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'Black Rat Carrier of Plague

The black rat is the carrier and propagating agent of bubonic plague. It was this plague which under the name of the "Black Death" ravaged Europe throughout the Middle ages and reached its climax in this country with the Great Plague of London in 1665.—London Mail.

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Plan Is Offered to Split Cook County for Tax Solution

Home Rule for Rural Territory Suggested in Re-organization Proposal

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To Other Cities

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[illegible] of Wakefield" Educational Film to Be Shown at School

[illegible] of Wakefield," best known [illegible] Smith's works, will be [illegible] the screen at the Barrington [illegible] Tuesday in connection [illegible] series of educational films [illegible] every other week. Frederic [illegible] plays the leading role and [illegible] has been invited to attend [illegible] of the picture, according [illegible] Smith. The teach- [illegible] using the films in their [illegible] so that it will be [illegible] every hour of the [illegible]

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Library and Clubs Actively Observe Annual Book Week

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[illegible] gave a delightfu [illegible] an assembly meet- [illegible] high school Wed- [illegible] discussed new [illegible] "dolls" [illegible] particularly interested [illegible] club, Mrs. John [illegible] and old books [illegible] Barrington library [illegible] of special interest [illegible]

Elizabeth Howland Wins First Place in Flower Arrangement Contest

Miss Elizabeth Howland, representing the Barrington Garden club, won first place in a contest of flower arrangements sponsored by the Illinois Garden club in connection with a lecture by Mrs. William H. Cary of New Haven, Conn., at the Palmer House, Chicago, Tuesday afternoon. Fifty bouquets were entered, members of all of the garden clubs of Illinois being eligible for the contest.

Miss Howland won first place with an arrangement of small chrysanthemums of various colors, shading from yellow to red, in a red lacquer bowl.

About 20 members of the Barrington Garden club attended the series of lectures given at the Palmer House by Mrs. Cary Monday afternoon and Tuesday morning and afternoon. Local members report that delegates attending the sessions from as far south as Decatur. The lecturer is considered an authority on floral arrangements.

Missionary Tells Woman's Club of Chinese Problem

Japan's Attitude in Manchuria Reviewed by Rev. Theodore Suhr

Japan claims a need for Manchuria as a buffer state between herself and communistic Russia and China according to Reverend Theodore Suhr, former missionary in China, who was the speaker of the day at the November meeting of the Barrington Woman's club, held at the Methodist church, Wednesday afternoon.

Reverend Suhr, who has at his command an abundance of knowledge and experience concerning China discussed its internal politics, its government, its relations to the other countries of the world, its history, its religion, its customs.

In a friendly, informal way he gave a kaleidoscopic view of China, touching on a dozen topics of interest, ranging from mastery of the forms and tones of the language, and the delicate perfection of Chinese food to the complexity of the Manchurian situation with its Russian and Japanese complications.

Rich in Metals

Regarding Manchuria, Reverend Suhr said that it is not an integral part of China proper, but that China once had been conquered by it. After many hundreds of years, China, having thrown off the yoke, finally absorbed the province and its people. The province of Manchuria is rich in all kinds of metals, and many countries besides Japan are holders of concessions and mine leases there. Japan has other broader and more understandable reasons for her interest, however. She claims, for one thing, that a buffer

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Robert Ulbrich and Phyllis Lines Will Be in State Chorus

Phyllis Lines and Robert Ulbrich will leave for Urbana next week to represent Barrington high school in the all-state chorus which will appear in concert at the auditorium of the University of Illinois Thursday and Friday evenings, Nov. 23 and 24. The chorus is composed of pupils from 200 high schools throughout the state.

Selections for the chorus are made on the basis of musical qualifications as listed by the instructors of the various schools. When selected, the pupils are sent copies of the words and music of each song on the program so that one day of rehearsals is sufficient after they arrive at Urbana. The chorus will sing for the Illinois State Teachers convention which is to be in session those days in addition to giving two public concerts.

