET STRAIGHT

Don't Give All That Republicans Should Make This Year.

The official ballot in Illinois will have from eight to ten columns of names on it this year, varying in size according to the number of independent tickets in the field in the various congressional districts. In the first column of the ballot will be the Republican ticket and then will follow in the order named the Democratic, Prohibitionist, People's Socialist-Labor, Social-Democrat, United Christian, Union Reform for Direct Legislation, Single Tax and Independent tickets. There is always confusion in voting under the Australian ballot system and even the best posted are liable to get mixed and make a mistake which may result in their ballot being thrown out. The only safe way for a Republican to vote this fall is to make one cross in the large circle at the top of the Republican ticket. This done, you have performed your duty and voted the ticket straight. One mark in the large circle does the business and is all that is necessary. Take no chances on having your ballot thrown out as irregular by jumping about here and there and marking crosses in the little squares opposite the names of candidates. One cross in the circle means a vote for the Republican ticket, from president down to coroner. The election of a Republican governor and a Republican legislature in Illinois this fall is just as important as the election of McKinley and no loyal Republican can afford to scratch a single name on the ticket. The election law is simple if you vote the ticket straight, but you are certain to become confused if you attempt to scratch your ticket. **VOTE THE TICKET STRAIGHT.**

Don't Get Thin

Get fat; get nice and plump; there is safety in plumpness. Summer has tried your food-works; winter is coming to try your breath-mill. Fall is the time to brace yourself. But weather is tricky; look out! Look out for colds especially.

Scott's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil is the subtlest of helps. It is food, the easiest food in the world; it is more than food, it helps you digest your food, and get more nutriment from it.

Don't get thin, there is safety in plumpness. Man woman and child.

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HOME SEEKER

EXCURSIONS...

AUG. 21 SEPT. 4 SEPT. 18 OCT. 2.
 OCT. 16 NOV. 6 NOV. 20

These are the days on which you can buy very cheap excursion tickets to NEBRASKA and other points in the west, including Denver, Colorado Springs, Pueblo, Leadville, and Glenwood Springs, Colo., Deadwood and Hot Springs, So. Dak. Ask C. B. and Q. ticket agent for particulars.

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METHODIST EPISCOPAL.—Rev. Truman M. R. Green, Pastor. Services Sunday at 10:45 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday School at 12:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30. Epworth League Sunday evening at 6:00.

CONGREGATIONAL.—Rev. E. H. Libby, Pastor. Services Sunday at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday School at 12:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:45. Christian Endeavor Sunday evening at 6:00.

BAPTIST.—Rev. C. J. Pope, Pastor. Services Sunday at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Bible school at 12 m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8:00. Baptist Union Sunday at 6:30 p. m. Junior Union at 4:30 p. m.

EV. ASSOCIATION; GERMAN.—Rev. Wm. M. Albrecht, Pastor. Services Sunday 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Sunday School 9:30 a. m. Young Peoples' Alliance 7:00 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:45.

PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL. St. Andrew's. Mission—Rev. E. M. Thompson, Pastor. Services Sunday at 3:30 p. m. Sunday school at 2:30 p. m. W. S. Waples, Supt.

GERMAN LUTHERAN.—Rev. I. J. Meyer, Pastor. Services every other Sunday at 11 p. m. in the Congregational church. Sunday School before service.

ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC.—Rev. C. J. Voigt, Pastor. Services every Sunday morning at 8:00 and 10:30 o'clock. Evening prayer at 7:30 Sundays in each month. Mass every week day morning at 8 o'clock.

BOOZEMEN.

CHRYSE LODGE 624 A. F. & A. M. Meets every second and fourth Friday evening in each month. Visiting brethren cordially invited. A. P. Hosmer, W. M. E. C. Vaezel, Secretary.

VESTA CHAPTER 232 O. E. S. Meets every second and fourth Tuesday evening in Masonic hall. Visiting members always welcome. Mrs. C. Moebel, W. M. Mrs. Louis E. Hall, Secretary.

NAPER POST 248 A. R. Meets the second and fourth Thursdays of the month. Visiting comrades always welcome. T. S. Rogers, Commander. Chas. Carpenter, Adjutant.

