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REPUBLICAN NOMINATIONS

Strong Ticket Placed in Nomination—Much Rivalry For Road Commissioner

The Republican caucus Thursday afternoon was a veritable love feast with the exception of a big scramble for the nomination for Highway Commissioner. Five prominent citizens aspired for the place, and made a mighty effort but the plum finally went to Herman Voss.

A full ticket was nominated and is composed of some of our very best citizens.

The caucus was called to order by Chairman John Powers, with Harry McCracken acting as secretary, at about 2:15, and within 30 minutes the fun was over and the work done.

Following is the list of nominees:

James Hogle, supervisor
Fred Stamann, treasurer
H. A. Schroeder, clerk
Herman Voss, highway comm'r
Chris. Brossow, road overseer
John Thayer, justice of peace
Fred Stamann, Ed. Grimmer,
Frank Parsons and George Leet, constables.

The Democrats hold their caucus next Saturday afternoon, a call for which will be found in another column of this issue.

Ball Proves Big Event

The much heralded and anticipated Eastern Star ball was held at the I. O. O. F. hall this place last Friday evening and despite the fact that another dance was in progress at the same time, the hall and floor were packed throughout the evening.

It is estimated that in excess of 125 tickets were sold, and that more than a hundred couples enjoyed the music and dancing of the evening.

Enjoyment was rampant, and both young and old enjoyed the event to the utmost. The music was exceptionally good, being furnished by the home orchestra.

Dancing continued until a late hour, with numerous parties from out of town in attendance.

Farmington Wins Again

By a score of 21 to 10, the Farmington Boy Scouts defeated the Wayne juveniles on local floor at basket ball last Friday evening, in a hard fought and meritorious game.

The local boys were outclassed in size, but made up for the deficiency in fast playing and good team work.

The game was interesting throughout and witnessed by a good crowd of basket ball fans.

Fred Fry Passes Away

Fred Fry, well known in and about Farmington, breathed his last on Sunday of this week and passed to the great beyond. The news came as a shock to his many here, as death was sudden and very unexpected.

Mr. Fry was well known locally and had until of late made his home near this place.

Funeral services were conducted from the M. E. church by the Rev. Chas. Lee at one o'clock the following Wednesday afternoon, interment being made at North Farmington cemetery.

Many friends were attendant at the funeral, which was in charge of Undertaker Zessau.

NEW PUMP NOW BEING INSTALLED

Eight Inch Well Will Supply Village with 125 Gallons Per Minute

At the village power house and waterworks station this week, numerous improvements and repairs are being made, which when completed will supply more water and at less cost.

Heretofore it has been necessary to operate both the larger 75 gallon pump and a smaller one, requiring motor power for each, but only one pump will henceforth be necessary, except in emergency.

W. T. Dillon of Olivet is spending the week here installing a new and up-to-date pump, with a capacity of 125 gallons that will be ample for the needs of the village. The pump is operated on an eight inch well, and arrived here yesterday.

Owing to the expense of operating both wells, which greatly increased the cost of power, the new pump was deemed advisable, and will result in a big saving.

The plant was shut down for a short time last Sunday while workmen were cutting in new pipes. Water got down as low as three feet in the reservoir, during the shutdown, but again soon refilled.

The local plant is a model one, and has been the object of much favorable comment from numerous experts.

Rehearsals for the senior class play are getting along nicely this week, under Prof. Finch direction, and during the next two weeks will be pushed along as rapidly as possible. Local people are anticipating the production with much pleasure.

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