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EDITORIALS

MY FIRST IMPRESSION

This is my first editorial in my new capacity as the editor of The Moultrie County News and I would like to pass on to all of you my impression of OUR community.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

It is interesting to note that the local Chamber of Commerce is functioning with the zest and ambition that is seldom found in cities the size of Sullivan.

STRAWS IN THE WIND

So many things are happening today on the international scene that it is impossible to tell exactly the way the world wind is blowing.

tious to decrease her army one-third if she were contemplating war. It is a straw in the wind on the international scene.

INTERNATIONAL QUESTIONS

If we only knew the answer to the questions concerning the present and future of this world, we could quiet our nerves and settle down to some good old time "even-keel" living.

What does Russia want? Is Churchill right about the seeds of war being sown?

Will atomic energy be used for peace instead of war? Can we live together as a brotherhood of nations?

Will the United Nations succeed? Are we on the verge of the area when the nations of the world will beat their swords into plowshares as the Holy Bible tells us they will do?

These are international questions and if any man knows the answers, he is by far the wisest living mortal today.

From The News' Files

TWENTY YEARS AGO (June 11, 1926)

Claud Wheeler resigned his local position, as manager of the Sullivan Dairy Company. Mr. Wheeler will be employed by the Ford agency at Sentinel.

Miss Inez Jane Waggoner and Ralph Jarvis, of Gays, were married by Rev. Ira Blythe.

State Route 121 was expected to be started this year, Governor Len Small stated.

Mary H. Evans Tent No. 58 was honored by the State department by having one of its members, Mrs. Gertrude Kinsel, chosen by the department president to serve upon her organization committee for one year.

TEN YEARS AGO (June 12, 1936)

Miss Naomi Smith and Dale Landers married on Friday at Bloomington.

Mrs. Gertrude Kinzel became bride of C. F. Walter, of Danville, on April 11, it was announced.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gauger attended 25th anniversary of graduating class of the Ohio Wesleyan University at Delaware, Ohio.

County Legion auxiliaries to meet Monday at the Merriman home.

Township high school board to purchase instruments for band.

McCormics to attend annual meeting of superintendents of Masonic Homes at Franklin, Ind., on June 22, 23 and 24.

Along The Political Front

Newspical Writer Looks Over The National Situation. Comes Up With Conclusion That Predictions Are A Bit Silly—

Some of the ace radio commentators are getting free with political predictions. One sagely declares Truman cannot be re-elected.

Well, it must be nice to toss your prediction over the air, running little chance that they will bob up in cold black and white after the election to put the score on your merits as an expert.

That is why the radio experts are so much more positive in their expiring than those commentators who put their words in print, where they may be scanned later, much to the discomfort of the writer who guessed wrong.

And, it does remain a guess when one seriously undertakes to anticipate what may happen between now and the election to influence the minds of voters.

About the time the self-crowned expert gets ready to choose a Republican presidential nominee from among the snappy New York governor, the middle-of-the-road liberal from Minnesota, the stolid Bricker from Ohio, the intelligent and able, but a little colorless Taft, and Michigan's Vandenberg, up jumps a California governor named Earl Warren with a threat to knock-down our entire form sheet.

It might be a good guess today that California's Warren is going to deliver the biggest jolt to Harold Stassen's chances of becoming president that the Minnesota ex-governor has yet received. If Governor Warren barges through, Willkie style, to grab the Republican nomination in 1948 it will not be the first time California has pulled the surprise act.

California stands out today as more of a pivotal state than it was when the late President Wilson pulled a victory rabbit out of the state's political hat 30 years ago.

The only fly in that ointment is that the next two years may prove to be a heating-up rather than a cooling-off period in national politics.

When Henry Wallace declares one week that Truman will run for re-election and "I expect to support him," only to declare "no comment," when the same question is asked a week later, the only answer is that turmoil exists in the national Democratic camp.

Revised View Of Early Moultrie

The Whitley Pioneers Were Both Rugged and Rollicking Fellows—

(By Staff Correspondent)

For a half-century, this amateur historian has been hearing about the early settlers of Moultrie county. The description of the county pioneers always runs along the same channel. The men were pious, industrious and wise old fellows who thought nothing except of ways to carve out a new community and head a family which for generations would talk about what a great man grandfather or great-grandfather was.

It was all very beautiful, except it was rather dull. And, except it doesn't coincide entirely with the facts. It surely isn't a slander of the early pioneer to say he was a regular human, that he liked such pleasure as he could find, took a drink now and then, if he wanted it, and often was itching for a scrap.

So, it is without any lack of reverence for good old Uncle John or Aunt Emma of the early Moultrie county days, that this little effort is undertaken to show a slightly different picture of those pioneer days. And it isn't guess work. A little research into available records will support the revised picture. Moultrie county, as every resident knows, was an off-shoot from Shelby and Macon counties.

Not until eight years after the state was admitted to the union did a white settler erect a log cabin in the county. Was he the kind of pious and forward looking man whom we have become used to hear described as the typical pioneer? Very definitely, he wasn't. He was John Whit-

ley, who arrived with his wife, his sons, John, Sharp, Mills, Randall, William and Josiah, and a son-in-law, Samuel Lindley. There also were two or three daughters.

But the Whitleys, research will show, didn't care much about the future of what is now Moultrie county. The men were large and athletic. They liked horses—took more pride in a fast horse than in putting in a crop. They would travel long distances to match their horses in races and would bet their money freely.

