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BARRINGTON, ILL., SATURDAY, MARCH 11, 1899.

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BOARD PROCEEDINGS.

Board Met in Regular Session Monday Night.

PASS HEALTH ORDINANCE

Committee Report "No" on Syndicate Proposition.

FIRE DEPARTMENT REWARDED.

Seated around a little wood stove, which was supposed to heat the city hall, were a little less than two dozen of Barrington's representative men, who braved the cold blast which had for some reason or other cast itself upon the peaceful inhabitants of the village just when the paramount questions of the day were scheduled to come before the meeting for some action to be taken. The old stove did its best to blow out and cheer up its small, but attentive company who had gathered so snugly around it and, though well-filled with wood, it was compelled to give up its battle with the chilling atmosphere much to the regret and discomfort of the audience.

The meeting was called to order by President Boehmer and the clerk's roll call showed that all members of the board were present.

The minutes of the two previous meetings were read and upon motion approved.

The following bills were read and allowed:

Wm. Hager, engineer.....	\$ 40 00
H. A. Sandman, marshal.....	35 00
A. S. Henderson, night watch.....	32 50
George Hansen, service as night watch.....	2 50
Jewell Belting Co., hose.....	516 20
E. Rieke, labor.....	9 75
R. Staak, labor.....	75
A. L. Robertson, freight on coal.....	38 20
Barrington Electric Lighting Co., light.....	63 00
C. H. Patten, extra labor and pipe.....	28 65
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The citizens' committee appointed by the president of the board at the last meeting to confer with the syndicate people and learn what inducements would be necessary to secure the starch factory spoken of by the syndicate's representative, made the following report:

Barrington, Ill., February 25.

"To the honorable board of the Village of Barrington: Your committee respectfully report that they do not recommend the furnishing of water free and they are not prepared to make and recommendations in regard to taxes at all." Respectfully,

H. K. BROCKWAY, Sec.

The report was placed on file and the committee discharged.

Mrs. Ruth and Chas. Witt were each allowed \$1.25 rebate on the digging of a trench for supply pipes, the two pipes being laid in the same trench.

George Stiefenhofer, secretary of the Barrington Fire company was granted a hearing. Mr. Stiefenhofer stated that the fire company's committee had made a thorough investigation of hook and ladder truck outfits in several towns and factories and recommend that the board purchase the one selected by the committee, which would cost \$365, as it was the best they could find for the money.

The common feeling of the board and the citizens present appeared to be emphatically in favor of the purchase of a hook and ladder outfit, but as the village can spare but little money out of the treasury just now, the matter received considerable discussion before it was disposed of.

Trustee Richardson offered the following resolution and moved its adoption:

"Resolved, It is the opinion of the Board of Trustees that the matter of purchasing a hook and ladder truck should be referred to the fire committee and that a truck should be purchased and money appropriated to pay for the same on or before the regular meeting in June, A. D., 1899."

The resolution was carried.

The matter has been so arranged that the fire company will now be equipped with the outfit asked for at an early date.

An ordinance in relation to public health was passed, which will be found in another column.

On motion board adjourned.

Early Settler Passes Away.

Mrs. Hannah Dunn (nee Roberts) died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Edward Dyke, at Cary, on Friday, March 3, age 87 years, 7 months and 22 days.

She was born at West Rydan, Yorkshire, England on July 11, 1811. She came to this county from England in 1845 and was one of the oldest settlers in this vicinity. At the age of 20 she was united in marriage to George Boothman, and from this union nine children were born, of which but two remain—Mrs. Mary Wilmer, Barrington and Mrs. M. Peterson, Austin—to lay away a dear mother. Mrs. Dunn also leaves a brother, Henry Roberts, who resides in West Virginia.

After the death of her first husband in 1883, she was united to Geo. Dunn of Algonquin, who still remains to mourn the departure of his aged companion.

Besides these immediate members of her own home and family she leaves a great many near relatives and a large company of friends and acquaintances who will think of her in precious memory.

Mrs. Dunn was educated and baptized in the Episcopal church in England, and to the last found that Christ, who promised always to go with her even to the end, was her loving savior and faithful friend. In her old age she waited for God to take her home, and when death came she slept here on earth to at last awake in heaven. Truly, old age is a crown of glory.

Funeral services were held last Sunday afternoon at the M. E. church, Rev. T. E. Ream officiating. The burial took place at the Deer Grove cemetery.

Shall Cook County be Divided?

The Cook County Herald, published at Arlington Heights, has this to say in regard to the division of Cook county:

"The question that is at present agitating the minds of the people and the legislators at Springfield is, 'shall Cook County be divided, and if it is divided how shall it be done, to best benefit the people?' It seems to us that it is proper that Chicago, with her valuable property and other interests and her large population, should be a county by herself. Then the outside townships could be made into a county by themselves, with their own officers, who would look better after their interests, or they could be divided up among the other surrounding counties and secure the same result. It would be a benefit to the farmer or suburban population to be out from under the political pulling, incident to being tied up with a large metropolitan city like Chicago. Let the division come."

Mrs. McIntosh Entertains.

