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KILLED BY LIGHTNING

Bolt of Lightning Causes Death of Charles Walbaum, a Farmer Residing in Palatine Township.

Charles Walbaum, who lives on the Daverman farm one mile southeast of Quentin's corners, was instantly killed by lightning during a thunder storm at eight o'clock Tuesday morning. He had gone out into the field to make some repairs on a hay loader and when the storm came he started to return to the house. When within a short distance of the barn he was struck by lightning and instantly killed. Mrs. Walbaum became alarmed when her husband did not return to the house during the storm and as soon as it was over started out to the field to investigate. She was shocked on finding his body near the barn and life extinct. A wrench which he had used in repairing of machinery was found near him. Neighbors were notified was assisted in removing his remains to the house. The coroner's inquest was held Tuesday evening and the finding of the jury was in accordance with the above facts.

Charles Walbaum was born in Germany, December 10, 1867, and came to America 29 years ago with his parents who settled on a farm near Barrington Center. For five years he lived on the Wiseman farm west of this village. Eighteen months ago he purchased the Daverman farm where he has since resided.

Besides a widow he leaves three daughters and one son ranging in ages from 10 years to 16 months. Seven brothers, Fred, Ernest, Gustav, William, Fred, Herman, Louis and August live in or near Barrington with the exception of Ferdinand who lives in the Pacific last street, Chicago. Mrs. William Dellerman, a sister, resides at Elgin. He carried a policy of $1,000 in the Franklin Life Insurance company of Springfield. He was not a member of any other organization.

The funeral was held at two o'clock this afternoon in St. Paul's church, of which Mr. Walbaum was a member for eight years. Rev. E. Wilking conducted the services and burial was in St. Paul's cemetery.

FINED TEN DOLLARS.

Chauffer Arrested for Carrying Concealed Weapon and Pleads Guilty to Charge.

H. W. Hahn's chauffer, Frank Warren, was arrested this morning by Marshal Peters for carrying a concealed weapon, hailed before Judge Frye and, pleading guilty to the charge, was given a fine of ten dollars and costs.

The trouble began last evening when Warren ran over a dog belonging to Frank Vallier, killing the poor hound went back and shot the dog. Mr. Walker met Warren in town this morning and demanded the price of his automobile. Marshal Peters, who was watching the proceeding and had heard Hahn's complaint ordered Warren interfered and took his gun away. He swore out a warrant for his arrest and took his before Justice Frye with the result as stated.

Warren is looked upon as a speed maniac and has caused the ire of all those who have to suffer from his fast driving on the county line road between Barrington and the Palatine road home. His arrest this morning is but a forerunner of what will probably happen if he persists in his lawless and independent ways.

Hall Clerks at Wing Park.

The profit sharing plan of the C. F. Hall company, which is not yet "of age" but their twenty-first semi-annual gathering was held last Saturday at Wing park, Elgin. An early rising of the store permitted all to take a special trolley car at Palatine left Barrington Center, Dundee, at six o'clock and delivered the company at the entrance to the park whence they proceeded to the vicinity of the pavilion where Caterer Pease awaited them with a dainty and ample supper.

Besides the eighteen employees to whom dividend checks were issued, the company consisted of the members of the firm and their families with a few invited guests. The attractions of the park provided ample entertainment until 8:45 when the party returned via trolley to Dundee.

Since 1902 the C. F. Hall Company has declared semi-annually to their employees a dividend of one per cent of the preceding half year's sales, the total amount thus dispensed during this period being in excess of $6,000. At Friday night's dividend figured over $450 distributed in amounts ranging from $38.00 to $76.22.

EVANGELICAL CAMPMEETING.

Annual Meeting of Salem Evangelical and Allied Churches to be Held in August.

Announcements of the annual campmeeting, held at the Barrington park campgrounds, will be issued next week. The meeting opens on Friday evening, August 18, and continues until Monday, August 28.

This annual event is an affair of great importance to the Salem, one of the strongest churches in Barrington and great plans have been made for this year's meeting. Bishop U. B. Spencer, D. D., of Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, Rev. C. Mosk, Ph. D., president of Western Union college, La Mars, Iowa, Rev. E. S. Woodring, Allentown, Pennsylvania, and several others from distant places will be in attendance. Forty or fifty ministers will be present altogether and a great concourse of members of the society from all over the country.

J. C. Plagge is president of the association; J. L. Meiners, secretary; J. H. Meiners, treasurer and J. F. Lageschulte and F. A. Lageschulte are local members of the board of directors.

