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\$1.50 A YEAR IN ADVANCE

COVEY FOR SENATOR

Member of Legislature Enters

Field for Nomination to
Upper House.

Hon. Frank R. Covey has formally entered the field for the Republican nomination for state senator from the districts of Lake and Boone, McHenry and Lake counties.

Mr. Covey has represented this district in the house for two terms and has been urged by many friends to enter the field for the upper house and has finally consented to do so. In making announcement of his candidacy Mr. Covey submits the following statement:

While little attention is paid to legislative offices by many of the voters, they are very important; the Legislature has to do with the appropriation of millions of dollars for the maintenance of the penal, reformatory and charitable institutions; laws are enacted which affect the health and welfare of the people more than by the National Congress. An employee of a business house or manufacturing institution is loyal to his employer because more and more valuable each year; it is the same with a legislator, if he is honest and seeks to serve his constituents, each year's experience renders him more valuable and efficient.

electricity used for light, heat and power, also for the inspection of gas and electric meters that the consumer may know what he is paying for. I succeeded in getting a bill through the house giving city councils the right to establish, own, control and operate gas and electric light companies and furnish gas and electricity for public and private use also to regulate the sale of gas and electricity, to fix the price and quality thereof and to provide for the inspection of the same. This bill after passing the house was referred to a senate committee and there killed, never being reported out. I believe, however, after giving the matter more study, that the most satisfactory method of correcting the abuses connected with the supplying of gas and electricity is through the medium of a public service commission as it is already provided for in the state of New York through the efforts of George Huguenin. Powerful influences are against any regulation of these matters and the people are not apt to get any relief until they rise in their might and demand through their representatives legislation for the correction of these abuses.

TAXES
I believe that a saving to the taxpayers of the state is to be had by reducing taxes with membership tax collectors and having the taxes paid to the county treasurers; and that the taxes should be paid in semiannual installments; the money is not needed all at once by the state, and the taxpayers might just as well have the use of it as to have it lying in the vaults of the state treasury. Recently a commission was appointed by the governor to consider

BOARD MET MONDAY

Will Enforce Ordinance Against

Running Bicycles and Wagons on Sidewalks.

The village board held its regular monthly meeting Monday evening with President Spangler presiding and all members present except Trustee Dodge.

The following bills were allowed and ordered paid:

Fred Homuth, material.....	3 50
Sam Homuth, sand.....	3 00
Charles Baye, labor.....	2 50
H. D. A. Grebe, 24 loads dirt.....	2 80
Henry Plingle, Sr., labor, etc.....	20 35
Edward Peters, marshal.....	16 00
Prouty & Jencks, grind-stone.....	3 35
Fred Jahnholz, night watchman.....	4 00
E. F. Wileman, repairs.....	4 00
Brothers Brothers, cross walks.....	12 00
A. L. Robertson, light.....	75 00
Fred Meyer, cross walks.....	18 75
A. H. Borkman, cement walls.....	29 25
Plage & Company, material.....	10 25
William Haeger, superintendent water works.....	25 00
William Peters, repairs on light pole.....	3 45
Barrington Fire department, services.....	88 50
Barrington Review, printing &c.....	1 20
Laney & Company, material.....	80

Total.....	464 75
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The report of Treasurer F. L. Wileman for the month of July was read and approved. The report shows the following sums on hand:

Water works fund.....	3 310 31
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Special assessment fund.....	1265 19
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General fund.....	150 81
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Total.....	1556 34
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The only money available to pay bills audited is in the general fund, \$156.81. The bills audited amount to \$464.75 which will leave a balance of \$113.97 unpaid.

General bonds to the amount of \$2,000 and interest \$225 have been paid by the Barrington Bank, but as there is no appropriation or money with which to meet this indebtedness the village is unable to meet its obligation at present.

The marshal was instructed to see that the ordinance prohibiting the running of bicycles and coasting with wagons on sidewalks be enforced, many complaints having been made of this nuisance of late.

Application of G. W. Foreman for license to run a peat table was granted and bond approved.

