

# BARRINGTON REVIEW

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\$1.50 A YEAR IN ADVANCE

## CHRISTMAS SERVICES

All-Barrington Churches Are Planning Special Services or Programs.

**ZION CHURCH**  
The Zion Evangelical Sunday school will render its Christmas program on Friday evening, December 26th. Extra efforts have been made to make it a success. A choir of eighteen voices will render the cantata, entitled: "Joseph and His Brethren." Songs and recitations by the scholars as usual. The decorations will be the very best possible, even to exceed those of last year. The other Sunday schools of the town, having their programs on Christmas eve, are cordially invited to attend the Zion church services on Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

**BAPTIST CHURCH**  
The Baptist Sunday school will give a Christmas program Thursday evening at 7:30. Santa Claus will be there to welcome all of his old friends.

**ST. ANNE'S CHURCH**  
Solemn high mass will be celebrated by Rev. Father E. J. Fox at 10:30 o'clock Christmas morning.

**METHODIST CHURCH**  
The Methodist church Sunday school will have its Christmas exercises on Christmas eve, the 26th of December. There will be two Christmas trees, together with a program of song and address. Friends of the school are cordially invited.

**SALM EVANGELICAL**  
The Christmas exercises at the Salem church begin at 7 o'clock Thursday evening. "Elaborate decorations, a fine program and many presentations are announced.

A Christmas Day service will be held in the church Christmas morning at 10 o'clock.

**ST. PAUL'S CHURCH**  
Christmas exercises will take place Christmas eve, December 24th, at 7:30 o'clock. An interesting program consisting of recitations, dialogue and a short drama. The Sunday school has been most carefully arranged. There will be two beautifully decorated Christmas trees.

Service Christmas morning will begin at the usual hour 10:30 o'clock.

**Wants But One.**  
The city of Chicago does not want and will not have two telephone companies in the city. It is in effect this: that we shall accept the confusion worse confounded of telephone competition within the city and receive all expense of new equipment in every case where the company is to pay for the first visit of an outside doctor only. And that the Board of Supervisors advertise for bids for County Physician and Surgeon of said Lake County, for a period of six months, commencing with January 1st, 1909, according to the terms of the resolution of said Board of Supervisors, to-wit:

"Resolved, that the Board of Supervisors elect a County Physician, he to do all doctoring and surgical work and furnish all drugs and medicine necessary for the doctoring of all county poor, in hospital and out, and to pay all expense of new equipment in every case where the company is to pay for the first visit of an outside doctor only. And that the Board of Supervisors advertise for bids for County Physician and Surgeon to be in writing, stating salary required, residence and name in full."

The successful bidder will be required to execute a bond in the sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00), conditioned as the States Attorney of said Lake county may specify, and each bid shall be accompanied by a certified check for \$100.00 to the Chairman of the Board of Supervisors, as a guarantee that the bidder will enter into contract according to his bid.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

### ZION CHURCH NOTES.

The revival meetings at the Zion church will begin on Sunday evening, January 3, 1909, observing the week of prayer as suggested by the Evangelical alliance. During the following week, it is expected that Rev. Ph. Koeneke of Prairie View will preach for Zion.

Shutts of Chicago has been engaged to conduct an evangelistic campaign of about ten days beginning Monday evening, January 13th. The German and English language to be used alternately. The object of these meetings is threefold. To strengthen believers, to reclaim backsliders, and to save the unsaved.

Rev. E. G. Vaubel of Washington, Illinois, who has been visiting during the past week at the home of W. F. Burkhardt occupied the pulpit of the Zion church last Sunday evening. The sermon was enjoyed by all present.

The Y. P. A. will spend New Years eve in a social way at the parsonage. The regular monthly business meeting and election of officers will precede the social hour.

### ZION CHURCH NOTES.

The annual Sunday school business meeting of the Salem church will be held Sunday morning at the usual hour of service, 10:30 a.m. The enrollment of the Salem Sunday school has reached the 329 mark, surpassing all previous records. The work in all departments is being pushed with much enthusiasm. George Steffenhofer is superintendent.

The pastor, E. F. Fussell will preach at the Salem church Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Strangers welcome.

### M. E. CHURCH NOTES.

Sunday next, the 25th, will be communion Sunday at the Methodist church. Love feast at 9:45 a.m. Preaching at 10:30 a.m.

Sunday evening, Rev. Dr. Cady, district superintendent, will preach.

Sunday school at 12 m. and league meets at 6:30.

The first quarterly conference of the Methodist church for the present year will be held Saturday evening Preaching by the district superintendent at 7:30. The quarterly conference will follow.

### Want Bids For Doctor.

The undersigned Committee of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Lake and State of Illinois, will, on the 24th of December, A. D. 1908, hold a meeting at the County Clerk's office in Waukegan, Illinois, to receive sealed bids, stating for what salary the bidders respectively will act as County Physician and Surgeon of said Lake County, for a period of six months, commencing with January 1st, 1909, according to the terms of the resolution of said Board of Supervisors, to-wit:

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### George Quentin

M. T. Laney  
W. F. Clow  
W. E. Miller  
Committee

Bitten By Mad Dog.