MRS. LINCOLN TO McHENRY CO.

Mother and Seven Children Taken to County Farm—Spouse Reported to Have Fled.

As the result of an investigation made last week by the Kane county board of supervisors, Mrs. Rolla M. Lincoln and her seven small children, who have been at the Kane county poor farm for the last month, were taken over to McHenry county. They were taken to Algonquin by Mrs. Etta M. Bennett, Kane county probation officer, and placed in the charge of Supervisor Robert Hager.

The investigation revealed the fact that the last permanent home of the Lincoln family was at Cary Station, Ill. and Mrs. Lincoln lived there when they were first married and it was there that four of their children were born. This doubtless had the obligation providing for the destitute family on McHenry county. A cottage has been rented for them at Cary Station.

Rolla Lincoln who was bound over to the grand jury by Police Magistrate George R. Thompson, at the time his wife and family went to the poor farm, has disappeared. He was taken to the county jail at Geneva, but two weeks ago was given his freedom to seek employment and since then he has not been heard from.

MILK PRODUCERS' PICNIC.

Dairymen's Organization Will Have Rousing Time at Plum Grove July 23.

The Milk Producers' association has planned a big, old fashioned picnic to be held at the Plum Grove picnic grounds on Sunday, July 23. Music will be furnished by the Palatine band throughout the day. A dance will be given after the athletic sports and contests held, including a tug-of-war between the milk producers and milk distributors. Quite big crowds will be prize contest for the best exhibits of corn, oats, wheat barley and potatoes. Ribbons will be given to all farmers. No entry fee will be charged and the prize winners will be given, besides the blue ribbons, cash award. Farmers of Barrington, Palatine, Hanover, Schaumburg, Elk Grove and Wheeling townships are interested and a large exhibit is expected.

James F. Grier of Chicago, secretary of the association, will deliver an address in the afternoon.

WOMAN MAY COLLECT $12,500

Judge Enters Judgement in This Amount Against Contractor Grace, Who Will Appeal.

Judge John McNutt of the Superior court of Cook county overruled a motion for a new trial Saturday in the suit of Mrs. Augusta Dahlberg, who obtained a verdict of $12,500 against William Grace, of Cuba township, recently, and entered judgement for $12,500. Mr. Grace has appealed the case.

Show Coming.

Johan Peter's big 15 and 25c show will exhibit in Barrington on Monday, July 17.

The show presents an up-to-date acrobatic, gymnastic and vaudeville performance giving the best of satisfaction everywhere it has shown. Johnson's band will also show twice at two and 7:45 o'clock.

Paris green sold in original packages, any size. LAMEY & COMPANY.

BREAKS INTO FARM HOUSE.

Eighteen-Year-Old Chicago Youth Held to Grand Jury on Charge of Burglary.

Frank Derbon, an eighteen-year-old Chicago lad broke into the farm house of Adam Helm, five miles west of this village, Saturday night. He was caught in the act by Mrs. Helm, who was aroused and gives a hearing before Justice Rod Monday and was bound over to the grand jury on the charge of burglary. It appears all he was looking for was money and that he only secured a small amount of change. The young man has been in trouble before and came to Barrington a short time ago on parole. He worked for Robert Mickey but was returned by him to the officer of the juvenile court after a few days. He came from Chicago Saturday morning.

YEAR OF DROUGHT.

Famous Weather Prophet Has Some Pessimistic Forecasts in Regard to Coming Dry Spell.

The United States is going dry. This is the prediction of the Rev. Irl Hicks, the weather prognosticator, who made this statement on astronomical observations.

According to him, the country will be dry, and he is not overjoyed in the fact when it was necessary to give the life stock away.

"I look for some conditions of the never to be forgotten drought of 1901 to return, during the latter part of this year," he says. "I do not really expect embrace the crop season of 1912, entailing a woeful condition of agriculturists and all else for that matter.

"It is all an astronomical matter. These things are the effect solely of the position of the sun and the aspect of the solar system. These droughts like almost all others recur at stated intervals. They follow what we call cycles of more or less length. This drought cycle is what we call a ten year cycle."

This prognostication will probably disappoint many through the country, and if verified will mean untold suffering to the entire country.

CUBA TOWNSHIP

Eddie Kamlager, the year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Garrett Kamlager, died last Friday of summer complaint and was buried Monday. The child was born July 19, 1915. The funeral was held in St. Paul's church, Rev. E. Wilking officiating.