DOWNERS GROVE LODGE 326 A. O. U. W. Meets in our hall on first and third Fridays of each month. Visiting brothers always welcome. C. B. Blodgett, W. M. A. J. Cross, Secretary.

DOWNERS GROVE LODGE 750 I. O. O. F. Meets every Monday evening in hall Central block. Visiting brothers cordially invited. Frank Haemeser, N. G. H. F. Legenhausen, Rec. Sec.

VICTORY COUNCIL 110 ROYAL LEAGUE Meets first and third Tuesday evenings in Workmen hall. J. B. Huling, Archon. Chas. Colwell, Scribe.

MAPLE CAMP 898 M. W. A. Meets in Carpenter hall on the second and fourth Thursday evenings of each month. Visiting neighbors always welcome. C. L. Sharp, V. C. W. H. Barnhart, Clerks.

MAPLE GROVE LODGE 829 K. OF P. Meets first and third Wednesdays of each month. Visiting Knights cordially invited. Frank R. Gorman, C. C. Geo. W. Gleason, K. of C. and S.

DOWNERS GROVE TENT, No. 142 Knights of the Maccabees. Meets second and fourth Wednesdays in each month in Carpenter's hall. F. C. Gallup, Commander. W. L. Hanna, Rec. Officer.

LADIES' LIBRARY ASSOCIATION. Library building on Curtiss street. Meets first Tuesday in each month at 2 p. m. Emma J. Miller, President. Mrs. S. O. Cole, Treasurer.

DOWNERS GROVE LOAN AND HOME Stead Association. John Holland, President; J. W. Rogers, Treasurer; Guy L. Bush, Secretary.

COUNTY OFFICERS.

County Seat..... Wheaton
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 County Judge..... John H. Batters
 State Attorney..... Marcellus Matter
 County Clerk..... H. C. Colburn
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 Coroner..... N. E. Matter

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 Regular meetings held first Tuesday of each month in the Maple avenue school building.

TRIP RAILS.

From the east: 7:07; 9:07 a. m. 12:11; 5:11 p. m.
 From the west: 7:07; 9:52 a. m. 1:30; 5:28 p. m.

C. B. & Q. RAILWAY TIME CARD.

Leave Downers. Arr. Chi.
 Downers Grove suburban 5:50 a. m. 6:40 a. m.
 " " 6:25 a. m. 7:15 a. m.
 " " 6:53 a. m. 7:43 a. m.
 Aurora express 7:07 a. m. 7:40 a. m.
 Downers Grove suburban 7:20 a. m. 8:10 a. m.
 " express 7:45 a. m. 8:30 a. m.
 Aurora express 8:00 a. m. 8:45 a. m.
 Downers Grove suburban 8:12 a. m. 9:02 a. m.
 Milk express 8:40 a. m. 9:42 a. m.
 Downers Grove suburban 9:10 a. m. 10:00 a. m.
 Ottawa and Streator 9:31 a. m. 10:25 a. m.
 Downers Grove suburban 10:05 a. m. 10:55 a. m.
 Aurora suburban 11:19 a. m. 12:07 a. m.
 Downers Grove suburban 12:30 p. m. 1:40 p. m.
 Denver and California 1:15 p. m. 2:45 p. m.
 Downers Grove suburban 1:07 p. m. 2:17 p. m.
 Saturday only suburban 2:40 p. m. 3:30 p. m.
 Downers Grove suburban 2:15 p. m. 4:05 p. m.
 Aurora suburban 2:15 p. m. 4:05 p. m.
 Downers Grove suburban 4:55 p. m. 5:45 p. m.
 Ottawa, Streator & LaSalle 4:55 p. m. 6:10 p. m.
 Downers Grove suburban 5:45 p. m. 6:35 p. m.
 " " accom 5:05 p. m. 6:05 p. m.
 " " accom 5:05 p. m. 6:05 p. m.
 " " accom 9:02 p. m. 10:00 p. m.
 St. Paul and Minneapolis 9:35 p. m. 10:30 p. m.
 Downers Grove accom 10:34 p. m. 11:25 p. m.