The clock was instructed to notify the E. J. & E. Ry. to put their crossing over Walnut street in repair.

The Barrington Fire department presented the names of the following officers which were approved by the board:

Clerk..... W. C. Hendon
Assistant Clerk..... H. S. Meier
Secretary and Treasurer..... Sam Landwehr

The board adjourned until next Monday evening when the annual appropriation ordinance will be presented and any action taken to take care of the general bonds and interest unpaid.

A Reasonable Request.
To avoid the heavy expense connected with sending a collector into the country to secure the small amounts due from farmer file subscribers, the Chicago Telephone Company is now requesting its faraway patrons to drop in at the exchange when they are in town, and to pay the amount direct to the Manager.

The request seems reasonable and fair inasmuch as each patron is probably in Barrington at least once each week and can visit the exchange to pay his expense. The cost of sending a collector is far greater to the farmer than to the telephone company. They are of great service to the railroads, which enable the farmer to easily market their produce, thereby saving much less fluctuation in the volume of business from week to week; when the roads are good the railroads will move traffic than they can handle at once falls off. The city people are directly benefited by good roads. In that they are enabled to have a constant and steady reliable supply of good products, fuel, etc. Even in our own little city we have seen cord wood in the spring to one dollars higher because the roads were almost impassable, the condition resulting in no benefit to the farmer as it was worth more than the difference in price to

return from Western Trip.
Mr. and Mrs. William Howarth, both over seventy years of age, returned late last week from a ten days' western trip which Mrs. Howarth describes as follows:

"No rain and sunshine every day. We went as far as Canon City and saw a nephew who has lived there for his health six months and seen only one rain storm in that time; the air is light and dry. The greatest one day, scene trip in the world (the trip over the Moffat road from Denver to Corra, at a height of 11,000 feet, the highest point reached by any standard gauge road); then by a gradual descent down the Pacific slope, eleven miles over the continental divide to Arrow, where we took dinner.

Mountains of snow, beautiful flower gardens, the national forest, and yellow ones. In the Rockies, H. M. McCall, the builder of the road, is constructing an air line road over the Rockies to Salt Lake City which will save two hundred miles of travel and shorten the train time more than ten hours. Those of our party that did not take the Georgetown loop trip last year, took the trip this year and also at Colorado Springs, the high drive, the seven falls, the Garden of the Gods and other interesting sights.

Denver is a nice, clean city; the convention building is very nice and will be used for the opera afterwards. The hotels were filling with tourists and delegates; snow is to be brought from the mountains to cool the ardor of their spirits and expectations.

A Successful Social.

The young people of St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church gave a pleasant organ and social on Wednesday evening on the Wool property east of the church on Main street, they will be pleased with the result. They succeeded in collecting \$100.00, a large per cent of which is profit.

The crowd was large and the decorations were pretty and attractive, a high square of Japanese lanterns marked the place and the living lights for the head and the moonlight illuminated the social. At a booth candy and cigars were sold. Young ladies of the society served the many persons. Mrs. E. F. Wileman directed the wheel rocker.

This annual social is one of the events of the summer here and never fails to be well attended.

Was a "Save Fourth."

Barrington experienced a quiet Fourth of July. The usual demonstration at noon was given, but there was not a single gun or whistle blown, only a few blank cartridges and caps were used to announced the arrival of the holiday. During the day the children sat at their work with little noise and in the evening a few stray Roman candles were noted. What, indeed, a "Save Fourth" with no accident or head of many families entertained friends from away in a restful observation of the national celebration.

Unfortunate Accident to Engineer.

Another accident has occurred at the unlucky Cary gravel pits. An engineer had his right arm severed at the shoulder and his right hand cut off last Wednesday. He was trying under his engine during some repair work when his engine was struck by another engine and started forward, resulting in the unfortunate accident. We did not learn whether his injuries would be fatal or not.

Shuttle a Candidate.