The Whitleys were honest men and later settlers soon discovered that the word of a Whitley was as good as a bond. They were jovial and high-spirited men. Their wives and daughters were highly virtuous and well-behaved. But the Whitleys, research will show, didn't care much about the future of what is now Moultrie county. The men were large and athletic. They liked horses—took more pride in a fast horse than in putting in a crop.

The Whitley men also were courageous. They didn't mind a fist fight; in fact they must have enjoyed roughing it a bit with a neighbor. The Whitleys couldn't quite understand the Waggoners who reached the county in 1828. But more about the Waggoners later, perhaps, if you are interested in the county, early history.

Within a few years after the Whitley family arrived, some of the younger men moved to Missouri. At least one or two of the sons died. In 1838, the elder Whitley and his good wife moved into Coles county, where Mr. Whitley died a few years later, followed soon by the death of his wife.

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SUNDAY GUESTS

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ADVICE To The LOVELORN

This High School Girl Is In Love With A Married Man.

Dear Miss Fairfax: I am so troubled. I have such a problem on my hands. I'm a high school girl, but I am really far more mature than the average high school girl.

I am in love with a married man. I fell in love with him three years ago. I haven't been seeing him steady since then, because I went away for awhile. He is not the kind of man a girl like me should love, and I know it. So therefore when I came back from my vacation I decided I would never see him again, and I thought I was nearly over him. But then a few nights ago I met him, and he again stirred up that love for him, and now I feel I can never live without him.

Puzzled and Worried. You don't really need any answer at all to this letter, do you? You already know perfectly well that you're a very foolish girl indeed if you keep on seeing this man.

You say yourself that you know he is not the kind of man with whom you ought to have anything to do. If you are as mature as you think you are, you'll make up your mind once and for all never to see him again, and stick to it.

Don't sit home moaning about him, either. Go out with boys your own age and have some normal good times. You were "nearly over him" once. You can get entirely over him for good, if you really want to.

Is This The Beginning of a Friendship or Just Another Pickup.

Dear Miss Fairfax: About three months ago I started to this place of amusement with my girl friend. While there, this fellow tried to get acquainted with me, but I took it to be just another fellow looking for a pickup, so I didn't bother.

Since that night, every week after we have been there about ten minutes, he comes in, always managing to sit right in front of us.

He is always alone, and every few minutes he turns around, looking at me and giving me such big smiles. Yet he makes no attempt to speak.

I have grown to really like this fellow, yet I'm afraid to speak first, as I don't want to be cheap, and I don't know if it would be proper. He seems to have all the qualities of a perfect gentleman. We are both in our early thirties. Please advise me what to do in this matter, or don't you think he cares?

It is rather difficult to give you any useful advice without

Missouri. At least one or two of the sons died. In 1838, the elder Whitley and his good wife moved into Coles county, where Mr. Whitley died a few years later, followed soon by the death of his wife. Within a short time there wasn't a single member of the family living in what is now Moultrie county.

Yes, the Whitleys were interesting, colorful people. It is nice to know there were rugged, honest, fun-loving pioneers among the early settlers. It may be odd that while the Whitleys apparently didn't plan their residence in Moultrie county as more than a temporary stop, their name is yet stamped upon the county as the name of a township and as the name of a small stream.

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knowing just what sort of place of amusement it is that you're going to. If its just the movies, and this man knows that you will be sitting in a certain spot on the same night each week, I think I'd be rather doubtful of the advisability of encouraging him.

Of course, when people go regularly to such places as skating rinks and the like, they often become informally acquainted with others who are also regular visitors. But naturally, in any event, a girl should be especially sensible in her behavior when she meets a man under any unconventional circumstances.

Name and Address, Please, If You Want A Personal Reply.

To "Ollie": You ask for advice in your problem, but you ask, also, that your letter should not be printed, yet you do not give me any name and address to which I might write a personal letter.

If you would like me to write you, but do not want the letter to come to your home, perhaps the letter could be addressed to you in care of General Delivery at the post office in your town. But I'd have to have your name and the name of the place to which you'd like the letter sent, in any case.

She Doesn't Know Him But Want To Invite Him To A Hayride.

Dear Miss Fairfax: I am a girl of sixteen, a junior in high school.

There is a very nice respectable boy that I would like to invite to a hayride, but dont know how to go about it, as I have never been introduced to him.

Would it be wrong for me to ask him? If not, how should I go about it? F. M.

If this boy is one of your schoolmates, isn't there someone you both know who could introduce you? Or if he's just one of the boys in town, perhaps you have a mutual friend who could bring about a meeting. Do your mothers, by any chance, know each other?

If none of the conventional ways of making his acquaintance seem to be possible, I think it would be quite all right for you to write him a little note, telling him that a group of you are going on a hayride and would like him to join you. After all, there's much more leeway in such things these days than there used to be, and it's not considered out of the way for a girl to be the one to issue an invitation to a boy occasionally.