Herman Sandman, 15 year old son of Fred Sandman, of Ela street, was bitten by his pet dog Wednesday of last week. The dog had been biting for a few days and was being kept in the basement. Herman went into the basement for some wood and the dog jumped at him, biting him in the leg. Mr. Sandman was bleeding profusely and the dog had to be killed. The dog had received on his arm by a fall.

No attention was given to the incident until after the dog had bitten Monday night. George Frechell took the head of the dog to Chicago Tuesday and an examination revealed that the dog had been suffering with hydrocephalus. Mrs. Sandman and son are taking treatment at the Pasteur Institute, Chicago.

**Nicht Wahr.**  
You break a limb, or miss a train  
And cannot reach your home;  
Remember your best messenger  
Long Distant Telephone.

Let us do your job work.

### NEW WATER RATE.

Village Makes Agreement With Northwestern to Renew Contract to Supply Them With Water.

An agreement has been entered into between Superintendent Dailey of the Chicago & Northwestern railway and the Village of Barrington for a rate of eight cents on each one thousand gallons of water the company uses from its water tank in this village. The company has been paying six cents per thousand gallons heretofore. Attorney Castle is preparing a new contract for a period of five years to become effective January 1, 1909.

Math Peacock has the machinery and materials for making any size of cloth and rim buttons.

### NO ISSUE NEXT WEEK

In accordance with our usual custom there will be no issue of the Barrington Review on December 31st. The office will be open for job work as usual.

Will Start 1909 Right.

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### SCHOOL NOTES.

The high school colors are maroon and white.

The high school pupils are mourning over the departure of our friend "Cabolie."

Pupils of Miss Paddock's room are preparing a Christmas program.

The children of the first grade are busy making Christmas presents.

The 2nd year German class have started their 3rd book "Traumereien."

Mrs. Peterson read to the history class this morning "The Other Wise Man" by Henry Van Dyke.

Miss Nellie Kline was absent Wednesday and Thursday of last week. Ursula and Emily were absent Saturday.

The pupils of the Barrington high school have decided to have a high school paper to be published monthly. An election of the editorial staff was held and the results are as follows: editor-in-chief, Edna Hollister; literary editor, Vesta Linn; music editor, Almeda Plagge; joke editor, Mable Gorman; athletic editor, Dan Fomberg; business Manager, Lovell Bennett; reporters: Gertrude Handelsmith; Madgeline Blocks, Clarence Miller, Newton Plagge, Sanford Hieke, Walter Severs, Fred Grimm, Lillie Volkert.

The plan of the staff is to publish the first number sometime in January.

### LAKE ZURICH.

Mrs. August Frechell is on the sick list.

Get your Christmas presents at A. W. Meyer's.

Miss Lena Lonsdale is visiting with Mrs. Clepper.

Rev. and Mrs. Tildman visited at William Bussching's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Smith of Michigan are expected home for Christmas.

Miss Emma Schaefer is employed at A. W. Meyer's store for the Christmas rush.

The sixtieth birthday of Charles Hawley was celebrated Tuesday with a dinner for relatives and a card party for neighbors in the evening.

Charles Nitz and son, William, departed for Wood River, Nebraska, Friday, where they will visit Mr. Nitz's sons, Charles and August, a greater part of the winter months.

St. Ann's sewing circle held their annual business meeting Monday evening at the home of Mrs. M. T. Laney.

Mrs. Kirby was elected president and Mrs. Volker secretary and treasurer.

The funeral of Mrs. Mary Rockenbach was held at the home of her daughter, Mrs. G. F. Stanger, at Deerfield, Friday of last week. Mrs. Rockenbach has relatives residing here and was quite well known.

Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Brockway and Miss Robbie Brockway will attend the wedding of their niece, Miss Laura Brockway, at Waukegan, Christmas day. Miss Florence Cullen will accompany them.

Arnold Schubert & Co. sold during the past week one of their twelve horse power gasoline engines to Charles Hansfeld of Palatine. They also sold a Milwaukee Shredder to Gusewell Bros. of Palatine.

The Christmas entertainment given by the pupils of the Porter school Tuesday evening, under the direction of Miss Emma Hager, the teacher, was well attended. The pupils showed excellent training and the program was a credit to Miss Hager.

That seventy-five year old hedgehog being cut down and cleaned on the Jacob Potts place is one more pioneer landmark gone.

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"Man's inhumanity to man makes countless thousands mourn." It is reported outside the pale of the fraternal society who control the business of the city of Barrington, that one man does not profit by the true friendship which is given to one who has taken place in the ranks of the fraternal institutions. Membership in an order which advances education, relieves distress, visits the sick room, buries the dead and cares for the aged and orphan is from the Supreme Being and the work commanded by the Prince of Peace. "By their fruits ye shall know them" said the Master, and the leading secret orders are content to be known.

The young couple left Monday for their future home near Burlington, Iowa, where Mr. Elbel holds a position as caretaker of a prominent place.

Kelthen-Doyle.

