

Clubs - Society - Personals

Gleaners Class

The Gleaners Class of St. Paul's church will meet at 8 p. m. Thursday evening, July 16 at the home of Mrs. George Walgren, 216 Franklin street. A social hour has been planned to follow the devotional period. Assisting hostesses will be Mesdames John Miller, Emil Notz, Howard Brinlinger and Fred Hager.

Kappa Delta Class Meets

The Kappa Delta class of Salem Sunday school was entertained at the home of Miss Stella Schuetz, 127 North avenue, Tuesday evening. A social hour following the regular business meeting. Miss Schuetz was assisted by Mrs. Verdine Rice.

Dessert Party for Dorcas Society

Members of the Dorcas society of the Baptist church will meet at the home of Mrs. Ray Cannon, 248 W. Lake street, for a dessert party at 1:45 p. m. Tuesday, Mrs. Jean Powers and Mrs. Alta Bennett will assist the hostess.

Announce Marriage of Daughters

Mr. and Mrs. William A. Hinz of Palestine announce the marriage of their daughter, Loraine, to Herbert Schroeder, son of the late Herbert Schroeder, on Saturday, July 18, at the Immanuel Lutheran church at Palestine.

Brotherhood Picnic at Palestine

The Brotherhood of St. Paul's church were guests of the Palestine Brotherhood at a picnic in Lammhoff's grove Sunday afternoon. About forty enjoyed the occasion.

Is Hostess to Bona Fida Class

Members of the Bona Fida class of Salem Sunday school were guests of their former teacher, Mrs. Ruby Heybeck of Elgin at an outing Wednesday evening.

Is Hostess at Evening Party

Miss Adelaide Ost, 208 S. Cook street, entertained a group of girls Thursday evening. Refreshments were enjoyed and delicious refreshments were served by the hostess.

Mrs. J. H. McKinley of Springfield has been a guest at the R. A. Johnson home this week. Her son Curtis came with her and attended the National N.Y.P.N. convention in Chicago.

Mrs. Nellie Schultze returned to her home Friday evening after having spent several days with friends in Freeport.

Mr. and Mrs. William G. Nicolai and daughter and John Prassas of Evanston spent Sunday at George Ann home on Northwest highway.

Misses Jean Schultze and Evelyn Hans returned Friday from a six-day trip to Washington, D. C. and nearby places of historical interest.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Plazge and family, 260 W. Russell street, will leave Saturday for a vacation of two weeks at Eagle River, Wis.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Skelly of Oak Park were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Max Lines, 242 W. Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Gleason and daughter Helen left Monday for a vacation of several weeks in California.

Irene and Evelyn Hans, Dorey Groff, Joan Schultze, Mary Margack and Eleanor Westlow, ski spent the week-end at Lake Geneva.

Mrs. John Dallmer of Chicago is a guest this week of Mrs. J. B. Hood of Elia township.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gellatly, daughter Mary Elissa and Miss Mitchell, 140 W. Russell street, will leave Saturday for Cross Lake, Minn. to enjoy a vacation of two weeks.

Robert Pullon of Waukegan and Robert Gifford of Chicago were guests of Everett Reed of Elia township Sunday.

After spending several weeks visiting friends and relatives in Elgin and Barrington, Mr. and Mrs. William Heise have left for their home in Glendale, California.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Stauffer and daughters Mary and Jean of Naperville spent Sunday at the W. A. Stauter home, 121 W. Lincoln avenue. Jean returned for a longer visit.

Mr. William Nightingale, 121 W. Russell street, returned to his home Sunday after having spent several days with a sister in Waukegan.

Mrs. Margaret Upton of Phoenix, Ariz. is a guest of the home of her son and daughter-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Roy Upton. Mrs. Upton will be here for several weeks.

Miss Lucille Bruce of Chicago was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Benson Sunday.

Mrs. R. J. Wig of Pasadena, Calif. was a guest at the R. D. Prover home, 129 Coolidge avenue, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Beckman and daughter Phyllis, 628 Grove avenue, spent Friday and Saturday visiting friends in South Bend, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. John Granger and Mrs. and Mrs. Ralph Cannon of Chicago were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Granger, 602 Grove avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Plazge and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Westover spent Sunday at Nippersink lake and Lake Geneva.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Monro of Chicago spent Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Beckman.

