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Village Trustees Approve Sale of $17,000 in Bonds

Money to Be Used to Retire Judgment in Public Benefit Fund

A proposal to sell $17,000 in bonds by the village board was approved by that group at a meeting Monday night in the village hall. Proceeds of the sale of bonds will be used to retire judgments on bonds, installments of which are charged to the public benefit fund. A net saving in interest amounting of $510 annually will be made by this transfer of indebtedness, according to J. L. Wiedenbeck, village treasurer, who developed the plan. Issuance of the funding bonds amounts to a transfer of debt and at the same time reduces the interest saving. It was pointed out.

In speaking of a judgment it must be taken into consideration that a judgment was ordered by the county clerk before the special assessment bonds, upon which delinquent payments and future payments are now being removed by the sale of funding bonds, were sold in 1926 and 1929.

The village will now pay six per cent interest on the judgment in the public benefit fund, which includes warrant No. 5 for sewers and warrant No. 64 for ornamental street lights. The new bonds bear three per cent interest.

The motion to have the village clerk and president sign the necessary papers for the sale was made by Trustees J. F. Daeschler, and seconded by Village Trustee R. F. Kocher Sr.

The firm of Lewis Pickett & Co. of Chicago has made the highest bid for the bonds, offering $101.94 on the $100.

The bonds will be retired serially and all will be matured by 1951.

Mr. Wiedenbeck pointed out that by selling bonds bearing three per cent interest it will save the village $510 annually and will save several years bring about a reduction in the tax rate. The village now levys 1.06 for public benefit. No production from this figure is seen for one year but within two years, a drop should occur, it was said.

Supervisor J. Welch Will Help Youths to Enroll in CCC Units

The quota for the Civilian Conservation corps for Lake county has been increased for the enlistment period starting in the middle of next January and it is possible for more Barrington young men to join the unit, J. P. Welch, Cuba township supervisor, reported Wednesday.

Mr. Welch said he would assist any young man of Barrington, between the ages of 17 and 23 years, of good health, character and not employed, who might desire to join. It is not necessary for the young man to be the member of a relief family, he pointed out, but they must be unemployed.

The CCC pays $30 a month, $22 being sent home to the family and the remainder turned over to the enrollee for spending money.

The deadline for filing applications is January 1, Supervisor Welch said, and those interested have been requested to contact him immediately.

Barrington Driver Loses License for Year; Fined $100

Emil Johnson of Barrington was fined $100 and costs and his driver's license revoked for one year when he was arraigned Friday before Judge Charles D. Page in the Elgin city court on a charge of driving an automobile while intoxicated. Johnson was arrested last Wednesday after his machine struck a pole, a tree and another automobile, all within a few blocks distance, and within a few minutes of each other.

Local A&P Employes Share in Cash Bonus

Lowell Wirth, manager of the local A&P store, was informed this week by John A. Hartford, president of the Great Atlantic & Pacific Tea company, that $1,500,000 is to be distributed at Christmas time among employes of the company earning less than $5200 annually and who have been with the company more than six months. A total of $126 was distributed here.

To be sure, we're a lot more modern nowadays . . . and justly proud of our advancement. But there's one thing that's never been improved upon—the good old-fashioned Christmas spirit. We look back to the days of sleigh bells, frosty breath'd steeds, footwarmers and mufflers . . . and wish the genuine joy of those hearty times to you and yours. May your Christmas be as full of treasured happiness!

Cook Voters Are Advised to Check Poll Registration

Jan. 16 Deadline to Correct Records Here; Can Lose 1940 Vote

With approximately 25 per cent of the residents of Barrington township having changed addresses since the last general registration period, voters in the four precincts were notified this week that the deadline for having their registration card corrected locally is January 16 and March 11 in Chicago. Unless the change is made where necessary, the individual will lose the right to vote at the 1940 presidential election.

Change of registration cards may be secured by persons residing in the village on the Cook county side from A. C. Burandt, village clerk, at the village hall, and those living in the township outside the village may secure the cards from H. O. Sodt, town clerk, 239 W. Lake street. Permanent registration applies only to persons living in Cook county.

After January 16 and up to March 11 it will be necessary for voters to make a trip to Chicago to be registered at the county clerk's office.

A survey of the registration books in Barrington township revealed that at least 25 per cent of the persons now residing in that area will be required to re-register due to having moved to a new address or for many other reasons. Some of them follow:

If you have moved since you last registered from one precinct in the country towns to another precinct, you will have to have your registration transferred to the precinct in which you now reside.

If you have moved from one address to another address in the precinct where you last registered, you will have to make application to have your address changed.

If you have recently become 21 years of age or will be 21 years old by April 9, 1940, you must register with your village clerk if you reside within the corporate limits of a village, or with the town clerk if you do not reside within the corporate limits of a village.

