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WHOLE NO. 1992

MRS. O'NEILL WINS

Winners at the Republican Primary Tuesday



Mrs. Lottie H. O'Neill
State Representative



Richard J. Barr for State Senator



W. R. McCabe, State Representative



Frank R. Reid, Congress



S. L. Rathje, County Judge



George Fix, County Treasurer

Wagemann Beats Kuhn-Copley Defeated - Fix Hesterman and Rathje are Nominees of Party

THE WINNERS: at the Republican Primary, April 11, Aurora.
For Congressman—Frank R. Reid.
For State Senator—Richard J. Barr, Joliet.
For State Representative—Wm. R. McCabe, John L. Walker, Mrs. Lottie O'Neill.
County Judge—S. L. Rathje.
County Clerk—Clarence V. Wagemann.
County Treasurer—George Fix.
Sheriff—John F. Hesterman.
Co. Supt. of Schools—Lewis V. Morgan.

TOTALS IN THE COUNTY

For State Treasurer—Oscar Nelson 8464
For Supt. Public Instruction—Francis G. Blair 7075
Addison M. Shelton 1915
For Repr. in Cong., State at Large—John J. Brown 3050
Winnifred Mason Huck 2572
Benjamin Michalek 480
Henry R. Rathbone 4843
Richard Yates 4653
For Repr. in Cong., State at Large—(To Fill Vacancy)
William Walter Scott 1673
Mary Belle Spencer 1211
John J. Brown 1790
Stephen A. Day 1467
Winnifred Mason Huck 2252
Benjamin Michalek 369
For Representative in Congress—(Eleventh District)
Ira C. Copley 4878
Frank R. Reid 6338
For State Central Committeeman—Justus L. Johnson 6661
For State Senator (41st District)—Richard J. Barr 6189
Pence B. Orr 4501
For Repr. in General Assembly—William R. McCabe 5873
John L. Walker 5345½
James W. Owen 2500
Terry W. Knater 1934
George H. Doerfler 928
Charles H. Blin 1216
James J. Ley 797
Adam L. Smith 750
Charles H. Foster 541½
Silas S. Myers 397
Lottie Holman O'Neill 10511
For County Judge—S. L. Rathje 6825
Arthur C. Marriott 4579
For County Clerk—Clarence V. Wagemann 5584
Julie B. Sternberg 922
A. A. Kuhn 4198
For County Treasurer—George Fix 5133
Frank M. Sittler 4849
George E. L. Blair 975
For Sheriff—Frank H. Shuman 1957
John F. Hesterman 3734
Gordon M. Leonard 2969
Lawrence Hattendorf 3041
For County Supt. of Schools—Lewis V. Morgan 8466

One of the greatest surprises of the primary Tuesday was the nomination of Mrs. Lottie Holman O'Neill, of Downers Grove, as one of three who will be voted on for the office of State Representative next November with two to be elected. Old politicians, and many who were new at the game, said and said repeatedly all thru the campaign that Mrs. O'Neill, or any other woman, would have no chance for the nomination. Those were the people astonished at the result of the election.

The Reporter staff was not surprised at all. They made a prediction two weeks ago that she would be one of the nominees and even named the order in which the candidates would run. This order, Walker, McCabe and O'Neill, has been carried out by the ballots of the voters. Several of Mrs. O'Neill's staunchest supporters have been kind enough to say that it was The Reporter and the efforts made by it, that had more to do with her nomination than any other one thing.

Mrs. O'Neill carried DuPage county by almost two to one over her nearest competitor and of the eleven candidates, he ran seventh in WEL county.

The total vote on the seven high spots for DuPage and small part for WEL was as follows:
Walker—26,044
McCabe—12,075
O'Neill—11,028
Ley—10,620
Owen—8,852
Blin—7,821
Doerfler—6,068

The wonderful part about this vote is that the women have had a bare five weeks to get together an organization, to solicit votes and to work for their candidate. Some of the other candidates have been hard at work since the first of the year and of course the Walker and McCabe organizations in skeleton form have been functioning right along.

The State Ticket
Downers Grove and DuPage county gave Francis G. Blair a big majority over Addison M. Shelton, a small man, for Superintendent of Public Instruction.
Rathbone and Yates carried the county, with Rathbone a little in the lead for Congressman at Large.
Mrs. Winnifred Mason Huck, a daughter of "Billy" Mason, carried DuPage county for her deceased father's unexpired term.

For the first time in his many campaigns, DuPage county turned down Colonel Ira C. Copley, of Aurora, in favor of his opponent. Reid carried the county by 1460. This is one of the mysteries of the election. DuPage county always has been known as a "dry" county and a bitter opponent of everything that "Big Bill" Thompson of Chicago had anything to do with. In the face of this it gave Reid a majority over Congressman Copley.
In Joliet and Will county the primary developed practically into a straight "wet" and "dry" fight. The Joliet "wet" organization in an endeavor to nominate a sheriff who would not be too strict on law en-

forcement, produced an immense vote, particularly in the industrial centers, and the bulk of this vote went to Candidate Reid.

Yesterday Colonel Copley made the following statement:

"My mind was made up two years ago to go thru but one more campaign, the present. If I had been nominated I would have voluntarily given up the work at the end of the term which the nomination covers. I feel very much like a boy out of school. This decisive discharge handed to me by the people of this district will afford me an opportunity to give more attention to my own affairs and will also allow me leisure time in which to travel, a blessing that has been denied me for more than 10 years past.