Miss Gladys Kemper, who is attending the summer session at Wheaton college, spent the week-end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Kemper, 421 E. Washington street.

Mrs. Clara Christenson of Chicago came Sunday to spend a few days with her mother, Mrs. Louis Sodi, and her sister, Mrs. Rosa Sodi Lamey.

Mr. and Mrs. George Folkord and daughters Mildred and Florence are vacationing at Waupaca, Wis.

Mrs. Ben Brommelkamp and daughters Lois and Bernice of Waukegan have been spending several days with Mrs. Brommelkamp.

Long Beards Are Traced to Days of Israelites

Tradition says that Adam wore a bushy beard, and the Israelites in Egypt distinguished themselves from their masters by cultivating long beards. Thus that ancient representative of Biblical patriarchs depicted their long-bearded. Aaron's beard is proverbial, and to swear by the beard constituted the most solemn oath. Mahomet followed the ancient tradition and never allowed a razor on his face. Mohammedans still swear by the beard of the Prophet. The Romans called the unshaven-headed inhabitants of northern Europe, who eventually brought about the empire's fall, "barbarians" from the Latin barba, a beard, and from which we get our "barber," and from which the famous Hun warrior's beard was named, says The Bits Magazine.

Queen Mary I sent four agents to Moscow, all bearded, and one of them, George Killingsworth, had a beard five feet long, which, it is said, made even Ivan the Terrible laugh! Hans Steinhilber, burgomaster of Braunau, who died in 1567, is shown in his monument in the parish church there with a parted beard, beautifully waved, which he pulled straight, would be six feet long. The actual beard is preserved in the local museum. It is in two ropes, and its color is reddish brown.

The Clepsydra

Aeneas Tacticus wrote, about 300 B. C., describing an ingenious signaling device called the clepsydra. Two cylindrical vessels, of the same size and shape, were provided with pipe from which water would run out exactly the same rate. Into each vessel there was loosely fitted a float to which was attached an upright rod marked off into equal sections. On the corresponding sections of each rod, identical messages were written. When a message was to be sent, the attendant at the sending station displayed a torch. This signal was acknowledged by displaying a torch at the receiving station, whereupon the attendant at both stations started the water running from their clepsydras. When the rod at the sending station had sunk so that the displayed message was level with the rim of the vessel, the attendant there again signaled with his torch. The rod at the receiving station, had, of course, sunk to the corresponding message, which was then read by the attendant there.

Moses' Transit

Transit, in astronomy, means the passage of a heavenly body over the meridian of a place. Upper transit is a transit across that part of the meridian that is above (on the zenith side) of the polar axis. Lower transit is a transit across that part of the meridian which is below the pole.

Learning From Censures

Censure and criticism never hurt anybody; if false, they cannot hurt unless you are wanting in character; and, if true, they show a man his weak points, and forewarn him against fallups and trouble.

Keys an Ancient Symbol of Power and Authority

Keys have always been the symbol of power and authority, notes a writer in the Montreal Herald. The ancients believed that the keys held the keys of the life-giving fertilizing rivers, and thus controlled the rise and fall of the waters. Babylonians, who seem to have been the first users of keys, represented their gods as carrying keys. The Romans gave some of their deities the title of "Key-Bearer." Hence the three-headed goddess of peace and war, times and seasons. Modern wedding rings have their origin in ancient Rome. When the newly-wed wife came to her new home she was solemnly presented with the keys, suspended from a metal ring which became the bridal ring. Roman law recognized the giving of a communication by day were used for the husband to his wife when he made the Roman marriage vow: "Thou art my master, you shall be mistress."

Smoke Telegraph

Among eight signals, some of the earliest and most widely employed for that which supplies the demand Sunday based on the rising of smoke. Since man, alone of all animals, uses fire, the appearance of smoke was always accepted by primitive man as evidence of the presence of another human being. If not self-explanatory, a column of smoke signified the danger of a potential enemy. If, however, the smoke was seen in some particular manner, it was a symbol of friendship and, through the use of a prearranged code, could be used for communication. By alternately covering a smoldering fire with a blanket and uncovering it, the North American Indian broke the steady column of smoke, which rose from it, up into a series of puffs or clouds, the sequence or combination of which could be used, according to prearrangement, to "telegraph" from place to place, either directly or by the use of relays.