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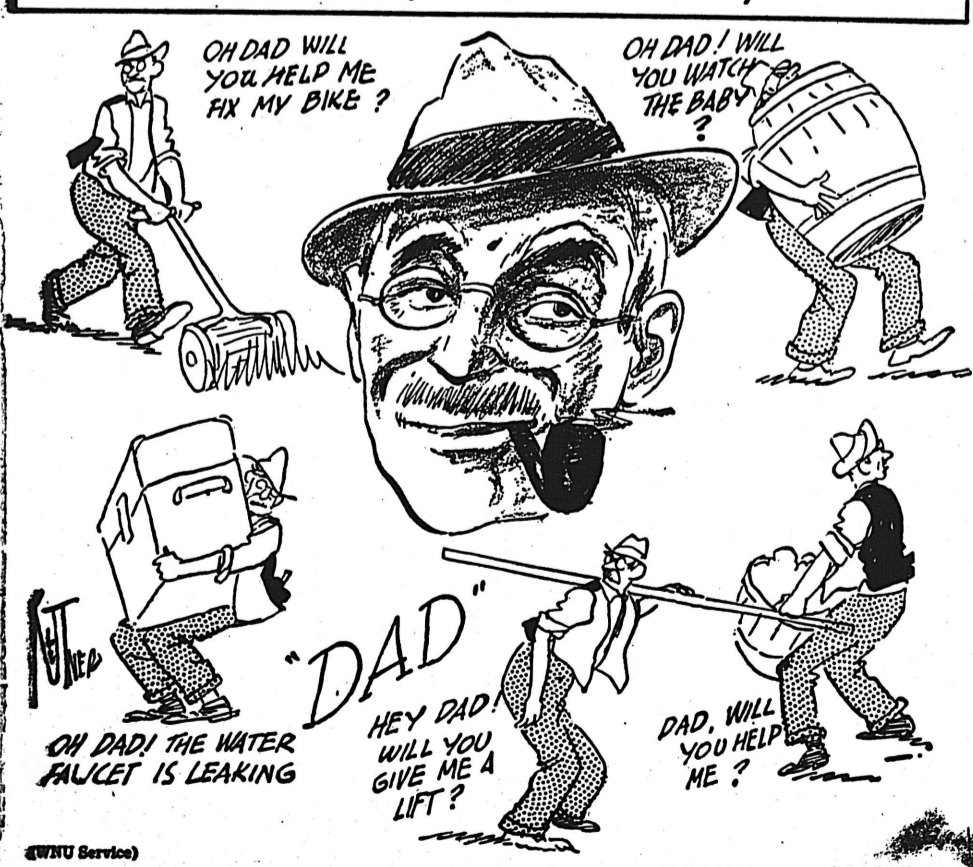
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COUNTY NEWS

Lake City

By Mrs. Sophia Connour
Mrs. Frances McCarthy and two sons, of Hammond, Indiana, and Mrs. Sanner and son visited Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Woodall, Monday of last week.

Mrs. Charles Bates and children, of Decatur, were callers here Tuesday of last week.

Rose, Dora and Ausbond Salling, of Sullivan, called on friends here Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Lena Wilt and Mrs. Maxedon, of Lovington, visited Mrs. Laura Rankin Friday.

Mrs. Hazel Ault attended a bridge luncheon at the home of Mrs. Harry Adams in Decatur, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Pound and Mrs. Leonard Kirkwood were Decatur visitors Wednesday.

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Bobby Yeaw, who is in the Navy, is home on a 30 day furlough visiting his mother, Mrs. Bert Hall. Bobby and Bettamae Yeaw, spent several days last week in Champaign.

Clarence Jones and Rose Yeaw, of Decatur, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hall.

Mrs. Odell Ross and son, of Decatur, are spending a few days at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Auten and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Lindsay, of Decatur, visited Sunday with Mrs. Laura Rankin and Will Long.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Taylor, of Lovington, visited Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Butler Tudor.

Mrs. Homer Eskridge and children and Mrs. Cassie Howell, of Hammond, visited Monday with Grace and Maude Winings.

Mrs. A. V. Hamm and Bobby, of Decatur, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Woodall.

Homer Rich was a business visitor in Decatur Thursday.

The Katydid met at the home of their 4-H Club Leader, Mrs. Carl Green, June 6. Three members were present.

Paul Connour is attending summer term at Millikin University in Decatur.

Dale Woodall and Tony visited his parents, here, Tuesday of last week.

Bethany

By Dorothy Florey
Mrs. Cressa Davis left Friday for Adrain, Mich., to spend several weeks visiting her two sons and their families.

Miss Joan Karva, who had spent several weeks visiting Mrs. Alice Woodruff returned to her home in Champaign Sunday.

Miss Norma Stocks spent several days last week in Dalton City visiting her grandma Stocks.

Miss Dorothy Florey is staying in the home of Mrs. Alice Woodruff for a few weeks.

Mrs. Marvin Hudson submitted to a major operation Tuesday in the Decatur and Macon county hospital. She is getting along nicely.

Smith Scott has purchased the Warren Wilkinson property and will get possession next month.

Mrs. Warren Wilkinson is moving to Decatur where she has rented an apartment.

Miss Anita Standerfer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Standerfer, of Bethany and Lyal Bolin, son of Mr. Clyde Bolin, of Sullivan, were married Saturday evening at 8:00 p. m. by Rev. W. B. Hopper, in the Hopper home. The couple will make their home in Sullivan.

Mrs. Helen Reedy and Jack C. Landers both of Sullivan, were married Saturday afternoon at 5:00 p. m. by Rev. W. B. Hopper. They will make their home on a farm near Sullivan.

Miss Marna Crockett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Blonson Crockett of Sullivan, and William Goetz, son of Mrs. Ed Goetz, of this community, were married in Decatur, May 31st in the home of the brides aunt, Mrs. Lucille Ray. For the present time they are making their home in Bethany with the groom's mother.