The marriage ceremony of Miss Anna Ellingshausen, daughter of D. Ellingshausen of Barrington township, to Otto Elbel was performed last Thursday by Rev. Stanger at the home of the bride's parents.

Only immediate relatives were present.

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Kelthen-Doyle.

John Thomas Kelthen, mayor of Algonquin, and Miss Martha Georgia Doyle of Chicago were married by Rev. Father S. J. Fox at St. Anne's church, Wednesday afternoon, December 16th. Miss Rose and Edward Volkert were the witnesses.

Seigler-Lander.

Miss Rieko Lander of Liberty St. was married Wednesday afternoon, December 23rd, to Simon Seigler of Chicago. The ceremony took place in the city. Mr. Seigler has visited here frequently and has many acquaintances. Miss Lander was raised in Barrington and the youngest daughter of the late John Lander.

They will reside here in the old Barrington home. Friends extend their wishes for their happiness.

We have in stock drain tile in all sizes. Call and get prices. LAMEY & COMPANY.

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Buy your holiday candles, fruits, nuts and cigars at the BARRINGTON CHOCOLATE SHOP.

We carry the most complete stock of window glass in single and double strength in Barrington. We can fit any sash in town. Glazing promptly attended to. LAMEY & CO.

### LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Items of Local Interest Published in Short Paragraphs.

During the past week we have mailed to each of our subscribers, who have not paid in advance for their paper, a statement of account as shown by our books. If the account mailed to you is found not correct you will oblige by notifying us at once and correction will be made. Those who are more than one year in arrears are requested to pay up before January 1st, 1909.

THE REVIEW.

Miss Lee Riley of Cuba township will spend the holidays in Michigan.

Miss Irma Peterson of Algonquin visited during the past week with Mrs. Charles F. Peterson at Spring lake.

Miss Louise Boehmer, who was the guest of Miss Myrtle Plagge over Sunday, returned to her home in Wheeling this morning.

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Barrington Lodge No. 1, O. O. E., held a special meeting Tuesday evening and worked in the initiatory and second degree. Next Tuesday evening, December 29, another special meeting will be held for work in the third degree. The Lodge is gaining rapidly in membership.

If you are the owner of a dog you are ordered to keep the animal on the street or muzzled for a period of sixty days. The village board does not propose to take any chances and will strictly enforce the order. The village marshal has authority to kill all dogs running at large unmuzzled without further notice.

There was filed in the county court of Cook county on Wednesday, by Howard Castle, village attorney, the petition for the extension of Russell street. The court appointed Miles T. Laney and John H. Macay commissioners to act with George W. Spangler, president of the board of local improvements, in spreading the assessment.

At the W. R. C. meeting Wednesday afternoon it was decided to have installation of officers on the afternoon of January 13th. A Christmas basket for a poor family was presented for the use of Miss G. F. Stanger. Miss Robbie Brockway, Miss G. F. Stanger, and Miss Anna Hager, who are the members of the W. R. C. organization, were present.

Our school teachers who will spend Christmas away from here are Miss Nye who will go to Cambridge, Miss McLean to Rockford, Miss Peacock to Chicago, Miss Scholman to Elgin, Miss Galante to Palatine, Miss Paddock to Arlington Heights, Miss Hawley, Prof. Smith and Miss Mathews will remain in Barrington. Miss Mathews expects her father, N. W. Mathews of Indianapolis, Indiana, for the holidays and they will be guests of Henry Brinker and family.

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BARRINGTON, ILLINOIS.

Cobless corn is announced from Bloomington, Ill. Don't want it. How are we going to eat corn of the cob?

As a discreet diplomat Mr. Taft should be in no great haste to get back to the vicissitudes of official life in China.

Richard Croker cannot be expected to find entertainment in a country where horse racing is at present in such a high favor.

"Legal lynching" takes place in Tennessee. That's good. Now we have a little legal arson, counterfeiting and general horsewhipping.

Jane Addams, Dr. Cornelia De Bey and Mrs. Emma Blaine, whose terms on the Chicago school board have just expired, have not been reappointed.

The prima donna whose husband is wildly excited because she wears tights on the stage should get the press agent to calm him if possible.

A men's league for women suffrage has been formed in Holland, and the Lutheran church in that country has given women a vote in all church affairs.

A New York tradesman of long experience says that the hardest persons to collect bills from are those who have no money and those who have a great deal of money.

In the days when Methuselah and others stuck around for 700 or 800 years the microbes which Prof. Metchnikoff blames for causing old age had not been discovered.

A young woman in New Jersey fell dead from excitement and terror caused by the sight of a mouse in her path. Now say that a mouse is not a terrible beast, will you?

Chicago's traction interests contemplate a two-hundred-and-forty-six-million-dollar merger. A man with only \$1,000,000 must feel pretty small when he tries to talk business these days.

Partnership for mutual advantage was observed when two oceangoing men went into a Broadway (New York) automatic shoe-shining shop and each had his shoe shined for the same nickel dropped in the slot.