Women who have married since registering must cancel the registration under their maiden name and register anew under their marriage name.

If you are foreign born and have not registered since you obtained your citizenship papers, you must register with your village or town clerk. Be sure to take information with you as to the court, the date, city and state in which you obtained your citizenship papers.

Wins Grid Award

Glenn Hager, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hager of 426 June terrace, has been awarded his third letter in varsity football at De Pauw university, Greencastle, Ind. He has also won a letter in basketball and two in track.

Religious Services and Programs Reflect Christmas Holiday Spirit

Barrington churches, Sunday schools and associated organizations are busy with preparations for observance of the Christmas season. Special programs and Christmas services will be presented as listed.

The Young People's Christian commission will sing carols in the village Friday evening, Dec. 22, starting at 6 o'clock when the group participates in a program at the village square. The carolers will meet at the Baptist church, at 6:45.

Following the program in the business district, the group will be divided into two sections to tour the town. Misses Evelyn Peterson and Ardith Wente will be leaders. Myron Kleiman and George Bjorberg are acting as managers and those wishing to have the carolers visit shut-ins are requested to contact the two men.

First Baptist Church

Regular church services will be observed at the First Baptist church on Sunday morning with a special musical program being arranged for the morning worship hour. On Sunday evening, at 7:30, there will be a Bible school program by the children and young people. There will be a visit from Santa Claus and the distribution of treats to members of the classes. Mrs. W. N. Sears, superintendent, is in charge of the program There will be no service on Christmas day.

At the morning worship service on Sunday, the following musical selections will be offered:

"The Birthday of the King," Hugh Mattison and choir.

"Thee We Adore," choir.

"O Morn of Beauty," Mrs. Sadie Tiles, Mrs. Angie Montgomery, A. C. Lundquist and Hugh Mattison.

Offertory solo, "The Christmas Rose," Ho Shepard.

Pastor's Christmas message.

"The Heavens Are Telling," choir.

First Church of Christ, Scientist

There will be an special church service held at the First Church of Christ, Scientist, on Christmas day. The subject for the Sunday service is "Christian Science" and the service will begin at the usual time, 10:45.

Methodist Church

Dr. Miron A. Morrill will be the guest pastor at the Christmas worship service in the Methodist church Sunday morning starting at 10:35, Rev. G. T. Negnith, pastor, announced this week. There will be no service on Christmas day. The Sunday school will meet at 9:35 and the worship service will follow. There will be special musical numbers by the choir under the direction of Mrs. W. D. Dotterer.

At 4 p. m. Sunday there will be a Sunday school Christmas celebration which will be presented in two parts. Part one is a Christmas carol service and will feature a prelude, candlelight processional and a Christmas litany. Part two will consist of a Christmas story with ten characters in dramatization of the Manger scene. Benediction and recessional will close the service.

The church sanctuary has been decorated again this year by Mrs. R. R. Hammond and Mrs. Fred W. Record. The Methodist church choir presented its annual vesper service Sunday afternoon.

Salem Evangelical Church

The annual Christmas music by the Salem church choir will be given at the morning service, 10:30 o'clock. The program follows:

Organ prelude "Christmas Meditation."

Processional hymn, "Hark, the Herald Angels Sing."

Invocation, pastor.

Anthem, "Born Today."

Solo, "There's a Song in the Air," Mrs. Chester Meyer.

Anthem, "Sleep Holy Babe."

Duet, "O Holy Night," Mrs. Elisabeth Miller and Mrs. Lillian Mittlaef.

Offertory, violin solo, Harvey Frye.

The Christmas message, pastor.

Solo, Mrs. Josephine Gieske.

Anthem, "Sing O Heavens."

Cornet solo, George Landwer.

Recessional hymn, "O Little Town of Bethlehem."

Benediction, pastor.

Postlude, "Joy to the World."

Mrs. Lillian Mittlaef is director and Mrs. Naomi Hoffman, organist. Rev. W. A. Stauffer is pastor.

The annual program by the children will be given Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock. There will be songs, recitations, and group numbers by the girls and boys of the primary and junior department of the Sunday school. Some 75 to 85 children will have a part in the Christmas Eve exercises. The various exercises will be under the following subject heads:

"Emblems of Christmas," "The Bells," "Christmas Stories," "Guest of Christmastide," "Lighted Lamps," "Love's Messengers," "The Christmas Story."

The closing number, "The Christmas Story" will be presented in the form of a pageant.

St. Anne Church

Four Masses will be celebrated at St. Anne Roman Catholic church on Christmas morning, Rev. Father P. J. Hayes, pastor, announced. At 5:30 a. m., there will be a solemn High Mass with the combined Senior and Boys' choir and at 8 o'clock there will be a low Mass with the singing of carols by the school children. A High Mass will be celebrated at 10 o'clock and the Boys' choir will sing. A low Mass will follow at 11 o'clock. The regular schedule of services will be observed on Sunday, Father Hayes said.

