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REPUBLICAN TICKET.

For Clerk Supreme Court..Christopher Mamer
For State Treasurer.....Fred A. Busse
For State Supt. Public Instruction.....
.....Alfred Bayliss
For Trustees State University.....
Wm. R. McKinley, Mrs. Laura B. Evans,
.....L. H. Kerrick
For Clerk of Appellate Court, 2d Dist.....
.....Christopher C. Duffy
For Congressman, 11th Dist..Howard M. Snapp
For State Senator.....Robert J. Barr
For Representatives in General Assembly
.....Guy L. Bush, Samuel J. Drew
For County Judge.....Linus C. Ruth
For County Clerk.....Henry F. Lawrence
For County Treasurer.....Frank J. Knight
For Sheriff.....Joseph M. Hiser
For County Supt. of Schools..Royal T. Morgan

BLAKELY WAS THERE.

"Blakely was there," shouted Brother Higgins, in one of his eloquent arraignments of methods used in a certain republican convention in Will county. Yes, brother, Blakely was there. Blakely was also in the convention when Mr. Higgins was chairman and where he admits to having run the convention according to program. Where was Mr. Higgins' boasted independence then? There was a case where "Uncle Dan'l" was "close to the altar." Why did he not rise up when he was in a position of influence? It is possible that our modern reformer is only human after all, and does business much the same as other people when he has a chance. Blakely was also present when Mr. Mather introduced resolutions instructing for Richard Barr, Samuel Drew and Guy Bush and asked that the convention authorize Mr. Snapp to select his own delegates to the congressional convention. Mr. Mather thought that the management of the party was all right then. He believed in one man selecting a whole delegation and lauded Mr. Snapp's management of party affairs vociferously. That was only a few months ago. Messrs. Higgins and Mather were both candidates for the nomination of county officers then. The last county convention saw fit to take up other and younger men (with malice toward none.) Thus the rapid and complete change of sentiment on the part of Messrs. Higgins and Mather.—Plainfield Enterprise.

President Roosevelt has achieved a notable personal triumph by inducing the coal operators to consent to arbitration as a means of settling the great anthracite coal strike. Up to the time he attempted to bring about a settlement the coal operators had declined firmly to consider any proposition looking towards arbitration or to the granting of any concessions whatever to their striking employees But the action of the president, in directing attention to the vital interest of the great consuming public in the continuous production of an adequate supply of coal, and in emphasizing the fact that the public has rights which demand consideration in dealing in the production of one of the necessaries of life like coal, aroused a storm of popular indignation against the coal operators to which they have finally been compelled to yield. This indignation was intensified by the arrogant and insulting attitude toward the president assumed by the operators at the conference to which he invited them.

DuPage county republicans have every reason for standing loyally by the straight republican nominees. Its county candidates are deserving of hearty support. From top to bottom it is composed of men of known worth and ability; whose own records are a sufficient endorsement and guarantee that they will serve the county faithfully and well. Being conversant with the duties which pertain to the offices to which they were nominated is another point in their favor, which should be considered by the voter. Years of training have particularly fitted them for these duties. This is one of the best reasons for continuing in office representatives of the party which has done much for DuPage county.

It is of great importance to the senatorial district that it shall be represented capably and successfully in the next legislature. And it will be if the voters of the district send Richard J. Barr, to the senate and Guy L. Bush and Samuel J. Drew to the house of representatives. They will be a part of the republican majority which will be in control of both houses and therefore will be in a position to accomplish something for this district.

DuPage and Will are important counties and have great interests at stake which require efficient attention at each session of the legislature. It would be a farce to rely on such men as the independent party voters have nominated for the legislature to attend to these interests successfully. About all they would be capable of doing would be to answer roll calls and draw their salaries.

Anybody who is interested in the continuance of prosperity can afford to cast his vote in favor of its continuance. Anybody who is willing to depend upon others to do his voting and do it right.

A vote against the continued administration of affairs by republican officials is a vote in favor of disturbing business conditions and of checking the prevailing prosperity.

It is the first duty of every republican to resolve that nothing will prevent his voting this fall. He should make the resolution now and reassert it each morning until election day has passed. There is no danger to the party save in apathy, but on the other hand it will do no harm to pile up the biggest republican majority ever known.

