

Indian Lecturer Outlines Tribal Customs, Dances

Eagle Plume on Guest Night Program of Woman's Club Wednesday

Only three things count in evaluating an Indian character," Charles Eagle Plume, Blackfoot Indian lecturer, dancer and college graduate, told members and guests of the Barrington Woman's club at its evening meeting and guest program presented at the Methodist church Wednesday. "A man must be brave, a speaker of perfect language and generous."

The Indian conception of the rights of man were best expressed in the constitution of the Iroquois confederacy, similar in thought to the Constitution of the U. S., he said. The European attitude toward man had been that of price and sex; equality of the right to live fully was an Indian tradition.

"To study a primitive society is to study the beginnings of all others," he added, continuing with illustrations of the origin of sign language, of government, of clubs, and of the discipline of the young, (which in Indian society is never physical punishment—an errand child is simply refused food and shelter with the tribe until he realizes his action) but is anti-social and he must have or lose the benefits of companionship).

He stressed the position of woman in Indian society where the oldest maternal grandmother is the head of each family.

Eagle Plume was garbed in Indian attire and wore various authentic headresses as he executed tribal dances—the sunrise dance, eagle dance and sweet-heart dance. He concluded his lecture with a plea for greater understanding between races and civilizations that the youth of each might achieve the highest state of intellectual development.

The old tales, prejudices and arrogances—the voice of the medicine man predicting disaster, dire consequences—are heard too often."

Cook Registration Books to Be Open Dec. 6 to Jan. 20

Persons Who Failed to Enter Names Have One More Opportunity

Under the new permanent registration act passed at the last session, no person will be allowed to vote in the future at a municipal election (other than a school or park district election) unless he has been registered. The act imposes certain duties upon the cities and village concerning registration.

Voters who failed to register on September 27 or October 5, 1937, may register with the village or city clerk from December 6, 1937, to January 20, 1938, and from May 2, 1938 to October 3, 1938 or with the county clerk from December 7, 1937 until the 28th day preceding the date of any election.

Three registration cards are made out, one going permanently to the county clerk, one remaining with the village or city clerk. The other set of registration cards is sent by the county clerk to precinct election officials at the time of state, county, and township elections. The triplicate cards are sent out by the city or village clerks for municipal elections.

The two sets used by the county clerk's office are arranged in accordance with the precinct lines fixed by the county board. The set retained by the village or city clerk is to be arranged in accordance with the precinct lines which the city or village adopts for its own elections.

When a voter moves, even within the same city or village, his transfer of registration must be made through the county clerk. Complaints of illegal registration must be made to the county clerk, and after a hearing at which the complainant must be present, an illegal registration may be stricken.

Go to Rochester

Emil A. Wisniewski of Cuba township, went to Rochester, Minn., Sunday where he will undergo a major operation at the Mayo Clinic this week. It is reported.

Commission Plans Thanksgiving Day Community Service

A community Thanksgiving Day service will be held at the First Baptist church on November 25 under the sponsorship of the Young People's Christian commission. At 7:15 in the morning members of the commission will meet in the Baptist church parlors for their annual breakfast to be served by the young members of the Baptist church.

Promptly at 8 o'clock the worship service will be started. Young persons as well as adults of the community have been invited to attend the worship service. The devotionals will be conducted by members of the commission after which Rev. H. L. Eagle, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church, will deliver the Thanksgiving message.

The Young People's Christian commission is sponsoring the service in conjunction with the Barrington Ministerial association. At a recent meeting of appointed representatives of the four co-operating churches, the following persons were elected to office of the commission: Miss Etta Mae Hutchison, president; Miss Ruth Bjornberg, vice president; Harry Lindberg, secretary; Bayard Olmsted, treasurer. This group is under the leadership of Rev. C. R. Drussel and will promote the commission's work throughout the year.

St. Anne Society Feather Party to Be Given Friday

St. Anne Church Young People's society has been actively engaged in decorating the school auditorium for the presentation of the Feather Party Friday evening, November 19, at 8 o'clock. The auditorium is located in the parochial school at Elm and Franklin streets.

The committees in charge of the various activities have reported to Leonard Schramm, general chairman, that all party details have been completed. The auditorium has been decorated in fall colors with feathers attached to streamers as a unique novelty. Feather animals will be used for some of the prizes.

Casino and bunco games will be played on the second floor and dancing will be on the first floor with Earl Fredrick's orchestra furnishing the music. A Monte Carlo room is also being arranged on the main floor. Miss Olga Brun is in charge of decorations.

Others acting on committees are as follows: Jean Drayton, Virginia Sigwalt, Mr. and Mrs. William Gallagher, Charles Drauden, Irene Brun, Elizabeth Kirby and Roland Roth.

Traffic Light Plan Sent for Approval

Village Clerk A. C. Burandt reported to members of the village board Monday night that plans and specifications for the installation of traffic control lights at the intersection of Main and Hough streets were sent to Springfield this week by village engineers.