The names of six Barrington pupils were submitted for consideration, according to Erman S. Smith, superintendent of schools. Max T. Krone, a graduate of the University of Illinois and a musical director from a conservatory at Indianapolis, will direct the state chorus.

Weekly Calendar

Friday, Nov. 17

8 p. m., Altrui society, home of Mrs. Jennie Lines.

8 p. m. Men and boys meeting, Salem church.

Monday, Nov. 20

6:30 p. m. Lions club, Greengard grill.

Tuesday, Nov. 21

7:30 p. m. Junior league, St. Paul church.

8 p. m. Delta Alpha class, home of Mrs. Orville Meiners.

8 p. m. Berean class, home of Mrs. S. J. Landwer.

8 p. m. R. E. R. club, home of Miss Florence Thies.

Thursday, Nov. 23

2 p. m. Three Link Circle Rebekah lodge, home of Mrs. Marie Naggats.

8 p. m. I. O. O. F., lodge rooms.

Hunters Arrested for Trespass and Bagging Hen Birds

All Justice Courts Busy During Brief Open Season on Pheasants

The activity of chicken thieves and other night prowlers has caused the owner of the Wetten farm to display the following sign at the farm entrance and also on Route 22 this week:

"Warning! Trespassing and hunting positively forbidden. Special officer on premises at all times. Trespassers after dark liable to be shot on sight. Beware of dogs!"

It is reported that this action was caused by an attempted robbery the other night when the perfect coordination of burglar alarms, flood lights and eight or nine farm hands with rifles and shot guns dispelled the invaders with no poultry stolen and no one shot. However, the attempt stirred up so much excitement that the occupants of a squad car following close on the heels of the invaders had a narrow escape from being shot.

With most of the available hunting land well posted with "no hunting" and "no trespassing" signs, the majority of nimrods who traversed the territory surrounding Barrington had little success in bagging their limit of pheasants in the six day open period which closed Wednesday. Pheasants were reported as being scarce this year but nevertheless the nearby farmland fairly swarmed with hunters taking advantage of the short shooting season.

A pair of hunters from Chicago found plenty of birds and had no trouble in bagging a fine collection of six pheasants but they made an unfortunate mistake in shooting hen birds which are protected by law instead of cocks which are legal targets. The two men were taken before Police Magistrate A. D. Church who fined them $125 apiece, $25 for the first and $50 for each additional bird. Mr. Church also reported 10 cases of trespassing during the season.

Fred Krone, Lake county justice of the peace, had four trespassing cases brought to him including one case concerning two hunters who traveled 300 miles from Centralia, a southern Illinois city, for better hunting only to be caught trespassing on Biltmore Country club property. They were each fined $15 and costs.

Fourteen trespassing cases were tried before Justice A. W. Catlow.

Trustees Instruct Engineers to Speed up Report on Sewer

Dissatisfaction at the progress of getting a report on the sewer situation was expressed at the village board meeting Monday night when the trustees voted to send a letter to Carter Jenkins, village engineer, telling him to speed up the work or release the village from its contract with the sewer engineers.

The village cannot apply for a federal loan until the report is in concerning the condition of the old sewer and what new improvements will be needed. Board members expressed belief that it is imperative to apply for a loan immediately before all the money set aside for this purpose is used up and therefore desires to get Jenkin's report as soon as possible.

Otyokwa Campfire Girls Start Christmas Work for Children's Hospital

Members of Otyokwa camp of campfire girls are starting preparations for Christmas this week, according to their guardian, Mrs. Evelyn Corr, who announces that they gathered mistletoe leaves to color for Christmas gifts on their first five-mile hike Monday, and that further meetings of the organization will be devoted to the remodeling of old toys for the children's hospital at Christmas.

The campfire girls are collecting old toys from Barrington residents this week and will paint, remodel, and renovate as many as possible, she reports. Contributions are being solicited and will be called for in response to any calls, she reports.

