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The Flag Pledge
The Flag Pledge reads: "I pledge allegiance to the flag of the United States and to the Republic for which it stands, one nation, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all."
The Pledge of the Flag was first printed in the Youth's Companion of Boston in 1892. It was written by Francis Bellamy, a member of the staff of that paper.

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Local Scouts Join Anniversary Week Celebration Here

Churches Will Hold Services for Barrington Boys Sunday Morning

Barrington scouts, scout clubs and their leaders will assemble at the high school gymnasium Friday at 7:30 p. m. to participate in the opening of the nation-wide observance of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the Boy Scouts of America.

A basketball game between Barrington and Linden beginning at 8:15 p. m. will be held primarily to permit the economies to take place. All boy scouts who are not attending the game are requested to assemble at 7:30 p. m. at the north door of the school building in full uniform. At 7:45 o'clock and the local club pack will march into the gymnasium, the scouts and girls in the audience following in the rear.

A second, the least carried over, two national chains will start at 7:45 p. m. and will be heard over a special radio and loud speaker system installed in the gymnasium. Walter W. Head, president of the Boy Scouts of America will open the broadcast from the scene of the boy scout office in St. Louis. President Roosevelt will speak directly from the White House. Other national leaders will also participate. One feature of the program will be the simultaneous repetition of the boy scout pledge by scouts throughout the entire country who will be asked to do so.

Beginning with Friday evening's event and continuing for the next ten days the boy scouts of the area will be most active in the observance of the anniversary.

Local churches are planning special boy scout services for Sunday. Services will be held at the churches in uniform, and the following groups will attend morning services in their own churches and will participate in special programs, according to the following arrangement: First, St. Paul Evangelical, Second, St. Paul Evangelical. The club pack will attend a service at the First Baptist Church at 7:30 p. m.

Although assembly week will officially close on February 14, special boy scout mobilization services planned for local scouts beginning Feb. 16, will complete the week's program. All of the scouts in the entire area are to be assembled in Park Ridge between 7:30 and 10:00 Saturday morning. A special boy scout program

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Young Pupils of Junior High Win Skating Awards

Twenty-four pupils of the junior high school won ribbon awards in an ice skating contest at Hawthorn Lake Thursday afternoon. All the members of the sixth, seventh and eighth grades set for the lake at 2 p. m. under the supervision of their instructors.

The girls' races were in a straight line, while those of the boys covered more circuit and were routed in a circular track around three flag pylons. The contestants were divided into three classes according to their ages: Class A, children 14 years or over; class B, children 12 or 13 years old; and class C, children 11 years or under.

Winners in the girls' events were: Class A, Joan Pomeroy, Shirley Hechle, Dorothy Kuckuck and Polly Ann Kohbert; class B, Jean Herren, Fricia Kohbert, Beth Sears, and Grace Dietrick; class C, Dorothy Kuckuck, Polly Ann Kohbert, Joan Pomeroy, Shirley Hechle. Back of entries in class A resulted in the section being opened to girls of any age.

Winners in the boys' events were: Class A, Clarence Barth, Walter Peterson, Wesley Zimmerman and Jack Shepard; class B, William Saul, Robert Herren, Clyde Church and William Dietrick; class C, Stanley Hughes, William Loaz, Donald Schumaker and William Prey.

The managers and judges of the contest were five high school boys: James Bradley, Jack Fletcher, Ralph Bierman, Charles Egan and Kenneth Klinge.

Child Health Conference Will Be Held at Salem Church Parlor Tuesday

The second monthly child health conference, known better locally as the baby clinic, for 1935 will be held in the church parlor of the Salem Evangelical church from 1 to 3 p. m. Tuesday, Feb. 12. The clinic is arranged by the Cook county rural public health division of the bureau of public welfare. Similar clinics are held in numerous centers in the county. County health officials have settled upon the name of "child health conference" for the clinic.

