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\$1.50 A YEAR IN ADVANCE.

WHO WON THE GAME?

Did It Belong to the Y. M. C. A. or Was It a Tie. Opinions of Players and Fans.

The Review wishing to escape damage to its equipment and building and desiring to keep its staff from being scalped, hereby weekly shifts all responsibility of publishing a report of the Barrington Ball Club—Y. M. C. A. ball game last Saturday afternoon, and we give opinions of "fans," so that you may take your choice. The score was 7 to 7 in the ninth inning. Umpire James McKay was watching home plate and did not see whether Gratenkorn, the batter up, was out on first or not. Of course the Y. M. C. A. claim he was out. While the other club claim he was safe. At any rate it was close. The game broke up in a row without any decision. Later it is said, McKay declared it to be a tie game.

Opinion—Two ladies, "rooters" for the Ball club, "of course the Y. M. C. A.'s won. We don't like the ball, but the score was theirs all right."

Elmer Glasco—"Of course the Y. M. C. A.'s won."

E. O. Wilmouth—"If Hiteck's hadn't interfered with Pater on first base, the Ball club would have won the game."

Roy C. Myers—"The umpire called it a tie game. That's all I know about it."

Dr. Simmons—"The game according to rules was 8 to 7, but according to circumstances should be 7 to 7. The umpire was justified in counting the last run as he saw it, but he was not watching the game as he should."

My opinion of the Saturday game is that the game should have been over and had the Y. M. C. A. cut out the dirty ball characteristic of certain of the members of its team the game would have been over. If they claim the game on the decision of Freeman, they steal it as he gave us the dirty end of every decision because we would not let him ring in. Umpire McKay's decision is a tie game. I do not recognize defeat as I do not recognize that kind of ball playing. A. G. Houghtaling.

The question before the house is "Was Gratenkorn (Y. M. C. A.) out on first base in the last inning?" On the whole the game was more peccable than expected. Great rivalry has existed between these teams, principally due to the election issues here, but perhaps the boys are now realizing "That a house divided against itself never stands," nor a town.

LAKE ZURICH

L. Selp is on the sick list. C.H. Patten of Palatine was in town Tuesday.

August Froelich left Monday for Iowa on a business trip.

Will Blaake spent Saturday and Sunday at the L. Selp home.

Mr. and Mrs. Eiehman and Mr. and Mrs. Buesching were to Palatine Sunday.

Mr. Henry Sodi and Arthur Boehmer of Barrington spent Wednesday at the Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. King who have been spending part of the summer months at the Maple Leaf Hotel left Monday for Chicago.

Wm. Bicknase and Will, Mr. Allison and Miss Lydia and Lillie Hokemeyer attended the dance at Algonquin last week Thursday.

Mr. Chas. Lyuk who is employed at the ice house had the misfortune to cut his hand and is unable to attend to his work.

Mrs. August Froelich was given a pleasant surprise Wednesday evening. The evening was spent at Schenning Hall and was passed in dancing and games. Refreshments were served at the hall.

The Ladies Aid Society of the St. Peter's church will give a picnic at Lake Zurich in Oak Park Sunday, July 29th. There will be games and races of all kinds and refreshments will be served on the grounds. Music will be furnished by the Palatine Band. Everybody is welcome to attend.

Ordinance No. 30, New Series.

Appropriating such sum or sums of money deemed necessary by the Board of Trustees of the Village of Barrington, to defray all necessary expenses and liabilities of said Village of Barrington, for and during the fiscal year ending April 30th, 1908.

BE IT ORDAINED by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Barrington:

SECTION I. That for the necessary expenses and liabilities of the Village of Barrington for and during the fiscal year ending April 30th, 1908 there is hereby appropriated the several sums of money herein mentioned and so lawfully set forth, that is to say:

For paying the necessary expenses of said Village, including any judgments that may be rendered against said Village during said time.....	12,000 00
For Maintenance of Streets and Alleys.....	2,500 00
For Salaries of Police Officers.....	12,000 00
For Light.....	1,000 00
For Interest on Bonds.....	450 00
For Maintenance of Water Works.....	2,000 00
To pay balance on Florida R. R. Meyer judgment.....	700 00
Total.....	28,650 00

SECTION II. That various amounts, above mentioned, to be raised by taxation, the aggregate amount of which is \$28,650.00 are appropriated as follows: To maintain fractional parts of said total amount of \$8,850.00 and in case of failure to receive or collect the aggregate sum of \$8,850.00, the deficiency shall be deducted pro rata from said sums.

SECTION III. All unexpended appropriations and cash expenses for the fiscal year ending April 30th, 1907, are continued for the purpose for which they were appropriated.

SECTION IV. This ordinance shall be published in the manner provided by law.

SECTION V. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

GEORGE W. SPENNER, President of Village of Barrington.
LEWIS H. BENNETT, Village Clerk
Passed this 15th day of July A. D. 1907.
Approved: July 15th, 1907.
Published: July 23rd, 1907.