Local Violinist Plays Three Solos in National Music Sorority Musicale

Mrs. K. K. Lilien of Barrington, known in musical circles as Ruth Parker Lilien, played three violin solos at the formal musicale of Sigma Alpha Iota, held at the Allerton house, Chicago, Tuesday evening. She was accompanied by her sister, Miss Harriet H. Parker, pianist. The program, devoted to Russian music, was presented by Gamma chapter of Sigma Alpha Iota, national music sorority.

Mrs. Lilien played the following numbers: "Serenade" by Arensky; "A Tea" by Moussorgski, and "Dance Orientale" by Rimsky-Korakoff, arranged by Kreisler.

WaterComplaints Heard at Meeting of Village Board

A protest was presented to the village board in regular meeting Monday night by Herbert Joyce, Chicago representative of the Jefferson Ice company, concerning the water bill charged to the local ice plant for the last three months.

The ice company had received a bill from the village for consumption of 8 million gallons of water, an amount which Joyce declared was greatly in excess of the normal consumption of village water by the plant. Joyce stated that water from the village main was only used in making ice, that the plant used water from its own well to cool the ice. The bill for the preceding three months was only a little over two million gallons, he said, adding his opinion that the water meter was not working correctly. The board brought out the fact that some of the water must be used in the cooling process or else the meter "jumped" sometime during the period.

On Trustee Hatje's suggestion it was decided to ask the ice company to pay part of the bill until further investigation can be made.

Several other water bill complaints were heard. One complaint was based on the fact that the faucets in a house served by a dead end main must be left open so long to bring cold water that a great deal of surplus water passes through the meter every month.

These complaints were turned over to the village clerk and superintendent of water. The board reaffirmed its position of "hands off" policy for water complaints. The clerk is under instructions to shut off water where bills are delinquent.

Substantial Gain in Building Work Shown in Survey

Barrington and Nearby Communities Show Increases Over Year Ago

Building activity in Barrington and surrounding communities showed a marked upward swing during October this year as compared with the record of building during the same month a year ago. This fact is brought out in a survey of suburban building for October which shows that construction increased 27 per cent over September and 16 per cent over October, 1932.

The total amount of permit issued in October by the 54 communities which reported is $583,000, a striking increase over September's total of $456,000 and a worthwhile improvement over the October, 1932 figure of $501,000.

Among the reporting communities Wilmette took the lead with permits to the amount of nearly $218,000. B. H. Platt, village engineer, explains that this exceptional total is mainly due to the issuance of a permit for St. Joseph's Parochial school amounting to $200,000.

Crystal Lake Leads

In percentage gains over last year Crystal Lake stepped into first place with 1533 per cent. Aurora is next with 511 per cent and Libertyville third with 509 per cent.

Some of the figures for Barrington and surrounding communities follow:

	Oct. 1933	Oct. 1932
Barrington	$ 6000	$ 2500
Crystal Lake	9800	900
Des Plaines	4800	9615
Elgin	12,840	6401
Libertyville	6000	1000
Mount Prospect	250	None

Business Club Will Meet to Lay Plans for Christmas Rush

Christmas plans for the Barrington business district will be the main topic of discussion at a meeting of the Barrington Business Men's club to be held at the Legion club rooms at 8 p. m. Friday according to Roy Willmering who is making arrangements for the conclave.

Decorations, window displays, methods of promoting "home trade," and Christmas sales will be among the items to be considered. "When business is not humming is the time to go out after it and stimulate more," said Mr. Willmering in reporting the plans of those who are calling together local merchants. "Now is the time for Barrington to wake up and get out after Christmas business; starting early insures success. Delays mean failure."