Miss Marian Fitzgibbons, of Charleston College spent the week at her home near Bethany.

Miss Evelyne Florey, of Chicago, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Florey.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Sanner and Bobbie Fitzgibbons spent Sunday fishing at the Decatur Lake.

Hershel Goetz spent Thursday in Dalton City.

Farmers are thankful to be able to get their crops planted in this vicinity—as the old saying better late than never.

Jonathan Creek

By Mrs. O. W. Powell
Miss Virginia Dolan, who taught school the past year in Saginaw, Mich., returned to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Dolan, for her summer vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Landers and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. Suhl and family and Mr. and Mrs. J. Weber and family, of Decatur called on Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Powell Sunday evening.

Donald Bolin, student at U. of I., is arriving home this week for a few days.

The annual memorial service of the Jonathan Creek Christian church was well attended Sunday.

Mr. A. H. Lauchner, of Urbasa, gave a splendid address.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Parke and daughter, Jean, and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Parke, of Humbolt, were Sunday evening

Dunn

By Lula Shipman.
Mrs. John Jones called on Mrs. Minnie Travis on Thursday.

Joe Marshall spent Wednesday with the Scott children.

Mr. and Mrs. Jobe Evans spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. Mac Frederick.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Shipman spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Shipman.

Mr. and Mrs. Chance Welty spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Welty.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Cunningham spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Shipman.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Ottle and son and Mrs. Leona Cossack spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Scott and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Cunningham spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. John Jones.

guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Crane and family.

Mrs. O. W. Powell and Mrs. G. W. Bolin, called on their mother, Mrs. R. L. Pierce, Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Inis Morey, of Detroit, Mich., and Mr. and Mrs. Victor Cochran and son, John, of Hammond, spent Thursday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. John Bracken.

Miss Norma Jean Spaugh returned home from St. Mary's hospital Monday where she had undergone an appendectomy.

Dalton City

By Mabel F. Roney
Misses Lynette Reiter and Sarah Elizabeth Davidson were delegates from the Presbyterian Church to the Westminster Fellowship Council at Millikin University Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of last week.

Mrs. Earle Cruik, Mrs. Ordea Ekiss, Misses Lenabel Hight, Mabel Roney, and Janette Ekiss attended the meeting Tuesday afternoon and evening.

The L. B. Class of the Presbyterian Sunday School met Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. S. H. Pasley.

Mrs. Grace Hight and daughter, Miss Helen Clark, Mr. C. R. Hight and daughter, Grace spent Sunday at Kankakee with Mr. and Mrs. John Hight.

Mrs. Grant Cole, Mrs. Marie Cole and son, Donald, spent Sunday at Lincoln, Illinois.

Mrs. Ordea Ekiss was pianist at the Eastern Star Lodge at Findlay, Monday night. She visited several days with Mrs. Martha Rogers and family near Findlay.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Armstrong and Mrs. Adeline Smith of Blue Mound called on Mrs. J. S. Roney and daughter, Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Cole gave a dinner Sunday at their home honoring Miss Martha Beavers of Nokomis and Mrs. Dorothy Whitfield and daughter, Martha Jeanette, of Decatur who are leaving shortly for Glendale, Calif. where Martha Jeanette will enter Junior College. Those present were; Mr. and Mrs. Alva Armstrong; Mr. Jay Scott and son, Rodney, of Bethany; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Scott and family of Niantic; Mr. and Mrs. Ellison Hoke of Elgin; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. Vaden Hoblet and son and Mrs. Dorothy Whitfield and daughter of Decatur; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Armstrong and Mrs. Adeline Smith of Blue Mound; Paro Beavers and daughter, Martha, of Nokomis and Mr. and Mrs. Joe N. Cole, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Freeland called in the afternoon.

Mr. Robert Cooper of Cambridge, Ohio, a former resident of this place, stopped here Monday evening on his way to California in company with his sister and husband, and called on Mrs. Hight and daughter and Mrs. Celest Wright. Robert served in the European theater of war and has lately been discharged.

Allenville

By Mrs. L. W. Hawkins
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Myers and children, Ronnie and Cheryl, of Moweaqua spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Everett Zeeb.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Hawkins were callers in Mattoon, Saturday.

Miss Ada Glover, of Decatur, visited her father, L. C. Glover, part of last week. Miss Glover was graduated from Decatur high school with the 1946 class. She is now employed as cashier in a Decatur grocery store.

Ronnie Denham, of near Windsor, visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Denham, over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Snyder called on Mrs. Sarah Sargent and son, Jim, near Windsor, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Hoskins and family have all been on the sick list the past two weeks, but are now much improved.

Miss Lila Gibson had her tonsils and adnoids removed in the Jones Clinic in Mattoon, Monday.

Theo Snyder and L. W. Hawkins transacted business in Orona, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Linder and children, Brenda and Terry, of Mattoon, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. R. Osborne and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Oral Johnson and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Claude Winchester.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Watkins and Herman spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Orval Watkins and family on Lake Decatur.

Miss Julia Radford, of Decatur, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moore last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Clary, of Kenney, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Clary and daughter, Sandy.

Mr. and Mrs. Logan Bathe have moved the house they recently purchased from Mrs. Frank Moore to their lots here in Allenville. They plan to move into the house September 1st.

NEWS BEHIND THE NEWS

By PAUL MALLON

Released by Western Newspaper Union

COMMUNISTS LOSE OUT AT BALLOT BOX

WASHINGTON. — The Russian program for world political action is losing, and a change of front may eventuate from the Browder talks in the Kremlin.