No Depot Improvements.

Owing to the fact that the North-Western railroad company did not agree with the Park Association Committee on improvements around the depot and reding April 25th, 1907, for grading and sodding, the project has been given up for the present and Dr. Richardson, the chairman of the committee, has been refunding contributions this week. The sum raised was over \$200. While the failure of the plan is a disappointment, still the reasons given by the company are good, and one who has a new depot not as doubtful as formerly.

Youthful Robbers.

Joe Sprengle, aged 13 years, Walter Lawson, aged 13 years, and Joe Singler, 9 years old living in Avondale, came to Barrington, Wednesday (morning) for an outing. They established a camp on Linits street near the stand pipe. In the afternoon one of the party visited Charles Lipofsky's store and made away with a number of neckties. Mr. Lipofsky had his eye on the boy however and followed him into the street, captured him and turned him over to Marshal Donlan.

The boys were sent home on the 5:20 train to Avondale.

Tell Us.

When you no longer care to subscribe to the Review, kindly tell us at the office instead of refusing the paper at the post-office. The person who will not accept a paper mailed him is liable for the cost of postage and a subscription for all of several years standing, and in place of sending word to the proper place and instead of settling this account, sneaks to the postmaster to refuse his paper.

Grand Dance.

At Oak Park, Lake Zurich, Sunday evening July 28th. Floor Committee: Larry Dunlop, Barrington; Chas. Wascher, Cary; Lee Geary, Wauconda; Fred Schenning, Palatine; George Ziemer, Long Grove; Will Tokamp, Lake Zurich. Music by Burn's Orchestra. Tickets 75c and supper at the Maple Leaf Hotel.
E. F. SCHENNING, Proprietor.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given that all thistles on the farms of Cuba township must be cut. HERMAN HACKER, Thistle Commissioner.

HOW AND WHEN TO USE A ROAD DRAG

State Highway Commission Reports 20,000 Now in Use (Lacking)

Hard Roads. Law Gives Official Stamp. Township Officers Lay Contract for Dragging of Roads.

Springfield, Ill., July 23.—Another step toward obtaining good roads in Illinois was taken when Governor Vinton signed the road drag bill passed by the forty-fifth general assembly. Under this law the farmer who drags the road shortly after his property or adjacent thereto may be paid for it, while his neighbor who does not care enough for a good road to use a drag may continue to travel in the mud.

In two years the state highway commission has converted over 20,000 miles of dirt roads into good roads. Thousands of drags are being used. Experimental roads have been constructed in various sections of the state. A census of traffic has been made over a large number of roads. Drains are being built on plans furnished by the commission and plans are being prepared for more bridges. The commission consists of President E. J. James, of the University of Illinois; James H. Fulkerson, of Jersey county, and Lafayette Finkbe, of McLean county, is being given and held together with the state highway commission. The commission consists of President E. J. James, of the University of Illinois; James H. Fulkerson, of Jersey county, and Lafayette Finkbe, of McLean county, is being given and held together with the state highway commission.

The new road law is of general interest to all sections of the state. It calls for attention to a practical and efficient method of maintaining earth roads.

Provisions of the New Law. The first section of the law provides that the local highway officials of any township or district shall have the right to have the adjacent land owners or tenants along a given piece of road maintain said road by road drags. It is also provided that the commissioners shall not pay for a road more than 25 cents a mile each time the road is dragged in the pleasant months of the year and not over \$1 a mile each time the road is dragged during the winter, January, February and March. The law prescribes that the width to be dragged shall not be less than twenty feet, providing that the roadway will permit.

Section two calls particular attention to the undesirable methods so often employed in road work, whereby a lot of loose material is scraped on the road. The first section of the law provides that it shall be unlawful to place loose soil, sods or other vegetable matter on a road that has been dragged or put in good condition, or place any material so as to interfere with the free flow of water from the center of the road to the side ditches or gutters. It is not the intention of this section to prohibit the use of grading and crowing a road, or for placing material that may be necessary for any reconstruction of that part of the road. This is provided for in the law as a whole, which states the restriction does not apply to deposits of earth or material that are made by the road authorities for necessary construction.

Roads Not To Be Cut Up.

The third section of the law is of particular importance and it is the only new feature. It is made unlawful for any person or persons willfully to destroy the work that has been done by dragging, or to place of road to dry out or to freeze. It is distinctly provided, however, that this clause shall not work any hardship to persons using a piece of road that has been dragged if it is impossible to drive on such a road with safety on the side of the dragged portion. The whole object of the clause is to call particular attention to the fact that with little care on the part of those using the road quite as much can be accomplished in maintaining the road as by using the road drag.

Under no conditions should a road be dragged when it is dry. This means crumbles up the surface and makes a layer of the loose material which quickly becomes dust and is sold water on the road, and which is exactly the condition which is to be prevented. Drag when the road is good and muggy. Don't drag when it is dry. Drag whenever possible and at all seasons of the year. If a road is dragged immediately before a cold spell it will freeze in a smooth condition.