St. Matthew Lutheran Church

The Christmas festival will be observed at the St. Matthew Lutheran church in three services. On Sunday morning, Dec. 24, at 10:30 a. m., a pre-Christmas will be held as a spiritual preparation for the observance of Christmas. Miss Barts of Elgin will serve as guest organist at this service and her sister of Washington, D. C., will sing a vocal selection.

The Christmas Eve service at 7:30 p. m. will be high in the nature of a Children's service with recitations and songs by the chil-

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Post Office Receipts Gain 10 Per Cent in Past Several Weeks

Business at the Barrington post office during the past several weeks has increased 10 per cent over the corresponding period in 1938, L. B. Paddock, postmaster, reported Wednesday. The quarter which will end January 1 is approximately 20 per cent ahead of the same time last year.

While the volume of mail and parcel post going through the local office has been tremendous, it has been more uniform, Mr. Paddock stated. As a comparison of the amount of outgoing mail and parcel post being handled, the postmaster released the following figures:

Parcel Post

Friday, 47 sacks, 607 parcels.
Saturday, 80 sacks, 1152 parcels.

Monday, 104 sacks, 684 parcels.
Tuesday, 147 sacks, 600 parcels.

Outgoing Mail

Monday, 11,000 letters.
Tuesday, 20,000 letters.
Wednesday, 25,000 letters.

Savings and Loan Association Pays Regular Dividend

A regular half yearly two per cent dividend on all shares has been declared by the First Federal Savings and Loan association of Barrington payable as of December 31, Arnold H. Sass, president, reported Wednesday. Action on the dividend was taken at a meeting of the board of directors last Monday night. The dividend amounts to more than $2000 and checks will be mailed out January 2.

The association has paid two per cent every six months, or four per cent per annum compounded semi-annually, since it was first organized in January, 1934.

The annual meeting of stockholders of the association will be held on the third Wednesday in January at eight o'clock in the evening. The meeting will be held in the association's office.

Seeking Injunction To Restrain Locals Interfering Here

Raymond Brandt Takes Steps After Union Activity Tuesday

Court action was instituted Wednesday for an injunction against Locals No. 753 and No. 781 of Cook county and local 301 of Lake county to enjoin them from interfering with the operation and delivery of milk by the Brandt Dairy Co. of Barrington. The complaint was signed by Raymond Brandt, owner of the dairy. Action was filed by Attorney William Sloan of Chicago in the Cook county circuit court Wednesday morning. A hearing date will be set later.

The court action is the result of an attempt made Tuesday morning to halt the delivery of milk on the retail routes in Barrington and wholesale routes to other towns.

Members of the three unions came to Barrington early Tuesday morning and immediately tied up local deliveries by removing the drivers from the trucks and taking the keys from the ignition systems, it was said.

Ray Tate, Martin Meyer, David Prochaska and Francis Garbisch, drivers, were taken to Palatine where they remained until later in the day.

The ignition keys were returned to the trucks about an hour later and deliveries continued by other employes under police protection furnished by Chief of Police E. W. Slade and Night Patrolman William Behrens.

Deputies Leo Riley, Fred Krone and James Kelly were assigned to service to guard the wholesale trucks, as was a squad from the Lake county sheriff's office.

Local No. 753 is a milk drivers' union in Cook county while local No. 754 is a union for inside dairy workers. Local 301 in Lake county is an union operating in Lake county.

Union difficulty was also experienced here Saturday when representatives from a Chicago electricians' union contacted P. A. Connely, president of the Business Council, and sought to have him place a union man in charge of the public address system being used in the community Christmas program. The request was denied and no further action has been taken as yet.

Community Christmas Program Nears End

Christmas Program

Thursday, Dec. 21

6:30 p. m., Organ.
7 p. m., Electrical transcriptions.
8 p. m., Methodist church choir, under direction of Mrs. William Dotterer.

Friday, Dec. 22

6:30 p. m., Organ.
7 p. m., Young People's Commission Choral group.
8 p. m., Salem Evangelical choir under direction of Mrs. Mittlaff.

Saturday, Dec. 23

5 p. m., Santa Claus.
4 p. m., Campfire Girl singers.
6:30 p. m., Organ music.
7 p. m., Electrical transcriptions.
7:45 p. m., P.-T.A. Mothersingers.
8 p. m., Community sing.
8:30 p. m., Readings.
9 p. m., Finale.

Village Responds Whole-Heartedly In Holiday Spirit

Barrington Complimented by Outsiders for Aiding Civic Program

The next few days will bring to a close the community-wide Christmas program which was started several weeks ago and which has proven highly successful in furnishing entertainment and holiday spirit.

