

Attend Federation of Women's Clubs Meet in Chicago

Mrs. Elsie Schott and Mrs. Leslie McClure are attending the Illinois Federation of Women's Clubs state convention now in session at the Sherman hotel, Chicago.

"The leadership of an enlightened minority brings progress," Barclay Acheson, associate editor of Reader's Digest, told the assembly Tuesday evening. "Democratic institutions today and for decades will be the product of planned economy otherwise known as the totalitarian state."

"Dictatorships are characterized by stagnation, retrogression and decay," he stated, citing as examples Greece, the Roman Empire and China. "The universal story of history is this: where you have liberty, you have progress."

In conclusion, Mr. Acheson reviewed accomplishments in the field of social justice within the past two generations in the attitude toward unfortunates, such as the insane, delinquent, orphan, child laborers, employees.

Dr. Albert Edward Wigan of New York discussed "Who Shall Labor America—the Strong or the Weak, the Intelligent or the Stupid?" Tuesday evening. He advocated courses in marriage, caution, sterilization of the unfit, education of knowledge of birth control and good homes.

J. Raymond Scholz discussed the "Fine Art of Living" Wednesday morning and that evening, David Seaberry told delegates "How to Worry Successfully." Charles Milton Newcomb will be the principal speaker at the banquet Thursday.

Local Accordion Band Members Attend Recital at St. Charles Friday

Several members of the Barrington Accordion band and their parents attended a student recital of accordion bands of St. Charles, Geneva and West Chicago, presented by Chester White and Robert Schmitt at St. Charles Friday. The guest students also appearing on the program were Dale Meschering of Des Plaines, Esther Stelling and Erma Schmitt of Arlington Heights, Phyllis Anderson and Lorraine Whiting of Woodstock, Roland Meisner of Barrington, Shirley Peterson and Robert Murley of Belvidere, Lillian Path of Naperville, Marian Keiser of Maywood and Stanley Sanderak of Chicago.

The Barrington Accordion band had an election of officers. Joyce Schauble resigned as president and Lois Sues is now taking her place. Pearl Kleinschmidt is secretary and Donald Schumacher treasurer.

The last district meeting was held in Des Plaines May 2.

Surgical Patient
Mrs. Merrill Garbisch of Barrington is a surgical patient at the Sherman hospital. Elgin where she underwent a major operation last week. She is making a satisfactory recovery. It is reported.

Injured in Fall
Mr. Donald Titterton 135 W. Lake street, has been confined to bed several days as a result of injuries received in a fall Friday.

Attended Funeral
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hayes of Barrington attended funeral services for Mrs. Hayes' uncle, Mr. Bauman at Richmond Sunday.

85 Women Present at Village Garden Club Guest Day Program

Eighty-five members and guests were present at the regular guest day program of the Village Garden Club of Barrington at St. Anne guild hall Monday afternoon. Guests were present from the Countryside Garden Club of Barrington, the Garden Club of Arlington Heights, Palatine Garden Club, Algonquin Garden Club and Fox River Garden Club.

Mrs. William Gary Brown was the speaker of the afternoon and presented pictures of Washington and Virginia gardens. A social hour concluded the program.

The Village Garden club will present The Thurston Marionettes in a benefit performance for the tree planting project the club has adopted. Mrs. Helen Thurston, who plays the marionettes, is a well-known performer and has made and dressed her own puppets. She will give "The Billy Goat Gruff" expected for children and another story to entertain both adults and children.

They will be given at St. Anne guild hall Saturday, May 14. There will be two performances, one at 10:30 a. m. and one at 2 p. m.

Mrs. James P. Heffer is in charge of the performance and is being assisted by the club's wars and means committee.

Jr. Woman's Club to Honor Mothers at Dinner Friday

The Junior Woman's club of Barrington will honor mothers of members at a dinner party at Hillmore Country club Friday evening at 7 o'clock. The occasion is in observance of Mother's Day. It was reported.