Alice Wilhelmina Sprague and Anna Barbara Sprague, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sprague who live near Honey lake, were baptized Tuesday at the Sprague home, by Rev. Eugene Wilking, pastor of St. Paul's church.

Miss Pearl Kelsey of Cuba township was awarded the eighth grade examination this spring, has received a four years scholarship at the state normal school at DeKalb as an award for her high standard in studies and deportment. Miss Kelsey is 14 years old and attended the Kelsey school north of Langenheim.

300 VISIT BARRINGTON.

Large Gathering at Twelfth Convention of Jugendverein Held at St. Paul's Church Sunday.

Over 300 people were entertained on Sunday afternoon and evening at St. Paul's church and the parish grounds. The gathering was the celebration of the twelfth convention of the Evangelical Jugendverein or Young Peoples' societies of Chicago and suburbs. A program of addresses, scripture reading and prayer was given and a lunch between six and seven o'clock. The visitors arrived at 2:30 p. m. and were met by the High School band which escorted them to the church. They returned at 10:40.

Unclaimed Letters.

The following letters remain in the Barrington post-office unclaimed for the week ending June 10, 1911:

Miss Maud Austin
Miss Margaret Dooley
Mr. Claud Grey
Willie Popp
Joe Reisk
Joe Rosek
Mary Toone
Miss Carrie Maniey
Mr. Chas. McArthur

H. K. BROKAWAY,
Post Master.

Butter Price up One Cent.

Price of butter advanced one cent on the Elgin board of trade Monday, the quotation committee declaring the price 24 cents.

The sales for the Elgin district for the week was 1,079,300 pounds.

NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Short Local and Personal Items—Brief Paragraphs About the Visitor and the Visited.

Donald Coltrin of Austin is visiting his aunt, Miss Eva Castle.

Alex Boehmer of Chicago spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of John Schwemm.

Mrs. Otto Zimmerman is visiting her cousin, Miss Myrtle Crielston, at Algonquin.

Miss Evlyn Bingham of Dundee is visiting this week with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Cameron.

Miss Florence Collen returned Wednesday from a 10-days visit at Fort Atkinson, Wisconsin.

Mrs. Anthon of Wheaton, is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Gieske of Grove avenue.

Misses Malaini and Laura Krusfrue of Elgin were visitors at the home of Mrs. Frank Beth the past week.

Miss Amber Tuttle of Russell street left Friday to spend the summer with relatives at Minneapolis, Minnesota.

Mrs. Hettinger and two children Burnell and Lillian, and Mrs. Seebert spent Wednesday at Riverview park.

Mrs. William Jones returned to her home in Chicago Wednesday after spending a week with relatives here.

Mrs. Nicholas Steuger, son Ollie and daughter Grace, of Naperville, are spending the week with relatives here.

M. J. Hagan of Lake street is taking his week's vacation and has gone to Alexandria, on a business trip for a week.

Mrs. L. A. Powers and son Ray, and daughter Miss Dorothy left Friday for Mrs. Robert Bennett at Bristol, Wisconsin.

Misses Magdalene Blocks and Hazel Wooding, who are employed in Chicago are each enjoying a two week's vacation.

The annual picnic of the Salem church Sunday school children is being held at the Barrington park campground today.

Mrs. Henry Nordmeier of this village passed a few days this week with her daughter, Mrs. Ernest Lohman, at Lake Zurich.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor of Palatine, spent Saturday, Sunday and Monday with the latter's mother, Mrs. W. Johnson of Russell street.

Miss Agnes A. Lonergan, a Chicago school teacher, came last week to pass the summer with her brother, the Rev. Father Joseph M. Lonergan.

The ice cream social given by the Mission band of the Salem church in Salem park last Friday evening enriched the young peoples' treasury by a little over $8.00.

Mr. and Mrs. Darwin McDougal and Fred H. Dix of Boscobel, Wisconsin, who spent last week visiting Mr. Dix's sister Mrs. Arnold C. Lines on Lake street, returned here Saturday.

A letter to George Jackson from Miss Grace Kinsey, formerly of Grace, Dakota, formerly of the present Hickory farm west of town, states that the dry weather there is ruining the crops.

Mortimer W. Mattison went to the city on Monday to consult a specialist. He will go on Friday for a few days to the Presbyterian hospital in Chicago, for further consultation and treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mengerson and two daughters of Chicago motored from Chicago to Barrington Saturday evening to visit friends with Henry Gieske and family and also with Mrs. Mengerson's brothers, William and Edward Gieske.