Charts are kept at the clinic to show each patient's development, and parents may obtain advice concerning the feeding and care of infants.

Dr. J. A. Föhrich of the Children's Memorial Hospital, Chicago, and Mrs. Waterson Stealey, county nurse, will examine and weigh the children. The work is sponsored locally by the child welfare committee of the Barrington Women's club. The clinic is held for children of pre-school age and no charge is made, according to those in charge.

New Course Gives Local Boys Chance to Repair School

Section of Model Bungalow Is Under Construction in Class Room

While men of more mature years are busy looking for new methods of reducing the cost of maintaining public institutions, 25 local youths are doing their part in repairing and in making minor improvements in the Barrington public school building.

The practical work is being done by members of a new course, building trades, introduced in the local high school last September. Their instructor is C. H. Roselle.

The course is taught in the school consists of six divisions: carpentry, plastering, contracting, plumbing and electricity. All members of the class are given practical experience in the development of each type of work.

At the present time the boys are engaged in a number of different projects. One group is constructing a library table for a class room. A book case is being made for another room. In several sections of the building boys are working on small plastering jobs. The work is supervised by the original instructor, Mr. Roselle.

In every project the work is conducted under adequate supervision, and the work gives the appearance of expert labor. Painting and plumbing have not been neglected. The boys have shown considerable skill in metal work and pipe fitting. They have gone through the practical methods of laying out the boundary of a building. At the present time several young men are working on a section of a boxing and wrestling ring on the stage of the school auditorium.

The corner and part of the side of a basement with floor dimensions of 4 by 14 is being constructed in one corner of the basement class room. All the masonry and floor construction elements of the building. It is being built on a small concrete foundation to give the suggestion of a basement. Both the table and the

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Construction Company Suits Against Village Goes on Docket Feb. 19

The village attorney will put in an appearance in circuit court at Waukegan Tuesday, Feb. 19 when the case filed against the Jelfad Construction Co. is placed on the docket.

The construction company has brought suit to collect the expense of installing the North High Street sewer main as a connecting link between the Jewel park system and the village sewer. The bill was for more than \$15,000, and the suit asks for additional items of procedure expense.

The Jelfad firm was put in under some oral agreement between the engineer, the tea company and the village board.

The suit does not go through the necessary proceeding to collect special assessments from any property which might be im-

Former Resident Is Slugged When Walking in Park

Mrs. Ella Streger Suffers Scalp Wound and Brain Concussion

Attacked by a highwayman in a park in Albuquerque, N. M., Mrs. Ella Streger, a former resident of Barrington, was rendered unconscious by a blow on her head with a blackjack Thursday evening. She suffered a deep scalp wound and concussion of the brain. She was robbed of her wedding ring, watch and about \$4 in currency.

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It is believed that the assailant was a deaf mute for Mrs. Streger's hypodermic needle was missing, although the other contents of her handbag, except the money, were found spread on the ground near her.

There are few clues for police to work on because Mrs. Streger could not give a description of her assailant since he struck her on the head.

By coincidence, she was the applicant for a job as a party of Dr. H. Mentelsohn, Albuquerque physician, while he was recovering from injuries inflicted by a Sunday night, Jan. 27 in the rear of his home. Two other attacks by highwaymen in the same vicinity bring the total to three.

Two couples were held up on a plateau near west of Albuquerque, and a man was robbed under a violent attack.

Recent reports from attendants at the hospital to relatives of Mrs. Streger in Barrington state that her condition while no longer critical, is still very delicate.

Mrs. Streger is well known in Barrington, having attended the local schools. Her last visit here was about a month ago.

Library Secures Booklets on State Relief Projects

Several copies of a booklet prepared by the Illinois Emergency Relief commission entitled "You Can Help the Young Unemployed to Work" have been obtained for lending purposes by the Barrington public library.