There may be a walking test to try the sea legs of naval officers. It is an eventful remark that Bismarck, the American, tells of the fear of being required to dance a hornpipe and that we might suggest that they be made to dive and swim.

It seems to be the consensus of opinion of correspondents of the Daily News that living is cheaper abroad but that money is harder to make. There never was a rose without a thorn, but perhaps Luther Burbank will be able to make one some day.

Prof. Elie Metchnikoff will derive his Nobel prize to the study of longevity, and he says he is convinced there is no good reason why useful life should not be extended to the relatively early ages of 70 or 80 years. But the professor is silent upon the question of what becomes of lives that are not useful.

Motor omnibuses, motor trucks and traction engines are so dangerously numerous in the congested sections of the city of London that conferences at the Mansion house have been discussing means "to check the speed, noise and smoke of motor vehicles." These are the grievances that citizens complain of, and the list suggests that the next worst thing to losing a limb once in a while is to have one's ears and nostrils offended all the time.

It used to be said that a railroad through a new country was a railroad of the greatest of civilizers. It looks as if the automobile might be made to serve equally well. China has always frowned on railroads, and in consequence a great many people who got out of the outside world, but the Chinese are much pleased with automobiles and in and around the cities they are becoming a familiar sight. The next step is good roads and general development.

One of the large eastern newspapers has recently abandoned the "comics supplement" of its Sunday edition. The change was followed by a discussion in the paper as to the merits and faults of the comic supplement. President Hadley made it plain in his recent article in the Youth's Companion that the existence of any "feature" of a newspaper, good or bad, is determined by the people who read the newspaper's paper. When they are found by experience the people are ready to buy. In this, as in other matters, we have no one to blame for faults but ourselves—and our next-door neighbors.

The national dowry of China seems to be dowagers. A new one has succeeded the old one in power, and the report is that she is a clever and resourceful. It is odd that in a country where women hold such a despotic place, a woman ruler should be all powerful, but history affords many parallels of the case.

Miss Ruth H. Northrop of Norwich, Conn., has won the scholarship offered by the Norwich Art Students' association. The work submitted consisted of three groups of animals and figures modeled in clay from life.

## AS MUSEUM IN BROOKLINE.

Historic New England House Opened On 203rd Anniversary of Town.

Boston.—The historic Edward Devotion house, on Harvard street, Brookline, was formally opened as a public museum the other day. The little old building has been well stocked with articles of the revolutionary period, given or loaned by patriotic-spirited citizens of the town.

The town has selected appropriate for the opening of the little museum, for it was the 203d anniversary of the incorporation of the town of Brookline.

The town not long ago appropriated \$1,500 to place the structure in



Edward Devotion House, at Brookline, Massachusetts.

habitable condition, and the Edward Devotion House association is to have charge of its maintenance. The Edward Devotion house is the oldest now standing in Brookline. It contains the Devotion school fund which was bequeathed by Edward Devotion and received by the town in 1762. The fund amounted to \$3,656, which the donor specified should go toward building or repairing school houses as near the center of the town as should be agreed upon by the town.

The Edward Devotion grammar school is located on the old Devotion lot on Harvard street, where the old building may be plainly seen by passersby.

## WOMAN OPERATOR.

Mrs. Upham of Denver Delegate to National Convention.

Pittsburg, Pa.—Mrs. Nellie C. Upham of Denver, Col., the most successful woman mining operator in the country, will be distinguished as the only woman delegate to attend the sessions of the American Mining Congress held in this city recently.

Mrs. Upham was appointed a special delegate by the commissioners of the District of Columbia to represent the district of having twice before represented the district to the congress.

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The Big Stick is Never Spared.

Europe caught in a bind. In Hull an American has joined the United States in some more "white man's burden" ventures. This country was urged to remind the negroes of Hull and their black neighbors generally that they must use their independence, right, or submit to the control of stronger and wiser races. The Europeans know very well what would happen if the big stick were to tackle that job. South Americans know it too.

The truth is that the shadow of the big stick already falls upon Hull and certain other republics in like estate including Cuba and Santo Domingo. There has not been no bloodshed, no terrorizing souls, but to speak of silence we must go to Washington. We do not want to actually control the negroes in South America. It would prove a thankless job for this country and spell ruin for their race prospects, which are considerable. These people should either be let alone or wiped out and are better off free with the big stick as an exemplary neighbor than they would be under its master, for it wouldn't be used gingerly if called in. The negroes now live in wholesome fear of it, with respect for what it stands for, and that is enough.

Hawaii is in danger of being centralized, and the authorities are bidding for American settlers to come over and help stem the rising tide of Asiatics. The Japanese lead in population. Honolulu's population has doubled under American rule, yet there are only 10,000 Japanese in the 45,000 inhabitants, and the natives are said to be dying out. With her expanding industries Hawaii is an inviting field for the alert and energetic Japs, and they rush in without waiting to be asked.

It might seem freakish for the government of Prince Edward Island to exercise the power recently given it to shut out all automobiles, but it would be a perfectly sane act to put up bars against "joy rides," speed mad drivers and owners and all that. The first community to carry that fight to a finish of the "devil wagon" curse will do well to be asked.