To the Republicans of the Eighth Senatorial District: I desire to announce that I shall be a candidate for the lower house of the general assembly, 1905, and the forty-fifth general assembly, 1907—in substantially four sessions—the Eighth senatorial district and McHenry county have had the honor and influence of filling the speakership of the lower house. How fair or how poorly have I filled that position. I can only leave to the judgment of others upon the record and to the opinion of those who have served in the house. This is a very good opportunity for the Eighth senatorial district and McHenry county to fill the position of speaker in the lower house for a third successive term, and that it is the request of many of the present members who are candidates for re-election, are the causes of my candidacy at the present time. If elected, I shall vote upon the question of the United States senatorship as instructed by the Republicans of this district, in the primaries of August 8.

Very respectfully,

EDWARD D. SHORTER.

Miss Hattie Jukes and Mrs. Carrie A. Kendall were Chicago visitors

Thursday.

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A POPULAR CANDIDATE

Strong With the Farmers.

Will Get a Large Vote in

Lake County.

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county indicate that Mr. Olson will receive a large vote in Lake county and integrity is vouches for by every one with whom he has ever done business, and if reports are true he will receive an over whelming majority in McHenry county and also a large vote in Boone county.

Mr. Olson is a man engaged in the milk business, as he has a large acreage at Woodstock that supplies the Great Northern and Auditorium hotels of Chicago with milk and cream. Honorable A. J. Olson of Woodstock if nominated and elected Mr. Olson will properly look after Lake county in the interests of his farm and dairymen of this district. He has an extensive acquaintance throughout Lake county, and his friends in all parts of the county are working earnestly in his

Reports from various parts of Lake



HON. A. J. OLSON

and the Republicans of Lake county can rest assured that if nominated and elected Mr. Olson will prove loyal to his friends, true to the Republican party, and that the interests of the people of the Eighth Senatorial district will be properly looked after during the next four years.

According to custom McHenry county is this time entitled to the State Senator and from present indications it will be Honorable A. J. Olson of Woodstock.

BASE BALL NOTES.

News of the Diamond. What Barrington Ball Players Are Doing.

Saturday the Y. M. C. A. defeated the Western News of Chicago, in a warmly contested game by the score of 11 to 10. The grounds were wet and slippery which made it hard playing for both sides. The visitors ran in seven runs in the first two innings and things looked black for the home team for a while but they soon commenced to get in their "good work" and won the game by one score. The Western News is one of the strongest teams they have played this year and they are to be congratulated for their victory.

Saturday the Y. M. C. A.'s play the Monitors of Chicago. Come and see a good game.

Sunday afternoon Art Catlow's team the Barrington Locals, will play the Palatine Standards at Catlow's ball grounds, one mile east of town. Admission 15c. A good game is promised.

The Y. M. C. A. base ball schedule for July and August is as follows:

July 18, Y. M. C. A.

July 25, Chicago Telephone Co.

August 1, Rock Island Railroad

August 8, T. B. Buetner

August 15, O. P. Marlous

August 22, U. S. Express

August 29 is open date.

All of these teams are from Chicago.

Notice to Members.

Barrington camp, M. W. A. has accepted an invitation to attend a picnic given by Silver Leaf Camp No. 60 at Lord's Park, Elgin, Saturday, July 18th. All the head officers will be present, and speeches, games, races and band concert will be plentiful all through the day. You are cordially invited to be present.

W. M. GRUNAU, Clerk.

The annual encampment of the Lake County Soldiers and Sailors will be held at Wauconda, August 20th and 21st.

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The first of Friday evening and the matchless evening of the Fourth discouraged many Chicago people from taking the special train to Barrington to attend the large picnic at the camp grounds given by the young people's societies of the Salem and Zion churches here.

It was expected that a thousand people would visit here, but the much smaller numbers of excursionists greatly enjoyed the outing. The weather was half threatening all day, but the few rain drops that fell did not spoil the picnic.

The audience is estimated at five hundred of all ages. The program played out with only one change, one speaker being absent. No accidents or mishaps are recorded, but long hours of fun and amusement.