The booklet, according to Miss Olive Johnson, librarian, is liberally illustrated with photographs of meritorious work projects which have been carried out in different parts of Illinois and is particularly interesting and timely, in view of the federal administration's emphasis on work relief. It was issued by the Illinois Emergency Relief commission for the purpose of assisting local communities in developing projects of merit and lasting benefit to the community, as well as furnishing work for unemployed citizens now on relief.

Community Buried Under Heavy Snow Blanket Thursday

As has been the case since time immemorial in these north central states, Mr. Ground Hog was right when he darted back into his winter abode last Saturday, Feb. 2.

The six weeks more of snow, blizzard and below freezing weather never fails, measured from the starting date of February 2. Just a little more than possibly, the position of the earth relative to the sun, the cold air circulating through the regions to the north and the frozen ground have something to do with holding winter through February and the rest of March.

But at any rate one of the heaviest snow storms of the season arrived Thursday evening and buried northern Illinois beneath a heavy white blanket.

A Proclamation

During the week from February 5 to 14 the Boy Scouts of America will celebrate their twenty-fifth anniversary, continuing with a year of special activities including a national jamboree in Washington, D. C., as announced by President Roosevelt.

Therefore, I, Elden Gieske, mayor of the village of Barrington, do hereby recommend that the citizens of this city observe this boy scout week and anniversary for the purpose of strengthening the work of the Boy Scouts of America.

I earnestly recommend that our civic organizations, our churches and our schools cooperate in carrying out a program for a definite recognition of the effective service rendered by the Boy Scouts of America, in order that all the work of the boy scout program may be extended to a larger proportion of the boyhood of this village.

The boy scout movement affords an annual opportunity for volunteer service. It needs men to serve in various capacities as leaders of boys. I hope that all who can will, through the organizations with which they are connected, enlist for such personal service.

I am sure that I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of this village to be affixed.

Done this 6th day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty-five.

(Signed) Elden Gieske, Mayor.

January Fails to Offer Anything to Building Activity

Height of Construction Is Usually Attained in Summer Months

January failed to contribute anything to the building activity in Barrington this year. For the past three years January has made boys a sleepy response to the building trade here. In that month of 1934 there were three permits issued, totaling only \$640. In January, 1932 there were no permits issued. In the two preceding years permits estimated at \$4000 and \$10,500 were given for January, 1932 and 1931 respectively.

In 1934 building activity reached its height during the three summer months of July, August and September, when the amounts were more than 75 per cent of the total issued for the year.

Month	No. Permits	Total
January <td>3</td> <td>640</td>	3	640
February <td>3</td> <td>7,725</td>	3	7,725
March <td>0</td> <td>0</td>	0	0
April <td>2</td> <td>245</td>	2	245
May <td>1</td> <td>1,000</td>	1	1,000
June <td>7</td> <td>12,865</td>	7	12,865
July <td>4</td> <td>10,400</td>	4	10,400
August <td>4</td> <td>10,400</td>	4	10,400
September <td>3</td> <td>11,845</td>	3	11,845
October <td>3</td> <td>1,480</td>	3	1,480
November <td>1</td> <td>900</td>	1	900
December <td>0</td> <td>0</td>	0	0
January (1935) <td>0</td> <td>0</td>	0	0

Court of Honor Planned for Barrington Boy Scouts Will Hold a Court of Honor at the Court House Wednesday, Feb. 20

Two daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mountain of Elm street are ill with measles.

Weekly Calendar

Monday, Feb. 11
6:30 p. m. Lions club, Greenwald hall.
8 p. m. Village board, village hall.
8 p. m. American Legion Auxiliary, Legion club rooms.
8 p. m. Autumn Leaf Rebekah lodge, 434, lodge hall, 114 W. Station street.

Tuesday, Feb. 12
1 p. m. Child health conference, Salem church parlors.
2 p. m. Woman's Relief corps, Masonic temple.
2 p. m. Baptist Missionary society, First Baptist church, Wednesday, Feb. 13
6:30 p. m. Father and son banquet, St. Paul church, Wednesday, Feb. 14
2:30 p. m. Literature study club, public library.
8 p. m. I.O.O.F., lodge rooms.
8 p. m. Scott's administration course, former Legion hall.