The earlier Christmas shopping is done the more time left for filling the hole it puts in the purse against the day of real merriment.

The annexation which little nations south of us long for is getting next to our fat pocketbook.

**C. F. HALL**  
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6:00p.m. Lenten League

7:30p.m. Preaching

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Preaching services 7:30p.m.

Week Night Services

Tuesday Evening Preaching, 7:30p.m.

Wednesday Evening Preaching, 7:30p.m.

Friday Choir meeting 7:30p.m.

Monthly meetings:

Methodist—1st Sunday, 1:30p.m.

W.M.M.—1st Thursday, 7:30p.m.

Central Missionary Meeting—1st Wednesday, 7:30p.m.

Phone 301.

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Sunday school, 9:30a.m.

Observation of Holy Days and Morning

Worship subject to change

St. Ann's Hoping Circle, Tuesday, 1:30p.m.

Phone 301.

REV. PATRICK E. J. FOX, Pastor

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Sunday Mass 9:30a.m.

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11:45 Sunday School

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Sundays, 1:30p.m. Prayer meeting

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Covenant meeting 7:30p.m. in the last Saturday

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Communion services 11:30a.m. in the last Saturday

of each month.

Any un-churched are cordially welcomed

to work and worship. Strangers will be met by pastor and people.

G. E. LOCKHART, Minister

Teacher—What kind of a bird did

Noah send out of the ark?

Small boy—A dove.

Teacher—I'm surprised to find that

the smallest boy in the class is the only

one who knows.

Big boy—Please, teacher, his father

keeps a bird shop.

"I cannot imagine why you refused

such a splendid offer," remarked a dis-

appointed mother.

"But he always dresses so shabbily,"

tailed his daughter.

"Well, he's not exactly eccentric,"

"Yes. But he would probably expect

me to be just as eccentric!"

Short Local Items

The village license on dogs becomes due January 1st.

Mrs. Jennie Fletcher will spend the holidays with her sister at Wauwau-

tosa, Wisconsin.

A ten pound son was born early Monday morning to Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Seates of Grove avenue.

About twenty Barrington ladies are planning to give an invitation dance in Stott's hall next Wednesday evening.

C. Dickenson, county treasurer of Cheboygan county, Michigan, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. W. H. Scotts.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hubbard attended a meeting of Kilpatrick Post No. 275, G. A. R., at Austin, Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Castle left morning for Adrian, Michigan, to spend Christmas with Mrs. Castle's parents.

Miss Dawn Silberman left Tuesday for South Bend, Indiana, where she will spend the holidays at the home of her uncle.

The young people of the Baptist church held a business and social meeting at the Banks' home last Saturday evening.

The St. Paul's parochial school closed for Christmas vacation Wednesday, December 23rd. It reopens Monday, January 4th.

Ed Tilles will give a beautiful, mission mantel clock for high score for bowling for one month, beginning December 22, 1908.

The sale of the Bennett property situated on Main and Washington streets has been postponed until Saturday, January 16th.

Tuesday evening, January 5th, Barrington camp 809, Modern Woodmen of America, and Mayflower camp, 202, Royal Neighbors of America will hold a joint installation of officers in their hall on Main street.

The meat markets of this village are displaying a fine line of fresh fish, which are sold favorably with the rest of the city markets. The stores are appropriately decorated for Christmas and have enjoyed a large patronage.

The H. W. Hahn family will give a little folks party at their home west of town on Christmas afternoon. They will bring out a number of children from the city and several of the Barrington young people have been invited to join them.

We just learned that Thomas Reynoldson, who resides on a farm near Elgin and was formerly of this village, recently lost two of his fingers in a corn shredder, losing one more to the long list of corn shredder victims. Mr. Reynoldson desires to again locate here and is looking for a residence.

The attendance at the Woman's club meeting at Mrs. Hannah Powers last Thursday was twenty-five and the afternoon one of particular interest and instruction, owing to the presence of Mrs. O. F. Mattison who gave a glowing paper, throwing a new light of understanding on poems of this ambiguous poet, Miss Gladys Liles of Maywood sang several songs and Miss Violet Ulrichs gave piano numbers.

"I shall be happy to explain," said the preso-  
cillator, "that word 'actor' was inserted by the preso-  
cillator, who thought I entitled to be preso-  
citor. I shall take  
that with it if it doesn't happen again."—Chicago Tribune.

You may see every creature under the sun and your buttons will join with you heartily. Hint to him the slightest of his own de-  
ficiencies and he draws his rapier. You and he are the judges of the world, but not its denizens—Walter Savage Landor.

The ladies of the Methodist Aid society presented Miss Carrie Kingsley with a cut glass vase Wednesday evening in appreciation of her services as church organist.

Math Peack makes rim buttons.

A box of nice candy from the Barrington Chocolate Shop would make a nice Christmas present for your sweet-  
heart.

Let Peack make your clothes. Cloth buttons and rim buttons made to match any style of cloth.