You can search the matter prepared by the democratic state committee for democratic newspapers from start to finish, word for word, line by line, paragraph by paragraph, and not one single reference will be found to any political issues. The solid 12 columns are given over to personal abuse of republican office holders, republican candidates and republican leaders.

After insisting for years that not a particle of tin plate was or could be manufactured in the United States, the democracy was forced to confess that the manufacture of tin plate had become a most important industry in this country. Now the so-called democratic text book solemnly condemns the manufacturers of tin plate and mournfully talks of a tin-plate trust.

The democratic party were vastly more clamorous for unlimited coinage of free silver at 16 to 1 in 1900 than they are now for the suppression of the trusts. They were so certain they were right then, and have since been shown they were clearly wrong, is it not probable that democratic party managers are a little more cautious in 1902 than they were in 1900? They have have made so many predictions that failed, that it behooves them to be cautious.

The democratic party has come to a place where it is not politic to discuss that portion of its past that is not older than any voting democrat. It is perfectly safe for them to talk about the democratic principles of the days of Andrew Jackson. The wise democratic orator, however, will not attempt to discuss modern democratic principles, unless he wants to provoke a controversy among his own hearers. The question as to what constitutes democratic principles to-day is almost certain to cause a disagreement in the average democratic audience. Democratic principles to-day have about the same affinity for each other that cats and dogs have in a state of nature.

The country suffered terribly from the effects of the democratic tariff reform. The present attitude of the democracy toward the tariff question, as announced in their campaign text book, will sound a warning which the people will heed. It's an insult to the intelligence of the people to appeal to them to trust the destinies of this nation to a party which was responsible for the conditions prevailing as a result of the last democratic tariff tinkering. These terrible conditions are still fresh in the minds of the people, and they will not support a party which advocates a policy that would result in business unsettlement, in loss of confidence, in suspension of faith and credit, and consequent disaster.

OFFICIAL PUBLICATION.

Report of the condition of the **FARMERS AND MERCHANT'S BANK**, at Downers Grove, state of Illinois, before the commencement of business on the 13th day of October, 1902, as made to the Auditor of Public Accounts, for the state of Illinois pursuant to law:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$156761.06
Banking house	9700.00
Furniture and fixtures	1200.00
Due from National banks	7489.49
Due from State banks and bankers	42165.45
Cash on hand: a.—Gold coin	890.00
Gold treasury certificates	520.00
b.—Silver coin	670.80
Silver treasury certificates	1150.00
c.—National bank currency	1590.00
d.—Legal tender and treasury notes	1368.00
e.—Fractional currency nickels, cents and revenue stamps	176.72
Total	$223761.52

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 25000.00
Surplus fund	8000.00
Undivided Profits, less expenses and taxes paid	2102.25
Demand deposits, individual	51067.29
Demand deposits, certificates	137591.98
Total	$223761.52

State of Illinois, County of DuPage, ss.—I, V. Simonson, cashier of Farmers and Merchants Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief. V. SIMONSON, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of October, 1902.

W. H. EDWARDS, Notary Public.

Gray?

"My hair was falling out and turning gray very fast. But your Hair Vigor stopped the falling and restored the natural color."—Mrs. E. Z. Benomme, Cohoes, N. Y.

It's impossible for you not to look old, with the color of seventy years in your hair! Perhaps you are seventy, and you like your gray hair! If not, use Ayer's Hair Vigor. In less than a month your gray hair will have all the dark, rich color of youth.

$1.00 a bottle. All druggists.

If your druggist cannot supply you, send us one dollar and we will express you a bottle. Be sure and give the name of your nearest express office. Address, J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Mass.

WHAT THE MERCHANTS ARE OFFERING.

Suits to order. J. W. Nash.

Shenandoah pants $2.00, at Nash's.

Genuine Boston brown bread at Rang's.

All kinds of fresh bakery goods at Gerwig's.

If your boy needs a new suit the Fair can suit him.

Orange and maple syrup and maple sugar at Gerwig's.

See Mertz & Mochel before buying a new heating stove.

Buy Yankee rolled oats; prize dish in every package; at Gerwig's.

Wanted—Pupils in correct violin playing; references. J. I. Rounds.

Don't pay $1 10 for sack of flour when you can buy it for 98 cents at the Fair.