Severest setback to Communist plans for postwar political aggression was defeat of their new constitution for France. Moscovites controlled the spirit of the French government since they defeated De Gaulle's policy of a strong army, and acquired collaboration of the Socialists. Their constitution proposed a single center of government authority in the chamber of deputies with a subservient president and cabinet.

Facially this appears like utmost democracy — somewhat like the superiority of the British parliament you might say. The majority of the French electorate was not fooled.

Every time the Communists go to the electorate, it seems, they are being rejected. In the French referendum on the subject last October, their proposal for a weak executive was defeated, although they succeeded in electing the largest bloc of delegates to the convention. In the convocations of international conferences and domestic political dickering, the Moscovites have won the most ground, but at the ballot box they have proved weak.

Labor Bans Communists.

Less conspicuous events than the French election disclose their forced retreat with even greater clarity. A spare three paragraphs in the London Times recently revealed the decision of the British Labor party to change its constitution so as to deny membership to Communists. This decision follows the disclosure made in this column a few weeks back, and not yet generally published, that the left wing unions in CIO were taking similar action, in similar quietude. The constitution of several CIO unions is being changed to ban Communist party members, and unquestionably labor in the two democracies is attempting to purge itself of the Communist influence.

It was in the light of these world-changing events that Earl Browder flew to Russia on his unexplained mission. The CP postwar political action in this country has been in the hands of the Fosterites who oppose co-operation with capitalism. Browder was ousted from party control here because he brought CP into co-operation for production during the war. Will the Moscovites now order a period of co-operation again?

I doubt it. Look at the matter the way Moscow looks at it, if you would find the answer. Capitalism was the first enemy chosen by Communism. Fascism became a later enemy. Fascism has now been eliminated as a world power. Communist aggression against capitalism can stop only through a genuine reorganization of its totalitarian ideals, and this is hardly to be expected now as the Russian government, flushed with victory and new power throughout the world, sees its greatest opportunity for world achievement.

Superficial Co-operation.

But there is another stronger reason for doubt. Democratic capitalism is struggling to its feet, following war. If the Communists cooperate and we get production, we may grow strong again. Therefore the Browder mission is likely to succeed only if the Kremlin becomes convinced capitalism will fall anyway, and a period of false appeasement is justified as a temporary strategic retreat. The decision could favor CP face lifting, and superficial co-operation, but could hardly run into genuine depths.

In these fundamental currents, some are saying the ultimate conflict will be between Socialism and Communism. But Socialism is a word which has lost more of its original definition than Communism. The Nazis were Socialists, so were the Fascists. So is Russia. The name of that Communist nation is The Union of Soviet Socialist Republics. British Socialism, on the other hand, clings to law, the parliamentary system and Democratic forms.

Events therefore are shaping the world conflict into a clash of Statism, Dictatorship, Communism on the one hand versus Democracy, Capitalism, Socialism on the other.

LEFT AND RIGHT WING RADICALS

One distinction may be noted between Communist strikes and regular union strikes. The Communist strike generally seeks political benefits. (Crusades for political issues or capitalist sabotage), while the union strikes are primarily concerned with wages and working conditions, and a desire to improve them. If wages are not the reason for a strike, look for CP somewhere in the background. The swift changes in CP line can be read in the Daily Worker.

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MOST OF 1946 HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES ARE WORKING

Ambition seems to run high in the high school graduating class of 1946 according to a survey made of their activities this summer.

Jackie Adams is working at the Sullivan bakery; Rosie Alumbaugh is at the Moultrie County News; Isabel Augenstein, Audrey Harris, Virginia Sager and Carl Shuster are employed by the Brown Shoe Factory.

Jennie Bragg is employed at The Moultrie Service Co.; Rebecca Dean is working at Pin's Cone Shop; Marian Dolan is working in the office of Guy Little; Ethel Hubbart is employed at the Grand theatre; Evalena Jividen has a job at the Illinois Central Telephone Co.; Wayne Krows is the attendant at the Gulf Service Station; Joanne Lang is now married and lives in Ohio while Betty McDaniels is married and lives in Sullivan; Velma Pierson is a clerk at Marble's Grocery; Dulcena Purvis is employed by the state as a recreational director.

Bob Reed is working at Newbould's Garage; Ruth Sampson is working in the office of the Sullivan Box Factory; Janet Partridge is working at Dickerson's; Teddie Sievers is employed at the Sullivan Greenhouse; Glenna Tanner works at the Masonic Home; Eddie Walker is employed at the Earl Walker Co.; Mary C. Yaw is employed at the Sullivan Box Factory; Mary Lou Carter, Warren Lane, Norma Sager, Pat Lorenson, Gwen Newbould, Wanda Sheets, Goldie Taylor and Betty Wacaser are helping at home; Dwight Hollonbeck, Carroll McDaniels, David Hudson, George Martin, Floyd Seelow and Duane Selby are working on a farm; Nellie Malloy is looking for work and last but not least Bill Lewis, who just helps out when he is needed.

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RETURNS TO OKLAHOMA

Miss Frances Carnes returned to Oklahoma last week to resume her work, after a two-weeks' vacation here with home-folks.

HERE FROM DECATUR

Mrs. Joseph Alumbaugh, Jr. and Sandra, and Mrs. Hugh Kelly and Norma, from Decatur, visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Alumbaugh Sr., Tuesday afternoon.