Miss Grace Castle of Aurora spent the week-end with Ter another, Mrs. H. P. Castle, 525 Grove avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Walgren and daughter Ruth and Willis Altomberg attended the Chicago, North Western Railroad picnic at Des Plaines Sunday.

Mrs. William Lyons of Chicago was a guest of Mrs. G. G. Walgren, 216 Franklin street, Sunday.

Mrs. Stanley McClintock and children Estelle and Bert of Forest Park returned to their home Monday after having spent a week at the Elmer Webster home in Elia township.

V. T. Norton, C. W. Kaylor and M. H. Karker visited for a few days at Green Lake, Wis., this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Notz and sons enjoyed a trip through the Apple River canyon Sunday.

Painting a Museum

Painting is essentially a museum of relics and symbols, says a writer in the Washington Post. Relics of primitive man, relics of Sennacherib, relics of Abraham and his Mount Moriah, Moses and his Sinai, David and Goliath. Into Palestine came Alexander the Great on his campaign to conquer the world. Jesus of Nazareth covered almost every inch of it. There he was reared, prepared for his ministry and was inspired by the Semitic culture, as well as the Babylonian, Assyrian and Greek heritages. Nazareth was on the north and in Galilee, and, according to scholars, Greek culture predominated there.

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There is no stranger harvest than that which supplies the demand for Brazil nuts, observes a writer in Pearson's Weekly. No human hand has ever seen picking. It lies patiently waiting man's pleasure, on the sodden floor of that immense stretch of tropical jungle land in the lower Amazon valley. Here flourishes the Brazil nut tree, or castana do Para, as the natives call it. Despite this unusual lavishness of Nature, no harvest could be harder to win; none is fraught with more risks. Before reaching the wild nut groves the castanheiras (nut gatherers) must penetrate hundreds of miles of fetid streams and swamps, home of fish-eating fish, venomous water snakes and electric eels. The final stages of their journey must be hatched through dense matted undergrowth where poisonous thorns, orchids, spiders and insects conist every part of their progress.

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Hold Services for Mrs. C. Meyer, 86

Funeral services for Mrs. Charlotte Meyer, 86-year-old resident of Barrington, will be held at the funeral chapel, 402 E. Main street at 2 o'clock and at St. Paul church at 2:30 p. m. Thursday afternoon. Rev. Hermann Koenig will officiate and burial will be in St. Paul cemetery.

Mrs. Meyer died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Fred Bellhoff, 409 Grove avenue, with whom she had been living for several years. Monday morning complications of old age and the extreme warm weather were responsible for her death.

Charlotte Gottmann was born in Cassel, Germany Dec. 24, 1849, and came to this country when she was 18 years old. She was united in marriage to Henry Meyer in 1869 and the young couple made their home on a farm south of Barrington near Barrington Center, later moving to a farm three miles south of Barrington.

They moved to Barrington 3 years ago and made their home on the North avenue. They were one of the first families belonging to St. Paul church and Mrs. Meyer was a charter member of the Woman's Union. Seven children were born to their union, three of whom survive Mrs. Meyer. Mr. Meyer preceded his wife in death 20 years ago.

Surviving Mrs. Meyer are Mr. Hannah Pohlman, Palestine; Fred Dehnhoff, Barrington; Charles H. Glendale, Calif. An infant son, Mrs. Frederick Langhoff of Palestine, Hedy Meyer of Barrington and William are the children preceding her in death. There are nine grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

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Barrington Review

P. Krauzk Dies of Sunstroke Tuesday

Having been stricken by the heat while working in a grain field, the Loomis farm on Higgins road in Barrington township, P. Krauzk, 63 year old farm hand was found dead by Thomas Marti also employed on the Loomis farm at 11:30 Tuesday morning.

An inquest was conducted at the funeral chapel, 203 S. Cook street by E. E. Edelstein, Cook county deputy coroner, Wednesday afternoon and a verdict of death by hyperprostration was returned by the jury.

Orio Loomis, owner of the farm testified that Krauzk had been seen drinking a large quantity of water about 10 o'clock and was found lying beside a shock of grain about 11:30.

When Marti discovered the body, he examined it and found that Krauzk was dead. He then notified the state highway police department and the body was removed to Barrington.

The remains were taken to Chicago Wednesday afternoon for burial.

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