After the plans and specifications receive approval from the state highway department and are returned to Mr. Burandt, he will advertise for bids on the project.

Funds for the work will be taken from the state gas tax credited the village of Barrington.

Installation is expected to be started this year.

Crashes Into Rear of Parked Machine

No one was injured when the car owned by Mrs. C. R. Rice of Barrington and driven by John Hargrave, also of Barrington, rammed into the parked machine owned by Clarence Schwenn, 189 W. Russell street, on Hough street near the intersection of Russell street Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. Schwenn's car was parked on the east side of Hough street, facing north. He was putting gasoline into the tank at the time of the crash. Hargrave, who had borrowed the machine for an errand, was traveling north. Both cars were damaged.

Honor World War Dead and Disabled Veterans



American Legion, Auxiliary, W.R.C., Scouts, Campfire Girls and school children participated in the Armistice Day ceremonies last Thursday morning.

Social Security Act Information Meetings Arranged

County Manager Will Be at Local Village Hall on November 23-24

For the purpose of offering information on the workings of the social security act to persons in Barrington and surrounding territory, Albert S. Lewis, manager for Lake and McHenry counties, will make his headquarters in the Barrington village hall Tuesday and Wednesday, November 23 and 24.

In addition to furnishing information, he will accept applications or employ account numbers and employer identification numbers. He will assist claimants to complete the necessary forms for lump sum benefits now being paid under Title II of the act.

Anyone who has been employed in commercial or business occupations since January 1, 1917 and has reached 65 is entitled to 3 1/2 per cent of wages received. In case of death, the wife, child, grandchild, father, mother or his estate, in the order mentioned, can claim 3 1/2 per cent of wages earned after December 31, 1935 to date of death.

Mr. Lewis will be available to address any business, civic or labor group interested in information regarding the social security act. The board maintains an office in Room 4, New Post Office Building, Waukegan. Employee account numbers are being issued over the counter and by mail at the rate of thirty per day. Claims for benefits are being filed at the rate of two a day.

Mr. Lewis intends to bring the board activities closer to the various communities by sending some time periodically in the different localities, it was reported.

Richard Lyons Will Talks at Brotherhood Dinner This Evening

Richard Lyons, state representative from Lake county, will be guest speaker at the "sinner brunch" supper sponsored by the Brotherhood of St. Paul Evangelical church this evening, Thursday.

The dinner and program will start at 6:30 in the evening, it was reported.

Attend Rally

Reports Abatement of Rabies Threat; Dog Dies Thursday

The threat of a rabies epidemic faded out the week when no additional instances of persons being bitten by diseased dogs were reported to E. W. Bades, chief of police.

The dog owned by Fred Teagel, Washington street, which was held for observation last week after it bit three persons, died at the Barrington Animal hospital Thursday afternoon. An examination of the head by the state health department revealed that rabies were present.

Those bitten by the animal, Mrs. Mattie Lageschulte, Barbara Ann Brandt and Mr. Teagel himself, are taking preventative treatments.

Few Hunting Fines Levied This Year

A dearth of prosecutions for hunting violations during the cock pheasant hunting season which closed Monday was noticeable along the Deer Grove forest preserve.

Those were the only hunting violations heard here. A recent change in the game code which reduced the fees of constables, heretofore active during hunting seasons in prosecuting game law violators, was said to be responsible for the sudden decrease.

Tells About Pianos

Henry J. Gearman of Cary talked to pupils in the Junior high school Monday giving facts about pianos. Each has 18,000 parts, he said.

Child's Reading Needs to Be Supervised, P.-T. A. Is Told

Miss Elsie Wyrant, principal of Barrington County Day School spoke on "Character Building Through Books" at the monthly P. T. A. meeting held in the high school auditorium Tuesday evening.

Parents, Miss Wyrant said, are often too complacent in regard to the kind of books their children are reading. She expressed a definite need for parent supervision in the selection of reading material.

Increase Village Vehicle Rate for Low Power Auto

Raise Schedule From \$2.50 to \$3.50; Light Delivery Trucks Also Up

Two increases in the 1938 village vehicle tax rates were approved by the village board Monday evening following the presentation of the ordinance by John F. Daeschler, chairman of the license committee, who moved for adoption and was seconded by Trustee R. F. Kocher Sr.

The major increase concerns pleasure automobiles of 25 horse power or less. That division was raised from \$2.50 to \$3.50, according to a law passed by the last general assembly requiring municipalities to adopt that rate. Light delivery trucks received the second increase when the cost of a village tag was raised from \$3 to \$3.50.

Following is the chart of rates for pleasure cars and trucks in the village for 1938:

Automobiles—Pleasure Cars
35 H.P. and less \$3.50.
45 H.P. and more than 35 H.P. \$4.00.
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Light delivery trucks less than 1 ton \$3.00.
Motor trucks, 1 ton capacity \$4.50; 2 ton capacity and more than 2 ton \$9.00; 4 ton capacity and more than 3 ton \$15.00; 5 ton capacity and more than 4 tons \$28.50; 5 ton and more \$32.00.

