

George L. Wilburn Completes 30 Years With Telephone Co.

Friends are extending congratulations to George L. Wilburn, manager of the Illinois Bell Telephone Company, a former resident of Barrington who makes his home in Woodstock.

Mr. Wilburn, although still a comparatively young man, has been in the service of the telephone company thirty years.

On December 16, 1905, Mr. Wilburn entered the service of the company at Barrington. He served first as night operator for three years, then as repairman another three years, after which he was promoted to wire chief.

In 1918 he was transferred to Woodstock, where he continued in the same line of work, but after two years was promoted to the position of district wire chief.

In 1926, following the transfer of Everett A. Judd, then local manager, to the position of local manager of the district with headquarters at Waukegan, Mr. Wilburn was named as Mr. Judd's successor.

Mr. Wilburn is manager not only at Woodstock, but in all telephone service in this locality grow from what was at the beginning a small institution, until today it is one of the largest and most important services in the town, city and hamlet in the country.

Monday evening a group of telephone employes from the several exchanges gathered at Crystal Lake to observe Mr. Wilburn's anniversary and enjoy a Christmas party. Gifts were exchanged and congratulations extended to their chief.

Building Activity Still Exceeds Million Dollars Despite Seasonal Slump

The month of November brought on the first slump in building trade for the entire year when no permits were issued in Barrington for construction work. November, 1934, had a total of \$900 here. Despite the drop during November building in Barrington will be in excess of figures for 1934. Reports from 53 communities in the Chicago suburban area show a seasonal slump but still continue to exceed the million dollar mark.

Detailed figure in the neighboring communities are:

Table with 2 columns: Community Name and Amount. Includes Barrington (1935: 1924), Crystal Lake (\$ 6,600: 200), Des Plaines (650: 6,000), Elgin (108,074: 64,447), Evanston (56,750: 11,750), Higley Park (97,738: 8,475), Lake Forest (168,942: 452,000), Libertyville (1,450: 1,410), Maywood (4,795: 8,315), Oak Park (9,495: 12,670), St. Charles (None: 500), Park Ridge (37,200: 4,870), Waukegan (43,662: 12,925).

Art of Caricature The practice of personification here it is at least as old as to be recorded by Aristotle and Aristotle's pupils, both of whom tell some thing of an artist named Pauson who made pictures of men of people and was said to suffer for it. Pliny mentions two sculptors, Boeotus and Athenis, who by way of a joke, exhibited a portrait of the poet Hippocritus, who was very ugly for public ridicule. The poet retorted with satirical verse an effective that the sculptors hung their themselves.

Sand Life in New Mexico Ordinary gray delf mud become white in the sands of New Mexico. Hazards lose their color, bugs become livid and even larger animals take a more spectral appearance. In parts of the sands there is no animal life and the most vegetation grows a hopeless war with the sand.

Advertisement for Schneff - Bros. Jewelers - Silversmiths. Features 'PERFECT Diamonds For Christmas' and 'NOW FOR Christmas'.

Girl Scout Notes

Troop 3 had no meeting Tuesday and will not have one next Tuesday, Dec. 24.

Troop 1 will meet Thursday evening, Dec. 19. Its regular meeting night. Members plan to work on dish towels they are making and will finish plans for the Christmas party to be held in the cabin Thursday evening, Dec. 24.

Miss Josephine Parke is leader. The committee in charge of the rummage sale, a council project, has finished disposing of donations and will net about \$16 from the two sales, Dec. 7 and Dec. 14. Mrs. Emil Miller was chairman.

New Ruling Facilitates Applications for Loans to Farmers on Corn Crop

Tenant farmers will no longer be required to have their landlords sign a lien before they can borrow money on their 1936 corn crop.

The Commodity Credit Corporation, in Washington, has advised the F.C.C. that it has waived the clause in its 1935-36 corn loan instructions addressed to lending agencies in the seventh Federal Reserve district, in which it was stated that, "if the note is executed by a tenant singly the landlord must execute the lien waiver, whether or not he claims a lien on the collateral."

It was found that this ruling had held up loans to many farmers throughout the states of Illinois, Iowa, and Indiana. Black said. The change in ruling will make it possible for farmers who are expecting to negotiate loans on their 1936 corn crop to go directly to their various lending agencies without delay.