As a result of the unified effort made by business houses, local groups and residents, Barrington has been favored with many compliments from residents of other towns for the way in which the program developed and the manner in which the public responded to it.

School children, church choirs, the P.-T.A. Mothersingers, carol groups and numerous individuals and soloists have taken part in the musical entertainment which will be closed Saturday evening.

The last three nights contain many interesting features, including choir singing on two nights, the appearance of the Christian Young People's commission carol group and the Mothersingers.

Saturday night is also a red letter occasion for children of Barrington who have been invited to meet Santa Claus at the village square at 6:30 to receive a candy gift. This event is being arranged by the Barrington post of the American Legion.

The enthusiasm generated by the community program has been reflected in many other local Christmas programs, it was learned from numerous sources. The early decorated business district, together with the entertainment, furnished the needed impetus to revive a good holiday spirit in Barrington, many said.

Local Stores Will Observe Week-End Holiday Schedule

Many Will Be Closed for Both Days, Sunday and Monday

Many local places of business will observe a two-day holiday schedule this week-end by remaining closed on Sunday and Monday, Christmas day. With the exception of taverns, drug stores and confectionery shops, which will operate on a curtailed schedule, most of the places will be closed entirely on the two days. The Catlow theatre will hold a matinee also on Christmas day in addition to the evening shows.

The Barrington public school closes this afternoon, Thursday, and the Country Day school and St. Anne parochial school closed Wednesday noon for the regular school vacation period.

The First National Bank of Barrington will observe its regular schedule on Saturday and will be closed on Monday.

The Christmas holidays will also alter the schedule of the local post office, L. B. Paddock, postmaster, reported. The office will be open all day Saturday until 6 p. m. and business may be transacted at all windows. City carriers will make one deliveries on Saturday and all incoming parcel post will be distributed. No deliveries will be made on Sunday nor Monday with the exception of special deliveries and Christmas gifts on the doorsteps. The office will be closed all day Monday. Night dispatches of mail are being made until 11 Friday night to clear the local station of outgoing mail.

Capacity Crowd at Club's Program in Theatre Wednesday

More than 700 children, members of the Barrington Woman's club and their guests were present at a Christmas program in the Catlow theatre Wednesday afternoon and heard a program of Indian songs and dances presented by Charles Eagle Plume, member of the Pikuni tribe of Blackfeet Indians.

Following the entertainment, candy canes were distributed to children by girl scouts of the Christmas tree in the lobby. The candy was furnished by the executive council of the girl scouts.

Barrington and Lake Zurich Children Are to Meet Santa Claus

Children of Barrington and Lake Zurich have been invited to be guests of the Barrington post of the American Legion Saturday night to greet Santa Claus and receive a gift of candy from him. Children living in Barrington have been asked to be at the village square at 6:30 in the evening and those in Lake Zurich will greet Santa Claus in the center of that town at 7:30.

Members of the Legion committee arranging the party are as follows: P. W. Schroeder, chairman; A. W. Dary, B. J. Langendorf, H. W. Bloch, George Whitcomb, Kenneth Shoup, Claude Collins and Frank Diehl.

Ordinance Which Can Restrict Gas Stations Sought by Trustees

Village Attorney D. B. Maloney was instructed by the village board Monday night to secure a copy of an ordinance that would help regulate the placement of gasoline service stations in Barrington. The trustees want to have adopted a "contract" ordinance which would require a service station operator to secure the consent of a certain percentage of property owners in the district in which the station is to be located before being allowed to build.

The matter was brought to the board's attention by Trustee John F. Daeschler.

Last summer several station operators appeared before the board and asked that licenses be required for the number of candidates to be listed. These same operators still favor that plan, Mr. Daeschler said.

After Mr. Maloney secures the ordinance, it will be studied by the board.

Rep. Kelsey Feted at Luncheon Meeting

State Representative H. D. Kelsey of Barrington and other representatives in this district were guests of honor at a luncheon meeting of the Forward division of the Waukegan Chamber of Commerce held in Waukegan Wednesday. The Chamber of Commerce endorsed the candidacies of Mr. Kelsey, Thomas Bolger of McHenry and Nick Keller of Waukegan for the state house, and Senator Ray Paddock of Round Lake for the upper house of the general assembly.

F. Burgeson Heads Home Owners' Assn.

The Biltmore Home Owners' association met at the Biltmore Country club Sunday afternoon and an election of officers was held. The following officers elected: Prichoff Burgeson, president; George Geis, vice president; Mrs. C. S. McDowell, secretary; Achil Van Coetende, treasurer; Walter Moeller, social chairman.

Following the business meeting supper was served to 40 members and cards were enjoyed.

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