Taxis (5 passenger) \$7.50.
Dealers tag (per tag) \$3.50.
Motorcycles \$3.50.

Return Open Verdict in Fatality of Last Gieske Crash Victim

An open verdict of accidental death was returned Monday night by a Kane county coroner's jury investigating the death of Miss Velda Frautnick, 22 years old, Lincoln school teacher, who died at her home in Elgin October 28, from injuries received September 11 in an automobile accident near Melrose Park which also claimed the life of Raymond F. Gieske of Barrington.

Miss Frautnick was a member of the Gieske party the evening of the fatal collision in which the driver of the other car, John De Lap of Maywood, was also fatally injured.

Inquests in the deaths of Mr. Gieske and De Lap were completed 12 days ago in Melrose Park and a transcript of the record was read to the jury Monday night at the Frautnick inquest. In its verdict of the Frautnick case, the jury found that De Lap's automobile failed to stop for a traffic sign at the intersection of Lake street and Wolf road and ran into Mr. Gieske's machine.

Willard Grabenkort of Barrington and Miss Helen Nelson of Park Ridge were also in the Gieske party and were injured in the crash.

Prowlers Flee in Exchange of Shots

A bold attempt to burglarize the Krone service station on West Northwest highway early Tuesday morning was frustrated when the two prowlers were driven away by shotgun fire.

Members of the family had just retired when they were aroused by unusual sounds outside. Investigating they heard the glass in the front door being broken out. One shot was fired through the door to frighten away the intruder who ran to a car parked a short distance away.

As they were pulling away one of the two men in the car fired two shots, neither of which hit the station. Going outside, the family found the telephone wires had been cut at the building and an attempt had been made to sever the electric service.

No Mail Delivery Thanksgiving Day

There will be no city or rural delivery from the Barrington post office on Thanksgiving Day, Nov. 28. E. B. Faddock, postmaster, announced this week.

Window service will be from 9 a. m. to 10 a. m., but no money order, postal savings, registry, or bond business will be transacted. One dispatch of outgoing mail will be made at 3 a. m. for the convenience of holders, and the post office lobby will be open until 5 p. m., Mr. Faddock stated.

School District Board Votes for \$30,000 in Bonds

Take Action Monday Night to Pay Outstanding Claims in Building Fund

Members of the board of education of school district No. 4 Monday evening approved a resolution calling for the issuance of \$30,000 in bonds to cover outstanding claims against the building fund.

The resolution was presented by E. W. Plagge who moved for its adoption. The motion was seconded by E. J. Miller.

The outstanding claims covered the finishing of the school addition and were mostly for private contract work, such as plumbing, plastering, electrical and heating work.

Due to a ruling last June, the board of education found it necessary to change the method of funding the project and, although approximately \$70,000 was on hand in the general fund when the issue was proposed a month ago, voted in favor of floating the bonds. School authorities ruled that the board could not use the funds available in the general fund for the building project.

It has been proposed to reduce the levy for next year and consequently lower the tax rate to meet the increase that would be brought about by the issuance of bonds.

Tentative plans based on future estimated costs of operation call for a reduction of \$18,000 next year and the annual levy and \$10,000 the succeeding year, would be possible another \$10,000 would be slashed off the third year, it was reported.

Red Cross Drive Continues; Boys and Girls Assist

Winners of Village Canvass to Receive Cash Awards

Eight school children canvassed the village for Red Cross contributions Thursday, Friday and Saturday under the direction of Mrs. R. D. Wells, chairman of the local drive. Cash prizes had been offered to the pairs making the largest canvass.

Myrtle Rudge and Boyd Miller won the boys' division with collections totaling \$40. Beth Sears and Dorothy Kueckel, girl winners, brought in \$29.

Barrington's annual quota is about \$300 according to Mrs. Wells and if that sum is to be reached this year, local residents will need to give more freely.

Mrs. Richard Drover Lauded for Art Work

Mrs. Richard Drover III, whose husband is the son of Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Drover of Barrington, is prominently mentioned in the *Chicago News-Gazette* (this morning, published at Chicago, Ill.), in reference to a painting by her on exhibit in the fine art gallery of the department of interior building in Washington, D. C.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Drover are graduates of the University of Illinois where the former local student majored in architecture. His wife was an art student.

They are residing in Chicago where Mrs. Drover has completed several federal art projects during the past month. One of her paintings, published at Chicago, county hospital and another, which is still unfinished, is to be placed in Miller school in Evanston.

Leaving Hospital

Miss Phyllis Bauer, of Lake Zurich, who has been a patient at the Sherman hospital in Elgin since October 22 suffering from meningitis, will leave for home Friday or Saturday, it was definitely stated by her physician this week. Although improving satisfactorily, she will be unable to be absent for some time.