Mrs. Hannah Kampert, 78 Fractures Right Hip in Fall at Her Home

Mrs. Hannah Kampert, 78-year-old resident of Barrington, suffered a slight stroke last week, slipped and fell at her home, 557 N. Hough street, last Wednesday and fractured her right hip. It is believed that the stroke impaired her strength, causing her to fall. Her hip has been placed in a cast, and she is reported to be getting along as well as can be expected.

Widen Main With Gas Tax Funds Is Kasch Suggestion

Trustees Ask Highway Department Aid for Wider Street Through Village

The possibility of widening Main street was discussed at a meeting in Elgin Tuesday afternoon of four Barrington trustees and Mr. Kasch, highway department representative. Relative to obtaining funds for the project Mr. Kasch suggested that money the village will receive from the state gas tax split can be used. He also stated that the village must decide how it is going to use the gas tax money by July, 1935, and the money must be spent by September of the same year. The present plan of the board of trustees is to widen Main street from Dundee avenue east through the village to the Northwest highway.

Mr. Kasch offered a plan to create village aid roads in Barrington to form through street connecting links between county roads. The routes suggested but not approved by the trustees were: one, Park avenue from Main street to Grove avenue and on Grove to Hillside; two, Russell street from Dundee avenue to Prairie avenue and south on Prairie to Hillside; three, North avenue from the Northwest highway to Main street.

The Barrington committee at Elgin included: president of the board Gieske and trustees Kuhlman, Thorp and Schroeder.

Eighty Eight Attend Auxiliary Banquet for Former Service Men

A style show with men modeling women's clothes and women garbed as men, a mock wedding, and an innovation in the line of drum and bugle corps were highlights of the entertainment which followed the banquet held at the Masonic hall Saturday evening with members of the American Legion Auxiliary as hostesses and ex-service men as guests. All ex-service men of Barrington were invited in celebration of the 15th anniversary of Armistice Day. Eighty-eight guests were present.

Mrs. Inez Brown served as announcer for the style show. Ed Langendorf and Roy Willmering modeling the women's styles, Mrs. Langendorf and Mrs. C. E. Lovendahl the men's. Mrs. L. Yeoman served as minister for the mock wedding, Mrs. George Whitcomb and Mrs. Lovendahl as the "in-laws." Mrs. Noelle Kuhlman and Mrs. Mabel Jones as brides, Mrs. Willmering as the sailor groom, Mrs. Bertha Frye, the soldier. A humorous drum and bugle corps, a sailor dance, and musical numbers by Odessa Jones, Mrs. N. Kuhlman and Mrs. Blanche Jahnke completed the program. The remainder of the evening was devoted to cards and dancing.

Mrs. Rieka Meiners Life-long Resident Here, Dies at 77 Years of Age

Mrs. Rieka Meiners, 77-year-old resident of Barrington, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Irving Hager, Tuesday afternoon after an illness of 11 months. She had suffered a stroke last January and had been confined to bed since that time.

Funeral services will be held at the Hager home, 104 Dundee avenue, at 1:30 p. m. Friday and at the Salem Evangelical church at 2 p. m. Rev. Philip Beuscher will officiate and burial will take place at Evergreen cemetery.

Rieka Listhartke, daughter of Gerhardt and Myra Batlings Listhartke, was born on a farm in Ela township, Lake county, January 31, 1856, and moved to Barrington with her parents when she was a small girl. She spent her life here and was a devoted member of the Salem Evangelical Lutheran church. November 9, 1880, she married John Meiners, who preceded her in death January 12, 1918. Their union was blessed with five children, two of whom died in infancy.

For the past two years, Mrs. Meiners was totally blind and the paralytic stroke last January left her helpless, but in all of her suffering she was patient and resigned. She was tenderly cared for by her daughters.

She is survived by a sister, Mrs. Lesetta Hagen of Hutchinson, Minn., three daughters, Mrs. Elizabeth Hansen and Mrs. Irving Hager of Barrington, Mrs. Fred Smith of Harvard, five grandsons and two granddaughters.