State Supervisor Gives High School Favorable Report

Is Pleased With Changes and Improvement of FERA Renovation

Expressing his general approval of the present condition of the local high school building and its teaching facilities, Harry M. Thrasher, high school supervisor from the office of the state superintendent of schools at Springfield, submitted a detailed report of his inspection at the school, Thursday, Jan. 24.

In the report received by Superintendent Erman S. Smith on Thursday, Mr. Thrasher stated that he was pleased with the numerous changes and improvements that were made in the school building during the summer when FERA workmen were engaged in the school's renovation.

Mr. Thrasher made a careful check up on the volume of work for which students and teachers are held responsible and reported that their loads are satisfactory in all cases. He said that he was pleased with the generous support of the high school library, employing the importance of the present appropriation of \$600 for new books.

The report stated that the recent alteration in the school basement in which the heating plant was moved to a separate unit outside the building to provide additional class room was a judicious move toward the solution of the school's problem of crowded class rooms. The growth of the manual arts courses and the addition of the building trades were recognized by the supervisor as a commendable advancement. He was pleased also with the recent school improvements in the school.

Chicago Crew Brought Here Daily Will Be Enlarged

Although little publicity has been given to relief projects this winter, IER highway improvement work has been in progress in Cook county during all except the coldest days.

For nearly a week 200 men have been working on the Barrington to Dundee road (most of the way is route 63-A), cutting down high banks and preparing to build the route. They are working in two groups, but a fourth and possibly a fifth will be added within a few days when the weather will be favorable.

The banks on both sides of the road are being cut down. These will be graded off and planted with trees and shrubbery and grass seed will be sown. Many small trees were put in last fall, but more will be planted in the spring. It is estimated that the work on that particular road and along the Northwest highway southeast of town will be completed by the summer. The entire Cook county road improvement project will continue for at least one and one-half years.

The \$100 men now employed, not one is a Barrington worker. These men are reported to be "Cook county men from Chicago and suburbs" who report each morning at Milwaukee and Elston avenues where they are loaded into trucks and transported to the northwest corner of the county for pick and shovel duty.

One man in a crew working along route 63-A reported that several Barrington men will be included in a tree pruning squad to be added soon. These men are now receiving preliminary training for their work, he added.

Mrs. Emily Askeu, Resident Here for Fifty Years, Dies

Mrs. Emily Askeu, resident of Barrington for the past fifty years, died at her home, 208 N. Cook street, Sunday morning following an illness of several months.

Funeral services were held at the 208 S. Cook street, Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with Rev. Charles R. Brunson officiating. Burial took place in Evergreen cemetery.

Mrs. Askeu, nee Emily Currying Hubbard was born in New Borough, England, March 7, 1859. The subject of this obituary was married to H. Askeu in England in 1882 and they came to the United States two years later. They settled in Barrington and lived here ever since.

Mrs. Askeu preceded Mrs. Askeu by two years ago, February 16. He was a member of the local Odd Fellows lodge for more than 30 years, and following his death the order carried on for Mrs. Askeu.

Play and Cast Are Selected for Home Talent Drama Here

"Through the Keyhole," a farce act created by William F. Davidson, is the play that is reported to have been drawn at the University of Minnesota last spring the largest crowd of spectators ever attended a play there. It is the play that was chosen to be given by the local high school alumni association at the high school on Wednesday, Feb. 14.

The cast, consisting of home talent material, was chosen on Thursday night. Two possibilities for each role were given at a meeting earlier in the week.

The play will be directed by Miss Irene Lipovsky, a local graduate of the Columbia School of Speech and Drama. A ticket committee was appointed consisting of H. D. Kelsey, William Gottschalk, Mrs. Joseph Fuller, Mrs. Helen Meyer and E. W. Piage.