In the afternoon a ball game between members of the Diversey Boulevard church and the Adams street church, Chicago, of the same denomination as the picnickers here, played a ball game in Landwehr's field which the former won by a score of 12 to 2.

The picnic was not given to raise money, but for pleasure however, a sum was realized which the Keystone League and the Young People's Alliance will donate for camp ground improvements.

Gravel Contracts Let.

Contracts were let in Cuba township Tuesday for the graveling of roads in the township as follows:

William Felgenauer at 60c per yard, 120 rods on Hobeln road near Johnson's.

Frank Donlea at 43 cents per yard, rods on county line road near Aug-ust Kiehn's place.

John Jahnke at 60 cents per yard, 80 rods on road north of Hobeln's store at Chicago Highlands.

E. W. Riley at 50c per yard, 60 rods west from Peter's corner.

E. W. Sime at 50c per yard, 20 rods near Kiehn's farm.

The work is to be completed on or before October 1st.

BARRINGTON NEWS

LOCAL HAPPENINGS OF THE WEEK IN THE
VILLAGE AND VICINITY.

Miss Alice Horn of Harvard is visiting her aunt, Mrs. P. A. Hawley.

Mr. Morton, hair dresser, has an ad in this issue on page eight. Look it up.

The annual camp meeting begins at Desplaines camp grounds, Wednesday, July 15th.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Fulton and family leave next Monday for their new home in La Grange.

Mr. and Mrs. William Kirby of Chicago are visiting Mrs. Elizabeth Kirby two weeks.

A special meeting of the Lake County Board of Supervisors is called for Wednesday morning, July 15th.

H. W. Hahn and family were in Chicago in the celebrating of his father's birthday Saturday, July 4th.

Miss Jane Farnsworth of Chicago visited her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Regan, Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Anna Jahn and Katie Laffenberg left Thursday for a visit of a few weeks with relatives in Manila, Iowa.

Mr. Edward Kirby went to Sheboygan and Fon du Lac, Wisconsin, Tuesday to visit relatives for two weeks.

The "lucky clock" at Meyer's store was opened Wednesday at three o'clock and Miss Mary Maynard received three dollars.

Mr. Miller of Waukegan, son-in-law of G. H. Comstock of this village, is a candidate for the office of Lake county surveyor.

Supervisor George Quentin of Vernon township, Lake county, and Chairman of the Board, is a candidate for state senator.

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The date for the big Woodmen picnic at Lydi's park, Elgin, is Saturday, July 18th. The head offices will be there from Rockford.

Mrs. Susan Lewis and Mrs. Charles Collier and son, Roland, of Valley, Nebraska, are visiting Mrs. John Paul relatives in Barrington.

Barrington people in large numbers passed the Fourth at Lake Zurich. Many of our young people enjoyed the dancing in the evening.

By the annual readjustment of postmaster's salaries, in effect, July 1st, the salary of the Barrington postmaster was raised from \$1300 to \$1400 a year.

Mr. John Moran of Spokane, Washington, and Mr. and Mrs. James Keating of Chicago spent Saturday and Sunday with their cousins, Misses Margaret and Julia Lamey.

An impressive farewell service was held Tuesday evening in the Divinity Boulevard church, Chicago, for T. L. C. Suh and wife who are about to leave for China as missionaries.

The post office department, through the postmaster general, has stated that rural free delivery will be discontinued on roads that are neglected. This is strong influence for good roads.

Rev. A. Lutz and family are visiting friends in Barrington this week. Mrs. Joachim Zarow is Rev. Lutz's mother. Rev. Lutz has just accepted the pastorate of the German M. E. church in Aurora.

Rev. O. H. Mattison, pastor, will preach as usual both morning and evening at the Methodist church. As this is the last Sunday before the camp meeting at Desplaines every member should try to be present.

Mulvey's confectionery closed its show here Saturday night, with the usual attendance of the week. The voting contest was closed and the gold watch given to Miss Amanda Schultz who was won by a hundred votes. Miss Constance Purcell spoke and danced Friday night of last week and was given a small gold clock.