Thermometer Reading Approaches Zero on Coldest November Day

The lowest mid-November temperature on record for western Lake county kept people hanging over radiators and many automobiles stalled in cold garages Thursday morning.

Local thermometers registered from zero to 3 degrees above. The United States weather observer in Elgin reported 1½ degrees above zero, and the weather bureau in Chicago reported 4 degrees above zero.

The lowest temperature Wednesday morning was 3 degrees above zero. The temperature has been below the freezing point since Tuesday afternoon.

Red Cross Booths for Membership Drive in Downtown District

The Red Cross membership drive which began with a house to house canvas in Barrington Nov. 11 and will continue until Thanksgiving Day is to be aided by booths at various places of business in the towntown section, according to Mrs. Reuben Plagge, who as a member of the philanthropic committee of the Woman's club is in charge of the drive. The booths will be placed at convenient points in the business section this week-end, according to Mrs. Plagge, in order that persons who are not home when the solicitors come may take out a membership conveniently.

Barrington girl scouts are doing the canvassing under the direction of three captains, Edith Work, Mildred Miller and Josephine Parks.

At the school, each room has been supplied with an American Junior Red Cross membership roll upon which the name of each pupil is written as he contributes to the fund. As soon as every child in the room has contributed, the room is presented a Red Cross insignia showing 100 per cent cooperation. A donation of any amount is acceptable, according to Mrs. Plagge.

Government Halts Foreclosure on Barrington Farm

William Thiede Farm Case Is First in Northern Illinois

The first attempt in northern Illinois to save a farmer's mortgaged property by use of federal funds is being applied in the case of William Thiede, who is on the verge of losing his 175 acre farm in Barrington township after paying $10,000 on principal and $15,000 in interest during the past 15 years.

The federal land commission has granted a loan of $5,000, and the federal land bank a loan of $9000 to aid the farmer in halting the foreclosure. Government and state officials have become interested in the case to the extent that the loan requests were received within the last two weeks from Henry Morgenthau, Jr., governor of the federal farm credit administration at Washington, and Governor Horner personally interested himself in the case and directed C. V. Gregory, a member of the newly formed state debt commission and J. H. Lloyd, assistant director of agriculture, who is in active charge of the work, to use every effort to aid the farmer in his distress.

Robertson on Committee

A Cook county committee created under the new Horner plan to solve foreclosure problems was called to an emergency meeting at Arlington Heights November 8 to meet with Gregory and other state officials who had interested themselves in the Barrington case. The committee, which lacks a fifth member, consists of D. A. Neitfeldt, president of the Cook County Farm Bureau; A. L. Robertson, former banker of Barrington; and Albert Landmeier and Ezra McClaughrey, who are members of a truck gardeners organization and the Farm Bureau. The members of the committees and all men connected with the work serve without pay and must pay their own expenses.

Supported by Horner

Attention was directed at the meeting to secure a delay of thirty to sixty days by the creditors and to find ways by which the remaining money that will be needed by the farmer can be raised. Governor Horner expected to attend the meeting but was detained at Springfield. Several telephone conversations were had with the governor during the meeting. It is said that Governor Horner takes the attitude

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Rural Fire Truck Committee Starts Collecting Funds

Will Purchase $3600 Unit for Use on Farms Near Barrington

The Barrington Chamber of Commerce fire truck committee assembling of H. H. Calkins, Sanford White, G. E. Billings and H. R. Zander, has started to mail out letters to 400 property owners in the territory surrounding Barrington urging them to send in their assessments for the proposed community fire truck as soon as possible. The committee is trying to collect the money quickly in order to purchase within a short time the new fire truck that will protect the property of owners who enter into the project.

