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## LOCAL POLITICS NOW COMMAND ATTENTION

Quiet Spring Elections are in Prospect—But Four Announcements Made Thus Far.

**Barrington township primary March 14.**  
**Cuba township primary, March 15.**  
**Village primary, March 23, (probably).**  
**Township elections, April 1.**  
**Village election, April 15.**

The above are the political dates, outside of the regular school elections, of interest to local voters. The township primaries, coming first, are of first importance. In both Barrington and Cuba townships a highway commissioner, two justices and two constables are to be elected, while in Barrington township there is also a supervisor and school trustee and in Cuba a thistle commissioner to be elected. But three announcements have yet been made. William Gleason, Cuba township and George Humphrey, Barrington township, commissioners of highways whose terms expire this year, both being candidates for reelection, while in Cuba township John E. Carlow is opposing William Gleason. It is generally understood that the present incumbents of the other offices expiring this year will also run again but none of them have made definite announcements as yet. All petitions must be filed next week in order to have the names placed on the ballots.

In village affairs the first political announcement to be made this spring was that of George F. Atkins, who is a candidate for village trustee. There are three trustees, a president and police magistrate to be selected this year. Trustees Peters, Lagaschulte and Hager are the trustees whose terms expire this spring. It is generally conceded that Mr. Atkins has a fair chance of election and it is possible that he will be without opposition as both Mr. Peters and Mr. Lagaschulte have said that they are not particular about being returned to office this spring and none of the three out-going trustees have yet signified their intention to become candidates for reelection. Ernest C. Lines, who has been police magistrate for the last eight years will be a candidate to succeed himself and is yet without opposition.

The date of the village primary given above is only a guess. It will be fixed definitely at the March meeting of the board of trustees to be held next Monday evening. As most of the important township officials hold-over this year, and there is little talk of opposition for other offices, it is quite apparent that all committees and elections will be tame affairs this year.

Political notices and the announcements of all entertaining candidates will be found on page five of each issue of this paper. There is no way in which an aspirant to public office can advertise his candidacy as well as through the columns of the local paper, and experienced politicians are not slow to recognize and take advantage of this fact.

## MEMORANDUM ISSUED

The Lake county Circuit court will convene Monday at Waukegan.

It is reported that Frank H. Junt, former owner of the Lake County Independent and Waukegan Sun, will erect a \$20,000 garage in Waukegan this spring.

A petition has been circulated to change Arlington Heights from village to city organization.

Kane county supervisors favor an appropriation to install sign posts where needed throughout the county. It is estimated that 200 posts will be necessary and that the cost will be from \$1,500 to \$1,800.

H. A. Mank, a former City resident, died Sunday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Elford Safford, in Chicago. The funeral was held Tuesday. He was 55 years old.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Public Service Company at Mendota, Illinois, held in Chicago last Monday, a motion picture, the Northwestern Gas Light & Coke company was shown.

Miss Anna Perry, daughter of Jacob Perry, who married Henry Perry, a resident of Arlington Heights in that county, died.

Miss Helen Blumenthal, a resident of Chicago, died at her home in Chicago.

## CARY SKI TOURNAMENT SUNDAY SOIL EXPERT FOR LAKE COUNTY

Recent Snow Enables Norge Ski Club of Chicago to Plan Annual Event at Cary Slope.

The Norge Ski club's international championship ski tournament, scheduled this year for January 20 at Waukegan's hill, which is located just this side of Cary Station, and postponed on account of the lack of snow, will be held next Sunday, March 2.

Ragnar Omstedt, the amateur who won third place at Cary last year, and won the world's championship at the meet at Ironwood, Michigan, a short time ago by a jump of 169 feet, will participate, competing with all the best ski runners of this and other countries.

The slide at Cary is one of the best in the country and the slide and hill will be in the best of condition for the meet, there being plenty of snow to cover well. For a time it was feared that three would not be a tournament at Cary this year, but the recent storm has made it possible to hold one to the great delight of all lovers of that exhilarating sport in Chicago and this vicinity. A very large crowd is expected on Sunday.