There was a very large attendance at the parochial school last Sunday evening.

The presence of the Barrington Comet Brass band added much to the interest of the occasion as their playing was greatly enjoyed. It would add much to the enjoyment of the people of Barrington if some arrangement could be made with the band to give a public performance at the church on Sunday.

The attendance at the church on Sunday night is proof that such music has charms.

Florian Lively of Chicago is a new barber at the Thesis shop.

Burkhardt sells reliable jewelry. Read his ad on page eight.

Elmer Gleske was home from Valparaiso, Indiana, for the Fourth.

Charles Able departed for Des Moines, Iowa, last evening where he was called by the sudden death of his sister.

Mr. and Mrs. August Meyer of Cuba and Charlie Able and Mrs. C. A. Kendall passed Sunday at Riverview Park, Chicago.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pederson, residing on the Howarth farm near Spring lake, a daughter, Wednesday, July 8th.

Barrington has been blessed this week for the third year of the Chautauqua Assembly to be held here August 11 to 16. An interesting program has been arranged.

The ladies of the Dorcas society of the Baptist church will give a dinner from twelve to one o'clock in the Baptist church parlor on Tuesday, July 16th. A good dinner will be served for fifteen cents. Come and enjoy it.

John Balmer of the Kirmse farm near Cuts was charged by Jake — a peddler, with assault on him on Tuesday. It seems that an argument arose over a trade in dry goods which resulted in the trouble. Mr. Balmer plead guilty before Justice of the Peace Alverson yesterday and was fined three dollars and costs.

Candidate for State's Attorney. Edward J. Heydecker, Republican candidate for State's Attorney, was born on a farm in the town of Newport in Lake county, Illinois, on August 3, 1855, his education was obtained in the country schools and in the Waukegan high school.

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FOR RENT—Modern store building with flat or second floor with all modern improvements. Situated on Main Street. Apply to Edward Peters, Room 102.

FOR RENT—The part of a commercial building five rooms, pantry and kitchen, located on Main Street, between Cook and Russell streets. Also barn. Inquire at Trawley's store.

FOR SALE—DOWRY in a small house, located on Main Street, between Cook and Russell streets. \$1000.

WANTED—GIRL for general work in the COMMERCIAL HOTEL.

CLARE C. EDWARDS

Candidate for States Attorney of Lake County.

Subject to the Decision of the Republican Party at Primaries to be Held August 8th, 1908.

Clare C. Edwards was born in 1870. A boy in a reared on a farm about two miles north of Grayslake. He attended the public schools in Lake County, graduating and receiving a teacher's certificate in 1892. After two years of teaching, he entered the law office of his father as his professor and teacher and in 1894, attended the Boston Indiana Normal School, Winona College and the Northwestern University at Evanston, Illinois, where he graduated.

He then entered the Chicago Law School and graduated therefrom in 1896 and was admitted to practice in all courts in Illinois in the early winter of 1896, and in the United States Circuit Court in 1897.

During the eight years spent in Chicago, Mr. Edwards worked and paid his expenses, thus being essentially a self-educated, self-made man.

Mr. Edwards has been engaged in the active practice of law in Lake County for over seven years, most six years of which has been in the city of Waukegan having had an extensive and varied office and trial practice.



Mr. Edwards has, as the court record will show, been engaged in the trial of nearly all the important criminal cases tried for the past six years, including the trials of the members of the notorious gang of John Sosnowy; Sutak, Koscielniak, Pilo Salvatore; Pilo Gratzmar; Mary Ross; Salvatore; Matur; Harold Mitchell and May Mitchell.

Mr. Edwards has recently been engaged to lecture to the students of the Chicago Law School for the years 1908-9 on the subject of "CRIMINAL LAW," thus being recognized as one of the leading criminal lawyers in the Northwest.

By reason of his extended criminal practice and of his having made a specialty of criminal law, Mr. Edwards, if elected States Attorney, could and would give the People of the County the benefits of this valuable training and experience.