GREETINGS TO FATHER

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Phone 3176
Lewie David

RETURNS TO HER DUTIES
Miss Doris Hendrickson, who is employed at the I. P. A. C. Office returned to her duties Tuesday after a few days absence because of the sickness and death of her uncle.

Avoid Shock
Do not stand on damp ground or a wet floor while attaching, detaching or using electrical appliances.

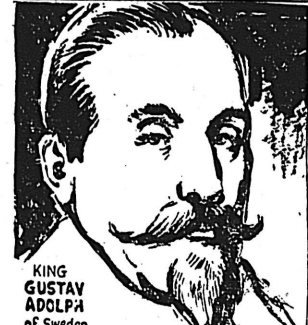
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JUNE 30 ← **A BIG DATE FOR ARMY MEN!**

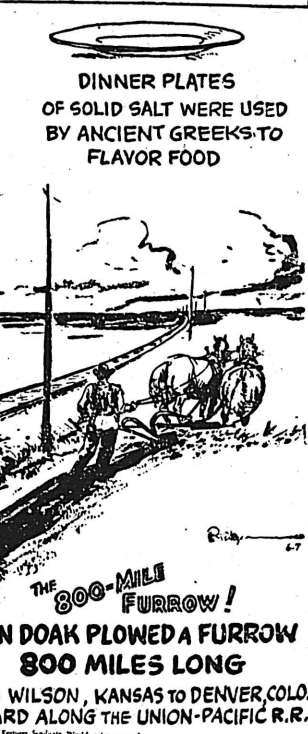
If you have been discharged from the Army—if you held a grade and wish to retain it—if you have dependents—then act now. . . . June 30, 1946, is the last day on which you can enlist in the Regular Army and still take advantage of two important benefits. . . . retention of your old grade and family allowances.

**ENLIST NOW AT YOUR NEAREST
U. S. ARMY RECRUITING STATION**
Decatur, Illinois

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DEAD FOR 314 YEARS
STILL RUNS THE U.S. ARMY!
HIS MILITARY LAWS WRITTEN IN 1621
STILL RULE EVERY AMERICAN G.I.



THE 800-MILE FURROW!
JOHN DOAK PLOWED A FURROW 800 MILES LONG
FROM WILSON, KANSAS TO DENVER, COLO.
AS A FIRE GUARD ALONG THE UNION-PACIFIC R.R.

Classified Ads

CALL 5255 by Wednesday noon for a classified ad:

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Stove and fire place cord wood.—Call Paul I. Harshman, Phone 5253, Sullivan, Ill. 49tf

FOR SALE—Smith Acetylene generator 100-lb. capacity. Good condition.—Earl Walker Co. Inc., Sullivan, Illinois. 5tf

FOR SALE—Thayer baby carriage, metal construction; like new; two girls' spring coats, rose, sizes 3 and 4; two maternity dresses, size 18; one hand-knit man's sweater, large size.—807 E. Jackson, Phone 6107. 12tf

VEGETABLE PLANTS

Plenty of plants now ready. TAYLOR'S GRENHUSES

ORDER YOUR May and June CHICKS NOW! AAA Quality chicks at \$10.00 per hundred. Last hatch June 10th.—Ulmer's Hatchery, Strasburg, Ill. 19tf

FOR SALE—One old walnut stand table, in fine condition; one mahogany round table, not extension; one wardrobe cabinet.—The Earl Walker Co., Inc. 9tf

FOR SALE—RCA car radio. May be seen at Roney's Standard Service Station. 24tf

FOR SALE—5-room modern house in Windsor. Price reduced leaving State.—Write or phone 1 on 80, Windsor, Minnie Walker. 24tf

FOR SALE—Table model 5-tube combination radio and record player, \$40.00 cash.—Phone 4236, Mrs. John English, Sullivan, 24tf

FOR SALE—Black Cocker pups. Registered. Fine pedigree. Ideal pets.—Call 4198 or 6198. 24tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—House with three lots.—West Monroe and North Camfield. Immediately.—Bond. 24tf

FOR SALE—Seven used 6:00x16 tires and two good reeliners.—Dixon, 315 N. Seymour, Sullivan. 24tf

FOR SALE—8-ft. Oak dining table and four chairs; also 48-inch porcelain top kitchen table.—Mrs. H. M. Myers, telephone 6249, Sullivan. 24tf

WANTED

WANTED TO BUY—Clean rags. No socks or wool cloth. We will take lots of them.—Moultrie County News. 11tf

WE NEED HELP

WANTED—The Moultrie County News wants to publish all local news. To help us do this, we want YOU to call 5255, and tell who ever answers the phone, every thing you have in mind, that will be of interest to our readers from a news angle. People living away from Sullivan subscribe to the News so that they may know what is going on in the community. The only way we can furnish them with this news is for us to have the news available to publish. So, won't you please, call 5255 and help us with our news gathering problem? THANKS!