Leave Chi. Arr. D. G.
 Downers Grove suburban 6:45 a. m. 7:35 a. m.
 " " 7:15 a. m. 8:05 a. m.
 Berl, Rockford & Streator 8:20 a. m. 9:10 a. m.
 Downers Grove suburban 8:50 a. m. 9:40 a. m.
 " " accom 10:15 a. m. 11:05 a. m.
 " " accom 11:00 a. m. 12:00 p. m.
 Galesburg and Quincy 11:30 a. m. 12:09 p. m.
 Downers Grove suburban 12:10 p. m. 1:00 p. m.
 Aurora sub., ex. Sat. & Sun. 1:30 p. m. 2:20 p. m.
 " express (Sat. only) 1:30 p. m. 2:20 p. m.
 Downers G. sub. 1:30 p. m. 2:20 p. m.
 Milk express 2:10 p. m. 3:05 p. m.
 Downers Grove suburban 3:15 p. m. 4:05 p. m.
 " " accom 3:05 p. m. 4:05 p. m.
 " " accom 4:40 p. m. 5:30 p. m.
 Aurora express 5:11 p. m. 5:49 p. m.
 Downers Grove express 5:15 p. m. 6:05 p. m.
 Downers Grove suburban 5:35 p. m. 6:25 p. m.
 Aurora express 5:55 p. m. 6:35 p. m.
 " " accom 6:40 p. m. 7:30 p. m.
 " " accom 7:30 p. m. 8:20 p. m.
 " " accom 8:20 p. m. 9:10 p. m.
 " " accom 9:20 p. m. 10:10 p. m.
 " " accom 10:30 p. m. 11:30 p. m.
 St. P. & Minneap., ex. Sat 10:55 p. m. 11:34 p. m.
 Aurora theatre express 11:30 p. m. 12:05 p. m.
 Downers Grove ex. train 12:10 a. m. 1:10 a. m.

Sunday Trains—East Bound.

Leave Downers. Arr. Chi.
 Local (stops on signal) 6:15 a. m. 7:00 a. m.
 Downers Grove suburban 7:55 a. m. 8:45 a. m.
 Milk express 8:45 a. m. 9:42 a. m.
 Downers Grove suburban 9:23 a. m. 10:15 a. m.
 " " 1:00 p. m. 1:52 p. m.
 Denver and California 1:16 p. m. 2:05 p. m.
 Downers Grove suburban 2:08 p. m. 4:00 p. m.
 Aurora 5:00 p. m. 6:00 p. m.
 Downers 6:25 p. m. 7:25 p. m.
 Aurora express 8:55 p. m. 9:45 p. m.
 Downers Grove accom 9:56 p. m. 10:55 p. m.

Sunday Trains—West Bound.

Leave Chi. Arr. D. G.
 Aurora suburban 9:00 a. m. 9:55 a. m.
 Galesburg and Quincy 11:30 a. m. 12:09 p. m.
 Downers Grove suburban 11:40 a. m. 12:30 p. m.
 " " 1:30 p. m. 2:20 p. m.
 Milk express 2:10 p. m. 3:05 p. m.
 Downers Grove suburban 3:15 p. m. 4:05 p. m.
 " " accom 3:05 p. m. 4:05 p. m.
 " " accom 4:40 p. m. 5:30 p. m.
 Aurora express 5:11 p. m. 5:49 p. m.
 Downers Grove express 5:15 p. m. 6:05 p. m.
 Downers Grove suburban 5:35 p. m. 6:25 p. m.
 Aurora express 5:55 p. m. 6:35 p. m.
 " " accom 6:40 p. m. 7:30 p. m.
 " " accom 7:30 p. m. 8:20 p. m.
 " " accom 8:20 p. m. 9:10 p. m.
 " " accom 9:20 p. m. 10:10 p. m.
 " " accom 10:30 p. m. 11:30 p. m.
 St. P. & Minneapolis 10:55 p. m. 11:34 p. m.
 Aurora theatre express 11:30 p. m. 12:05 p. m.
 Downers Grove ex. train 12:10 a. m. 1:10 a. m.