Cape Breton's History Is of Interest to Canadians

Cape Breton has a history as colorful as that of any part of Canada. A great part of the population claims descent from the hardy Scottish pioneers who came out to seek homes for themselves in this sea island towards the beginning of the late century, says the Montreal Herald.

As early as 1713, when the Treaty of Utrecht gave Newfoundland definitely to England, one French settler coming from there to Cape Breton. The romantic story of the efforts of France to hold the place-called by them Ile Royale-and of their building the great Dunkirk of America-Louisbourg-is unique in the history of French colonization.

At the time of the fall of Canada the island was an important subject of debate in the setting of peace terms, for France was loath to give it up. The Treaty of Paris finally ceded Cape Breton to the British.

Officials and soldiers who had fought in the war were given grants of land as reward for their services, but Cape Breton was considered too valuable an asset to be disposed of as a prize.

Classified Ads Bring Results

Advertisement for 'The Time Grow Show' with the slogan 'HERE ARE LAST MINUTE GIFT IDEAS'.

Advertisement for Candy Dolls. 'SPECIAL CHRISTMAS MIX BOX CHOCOLATES CANDY CONES At Popular Prices'.

YOU WILL BE DELIGHTED WITH OUR LARGE SELECTION OF GAMES, TOYS AND BOOKS AT VERY LOW PRICES

Advertisement for Christmas Cards. 'Our huge selection brings you modern greetings in folders, cards and booklets. 5 for 5c - 4 for 5c - 3 for 5c - 2 for 5c - Each 5c - Boxes of 10 for 10c'.

'Shepherd of the Home,' Name Earned by Collie

The little shepherd of the home, is the name frequently given the attractive and gentle collie. It has well earned it, asserts Albert Stoll, Jr., in the 'Sheep Area' for it is among the most affectionate and considerate of all canine friends, jealously guarding the lives and property of those it has learned to love.

The blood lines of the collie are ancient, dating back to man's first association with the breed. But during the past century two distinct types have been developed, the smooth-coated and the rough-coated. The latter undoubtedly is the more popular while the former is a distinct show breed.

While no standards have been set for coloring the most fancied are black and tan, pure white and sable and white. It is essentially a working dog and in no sense can be placed in any other class. In weight it approximates 60 pounds and stands about 23 inches high at the shoulder.

The collie, like other dogs of more than medium size and abundant energy, must have plenty of exercise and confinement is quite likely to bring on illness. It should be given frequent runs and left to frolic with the children as it will. The well-bred collie should cause no concern among parents as to its dependency with children. It is a natural guardian and trustworthy.

Can Have Four Nationalities

A baby can have four nationalities. This unique situation arises when it has a Turkish mother and a French father and is born on a British commercial ship in American territorial waters, says J. N. McConaha, San Francisco, Calif., in Collier's Weekly.

Pronunciation of 'Moscow'

The correct pronunciation of this name is Mosk'oo, first o as in not, second o as in go, says Literary Digest. With one exception, all of the dictionaries, pronouncing guides, and word-books agree on this pronunciation. The one exception follows the German pronunciation mosk'oo, as an o in out. The Russian name is Moskva. To determine American preference, letters were sent to the postmasters of the 12 cities and towns of this name in the United States. Of the 11 who replied, nine said, 'Second o as in go.' One of those amplified his statement: 'Local people say Mosk'oo; outsiders say Mosk'oo.' Another wrote: 'We pronounce it the same as Moscow, Russia, timing with the word go.' The postmaster of Moscow, Idaho, and of Moscow, Mich., favored Mosk'oo. One of these wrote: 'Timing with cow, same as Russian city.' Without exception, official and nonofficial Russian authorities in Washington to whom the question was put verbally agreed in favor of Mosk'oo.

The Charter Oak

The Charter Oak was a white oak tree in Hartford, Conn., computed to be about a thousand years old when it was blown down in a heavy windstorm August 21, 1858. A few shill of stump was left standing about ten feet from the ground. On the following day people crowded to see it, and a guard was placed to preserve it from 'relic hunters.' Colt's Army had played dirges and patriotic music over the fallen monarch for two hours at midnight. At sundown all the bells in the city were tolled. A few years later Charter Oak avenue was laid over the site. The remaining roots were dug up and a silver slab was placed in the retaining walls by the avenue.