There will be two classes, amateurs and professionals, and the Norge club is depending upon Omstedt to repeat his former victories and carry off the honors for the club.

## BIRTHS

A boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Anderson of the Watson farms last Thursday.

A daughter was born last Thursday evening to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wolf of this village.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kropp of Barrington township are the parents of a girl born last evening.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Javne of Cuba township, Tuesday evening, a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Schuman, who live on the H. E. Lagaschulte farm in Cuba township, are the parents of a boy born Monday morning.

## Small Vote at Primary.

At the primary election held in Cook county Tuesday for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for Superior court judge, but 18 votes were cast in Barrington township, 14 Republican and four Democrat as follows: Tinsman (Rep.), 11; Fish (Rep.), 2; Johnson (Rep.), 1; O'Connor (Dem.), 3; Maher (Dem.), 1.

## In the Days of the Old Frontier



when the Indians kept the cavalry on the jump, a stage journey over the plains was taking an even chance with death.

But Major McDonald's daughter Molly, coming out from the East to Fort Devere, thought the trip rather good fun until a band of Comanches closed in on the coach.

If it hadn't been for Sergeant "Buck" Hamlin—ex-Confederate officer and an Indian fighter under Custer—brave little Molly would never have read the new story

**Molly McDonald**

About to Appear in The Paper

and had out for yourself what happened.

It's just the kind of a good live story that Randall Parrish, the author, does better than anyone else.

## Lake County Follows Lead of Other Up-to-date Agricultural Communities Near-by.

Plans are being made to secure the services of an agricultural and soil expert for Lake county, following the lead of DeKalb and McHenry counties. Farmers are commencing to realize the value of such experts and have to secure one for Lake county by Samuel Insull, Armour, Swift and other moneyed men who have extensive realty holdings in that county.

Samuel Insull of Libertyville, it is reported, has promised to give \$10,000 toward a fund to secure such an expert, providing the farmers in different parts of the county manifest interest enough to help a little.

It has been decided to lay plans at a banquet which soon is to be held at Gurnee, the date not having been set. At this banquet three farmers from each town in the county will be appointed as a special committee to make a personal canvass of all the farmers living in their own town for the purpose of securing their signature to a petition for a \$10,000 fund to secure such an expert. Several hundred signatures and donations of this kind are necessary before the soil expert can be secured.

## SCHOOL NOTES

**High School Valentine Party.**  
The postponed valentine party of the High School club was held Friday evening, February 21, and enjoyed by a large proportion of the membership in spite of the stormy night. The fun began with a hunt through the building for large red hearts from which the foder's fortune was learned. Then Nettie Hillman, one of the captains, was most successful. Several games appropriate to the holiday were played and the evening closed with light refreshments and music. The hard-working committee who carried out the affair deserve much appreciation.

## High School Club Meeting.

Last Wednesday evening the High School club held the third meeting of the year. The meeting was called to order by the president, Marguerite Boehmer. Then followed roll call and the minutes of the previous meeting. After all of the business had been transacted, the program was presented with a duet by Ida and Louise Pedersen. The rest of the program consisted of a vocal solo by Irving Horn, an original essay by Mabel Lawder, a cornet solo by Paul Thoren, and then a debate, "Resolved that Lincoln did more for his country than Washington." The affirmative side, which was represented by May Calkins and Mabel Lawder, won. The speakers on the negative side were Irene Holmes, Norrie Irwin and Ruthen Aund. After the debate, a violin solo was given by Walter Nightingale and last but not least were renditions by the band. The club is divided into two parts; the captains are Nettie Hillman and Paul Thoren. Nettie's side received eighty-five points and Paul's side forty-nine.