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If safe aerial navigation were pos-  
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have same identifying and paying

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3 lbs. . . . . 25c

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Rump Corn beef . . . . . 10c

Beef sold in quarters for per lb. . . . . 5½ to 7½c

PORK

Pork roast . . . . . 10c

Pork chops . . . . . 10c

3 lbs. . . . . 25c

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## KNOX TO BE PREMIER

ACCEPTS STATE PORTFOLIO IN MR. TAFT'S CABINET.

### PRESIDENT-ELECT IS HAPPY

Invites Senator to Augusta to Advise Him—Wickersham Not Yet Selected for Attorney General.

Augusta, Ga.—William H. Taft, president-elect of the United States, Friday night announced the appointment of United States Senator Philander C. Knox of Pennsylvania as secretary of state in his cabinet.

The announcement followed the receipt by Mr. Taft of a telegram which came late in the afternoon conveying the information from Mr. Knox that he would accept the premiership of the Taft cabinet.

"I am very happy to be congratulated in securing the services of Senator Knox in my cabinet," said Judge Taft in making the announcement. "In selecting a secretary of state I wanted



Philander C. Knox.

first, a great lawyer, and second, a man who would fill the public eye, not only here but abroad, as a man who stands preeminent as a great American.

Mr. Knox was a great attorney general; he was a prominent candidate for the presidency, and he is recognized in the senate and elsewhere as one of the great lawyers of that body.

Judge Taft also feels that from a political viewpoint the selection of Mr. Knox is most happy. He explained that there was often a feeling that the state of Pennsylvania, with its agriculture, was not well represented in the cabinet. Mr. Taft said that he should invite Senator Knox to come to Augusta that he might consult him freely with reference to filling other places in his cabinet.

Regarding the report that George W. Wickersham of New York would be a member of the cabinet, Mr. Taft said that he had not yet determined on anyone definitely for the attorney generalship.

### KILLS GIRL WHO REJECTS HIM.

Brutal Murder by Young Man in Somerville, Mass.

Somerville, Mass.—Enraged because his former sweetheart, Miss Maud Hartley, had rejected him, James B. Hartley, 18 years old, son of Police Sergeant James B. Hartley, 42, killed her on the street here Friday. Miss Hartley was of the same age as her slayer, and was the daughter of Mrs. Agnes Hartley, a physician. When Miss Hartley fell, Hartley seized the body and held it on the sidewalk a nearby store with the remark: "There I've finished her." He then fled, but half an hour later surrendered to the police.

**Given Maximum Penalty for Fraud.**  
Harrisburg, Pa.—John H. Sanderson, contractor for the furnishing of the new state capitol, ex-Auditor General W. P. C. Cramer, and his wife, Mrs. L. Mathews and ex-Superintendent of Public Grounds and Buildings James Shumaker, convicted of conspiracy to defraud the state in the cases growing out of the capitol scandal, were sentenced Friday to two years in the state penitentiary. The maximum punishment allowable by law and were released on \$100,000 bail on supersedeas.

### Not Guilty of Murder.

Hartford, Conn.—Sunday morning the jury, in the case of William F. Stockton, charged with the murder of E. C. Cramer, in this city last May, brought in a verdict of not guilty. The defense pleaded self-defense and insanity.

### Two Children Burn to Death.

Traverse City, Mich.—Two little children were cremated when the home of Edward Toman was burned in the village of Interlachen, 14 miles west of this city.

## BIG LUMBER TRUST FORMED

VIRGINIA AND RAINY LAKE COMPANY IS ORGANIZED.

Weyerhaeuser Back of Concern That Will Control Immense Tract in Minnesota and Canada.

Duluth, Minn.—The Virginia and Rainy Lake Lumber Company, the largest of its kind in the world, has just been organized. Its president is Edward Hines of Chicago.

It represents the pooling for the first time in one great corporation of one part of the tremendous holdings of timber land of Frederick Weyerhaeuser, who said to be because of the number of timber possessions the richest man in the world.

The capital stock of the new corporation is \$20,000,000. It holds over 3,000,000 feet of lumber, representing a vast tract in northern Minnesota and extending into Canada. This is said to be the last great tract of timber land in the forest region of Minnesota, Wisconsin and Michigan, once thought to be inexhaustible. It is thought the new corporation will be able to cut 3,000,000,000 feet of lumber.

To aid in this colossal task sawmills will be built, a fleet of 20 lake steamers will be bought, and railroads constructed.

The constituent companies that went to make up the new corporation are the Virginia Lumber Company, the Edward Hines Lumber Company, the Cook & O'Brien Lumber Company, and the Rainy Lake Company. Beside these and entwined with them were the "Weyerhaeuser interests."

The deal, the largest of its kind ever carried through, according to lumbermen, has been pending for over two months. The following officers were elected:

President—Edward Hines of Chicago.

Vice-President—W. O'Brien of Duluth.

Treasurer—Frederick E. Weyerhaeuser of St. Paul.

Secretary—H. D. Hornby of Cloquet, Minn.

The company will not chop down trees. It will manufacture them into lumber. The wood will be sent to five great sawmills. Two of these will be at Duluth, two at Virginia, Minn., and one at St. Pauls, Canada.

