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**JEWEL TEA CO., INC.**

JEWEL PARK  
BARRINGTON, ILLINOIS

OFFICE OF THE  
GENERAL SALES MANAGER

October 20, 1943:

Mr. Edwin L. Read  
Barrington, Illinois

Dear Ed:

I have put off writing this letter for the same reason that most of us put off doing things that we don't like to do.

I am asking you to accept my resignation as a member of the official board of the Barrington Methodist Church, and it is a difficult thing to do because I have enjoyed the fellowship and the association with you and the other members of the board more than I can express in this letter.

Last summer we became interested in a home in Arlington Heights and made an offer on it. We probably failed to realize the implications at this time; otherwise, I doubt that we would have had the courage to make the offer, but now that we are moved we enjoy our new home very much.

At the time we contemplated moving to Arlington Heights, we thought that we would continue our church affiliations in Barrington but since moving there, we have found that Reverend Vondracek of the Arlington Heights church is a fraternity brother of mine and was in school with my sister and my brother-in-law so I think you can understand our position in transferring our affiliations to Arlington Heights.

During the nine years that we have lived in Barrington, we have enjoyed the associations with the Methodist Church group a great deal and we hope that we can continue to be numbered among the friends of the Church.

Sincerely yours,

*via Mr. G. S. H. W. Dotts*

H. W. Dotts

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