Buy Epicure oats and Saxon breakfast food and get assorted dishes or oat meal bowl with each package at Gerwig's.

Nothing takes the place of pulverized coffee. Requires no egg to settle it, and no boiling to take away the good flavor. For sale at the Fair.

Best of all Flour made from the very best northern grown hard spring wheat makes more bread and better bread than any flour in this market.

For Sale.—Large storm door, screen door, cistern pump, coffee grinder and scales, a few tea and coffee boxes. Mrs. L. Buck, 102 North Foote street.

Are you interested in sidewalk materials? If so give us a call and let us show you our repressed and side cut sidewalk bricks, or, if you prefer, cement. We have got just what you want to make a smooth, handsome and durable sidewalk. Illinois Lumber and Construction Co.

SHYLOCK

Shylock was the man who wanted a pound of human flesh. There are many Shylocks now, the convalescent, the consumptive, the sickly child, the pale young woman, all want human flesh and they can get it—take Scott's Emulsion.

Scott's Emulsion is flesh and blood, bone and muscle. It feeds the nerves, strengthens the digestive organs and they feed the whole body.

For nearly thirty years Scott's Emulsion has been the great giver of human flesh.

We will send you a couple of ounces free.

SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, 409-415 Pearl Street, New York.
50c. and $1.00; all druggists.

BUY YOUR GROCERIES AT

57 SOUTH MAIN STREET.

"Dakota's Best" THE WORLD'S ..Best.. Flour

"Franklin MILLS" Entire Wheat Flour

And "Telmo" Graham Flour

OUR LEADERS THIS WEEK

ORDERS DELIVERED PROMPTLY.

Our Teas and Coffees are Unexcelled.

G. N. Maxwell AND Son

Telephone 414.

AT THE DOWNERS GROVE FAIR

FORCE	Malta Vita	Grape Nuts
18cts Per Package.	13cts Per Package.	13cts Per Package.
Pure Cal. Honey	Crispo Crackers	Fancy Apricots
10cts Per Glass.	10cts For 3 Packages.	10cts Per Pound.

"BLACK CAT" STOCKINGS

Have come to stay. Our account shows we do the largest business in Block Cat Hosiery between Chicago and Aurora. Why? Because we carry the stockings that give satisfaction.

OUR SHOE STOCK IS COMPLETE

Our prices are right and the stock carried is the best that money can buy anywhere.

Box Calf Child's sizes 6-8 **$1**
Same as shown in windows.

Dongola Child's sizes 8½-11 **$1**
Same as shown in windows.

Box Calf Misses $1.65 1.35 **$1**
Fair stitch, heavy sole, 11½-2

Red School House
Shoes for the Girls $1.65

DOWNERS GROVE FAIR

28 AND 30 SOUTH MAIN STREET TELEPHONE NO. 371

WE CLOSE EVERY WEDNESDAY EVENING AT 7 O'CLOCK.

Mertz AND Mochel

36 South Main St., Downers Grove.

HEATERS

ROUND OAK AND HOT BLAST

We have just received a large stock of these celebrated heaters. We wish to direct attention to the fact that these heating stoves are

ADAPTED TO ALL CLASSES OF FUEL::::

We also have displayed on our floor an unusually handsome fall line of

GARLAND ACORN and JEWEL Cook Stoves and Ranges..

GARLAND STOVES AND RANGES The World's Best

And would be pleased to have you call and look over our stock and get prices.

THE DOWNERS GROVE DIRECTORY

CHURCHES.

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

CONGREGATIONAL—Rev. E. S. Libby, Pastor. Services Sunday at 10:45 a m and 7:00 p m. Sunday School at 12 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 7:00 p m Bible school at 12 m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8:00 Baptist Union Sunday at 5:30 p m. Junior Union at 4:30 p m.

EV. ASSOCIATION; GERMAN—Rev. Carl Friederick Pastor. Services Sunday 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p m. Sunday Scool 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. A. B. Whitcombe Rector. Service Sunday at 3:30 p m. Sunday school at 2:30 p. m. W. S. Waples, Supt.

GERMAN LUTHERAN—Rev. J. J. Meyer, Pastor. Services every other Sunday at 2 p m in the Congregational church. Sunday School before service.

ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC—Rev. C. J. Votypka Rector. Mass every Sunday morn at 8 and 10:30 o'clock. English sermon 1st and 3rd Sundays in each month. Mass every week day morning at 8 o'clock.

SOCIETIES.

GROVE LODGE 824 A. F. & A. M. Meets every second and forth Friday evening in each month. Visiting brethren cordially invited. J. H. Griffiths, W. M. E. C. Wenzel, Secretary.

VESTA CHAPTER 242 O. E. S. Meets second and forth Tuesday of each month in Masonic hall. Visiting members always welcome. Mrs. N. Roblin, W. M. Mrs. Louie E. Hall, Secretary.

NAPER POST 468 G. A. R. Meets the second and fourth Thursdays of the month. Visiting comrades always welcome. T. S. Rogers, Commander. Geo. T. Hughes Adjutant.

DOWNERS GROVE LODGE 326 A.O. U.W. Meet in own hall on first and third Fridays of each month. Visiting brothers always welcome. M. E. Stanger, W. M. A. J. Cross, Secretary.

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

VICTORY COUNCIL 119 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 welome Fred Innis, V. C. W. H. Barshart, clerk.

MAPLE GROVE LODGE 529 K. OF P. Meets first and third Wednesdays of each month. Visiting Knights cordially invited. Dan J. Miley, C. C. C. W. Weber, K. of R. and S.

DOWNERS GROVE TENT, No. 142 Knights of the Maccabees. Meets second and fourth Wednesdays in each month in Carpenter's hall, A. J. Gray, Commander. Julius Johnson, Record Keeper.

LADIES' LIBRARY ASSOCIATION. Library building on Curtiss street. Meet first Tuesday in each month at 2 p m. Mrs. W. H. Radell, President. Mrs. L. P. Naramore Treas.

DOWNERS GROVE LOAN AND HOME stead Association. John Holland, President; J. W. Rogers, Treasurer; Chas. Carpenter, Secretary.

COUNTY OFFICERS.

County Seat.....Wheaton
Treasurer.....F. E. Ayers
Recorder and Circuit Clerk.....T. M. Hall
County Judge.....John H. Battes
States Attorney.....Maxim Sinsser
County Clerk.....H. F. Lawrence
Sheriff.....C. H. Gorham
Superintendent of Schools.....R. T. Morgan
Surveyor.....Geo. H. Wilson
Coroner.....N. E. Matter

VILLAGE OFFICERS.

President.....L. H. Gesner
Trustees—E. E. Stevens, H. W. Martin, L. Klein, E. C. Kuenzel, J. W. Graves, C. K. Roe
Collector.....C. S. Hughes
Attorney.....G. H. Bangs
Police Magistrate.....D. G. Graham
Fire Marshal.....Sam Hoffert
Clerk.....Bert C. White
Treasurer.....J. W. Rogers
Street Commissioner.....W. H. Mertz
Chief of Police.....P. J. Kearney
Superintendent Water Works and Electric Light Plant.....G. C. Babel

TOWNSHIP OFFICERS.

Supervisor.....Jas. McClintock, Hinsdale
Assistant Supervisors.....C. B. Blodgett Downers Grove; Frank H. Cramer, Lace, P.O
Town Clerk.....Nelson Webster Hinsdale
Assessor.....F. A. Rogers, Downers Grove
Collector.....C. F. Davis
Justice of the Peace.....J. B. Mackie
Commissioners of Highways.....Peter Leibundgath, J. P. Mohr C. H. Warkentine

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

President.....D. G. Graham
Secretary.....O. M. Searles
Members—C. B. Blodgett, H. S. Wheeler, I. W. Winchester, B. C. White, F. E. Dowe, E. Wootton.
Supt. of Schools.....O. M. Searles
Regular meetings held first Tuesday of each month in the Maple avenue school building.

THE MAILS.

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.

East Bound.