World's Largest Bed

Do you know which is the world's largest bed? In the famous Victoria and Albert museum in London is the ancient and famous 'Bed of Ware.' It is 11 feet long, and 7 1/2 feet wide, and will comfortably accommodate a dozen sleepers. Originally it stood in the manor house at Ware. Later it was moved to an inn in the same village, and the records of that hostelry relate that the bed frequently saw service 'for as many as 12 frolicsome sleepers.' Shakespeare gave the relic undying fame by mentioning it in his 'Twelfth Night in the line: 'Al though the sheet were but big enough for the Bed of Ware.'—Pearson's Weekly.

Two Women Motorists

Two women motorists narrowly avoided injuries Friday when the automobile in which they were riding skidded and overturned on Northwest highway a short distance west of Hoboken crossing. Occupants of the machine were Mrs. Ann Fowler, 4652 Meachon avenue, Chicago, driver, and Mrs. Joseph Schiller, 904 8th avenue, Des Plaines.

Diamonds for Christmas

Advertisement for J.C. Cadwallader Jeweler. '118 E. Main St. BARRINGTON, ILL.' Includes an image of a diamond ring.

Practical Gifts That Will Please

Advertisement for Schroeder Hardware Co. listing various household items and their prices: Electric Heating Pads \$2.75 to \$3.50, Moisture-proof Heating Pads \$5.45, 6-cup Drip Coffee Makers \$1.25, 8-cup Drip Coffee Makers \$1.75, Revolv-it Refrigerator Sets \$1.25, Carving Set, Knife and Fork, Razor edge \$1.25, Cake Savers complete with aluminum base and portable handle \$1.00, Pyrex Casseroles 75c to \$1.50, Fruit Juicers, aluminum, easy to operate \$1.50, Flashlight Cases 50c to \$2.45, Ice Cube Breakers \$1.00, Tree Light Sets 39c, 69c, 98c, Extra Mazda Bulbs 5c each, Outdoor Sets 98c, Christmas Tree Stands 69c and 95c.

Advertisement for Attention Housewives! 'Give yourself this CHRISTMAS PRESENT 52 weeks in the year'.

Advertisement for Damp Wash Service. '99c for 20 Pounds 3c Each Additional Pound'.

Advertisement for Barrington Laundry. 'CALL BARRINGTON LAUNDRY for Perfectly Finished Shirts TELEPHONES: Barrington 26 Elgin 520 Arlington Heights 630-R Palatine 162'.

Men Confiscate Large Still Near Woodstock Monday

Heat molting season on a high note that the red top was shot for miles last 6:30 p.m. The farm operated by George... later Tuesday afternoon they confiscated a large... to have a capacity of vari... 2,500 gallons of alcohol...

The chief pleasure of the Barrington Hills community for the coming week will be Christmas shopping and providing gifts, decorations and delicacies that will be both a necessary part of the party and an entertaining. A few parties are in prospect but for most part get-togethers will consist of groups and visits with friends.

The Sunday night buffet supper in Barrington Hills country club has become a popular affair again. Over 60 guests enjoyed the good food and jolly entertainment last evening. Louis Winton was the piano accompanist was the chief artist and Mrs. Rowe, i... with Mrs. McCracken as the... contributed music numbers. After this lovely... the singing became... and everyone joined in on old... new songs. Kobs and... brought out a small... Thursday evening.

Sunday night the Country Club to have another musical evening and Christmas cards will be exchanged.

Saturday night a group of... over to Wayne for the Christmas party at the Wayne Club club. They report a jolly good time, and an especially big dinner at which Mr. and Mrs. Han canby were host and hostess. The Visiting Nurses auxiliary... busy rolling bandages Monday at Mrs. Robert Buckner's... taking a vacation for a couple of Mondays until the holiday... over.

Mrs. Summer Mead was hostess Thursday to the Kaffee Klatch and they will also vacation until the first of the year. Mrs. Frank Hecht Jr. left Tuesday to spend Christmas week with her son and daughter in New York. Mrs. Hecht had a small tea Thursday. The young people are coming home from school for the holidays. Stella and Jean White, who have been at Kemper Hall, expect to wish their parents in Barrington. Katherine and Evelyn Lawrence are coming from Warrington, Va.

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