### PLUNGE TO DEATH WITH AUTO.

Milwaukee Man and Chauffeur Drown in the River.

Milwaukee.—An automobile containing three men dashed into the open draw of the Onida street bridge at one o'clock Thursday morning and sank to the bottom of the river, carrying two of the occupants to their death.

The dead are Oscar Z. Bartlett, member of the board of trade, and Albert C. Clark, a charwoman.

A. F. Goldfarb of the Sollday Motor Company was rescued.

The car approached the bridge from the east, coming down the Onida street hill at a high rate of speed. The driver apparently did not notice that the bridge was open. The car was within 20 feet of it, when it bounded into the air, turning a complete somersault between the dock and the center pier of the bridge.

Mr. Goldfarb, accompanied by his counsel, Lawyer Murphy, appeared in District Attorney Jerome's office early in the day and made complaint that the article published in the New York American on December 17, was a Chicago date. December 16, was the date the Headline, "J. D. Rockefeller, Jr., originated peacock in stockade, it is said," tended to injure his good name, reputation and credit to make him liable for damages.

He submitted a typewritten affidavit embodying these charges to District Attorney Garvan, to whom the case was assigned.

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### PRIEST DROWNS AT SEA.

Father Kelly of Paterson, N. J., Falls Overboard from Liner.

Queensland.—When the steamer Arctic arrived here Sunday from New York the officers reported that one of the passengers, who was registered under the name of Father Kelly of Paterson, N. J., had gone missing.

He was last seen on the voyage.

He fell overboard, whether by accident or design is not known.

Father Kelly, 50, was a priest of the Catholic church.

He was last seen on the voyage.

## DIET AND HEALTH

By DR. J. T. ALLEN  
Food Specialist

Author of "Eating for a Purpose," "The New Gospel of Health," Etc.

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### THE SIMPLE DIET

To return to nature is always easy, even when we know what nature would have us do. Habit, it has been said, is second nature, and when this is the case, true, than in eating the oldest habit. But if improvement is desirable it must be most desirable in eating, which underlies all life processes; and yet changes should be made only after due consideration, and then but in all deliberation.

Beef is digested chiefly in the stomach by the action of the gastric fluid. When reduced to a fine pulp by mastication before entering the stomach it tends to pass out before being properly digested. For this reason it will open when the food is sufficiently reduced by the movement of the stomach and the action of the gastric fluid. Hence many authorities say that meat should be boiled in the dog swallow's nest in large lumps. This is actually true, but the dog swallow's nest is true of bread and potatoes.

Fish digests in from three to five hours; rice remains in the stomach about one hour. When fish and rice are eaten at the same meal, there is a conflict. The fish will be incompletely masticated by the movement of the stomach. If now the homogeneous mass is retained four hours, the rice undergoes fermentation. If the meat is carried into the intestines within two hours its digestion will be impeded, and it will interfere with the proper action of the gastric fluid—which cannot be fully corrected by further digestion in the intestines.

Much as this important phase of dietetics has been neglected by the medical profession, invalids are never put on a diet which will not be a mixture of several foods, however easily digested. Beef is one of the commonest invalid diets, because it is almost pure protein, digesting easily in the stomach. Rice, 85 per cent starch is a common invalid's diet, but meat and rice would not be a conflict which might have a disquieting effect upon the nervous system.

It is natural to suppose that a hungry animal under natural conditions would conform itself to one kind of food. Neither man nor the pig is naturally a carnivore, but the natural food of the pig, which, like man, becomes a prey to a almost infinite variety of diseases when he becomes by force of circumstances omnivorous. A high authority on the diseases of man says that they are due to his being fed upon the waste by-products of our tables.

Pavlov, the Russian physiological chemist, has shown that the system adapts itself to the digestion of the food while it is in the mouth, the character of the digestive juices created by the mouth food. How bewildered it must be by a ten-course dinner offering perhaps 50 different articles of food!

Considering these facts, we must conclude that serious injury has been done to the system by eating a single food at a time, as is done. Perhaps we may find here the hitherto unaccountable reason for the shortness of human life. And if this be the cause, we must find all the noted cases of longevity among those people whose diet is a simple one, and not a varied one. I found the largest percentage of centenarians among the Hungarian peasants, living largely on a peasant diet of beans, meat, or graham bread. Among the Irish peasants, living chiefly on potatoes, centenarians are numerous. The noted cases of longevity among the English and the peasant, living on a very simple diet.

The most noted of centenarians, Corrado, the Venetian, prolonged life 60 years by restricting his diet to a general quantity of eggs and underfeeding with a minimum of food.

Several monastic tests recently made under the writer's direction showed, as would naturally be expected, if the principles above stated are true, remarkable results. Edgar Brobst, a foundryman, eating only beans for 60 days, gained 10 pounds in weight, working Sundays, two nights and several evenings extra during the period. On a 40 day's diet of oatmeal there was a gain of three pounds and better general conditions of health. Dr. Landone of Los Angeles has reported a man weighing 140 pounds returning to his former mixed diet. Brobst lost four pounds in ten days. (An exclusive diet of beans would be injurious, and in no case is a one-sided diet of beans, peanuts, meat or graham bread advisable).