March 1st, 1901, Mr. Edwards formed a partnership with J. K. Orvis, and on April 10, 1905, the same was dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. Edwards is no longer engaged in the general practice of law in the new Wetzel Building, corner of Washington and County Streets.

In an interview with a Sun reporter Mr. Edwards stated:

"I am a candidate for this office, standing squarely on my past record, which is well known to the majority of the voters of Lake County. I have nothing to conceal and am prepared to make no promises other than this: 'If elected, I mean to so conduct the office that I can look every man squarely in the eye and honestly say, that I am doing my plain duty, and to be able after the completion of my term to point to my record as States Attorney with pride.'

He further stated: "I am the candidate of no faction, association or league, but shall appeal direct to the people."

If any man is unacquainted with my record, let him inquire of any man that has served on the numerous juries of this county for the past six years."

Evolution in Travel

First—Walking
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Third—Horse.

Today—By Telephone. For economy, speed, comfort it excels all others. The most convenient way to visit Chicago. Chicago Telephone Company

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"I have used Dr. King's New Life Pill for several years, and find them just exactly right," says Dr. A. C. Fellows, of Harrison, N. J. "New Life Pill relieves without the least discomfort. Best remedy for constipation, biliousness and malaria. 25¢ at the BARRINGTON PHARMACY."

WAUCONDA.

The Woodstock White Sox defeated Wauconda by a score of 5 to 3, Sunday.

George Black of Chicago spent Saturday and Sunday with his wife and son here.

Mr. and Mrs. Carpenter Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Fitzsimmons near Woodstock.

Miss Lulu Gates of Chicago is visiting her parents and friends in this place at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Coffey and little son of Chicago were Wauconda visitors Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Hutchinson and son James of Barrington are spending the week with H. T. Graham and family.

Frank Hartman and Miss Jennie Seymour were the guests of the latter's parents Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Joseph Bush and Little son returned to Chicago Wednesday morning after spending a week with Joseph N. French.

Miss Jessie Steger arrived Sunday from Utica where she had visited relatives and was away some weeks with her mother's family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Golding of Chicago ex-in Saturday. Mrs. Golding and daughter remaining for the week with Mr. and Mrs. H. Golding.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Jacobs of Chicago spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Jacobs relatives for two weeks.

Mr. Harry Diaz returned home last week spending the winter with his daughter Mrs. Diaz and Miss Villa Diaz are sealing a few days here.

Peter Pearson and Mrs. Hansen went to Badin to spend the 4th with relatives of the latter and Peter took his home Monday after spending several days at the lake.

Mrs. Williams and son of Chicago who have been visiting with her brother, J. D. Fink, returned home yesterday.

Miss Rose Ernst of Elgin and Mr. and Mrs. Gus Schulz of Hastings, Michigan, visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Ernst several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton and daughter Jennie and Walter Marquet of Chicago who are spending their vacation at the Maple Leaf Hotel spent Tuesday at Robert Reynolds' west of here.

William Blackman's dance pavilion is getting more popular than ever the last dance given July 4th breaking the record by being the largest dance ever given at Lake Zurich. There were two-hour long intervals between the sets held in the evening and a hundred and twenty seven in the afternoon. July 11 will give another grand dance and every body is welcome.

The picnic and celebration given under the auspices of Lake Zurich Camp, M. W. A. the Fourth attracted a large crowd from neighboring towns. The Barrington Cornet band furnished music during the day. Hon. C. T. Heydecker of Waukegan and Hon. E. D. Shurtliff of Marquette made speeches in the afternoon. The Rockfeller ball team trumpled the local team to the tune of 16 to 3 in an uninteresting contest. The dances given in the Oak Park and Lake Shore Park pavilions were well patronized.

PALATINE.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Godknecht have arrived from their wedding trip in Northern Michigan.

W. J. Ellert, comptroller of the United States Steel corporation, and family are spending this week here.

Charles Dean with Fleming Bey and Minor Heir have broken two world's records at the meeting at Peoria the past week.