HELP WANTED—Experienced bookkeeper - cashier for new retail store in Sullivan. Permanent position.—Write qualifications to C. J. Engel, Butler Bros., P. O. Box 5800A, Chicago, Ill. 24t P

WANTED TO RENT—Small shed for machine shop, approximately 20' by 30' in city.—See Carl Reynolds. 24t P

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Good pasture, blue grass, clover and water and shade. In Sullivan. Will pasture 8 head.—Call 6126 or see Frank Wolf. 21tf

FOR RENT, lease or sale, New building 100x41 one block east of the square in Sullivan, will install front and finish interior to suit tenant, call or write the Earl Walker Co., Sullivan, Ill. 24tf

ONE ROOM MODERN APARTMENT—To man and wife, no children. Man to act as building janitor for rent.—See Earl Walker at the News. 22tf

MISCELLANEOUS

MONEY TO LOAN—on city property.—Wood Realty Company. 50tf

FULLY EQUIPPED—Radio shop at Dunscomb's Furniture Store, in charge of Carl Garrett, who has had several years of radio experience. We now have supply of most hard to get radio tubes. 21tf

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY—In Moultrie county for a man acquainted with farmers and with understanding of livestock. Year round income approximately \$5,000 per year. Medium investment. Call or write Paul I. Harshman, 820 S. Hamilton St., Sullivan, Illinois. Phone 5253. 23t2

FI-BLAK HOME INSULATION
ELIMINATES COLD DRAFTY ROOMS AND CHILLY SECOND FLOOR AREAS.
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PAYMENTS AS LOW AS 15¢ PER MONTH ON F.I.H.A. PLAN.
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Phone 6235

HUNTING FOR SOMETHING?—
Don't waste time playing detective. Advertise for hard-to-find articles in the News. 24tf

BUY NOW—Before price increases. Immediate delivery on tractor spreaders; rotary hoes; cylinder corn shellers; hammer mills; 2-wheel and 4-wheel air tined trawlers; 8 and 10 ft. heavy duty field cultivators.—Ben Kull Implement Co., Shelbyville, Ill. 22tf

LINK TRAINER
COMPLETE Twenty hour radio and navigation course in the Link aviation trainer \$176.00. Earl Walker—New Decatur Airport 23tf

THE PARIS LAUNDRY & Cleaners will make your suit or dress like new for Doris Watson and Keith Floyd—Call at our office. 24t1

FARM FACTS WORTH KNOWING
Q. Is it true that cows often bloat on alfalfa or clover because of a poison contained in these legumes?
A. "No" is the answer indicated by studies made at the Iowa Station. Bloating apparently is entirely a physical problem, and occurs when cattle eat too much alfalfa or clover in too short a time.

Q. Can hog lice ever be completely eliminated?
A. Work at the Idaho Experiment Station proves that hog lice can be controlled by spraying hogs twice at 14-day intervals with either a rotenone or DDT preparation. DDT preparations were found to be the more practical because of their residual effect. Two treatments are necessary with either DDT or rotenone because neither of these insecticides will destroy eggs. After the second treatment, pigs will grow to maturity free of lice.

Q. How much money does a farmer make when he cuts a dock plant before it matures and produces seed?
A. Every time a farmer cuts a dock plant which has not produced seeds, he may credit himself with two or three dollars. In Illinois, one healthy dock per acre will produce enough seed to make a bushel of red clover seed unsaleable.

Q. How much feed does it take to produce a pound of poultry meat?
A. The University of Illinois gives the following figures: Duck, 3.3 lbs.; Goose, 3 lbs.; Rock broiler, 3.5 lbs.; and turkey, 4.2 lbs. of feed per pound of meat.

Q. Is it possible to control blue-back in turkey flocks, and to cure it when it occurs to individual birds?
A. Study at the Purina Research farm showed that blue-backs were the result of exposure to sunlight after feathers were picked or broken. Covering the birds with turkey saddles causes the skin to regain its normal color in 3 to 4 weeks.

Phosphate Rock
The United States is fortunate in possessing about half of the world's known 28 billion long tons of phosphate rock reserves. Three-fifths of the American deposits are found in Idaho, Montana, Utah and Wyoming with the rest in Florida, Tennessee, Arkansas, South Carolina and Kentucky.

Send your questions about any phase of farm management to FARM FACTS, 835 South Eighth Street, St. Louis 2, Missouri. Questions will be answered without charge, either by mail or in this column, as a service of this newspaper.

SCIENCE CLUB WILL MEET JUNE 19TH AT WYMAN PARK
Whitley-East Nelson Household Science Club will meet June 19th at Wyman Park.
Roll Call—Something I wish I could have done as a child.
Devotions—23rd Psalm in union.
Readers' Digest—Blanche Kimbrough.
Program committee—Irma Whitaker and Ruth Garrett.
Please bring your refreshments in a sack.
In case of rain, meet at Mrs. E. P. Hall's.

ATTEND FUNERAL
Mrs. Art Alumbaugh and Rosemary attended the double funeral service held for Bernice Trimble and infant daughter, Nancy in Decatur. Mrs. Trimble was a cousin by marriage to Mrs. Alumbaugh. She and her daughter were killed at Blue Mound in a train accident.

KROWS TO ATTEND FARM ADVISORS' CONFERENCE
Paul M. Krows, local farm advisor, will attend the summer conference of Illinois farm advisors Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week at the University of Illinois Dixon Springs experiment station.

NEW STOCK OF CATFISH IN LAKE IS REQUESTED
Petitions are being circulated to have the State Conservation department place more catfish in the lake.
So many fisherman are taking catfish out of the lake that new stock is requested.

SULLIVAN VISITORS
Mrs. Lillie Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Porter Johnson, of Mill Shoals and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Norman, of Ukiah, Calif., spent last weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John McClure. Mrs. Norman and Mrs. McClure are sisters.