Births
Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hoffman of Barrington are the parents of a son born Saturday morning at the Sherman hospital in Elgin.

Townsend Meeting
There will be a meeting of the Barrington Townsend club No. 1 in its new quarters, the Cadogan building on West State street May 5 starting at 3 p. m.

Granted Patent Right
A patent right was granted this week to Kenneth C. Allison of Arlington Heights for an index mechanism.

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Florida Strait Island

Has a Fountain of Youth
Bimini, in the strait of Florida, has a Fountain of Youth—perhaps the Fountain of Youth, because it is the spring Ponce de Leon's guide had in mind when the two set out from Porto Rico on their famous search, observes a writer in the Detroit News.

That De Leon's guide was a native of Bimini and was merely trying to find the way home from Porto Rico supports the island's claim for its fountain. That the guide was a woman, an old woman and a bad mannered, accounts for the capricious course she set. The extraordinary blunders in Florida and all the subsequent confusion.

Water is rare in the northernmost islands of the West Indies and it is not surprising that the reported Bimini's well reached De Leon at Porto Rico. The well is a rocky cavern, its sides green from the damp and shaded except at the top where the pines, palms and gum trees cluster around it. Although it has none of the legendary properties, the water is refreshingly cool and seems to instill vigor into the drinker.

Fable roots easily in such a fountain and to Ponce de Leon, facing old age on his beloved island of Porto Rico, it tempted him to try to reach his wish for eternal youth in which to enjoy the beauty of his Caribbean home. Guided by the old man, he and his followers landed on the islands of the Bimini group and finally landed in Florida, a short distance to the west.

Robert Morris Financial

Aid in Washington's Time
Robert Morris, called the "Father of the American Revolution," was born in England, January 31, 1734, but came to the Colonies where he was just a boy and began to build a considerable fortune.

A member of the Continental Congress, he was reluctant at first to sign the Declaration of Independence. After he had changed his mind, writes Leslie Hartley in the Washington Star, his financial aid proved invaluable, and without his help Washington's soldiers at Valley Forge and at the battles of Princeton and Trenton would have found it almost impossible to survive.

An optimist and a born promoter, Morris possessed an uncanny ability to secure loans which served the Continental army well throughout the war. When Washington was forming his cabinet he requested Morris to serve as secretary of the treasury, but the latter declined, naming Alexander Hamilton in his stead. He served in congress, however, as one of the first two senators from Pennsylvania.

It was the issue of the fate that the affairs of the "King of American Financiers" should become so involved that he was thrown into prison for his debt to be released only under the bankruptcy act. He died a few years later, a broken-hearted old man.

Early U. S. Franco Treaties

On February 6, 1778, treaties of defensive alliance and commerce were concluded between France and the United States—the first foreign recognition of American independence. Carried by sailing vessel—then the only means of transatlantic communication—copies of the documents did not reach congress until May 1. Meanwhile, the passage of Lord North's Conciliatory bill by the British parliament had conceded practically every point disputed by the colonists. Peace commissioners were hurried from England to America in the hope of reaching there before the news of the French treaties could have its effect on public opinion. They arrived about the middle of April, but to little purpose. Congress ratified the French treaties on May 4.

The Feudal System

The feudal system prevailed in most of Europe during the Middle Ages, until about the end of the Fourteenth century, when the rise of absolute monarchy broke down the local system. The increase of communication and the growth of the towns, with the expansion of the economic world after the Crusades, did much to destroy the feudal classification of society. The system broke down gradually in France. It was not completely destroyed until the French revolution. Old usages persisted in Germany until the Nineteenth century and in Russia until 1917. Many relics of feudalism persist and it has left its impress on almost all institutions of western Europe.