"The people usually know what they want and know how to get it. The majority is decisive and I am not only content but delighted to retire to private life."
"Ira. C. Copley."

The county gave Richard J. Barr a majority of 1688 over Pence B. Orr, both of Joliet, for the State Senatorship of the forty-first district. Downers Grove precincts helped in rolling up this majority giving Barr 251 more votes than Orr.

The County Ticket
Due to a combination of circumstances, some of which are pretty generally known and some of which are known to only a few, the entire "old guard" with the exception of County Clerk A. A. Kuhn, will be candidates on the Republican ticket for the County offices in November. The nominees are S. L. Rathje, of

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WEST SUBURBAN CHORAL SOCIETY HEAR MUSIC TALK

Under Director Pape Members are Advancing Rapidly—Held First Social Entertainment.

The regular weekly meeting of the West Suburban Choral Society was held at the Kindergarten last Thursday, 60 of the members were in attendance and sang through their program under the guidance of Director Pape.

The first of a series of unusual talks that are to be a feature at each rehearsal night was given by Miss Stover, her subject being "The Beginning of Music."

In a spirited and scholarly manner Miss Stover traced the slow and gradual growth of musical knowledge from the first croonings of prehistoric mothers, the battle chants of their warrior mates to the laborious methods and attainments of the church people of the middle ages.

Miss Stover's talk was heard with great attention and interest. She was warmly applauded on conclusion.

The next talk of the series will be by Rev. Newland and his subject is to be "Early Church Music."

Thursday was a gala night with the society being their first social entertainment under the direction of Mrs. J. P. Mitchell.

More members are needed and those interested will be very welcome at the Kindergarten at 8:00 p. m. any Thursday. Watch for announcements at the Curtiss and Dicke Theatres.

YOU WILL LAUGH TOO AT DOWNERS GROVE — REVUE

What makes a horse hoarse or a hoarse horse?

Why do mail carriers have to pass civil service examinations before Christ Staats will hire them?

Were the old days better than these in Downers Grove?

These are a few of the puzzles that will be answered in the first annual Downers Grove Revue at the Dicke Theatre the evening of Monday, April 24. Then there is the mystery, the single Siamese twin act.

Dance and song, snappy jokes and fast repartee are on the bill. All told two hours of entertainment have been provided and by no means least will be the music by the orchestral combination composed of Bruns, Garrison, Richards and Shurte, who always make everybody's feet jig.

The ticket sale has been on for only a week but already enough have been sold to make a full house a practical certainty. The cards may be obtained at several stores on Main street, marked with green announcement posters.

THE VOTE IN THE DOWNERS GROVE, LACE AND LISLE PRECINCTS

Candidate	Prec. 2		Prec. 3		Prec. 8		Prec. 9		Lace	Lisle	Total
	D.	G.	D.	G.	D.	G.	D.	G.			
Oscar Nelson	221	201	289	180	112	168	1177				
Francis G. Blair	181	160	222	153	28	135	899				
Addison M. Shelton	56	59	77	31	76	32	322				
John J. Brown	96	76	89	73	81	76	322				
Winnifred Mason Huck	107	50	31	73	16	37	377				
Benjamin Michalek	9	8	16	20	10	16	79				
Henry R. Rathbone	187	116	190	128	69	49	729				
Richard Yates	121	102	163	86	44	66	582				
William Walter Scott	57	44	58	25	16	31	231				
Mary Belle Spencer	47	34	41	18	9	21	170				
John J. Brown	35	42	66	38	32	61	274				
Stephen A. Day	35	33	49	27	5	12	161				
Winnifred Mason Huck	57	48	80	60	9	26	280				
Benjamin Michalek	9	3	16	10	8	14	60				
Ira C. Copley	87	74	112	88	80	67	508				
Frank R. Reid	222	177	248	140	73	145	1005				
Justus L. Johnson	181	161	232	123	81	123	871				
Richard J. Barr	157	145	212	147	107	100	868				
Pence B. Orr	120	92	138	60	31	107	548				
William R. McCabe	110	125	197½	121½	36½	69½	609				
John L. Walker	117	86	88½	63	137	117½	600				
James W. Owens	63	42	110	42	28	22	307				
Jerry W. Knater	23½	19½	0	6	13½	12½	75				
George H. Doerfler	9	2½	7	9	3	19½	50				
Charles H. Blin	11	35½	33½	17	5	31	133				
James J. Ley	2	5	1	2	5½	118	133				
Adam L. Smith	7	9½	11	9	81½	28	146				
Charles H. Foster	5	13	19	10½	9	5	51				
Silas S. Myers	0	5½	2	8½	2½	8	26				
Lottie Holman O'Neill	560	418½	610½	389½	34	168	2170				
S. L. Rathje	151	143	218	130	122	91	855				
Arthur C. Marriott	141	102	140	84	20	106	595				
Clarence V. Wagemann	161	117	143	94	56	105	676				
Julie B. Sternberg	20	25	22	17	3	8	95				
A. A. Kuhn	90	79	165	83	75	77	569				
George Fix	131	127	197	101	14	56	626				
Frank M. Sittler	115	84	101	62	121	135	618				
George F. Leineke	28	24	36	32	15	14	149				
Frank E. Shimp	19	14	30	21	52	129	285				
John F. Hesterman	82	70	126	75	10	23	386				
Gordon M. Leonard	60	38	84	38	8	8	286				
Lawrence Hattendorf	153	130	122	88	89	58	640				
Lewis V. Morgan	233	187	276	174	103	160	1183				