Has Secured Perce
Barbara Schaeble, daughter of Dr. F. Schaeble, 319 E. Liberty street, is ill with scarlet fever.

Application Blanks for Postmaster Are Issued to 20 Local Persons

Three more possible candidates for the position of postmaster in Barrington have called for application blanks at the local office since last Thursday, J. D. Robertson, chairing of the local board of civil service examiners, reported. Since the first announcement that Barrington's office would be open for an appointment, 20 persons have taken out application blanks.

This does not mean that all persons calling for blanks are candidates for the position. Actual candidates fill out the blanks and mail them to the civil service commission at Washington.

The position of postmaster is a commission which takes into consideration all candidates' qualifications, experience, party service and other all recommendations from influential party workers.

The two latest candidates reported to "The Review" are John J. Maloney and Erman S. Smith. Candidates for the position must be between the ages of 23 to 66, included February 12 will be the date when the PWA will receive applications from Barrington.

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Depositors Assign \$3000 to Clearing House; Spend \$2000

First State bank deposit assignment for clearing amounting approximately \$2000 have been sent their way into the cash tills of local merchants and shops, according to a report from B. A. Schroefer, secretary of the Merchants Clearing House association.

This figure includes only the amount spent by depositors and not the amount spent by merchants trading with other merchants.

The total amount of assignments has almost reached the \$1,000 mark. Mr. Schroefer said. When interviewed Thursday afternoon he had not added the "check" assignments of the merchants, but estimated the total to date at \$1000.

Barrington Post Will Give Community Dinner Some Evening in March

A community dinner and entertainment will be given some evening in March by the post of the American Legion members decided at their regular meeting Thursday night.

A committee to plan a dinner, find a suitable place for it and procure good entertainment will be appointed this week by Commander M. H. Schaeble. The making of it will not be a profit making affair it was decided. It will be given to provide an evening of entertainment to non-war veterans and their families, and to all the suppose and principals of the Legion to the community.

An indulgence of \$2.00 per person will be collected Thursday, the highest membership the post has had for several years.

Advisory Group Is Asked to Request Government Loan

Citizens Group Holds Meetings to Decide on Board Recommendation

If the Barrington advisory committee, which has made an exhaustive study of the sewerage system difficulties, will recommend that the village board finance reconstruction of the system with funds borrowed from the PWA and will also authorize the PWA to grant a loan to Barrington, the village board will encounter little or no further difficulty in obtaining that loan, according to opinion expressed by Attorney D. B. Maloney Friday night.

Mr. Maloney expressed himself at a meeting of the village board and the advisory committee held in the council chambers. He reviewed the report of the advisory committee and the public works administration that Barrington vote bonds of \$10,000 as collateral for the loan. The advisory committee has recommended the bonds voted not so much for their collateral value as for an expression from the citizens that they support the PWA plan.

The bond issue will not be necessary if the administration can be assured in some other way that the priority of request want the government loan, and the sewer system rebuilt. An expression of this kind would smooth the road for a loan without the bond issue, he believes.

Approximately 25 persons were at the meeting including most of the citizens committee and board members. From the discussion there was no indication that the committee will either urge the loan or take steps to defeat it. The argument was somewhat unwieldy; so a smaller committee was appointed to hold other meetings and possible decide upon a recommendation.

The plan for financing the big project is briefly this: the village obtain \$20,000 from the public works administration. The amount of it to be a loan which will be retired over a period of 30 years, and the remainder 30 per cent to be granted from the public works administration, "merited because the entire project will create a lot of employment." Village property is estimated to be worth \$1,000,000. The plan is to raise about \$4000 per year to use towards retiring the loan, but the bulk of the financing would come from a sewer outlet levy of about \$14 per year from

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WOMEN'S Union of the St. Paul church is sponsoring a collection of Valentine's to be distributed as valentines among the needy in Barrington.