## High School Entertainment Course.

The fourth number of the entertainment course was given at the high school last Thursday evening. The attraction for this evening was Charles Taggart, the trick violinist. His program consisted of readings, piano and violin selections, songs and ventriloquism. The first number, a reading initiating a session of a country school board, was full of humor and pleased the audience. The next selections were familiar classical piano solos and the other well known melodies illustrating such readings as a visit to the country fair. In an impromptu of an old Scotch "fiddle" many Scotch folk songs were given. "Trick violin" was another feature in which Mr. Taggart held and played his instrument in a variety of difficult positions. The "little man in the piano" caused much excitement and amusement especially among the children. A final number included imitations on the violin of human voices, Scotch bagpipes, a church organ and different bird songs. The entertainment was well attended and we hope to see as many at the final number to be given March 25.

**Annual Meeting.**  
The annual meeting of the Barrington Mutual Grange association will be held at the M. E. church in Barrington, Chicago on Monday, Mar. 1. A convention meeting at 1:30 p. m. The annual election of officers will take place and the business session will be held.

J. L. MERRINS, Secretary.

**Good Wood for Sale.**  
We have a quantity of hard wood to dispose of at a very reasonable price. Please your order at once. Phone 51-W. J. L. MERRINS, Barrington.

## NEWS OF THE FARM AND DAIRY—STORM CAUSES ENORMOUS DAMAGE

Notes of Comment and Interest to Local Agricultural and Milk Producers.

A goodly majority of the local dairymen gathered at the village hall last Monday morning to participate in the milk producers' meeting. The new secretary, Mr. Jack of Ashloch, and Attorney V. S. Lamley of Woodstock made addresses. The price for the coming year was the chief subject for discussion and the general verdict was that the price suggested by the association, an average of \$1.50 for the summer months, would have to be paid by the bottling company or there would be little milk.

Lewis M. Gross, owner of a dairy farm near Sycamore, does not think much of the Chicago health department and its suspension of dairies. He has written a letter to the health commissioner, Young. He suggested that the city take steps to clean its dirty streets, corral its auto bandits and rejuvenate its police force before it concerns itself with country life. Mr. Gross said the city milk inspectors are a lot of "ignoramuses."

## NEWS OF THE CHURCHES.

**ST. ANN'S.**  
Services will be held next Sunday morning promptly at 9:30 o'clock. During the Lenten season there will be devotions every Sunday at eight o'clock, which will be followed by a short sermon.

**BAPTIST.**  
Morning worship at 10:30 o'clock. Evening worship at 7:30 o'clock. Sunday school at 11:45 a. m. Prizes Sunday school service Saturday at three o'clock p. m. Covenant meeting the last Saturday of each month.

Sunday morning sermon subject, "Miracles." Sunday evening sermon subject, "Joseph the Generous," the concluding sermon in the series of the Life of Joseph. The monthly communion service will be observed next Sunday morning.

The prayer meeting devotional bible study for Saturday afternoon will be "The Evangelical Element in the Book of Acts."

Strangers will be heartily welcomed to these services.

## SAL.EM.

Sunday worship at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. George F. Stidham, superintendent. K. L. C. E. meets at 8:45 p. m. Clarence Plagge, president. Prayer services Tuesday and Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

Choir meets Friday evening. General missionary meeting held first Wednesday each month at 1:30.

Woman's Missionary society meets first Thursday of each month, Mrs. H. H. Bodt, president.

Mission band meets first Sunday of each month at 1:30. Monthly offering of the church is taken on the second Sunday of each month.

Sunday school council meets first Wednesday evening of each month at 7:30.

Twelve persons were taken into church membership at the last communion service.

The pastor will gladly respond to calls. Phone 115-M. Herman H. Thoren. Salem parsonage.

## METHODIST.

The special religious services now in progress are creating quite an interest. There were 50 present at the men's meeting Sunday afternoon and the house was full at night. Excellent results for the work of a single day were apparent through the efforts of an all-choir, a solo, a quartet, a band of singing, and a group of painters at the time of his death.

The departed leaves, besides the widow, two sons, aged seven and ten years, two brothers, John of Chicago and Louis, who conducts the Possum farm in the township, two sisters, Mrs. Charles Hays of Chicago and Mrs. Edward Hanson of Barrington township, and an aged father.