Augustus and Julius Caesar

Augustus Caesar was born September 23, 63 B. C., and was given the name Octavius. Being nephew and favorite of Julius Caesar, he became, through adoption, Caesar Octavianus, and upon becoming ruler of Rome in 27 B. C., took the title of Augustus. Although the title of emperor was conferred upon him by the senate and he held up the work of Julius Caesar where the dangers of the conspirators led by Brutus and Cassius had stopped it, carefully avoiding Caesar's mistakes, and created through the Roman world a peace and prosperity which lasted for 200 years.

P-T-A. to Install New Officers May 10

The annual business meeting of the Parent-Teacher association will be held Tuesday, May 10, at 8 p. m. at the school auditorium. There will be installation of officers as follows: president, Mrs. Edwin L. Erickson; vice president, Mrs. S. J. Landwer; secretary, Miss Grace Wankle; treasurer, Mrs. Frank Kitchman.

The home economics department, under the direction of Miss Margaret Everett, will present a spring style show and a vocational exhibit has been arranged by Robert C. Sutor and Charles J. Roselle of the faculty.

This is the last meeting of the year, and parents and friends have been invited to attend.

Mrs. Erickson was the delegate from the Barrington P-T-A association attending the state convention of the Illinois Congress of Parents and Teachers held at Quincy May 3 to 5.

Undergoes Operation

Mrs. Walter Cannon of Barrington is a surgical patient at the Passavant hospital, Chicago, where she underwent a major operation last Wednesday. Mrs. Cannon is getting along nicely. It was reported.

Discontinue Operations

The Floating Lounge Co., which has occupied the Skinner building on West Liberty street for the past year, has ceased operations and moved the equipment out. It was learned this week.

Completes Trip

W. O. Shepherd, 616 Grove avenue, has returned from a business trip of two and a half months through the northwest states.

To Appoint Commissioner

A. F. Grom, clerk of the town of Cuba, announced this week that he would receive applications for little commissioner at his office, 209 Franklin street, until 10 a. m. Wednesday, May 11. The office is appointive and the town board has been making a selection each year. George Kuebler is the present commissioner.

Called to Barrington

Mrs. Harold Pippenger of Alameda, Calif., arrived in Barrington Tuesday morning. Mrs. Pippenger came because of the serious illness of her father, L. Faulkner, who is a surgical patient at the Sherman hospital, Elgin.

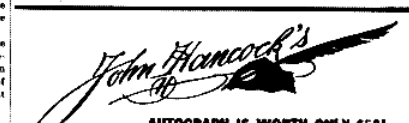
MARRIAGE LICENSES

Joseph Arcuri 29, Chicago, Francis DePina 26, Des Plaines, Alvin W. White 22, Barrington, Mildred Hutchings 18, Libertyville.

Roland O. Heintz 22, Northbrook, Josephine Mayest 26, Arlington Heights.

Legion Meeting

There will be a meeting of the Barrington post of the American Legion this evening, Thursday, at the club rooms, 133 Park avenue.



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TOILET SOAP, Palmolive, 3 bars 17c

BABY FOOD, Clapp, Libby, and Helms, 1 can 25c

MILK, Leadway, 4 tall cans 23c

WHITE HOUSE COFFEE (¼-lb. Orange Pekoe Tea Free) with 3 1-lb. pkgs. 49c

KRAFT MIRACLE WHIP pint jar 27c quart jar 39c

TOILET TISSUE Cambric, 6 rolls for 25c

KNEEL BISCUIT, Red Heart, 3 lbs. 25c

MEAT SPECIALS

Sliced Pork Liver lb. 12¢

Veal Hearts, Fresh lb. 12¢

Potato Salad, Ho-Maid lb. 10¢

Fancy Baking Beef lb. 10¢

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Short Shank Smoked Picnics lb. 15c

SPECIAL SLICED BACON 1/2-lb. pkg. 11c

HARD SALAMI Fancy Grade lb. 23c

3 lb. End Pork Loin Roast 18c

MICKELBERRY BACON SQUARES lb. 15c

SPICED LUNCHEON MEAT, SLICED 1/2-lb. 12c