T. C. Hart is the author of an article about the Employers' Association of Chicago in the July number of the Bookkeeper.

A foreign track laborer narrowly escaped being killed Tuesday morning when a crow bar lying too near the track struck an engine and thrown against the man. He was taken to Chicago on the 11 o'clock fast train.

Palatine ball team was victorious at the meeting with the Fullerton Club of Chicago. They also defeated the Palatine Standards Sunday. The big game of the season will be played Sunday when the home boys meet the crack Jefferson Grays.

The Illinois team met Monday evening with all members absent except President Oliva, who is spending a month at Lake Zurich. W. E. Schering was elected to fill his place. Bills aggregating nearly \$2,000 were passed.

COVEY FOR SENATOR

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haul the wood over the bad roads. For these reasons and others I am in favor of both the state and national governments paying a good share for the building of roads. Millions of dollars are annually appropriated to maintain the waterways of the country. It is time something is done by the national government for the building of hard roads.

The city of Chicago continues to increase in population as it has the last decade and it will soon have more people than the rest of the state. Cook county now has two-fifths of the members of the Legislature. While we are all proud of this great city and of its rapid growth and development, there is a great sense of conviction of the people of the country and is shared also by myself, that Chicago should never be allowed to control the state by having a majority of the members of the legislature. New York city has a limitation on its representation also from Philadelphia and St. Louis. There are a great many reasons which I have not here the space to enumerate why this should be done. I am in favor of a constitutional amendment that can be accomplished at once. It takes an entire vote of the Legislature to pass a resolution for a constitutional amendment, we haven't the votes now to do it, but I think it can be accomplished if handled diplomatically. It ought to be done by all means before another appointment of the state is made.

LOCAL OPTION LAW

One of the important measures passed by the last general Assembly was the local option law. I voted for this measure, believing that on such an important matter as the regulation of the sale of liquor a matter so vitally affecting the administration of our municipal affairs and the welfare of the public, both from a moral and an economic standpoint, that the people should have the right to express themselves whether they wanted saloons in their community or not. This law differs from the old law, also, in that instead of leaving it to the decision of a majority of the City Council or village board, it is now decided by a majority vote of the electors themselves. Under the old law if a vote was taken on the question given by the city as a unit, it was purely voluntary matter and there was no means of carrying out the express wish of the people. The result was that in several cities a vote was taken and carried for making it illegal, comely nevertheless found license as far as the will of the majority as expressed at the polls. The Local Option law is simply a provision for carrying out the wishes of the majority as expressed by their votes on the saloon question. A legislator opposing a measure of this character would be in my judgment be in an indefensible position and would really say to his constituents "I am not willing to give you the right to decide for yourselves what you want on the saloon question better than you do yourselves."

The local option law is a "home rule" measure, those who voted for it in the legislature voted to give to every community the right to govern themselves in this matter.

In conclusion I would say that if you think I have been honest with you the past four years as your representative, and that my record is such that I can be trusted to continue to represent you, a legislator, I shall be glad to receive your support for the Statehood on the 8th of August at the primaries.

At the Majestic

Ralph C. Herz the talented character actor will make his debut in vaudeville at the Majestic Theatre, Chicago, Monday July 13th in a series of comical and humorous monologues, some of which have constituted the most pronounced successes of the big musical comedy hits of the past three seasons, the last being "The Royal Kiss." In this he will be joined by the incomparable Danish dancer, Sonja. Another big spectacular act will be offered by the Planophiles, who are as their name would imply, experts in art of piano playing, Claude and Fannie Jusser, two clever young people, will be seen in an interesting act called "Fagin's Death," which tells the story of an experienced criminal who has been a fugitive for a young girl whom he has taken under his care. G. Charles Townsend and company will present another playlet called "The Troubles of Two Working Girls," one being a telephone operator and the other an actress. The Jack Wilson trio will furnish one of the principal comedies of the programme with a funny sketch called "The Girl from Dixie Town," and the Olympia Comedy Boys will be another of the amusing features. Others who will take part in this bill are the Four Readings, the great Martell Family, and a number of others equally enthralling.

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