	Leave Downers.	Arr. Chi.
Downers Grove suburban	5.50 a m	6.40 a m
" " "	6.20 a m	7.15 a m
	6.52 a m	7.43 a m
Aurora express	7.07 a m	7.46 a m
Downers Grove suburban	7.20 a m	8.10 a m
" " express	7.47 a m	8.30 a m
" " "	7.50 a m	8.40 a m
Aurora express	8.00 a m	8.40 a m
Downers Grove suburban	8.25 a m	9.15 a m
Milk express	8.46 a m	9.57 a m
Downers Grove suburban	9.00 a m	10.00 a m
Ottawa and Streator	9.52 a m	10.35 a m
Downers Grove suburban	10.03 a m	10.50 a m
Aurora suburban	11.19 a m	12.07 a m
Downers Grove suburban	12.50 p m	1.40 p m
Denver and California	1.32 p m	2.15 p m
Downers Grove suburban	2.00 p m	2.50 p m
Saturday only	2.40 p m	3.30 p m
Downers Grove Suburban	2.58 p m	3.50 p m
Downers Grove suburban	3.30 p m	4.20 p m
Aurora suburban	3.55 p m	4.45 p m
Downers Grove suburban	4.55 p m	5.45 p m
Ottawa, Streator & LaSalle	5.28 p m	6.10 p m
Downers Grove suburban	5.40 p m	6.28 p m
" " "	6.55 p m	7.45 p m
" " accom	8.10 p m	9.00 p m
" " "	9.10 p m	10.00 p m
St. Paul and Minneapolis	8.55 p m	9.35 p m
Downers Grove accom	10.35 p m	11.25 p m

West Bound.

	Leave Chi.	Arr. D. G.
Downers Grove suburban	6.45 a m	7.35 a m
" " "	7.45 a m	8.35 a m
Burl., Rockford & Streator	8.20 a m	8.57 a m
Downers Grove suburban	8.40 a m	9.30 a m
" " "	10.15 a m	11.05 a m
" " accom	11.00 a m	11.52 p m
Galesburg and Quincy	11.30 a m	12.09 p m
Downers Grove suburban	12.10 p m	1.00 p m
Saturday only	1.25 p m	2.05 p m
Aurora sub	1.30 p m	2.20 p m
Downers Grove Suburban	2.15 p m	3.07 p m
Milk express	2.30 p m	3.12 p m
Downers Grove suburban	3.15 p m	4.05 p m
" " "	4.05 p m	4.55 p m
" " "	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
" " suburban	5.35 p m	6.25 p m
Aurora express	5.50 p m	6.20 p m
Downers Grove accom	5.51 p m	6.42 p m
" " suburban	6.15 p m	7.05 p m
" " accom	6.40 p m	7.30 p m
" " "	7.30 p m	8.20 p m
" " "	8.20 p m	9.08 p m
" " "	9.30 p m	10.20 p m
" " "	10.33 p m	11.22 p m
St. P. & Minneap., ex. Sat	10.50 p m	11.27 p m
Aurora theatre express	11.30 p m	12.16 a m
Downers Grove owl train	12.15 a m	1.10 a m

Sunday Trains—East Bound.

	Leave Downers.	Arr. Chi.
Local (stops on signal)	6.08 a m	7.00 a m
Downers Grove suburban	7.40 a m	8.30 a m
Milk express	8.46 a m	9.57 a m
Downers Grove suburban	9.13 a m	10.05 a m
Downers Grove Suburban	10.55 a m	11.45 a m
" " "	1.19 p m	2.10 p m
Denver and California	1.32 p m	2.10 p m
Downers Grove suburban	3.08 p m	4.00 p m
Aurora " " "	5.00 p m	6.00 p m
Downers " " "	6.23 p m	7.25 p m
Aurora express	8.55 p m	9.45 p m
Downers Grove accom	10.05 p m	10.55 p m

Sunday Trains—West Bound.

	Leave Chi.	Arr. D. G.
Aurora suburban	9.15 a m	10.10 a m
Galesburg and Quincy	11.20 a m	12.09 p m
Downers Grove suburban	11.40 a m	12.30 p m
" " "	1.30 p m	2.23 p m
Milk express	2.30 p m	3.12 p m
Downers Grove Suburban	2.45 p m	3.38 p m
Downers Grove suburban	4.55 p m	5.47 p m
" " "	5.40 p m	6.30 p m
" " accom	8.45 p m	9.36 p m
" " "	10.05 p m	10.55 p m
St. Paul and Minneapolis	10.30 p m	11.27 p m
Aurora theatre express	11.30 p m	12.15 a m
Downers Grove owl accom	12.15 a m	1.10 a m