The letter states: "We have found that a 350 gallon pumper will be adequate for this truck, which together with all necessary hose, tanks, fittings, fire-axes and other equipment, delivered on a two ton truck, will cost approximately $3600. This cost spread over the contemplated territory will bring the cost down to $15 per set of buildings, this $15 to include the first year service charge. The service charge to be one dollar per year per set of buildings after the first year, which cost is to cover all operating expenses for fire truck and salary payments to firemen (at least five men to accompany the truck on all fire calls). A set of buildings shall consist of a house, barn, garage, usual sheds for stock, grains and machinery, etc., however, if another group of such buildings were located on the same farm or estate, or owned by the same person and located some distance from the first set, this would be considered a second set of buildings, and if still other groups were owned, these would be considered as third set, fourth set, etc., as the case might be."

The letter also added that various recommendations, suggestions and data have been obtained from the Barrington fire department, various fire department manufacturers and others interested in the project.

Extra-Curricular Dramatic Classes Attract 55 Pupils

With rehearsals for the junior class play, "Tiger House," to be given Nov. 23 and 24, in full swing, and the presentation of a program for the high school dramatic club Tuesday evening, young dramatists of Barrington have been unusually busy during the past week, according to Miss Esther Schwab, instructor in dramatics.

Betty Plagge directed the play, "Where But in America," which was given at the high school assembly room Tuesday evening for the members of the school dramatic club. The cast included Jack Fletcher, Rosemary Jensen and Harriette Burandt. A reading by Verneil Jeppsen and an excerpt from the mystery play now under production completed the program.

There are now 55 pupils enrolled in dramatic classes at Barrington high school, two classes for beginners studying "fundamentals of speech" as their extra-curricular work, according to Miss Schwab, and two studying more advanced work such as producing and presenting plays, make-up, lighting effects, and arrangements of scenery.

In December, the juniors will dramatize "Hiawatha" and at each of the monthly meetings of the dramatic club throughout the school year, at least one play will be presented by members of the club. The young dramatists are learning to study plays, select cast and produce them themselves.

The cast for "Tiger House," the three-act mystery which will be given at the school auditorium Nov. 23 and 24, includes Vivian Richter, Sarah Ann Dawson, Dorothy Dotterer, June Jurs, Robert Wallace, Herman Koenig, Howard Castle, Harvey Frye and Vernon Plagge.

Five Souls Speak in Impressive Armistice Day Pageant of Peace

The Armistice Day programs which were presented at the school auditorium Friday afternoon as a culmination of the peace week activities included the presentation and retirement of the colors by the cub scouts, musical selections by Mrs. Lester Higgins, a pageant of peace presented by the junior high school, assembly singing, a playlet by boys of the second grade, readings, and a short and inspiring address by Homer J. Byrd.

The peace pageant was particularly effective and impressive. It was a dramatization of the poem "Five Souls" which has attracted world-wide attention as expressing the inner conscience of the hordes in the world conflict. Each soul spoke, telling of his humble origin and his beloved work and how he left all to serve his country. Each chanted the universal belief that he had fought and died for an ideal of beauty and justice. The message was expressed in the refrain of the poem:

"I gave my life for freedom—
This I know;
For those who bade me fight
had told me so."

Mary Ellen Robbins served as reader for the pageant of peace; she was assisted by Arthur Castle, Leonard Capelli, Frank Schermerhorn, Jane Welty, Kenneth Frye, James Lawrence and Lloyd Canby, all of whom played the parts of souls. Betty Schroeder's reading "The Unknown Soldier," music by Helen Jurs, and "Taps" by George Landwer, concluded the peace program.

A short sketch, "What I'd Like to Be," given by the following second grade boys: James Evanger, Gordon Stagner, Harold Jeppsen, Penn Watt, Clark Nightingale, Edward Gruber, Lyle Ebert, Alanson Titterton, and George Bierman, and songs by members of the male quartet, Jack Fletcher, Howard Meiners, Harvey Frye, and Donald Bennett, had preceded the pageant.

Teachers and pupils of the Barrington public schools had arranged the programs, both of which were sponsored jointly by the Barrington Woman's club and American Legion the year.