Work of the Commission. More than a year ago the state highway commission issued a bulletin on the use of the road drag, which was sent to all road commissioners throughout the state and to the newspapers. Many copies were sent to people who applied for it. In all 25,000 copies being distributed. The state engineer attended a large number of Farmers' Institutes, at all of which special stress was laid upon this simple method of maintaining earth roads, with the result that in the spring of 1906, from returns made by the rural letter carriers to the state highway commission, it was estimated there were not less than 4,000 road drags in use which were maintaining about 5,000 miles of earth roads. In the past year it is probably safe to say this number has been increased until the number now in use approximately 20,000.

CUBA TOWNSHIP

Miss Minnie Miller has returned from a week's visit in Park Ridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Colten, of Chicago, were at Hollister's over Sunday.

There was a children's party of about thirty at Frank Kelsey's Tuesday evening.

Miss Helen Riley has returned from her western trip and is visiting in Woodstock.

Two young nephews of Mrs. Conrad Kraus, Otto and Carl Strobach, of Chicago are visiting here.

Mr. and Mrs. William Kuhlman of Chicago were at the old Kuhlman farm a few days this week.

Mrs. Annie Beahler, of Barrington, spent Thursday with her daughter, Mrs. William Schumacher.

The Hollisters played the Grassy Lakes Sunday and were beaten by a score of 17 to 12. Only three in the Hollister team are not Hollisters.

The Misses Mildred Kelsey, Lee Riley and Edith McGraw attended a large social given by St. Thomas' Catholic church at Crystal Lake last Saturday night.

PALATINE LOGAL NEWS

What the People are Doing in Palatine and the Vicinity.

Peter Knowe has a new automobile. Many from Barrington attended the ball game Sunday.

The Wienke family held a picnic at Lake Zurich Sunday.

Miss Emma Kuebler spent this week with friends in Elgin.

Henry Langhorne and wife entertained relatives over Sunday.

Mrs. Anna Smith has returned to her home at Des Moines, Iowa.

Many have been attending the Palatine Camp meeting this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Rense returned from their honeymoon Saturday night.

Mr. Charles Diernert of Chicago was the guest of Frank Keyes last Sunday.

Mrs. G. D. Stroger and children of Wauconda are visiting relatives here.

August Burkart is working at Arlington Heights during the agents absence.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Bode and daughter of Elgin spent Sunday at the home of G. H. Arps.

Tom Bennett, wife and baby and Wm. Bennett spent Sunday with their parents.

Wm. Foreman is very sick in the hospital at Elgin. Little hope is given for his recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cadow and daughters of Evanston visited relatives here last week.

Mrs. Froelich and Miss Pauline Clausen started for Buffalo, Wednesday to be gone about three weeks.

Mrs. James Martin Swick and James McAla and Miss Grace Van Hornes are spending this week at Twin Lakes.

Mrs. Carrie Schoppe and children of Park Ridge and Mrs. Mabelle Billings of Chicago spent Tuesday with Mrs. G. H. Arps.

Miss Elmer Arps spent last Thursday with Mrs. Christian at Austin. Mrs. Christian was Miss Salzer, a former teacher here.

E. W. Riley, assessor of Cuba township, was called before the Board of Review at Waukegan Thursday to verify changes made in the lists of tax payers on personal property.

Mrs. Richard Bennett gave a party in honor of her brother Howard's birthday Wednesday afternoon. It was a complete surprise on Howard's part as he was equal to the occasion and was a good entertainer. They all joined in wishing Howard many happy returns of the day.

Services at Baptist Church.

Saturday evening 7:30, prayer and praise service.

Sunday, 10:30 a. m., "The Making of the Soul." 7:30 p. m., "The Way of Life."

Sunday School and U. S. X. at 11:45 a. m.

Young People's Meeting at 8:45 p. m.

You are all cordially invited to worship with us.

V. V. PHILLIPS, Pastor.

Advertised Letters.

The following letters remain un-called for at the Barrington postoffice: Miss Anna B. Aylsworth; Mr. Loren M. Beazline; Mr. E. J. Blake; Miss M. A. Gordon; Miss Mary Gordon.

Will Let Gravel Contract.

On Tuesday, August 6th, at nine o'clock A. M., there will be a public letting of a gravel contract at the office of F. H. Plagge, town clerk, Cuba township. Contract will call for graveling of about ninety rods from foot of Honey Lake hill south to beginning of gravel.

Ice is Cheaper.

Do you know that ice is cheaper this summer? It is said to be higher priced than other years, but this is a wrong idea. It is cheap enough for you to place your order at once with G. O. Prussia & Company.

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FOR SALE—Gasoline stove. Two burners and oven, all in good condition. Fine for summer kitchen or cottage. Price, \$5.00. Mrs. M. T. Laney.