Miss Myrtle E. Mattison, a teacher in the Bryant school, Chicago, is spending part of her vacation with her father and mother, Rev. and Mrs. O. F. Mattison. Miss Mattison is organist for the California avenue Congregational church.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ernst of Lake Mills, Wisconsin, are the proud parents of twins, a boy and a girl, born Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Ernst are former Barringtonians, and Mr. Ernst is a member of the Meyer Merchantile company at Lake Mills.

Mrs. Harry Clark of Lake street went to Jefferson Park Tuesday to see her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cudolr, and also to Edgewater to visit friends. On Monday she joins Mr. Clark in Minnesota where they will

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NOTES OF THE DIAMOND.

News for Baseball Fans, of Local Games and Players—Past and Future Contests.

The X. M. C. A. baseball team defeated the Kimball Piano company team Saturday in a close contest, the score being eight and nine.

This week, Saturday, the local team will play the Palatine team on Barrington grounds. A strong but friendly feeling of rivalary exists between the two teams, and a good game is looked for.

Manager Blocks is contemplating taking the team to the Woodstock fair, which will be held the latter part of August, to play a Cary team. A substantial purse is put up by the fair association.

CHURCH NOTES.

BAPTIST.

Weekly devotional service Saturday afternoon at 3:00 in the basement parlor.

Sunday morning service with preaching at 10:30. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. B. Y. P. U. devotional service at 6:30. Evening praise service and sermon at 7:30.

Sunday evening sermon subject: "Dancing."

Our Sunday school will meet from now on at 9:30 o'clock to 10:00 p. m. prior to the morning services.

SALEM.

Rev. Herman H. Thoren, Ph. D., pastor, residence South Hawley street, parsonage.

Sunday worship, German at 10:30 a. m. English at 7:45 p. m. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m., J. C. Plagge, superintendent. K. L. C. E. at seven p. m., Samuel Gieske, president. Monday, Junior Bible study, three p. m., H. H. Thoren, leader. Tuesday, English prayer meeting, 7:45. C. E. Cabinet, leader. Wednesday, German prayer meeting, 7:45, J. L. Meiners, leader. Thursday, Men's Chorus club, 7:45, H. H. Thoren, leader. Friday, Church choir, eight p. m., Miss Myrtle Schwemm, leader.

Missionary society meets the first Wednesday each month at 1:30 p. m., R. R. Schwemm, leader.

Woman's Missionary society meets first Thursday each month. Mrs. G. Sodt, leader.

Y. P. M. society meets first Tuesday evening each month at 7:45. Miss Myrtle Plagge, president.

Mission band meets first Sunday each month at 1:30. Miss Almeda Plagge, leader.

Sunday school board and teachers meeting, first Wednesday evening each month.

A monthly offering for church support is taken second Sunday each month.

ST. ANNE'S.

Rev. Father Joseph Geis came to Barrington last Saturday from Hamilton, Canada, to be assistant pastor in this parish. Father Geis has been ordained a priest only a few months.

Father Joseph Lonergan has been made the irremovable pastor of Crystal Lake and adjoining parishes, including Barrington temporarily.

Beginning this week Monday two masses were announced for each morning at six o'clock and at eight, excepting Friday when one service will be held at six.

Next Sunday, July 16, mass will be celebrated at nine o'clock.

These classes for instruction have been formed for young people.

The ladies of St. Anne's sewing circle are planning to have a bazaar in the basement of the parish house to be used as their work room, and as a class room for children.

METHODIST.

9:30 a. m., Sunday, Sunday school and adult study classes. Subject lesson, "A Royal Sinner Reclaimed Through Overwhelming Disaster." 10:40 a. m., Morning worship with preaching. Subject of special interest will be presented. 7:30 p. m., public worship with preaching by the pastor, Rev. O. F. Mattison. If the day should be cloudy or stormy the service will be held in the basement of the church. This will be the last Sunday evening service until further notice.

The Des Plaines campmeeting begins on next Wednesday and will hold over two Sundays.

At 6:30 the Epworth league devotional service will take place. The league is growing and increasing the interest and attendance.

At the church meeting last Friday evening J. H. Freeman was elected by delegate to attend the lay electoral conference at Joliet in September. William Horn was chosen alternate. There was a goodly number present and a pleasant social time was enjoyed.

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