Necessarily the infant's food must contain all the elements essential to life and growth; but these are harmoniously combined as are all the elements of nutrition, except fat. In wheat, when skinned milk (from which the animal fat, not easily assimilated, has been extracted) is more

easily digested than entire milk. White bread, from which the protein has been largely removed, digests more easily than entire wheat flour bread, toasted white bread (without butter) being a common diet for invalids, yet cornmeal, which is almost pure protein, is easily digested.

It is admitted that, from the scientific viewpoint, the Chinese are the best fed people in the world. Only the most minute proportion of protein has prevented their dominating the world. The Japanese, living largely on a monodiet of rice, with better mental conditions, bid fair to become a ruling race. The Scotch, living largely on a diet which has won the admiration in science, favoritism, and popularity for centuries. The world's masterpieces originate never in the banquet-hall, but often in the garret, fed by dry crusts.

During the past 12 months I have eaten almost exclusively but one article at a time, masticating each food, bread, peanuts, bananas, beans, potatoes (baked), apples, and, as a rule, nuts at noon and fruit in the evening—my regular diet—and I have enjoyed perfect health and increased energy.

### ECZEMA ALL OVER HIM.

No Night's Rest for a Year and Limit of His Endurance Seemed Near—Owes Recovery to Cuticura.

"My son Clyde was almost completely covered with eczema. Physical exercise had him for nearly a year without helping him in the least. Then, and neck were covered with large, scabs which he would rub until they fell off. Then blood and matter would run out and that would be worse. Friends failing to see him said that if you got out of bed you would be disfigured for life. When it seemed as though he could not stand it longer I tried some Cuticura Soap, Cuticura Ointment, and Cuticura Resolvent. That was the first night for nearly a year that he slept well. The morning there was a change and the next day, after about six weeks he was perfectly well.

Our leading physician recommends Cuticura for eczema. Mrs. Alyz Cockburn, Shiloh, O., June 11, 1907.

### LOVE'S SACRIFICE.

"What do matter, Reginald, have you sworn of smoking?"

"Yes, you see, I'm engaged now, and my fiancee objects to a disagreeable breath."

### Quaint.

Prof. Brander Matthews, the brilliant writer and teacher, was discussing literary quaintness at Columbia. In illustration of the quaint he said: "A little girl I know was very bad one day. She was so bad that, other children calling her 'bad,' she took her up to her room to whip her."

"During this proceeding, the little girl's older brother opened the door and was about to enter. But in her prone position across her mother's knee, the small girl twisted 'round her head and said several—

"Eddie, go out! Can't you see we are busy?"

Appearances.

Little Margaret and her mother, while out walking, approached a particularly filthy and bearded organ-grinder with his monkey, and her mother gave her a penny to bestow on the unfortunate animal.

She hesitated a moment before presenting the coin, and then said:

"Shall I give it to the monkey or to his father?"—Lippincott.

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PROTEIN EXTRACT. A strong old eyes, tonic for eye strain, watery eyes, Druggists or Howard Bros., Buffalo, N. Y.

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It's awfully hard for a crooked man to keep in the straight path.

Smokers appreciate the quality value of Lewis' Small Binder Cigar. Your dealer or Lewis' Factory, Peoria, Ill.

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Mrs. Windsor's Soothing Syrup.

For children, infants, aches, rheumatism, etc.

When a woman has her hair fixed up she is half dressed.

These Tired, Aching Feet of Yours.

Dr. A. G. Glazier, 1407 N. W. 1st, for sample.

It's a bad thing to be known as a "good thing."

the better, however, followed by un-pleasant feelings and worse looks, for a while; and often one does not know how to adapt the new diet until he learns by experience. It is therefore better, as a rule, to be away from home, with a medical chaperone, or while fasting, and, if possible, among people who can give trustworthy advice and encouragement.

It should be born in mind that the amount and kind of food required by a given individual depends largely upon age, work, temperament, etc., other conditions which should always be considered in determining a diet.

A VARIETY OF EXPEDIENTS.  
Little Sinner Was Providing for Future Emergencies.

Muriel, a five-year-old subject of King Edward VII, has been thought by many to be too young to feel the weight of the world alone. But when the other day, she achieved disobedience three times in five minutes, more vigorous measures were called for, and her mother took an open paper-knife from the table and struck smartly across her little bare legs. Muriel looked astounded. Her mother explained the reason for the blow. Then, turning toward the door with a kind and disapproving countenance, she announced in her clear little English voice:

"I'm going up-stairs to tell God about that paper-knife. And I shall tell Jesus. And if that doesn't do, I'll tell the Queen."

Everybody's Magazine.

### FACT VERIFIED.



Kid-Say, master, got change for four dollars?

Kind Gentleman—Yes, my boy; here it is.

Kid—Thanks, boss; I just wanted to see if I'd kinda got to thinkin' dere wasn't much money in circulation!

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