

BRIEF NEWS ITEMS FROM LAKE COUNTY

Happenings in this Neighborhood and at County Seat of Interest Locally

Two residences and a barn, located on Stantons Point, near Ingleside, were destroyed when a fire which started in one and was extinguished later broke out anew. The loss is estimated as being in excess of \$15,000. The homes, both of which were constructed for all year around residences but were used only in summer time by the owners were the property of George E. Huch of 5000 North Mozart street, Chicago, and W. H. Giesecke, 2544 North Kedzie avenue, Chicago.

During the rush hours of a Saturday morning Betty Lou Williams, of Antioch, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. R. D. Williams, while attempting to cross Main street, in the heavy traffic, was struck by an automobile and knocked to the pavement. The driver stopped as quickly as possible and, taking the child in his arms hurried to the office of Dr. Williams, where it was determined that she was bruised and frightened but only slightly injured.

That Waukegan is to have another new industry, a metal products company that will employ from 100 to 150 persons, became a certainty when it became known that the concern which will establish the plant has purchased land and has drafted complete plans for the structure. The name and location of the concern is being withheld however pending the closing of some matter which heads of the concern desire to have completed before they announce their plans in full.

Steps are being taken in Lake county by the American Association of Service Stations to organize the independent filling station owners in order to give the unassociated dealers the advantages and power of combined buying and co-operative legal services. There are at this time, it is estimated, about seventy-two stations that are not connected with the Standard Oil, Shell, or other large corporations.

Prominent citizens of North Chicago are urging the park board to consider the erection of a large community house at Foss Park to contain a dance hall, rest rooms, banquet hall and kitchen equipment for summer and winter use. It has been pointed out that the sale of the auditorium would provide sufficient money to erect a high class community house at the park. The park board was once offered \$30,000 for the auditorium property, but turned it down.

The proposition of erecting a new high school to accommodate the community of Avon carried Tuesday at the special election called for that purpose by County Superintendent of Schools T. Athur Simpson. The vote for the proposition totalled 467 as against 391 opposition votes. Mr. Simpson called an election on Aug. 17 in order that a board of trustees for the new school district might be chosen.

Sheriff Decrees Poor Fish Be Given Fighting Chance

Sheriff Lawrence Doolittle has instructed his deputies to arrest ambitious fishermen who of late have been bagging members of the finny tribe in wholesale lots on many of the inland lakes of the county. In ordering the arrests the sheriff points to the provisions of the state law with regard to fishing.

He has received word that in some of the lakes men said by residents to be Chicagoans have been lowering huge nets into small channels leading from the larger bodies of water and have been dragging in a big supply of fair-sized fish. The most recent violation was reported last week.

According to the state law, fishermen are entitled to use a moderate sized net to gather minnows as bait, but when it comes to getting the real thing in the fish line in wholesale fashion the enforcement officials have put thumbs down on the idea. Even the fish should be given a chance, they figure.

When one of the rear wheels is spinning in sand or mud, you can often pull out by blocking or tying it so that it cannot turn. The traction obtained by the other wheel may do the work.

Don't forget to have your oil filter cleaned or replaced every 10,000 miles or so. When it becomes clogged with dirt, it ceases to function as a filter.

According to the economists the dollar today will buy just two-thirds as much as it would in 1914. But it is not to be forgotten that the average fellow has two or three times as many dollars in the pay envelope on Saturday night.

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