The funeral was held yesterday afternoon at the Salem church, Rev. G. H. Banger of Plum Grove, a former pastor of St. Paul's church in this village, assisted by Rev. H. H. Thoren, conducted the ceremony, and the remains were interred in the St. Paul's cemetery. The pall bearers were Messrs. E. F. Wichman, L. W. Donles, Nicholas Becker, John Halje, John Weckowski and Earl Schaefer, all close friends of the deceased and members of the Barrington St. Paul's club of which he also was a member.

Mr. Westphal was a member of a railroad men's society in which accident he was involved.

Dr. Barber, physician, will be in Barrington at Dr. Barber's office Tuesday, March 2.

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## BRIEF MENTION OF NEWS ABOUT TOWN

Reportings of the Week Told in Short Paragraphs—What's Doing in Our Hottling Village.

The village board will hold its monthly session at the village hall next Monday evening.

Mrs. Willard Abbott entertained the Polish Aeth club at a social meeting last Thursday evening.

The Barrington concert company is planning an orchestra concert to be given at the M. E. church on April third.

Reports from Augustus hospital on the condition of John Marcus are very favorable, and it is expected that he will now fully recover.

The Y. P. M. S. of the Salem church will have a special meeting next Tuesday evening. The society appropriated \$125.00 for home missions at its last meeting.

Rev. O. P. Mattison was in Palestine on Monday in attendance on a group conference of several Methodist churches. He was on the program for an address.

The Women's Foreign Missionary society will meet with Mrs. Cowan of Hough street on Tuesday, March 4, at three p. m. Miss Grace Freeman has charge of the program.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Frick entertained at dinner Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Frick and family, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Frick and Miss Anna Schultz, a niece from Marcellus.

The local Royal Neighbors lodge will give a dance at the village hall Easter Monday evening, March 24. Music will be furnished by Mrs. Herman's orchestra of Woodstock.

Rev. H. H. Thoren of the Salem church has been engaged to deliver a lecture before the faculty and students of the Garrett Biblical Institute of Northwestern university next Wednesday.

Mrs. Ida Miller has sold out her stock of candy, cigars, etc., and has rented the downstairs part of her building on Main street to John Smith who will use it for a moving picture theatre.

A straw stack was burned on the Theodore Skibbe farm in Cuba township Tuesday morning. About 40 neighbors turned out to save the farm buildings and no damage was done out of destroying the straw.

Rev. T. F. Leyden of Prospect conducted the services at St. Anne's church, of which he was a pastor 28 years ago, last Sunday. He was the guest of the Lamey family during the day at the home of Miss Margaret Lamey.

Special religious meetings are in progress this week at the Methodist church. Rev. J. E. Robinson, who is preaching each evening is both a good preacher and singer. The meetings are interesting and impressive and are doing good.

Programs were issued this week for north-west sub-district rally of the Epworth League to be held at the Northwood Park Methodist Episcopal church Friday evening, March 7. P. Lowell Bennett of this village is the sub-district president.

Rev. H. H. Thoren of the Salem church has been threatening his congregation to illustrated sermons, using a Joe Hancock & Loom electric lantern, on Sunday evening. On last Sunday evening he used 78 colored pictures, and the icy condition of the walls did not materially interfere with the attendance.

The class of young men in the Salem Sunday school known as "number nineteen," and comprising a list of over forty members, will have their monthly social gathering next Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Schroeder. Each member wears a special button. The class has just received its certificate from the National Sunday School association.

The Cook county February grand jury, on which H. D. A. Grebe of this village was serving, was dismissed Friday after a two day session. They heard 200 cases, found 231 true bills, 69 no bills, and laid 10 over for want of sufficient evidence. All members of the jury were merchants with the exception of one man. Before the jury was dismissed the case made an impression of the Cook county jail and found everything in perfect condition. There were 700 men and 30 women prisoners in the jail at the time of their visit.