Mrs. Ada McIntosh entertained the Thursday club at her home Thursday afternoon. The usual program was well rendered which consisted of quotations, readings and two very interesting papers—"Clara Barton and the Red Cross Society" by Mrs. Emma Brockway and "Woman in the Pulpit" by Mrs. Lizzie Peck.

Dainty refreshments were served in the parlor and a very enjoyable afternoon was spent by the ladies.

Town of Barrington Caucus.

The legal voters of the Town of Barrington are hereby notified that a caucus will be held in the Village hall on Saturday, March 18, at 2 p. m. for the purpose of placing in nomination the various officers to be voted for at the annual town election to be held on Tuesday, April 4, 1899.

LEROY POWERS, Town Clerk.

Town of Cuba Caucus.

Notice is hereby given that a Town of Cuba caucus will be held in the Lamey block on Saturday, March 18, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of nominating candidates for the following offices, and the transaction of any other business that might come before the meeting: Assessor, collector, town clerk, commissioner of highways and thistle commissioner.

JAMES KITSON, Town Clerk.

Notice.

The members of the Modern Woodmen are requested to meet promptly at 7:30 p. m., March 21, at their hall for important business.

M. T. LAMEY, Clerk.

A Social Function.

The members of the Thursday club celebrated the fifth anniversary of the organization of the club by giving a reception to their husbands at the residence of Mrs. S. Peck on Monday evening. Mrs. Peck, assisted by her daughter, Miss Grace Peck, received the guests in their usual gracious and pleasant manner.

Several games had been arranged by a committee for the entertainment of the guests. The first of these was progressive books and authors, arranged by Mrs. M. C. McIntosh. The prize winners in this were Mrs. Carl Meyer and M. C. McIntosh. The second number on the program was a game of photographs, arranged by Mrs. Fackelman and Miss Cora Higley. In this game the picture of the club members and their husbands taken when children were exhibited. The one who guessed the greatest number of names of the photographs correctly was given the prize—Mr. Lyman Powers being the lucky one. At the conclusion of this game luncheon was served at small tables placed throughout the parlors. While at the tables the guests were presented with white and yellow carnations, representing the club's colors.

The following menu was served:

Small biscuit
Pressed Chicken and Jelly
Olives, Pickles,
Assorted Cakes, Coffee
Cheese
Angel Food, Orange and Vanilla
Ice Cream.

After luncheon a general social time was enjoyed by all until a late hour, when the guests reluctantly bid good night to their amiable hostess and her husband.

Old Folks' Sociable.

By invitation a company of "ye older folks" gathered at the Baptist parsonage to enjoy a good old visit and a social time. Conversation, music and a few games consumed the time and all present had a good time.

All present were requested to state the name and age of the oldest one in the family history so far as they could remember. The names and the oldest relatives are: Mrs. Leonard's uncle, 107 years old and still living; Mr. Johnson's grandfather, 105 years; Mrs. Johnson's grandfather, 104 years; Mrs. Ela's grandmother, 100 years; Mrs. Fletcher's aunt, 97 years; Mrs. Seebert's grandmother, 95 years; Mr. Seebert's grandmother, 90 years; Mrs. Howarth's grandmother, 90 years; Mrs. Earith's aunt, 87 years.

Others gave ages of relatives from 70 up to 88 years, which lack of space will not allow us to mention.

A splendid time and rather late hour was the final consummation of all.

Those present were:

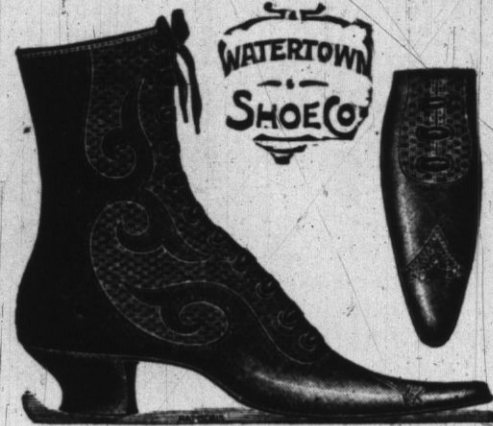
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MESDAMES.		
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Dawson	Johns	McIntosh
Sizer	Leonard	Howarth
Harrower		

Death of John A. Froelich.

The funeral services of John August Froelich were held in the Barrington Evangelical St. Paul's church Thursday, March 9, 1899. He was born in Heintendorf, Province Schleizen, Prussia, on May 23, 1829. In 1854 he came to America and settled in the Town of Ela, where he resided until his death.

In 1862 he was united in marriage to Mary Klingberg and they were blessed with five children, of which two preceeded him to the other land. He leaves a wife, two sons, one daughter and one step-daughter to mourn his departure. He was well known throughout this part of the county and was known as an honest, upright man. He held a number of public offices, having served as commissioner of highways for a long term of years, besides other prominent positions in Ela. He was one of the directors of Ela Fire Insurance company and was treasurer of the Ela creamery until his death. He was ever with those who are for the uplifting and onward march of progress of the country. He rose from a poor working man into prominence and left at his death one of the best farms in this section of the country.

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