RECOVERING FROM OPERATION
Mrs. E. A. Crowder was operated last Saturday at St. Mary's hospital in Decatur. She has returned to her home and is able to receive visitors.

HAS BIRTHDAY PARTY
Darlene Kay Harrmann celebrated her fifth birthday last week with a party at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil O. Harrmann, west of Sullivan. There were 17 little girls at the party.

ROLLER SKATES NEARLY 100 YEARS OLD
The pair of wooden roller skates in the News window was found at the late Senator Meeker's home. They are reported to be approximately 100 years old.

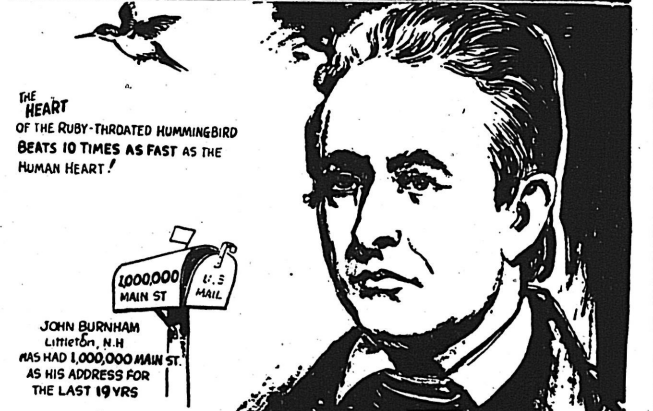
POSTCARD TO THE NEWS
"I saw Mayor 'Bo' Wood puttering around one of the new 'Law Enforced Sullivan' signs—his car was parked on the wrong side of the road, and with both back wheels on the pavement."

MISS DOROTHY FOOTITT, HOME ADVISOR, RESIGNS
Miss Dorothy Footitt resigned from her position as home advisor for the county. She will go to the northern part of the state to live with her mother.

CHORUS TO MEET TUESDAY, JUNE 18
The Moultrie county chorus will meet at 8:00 p. m. Tuesday, June 18, at the Presbyterian church. All members are urged to be present.

SUBSCRIBE FOR THE NEWS.

Believe It or Not! by RIPLEY



THE HEART OF THE RUBY-THROATED HUMMINGBIRD BEATS 10 TIMES AS FAST AS THE HUMAN HEART!

JOHN BURNHAM LITTLETON, N.H. HAS HAD 1,000,000 MAIN ST. AS HIS ADDRESS FOR THE LAST 19 YRS

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WHO FORGOT HIS TONGUE!
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SAVE YOUR WASTE FATS
The Girl Scouts will conduct a drive for waste fats, on **SATURDAY, JUNE 15th**
Have your waste fats ready when the girls call on you.
Help the Girl Scouts in their important work of collecting needed fats.
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Churches

MINUTE SERMON OF THE WEEK

By Rev. Delmar Talley
A CURE FOR YOUR DOUBTS
 TEXT:—"Lord, I believe, Help thou my unbelief."—Mark 9:24.
 This sermon is about doubts and doubters. One of Jesus' disciples was a doubter. You know him. You helped to nick-name him, "Doubting Thomas." We have called him by that name so much that we have thought that "Doubting" was his given name.

We know very little about him. He was one of the twelve, and all we know is found in John's gospel. Perhaps John had studied Thomas at first hand and knew him better than the other disciples knew him. It is our thought, as we read the references, that he was a man of moods—gloomy, pessimistic, despondent, given to reflection and debate, and wanting proof before action.

The major incident in the life of Thomas is recorded by John. Jesus had appeared to the two down-hearted disciples on the way to Emmaus. In their enthusiasm and excitement they hurried back to Jerusalem and called the disciples together to tell them of their experience. As they were telling how Jesus had appeared to them Jesus stood in their midst, saying, "All hail" Thomas was not with them. Why he was missing, we do not know. But this we do know—that doubt had crept into his heart to push out of his mind his faith in Jesus. He had tried hard to build that faith but now, when he saw the soldiers lead Jesus away to Calvary, and then later saw His poor mangled body dead on the cross—perhaps he helped to take the body down and bury it in a borrowed tomb—his faith suffered

a reverse, a U-turn, and collapsed in complete disbelief. The next day after the meeting with Jesus in the locked room, some of the disciples met Thomas, and they excitedly said, "Thomas, we have seen the Lord." Thomas did not get excited about the news. He received the announcement in a cold, unresponsive way. He waited until they had told him all, and said to them, "Except I see the wound in His side, and put my finger in the wound, I will not believe." He was absolute and positive about it. "I will not believe."

Then eight days later, the disciples met in the same upper room which they carefully locked to keep out unwelcome guests. What an unhappy week it had been for Thomas. His doubts about Jesus had put him in prison, in the dungeon cell. He had debated over and over all the evidences but still he could not believe. He truly wanted to believe in Jesus but he could not dismiss his doubts. Here he is back in the upper room with his comrades. He was not the missing man this time. Suddenly Jesus stood in the midst of the disciples. He turned to Thomas after the first greetings and said, "Thomas, come hither, put your hand in my wounded side; your fingers in my hands, and be not faithless, but believing."

The reaction of Thomas shows his true faith. It is not recorded that he followed Jesus' suggestion and invitation to make sure by examination. His faith cried out in glorious affirmation, "My Lord and my God." He was saying, "I believe."
 This is a simple story but it has mighty and profound lessons.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Corner Van Buren and Monroe
 Bible study—10:00 a. m.
 Morning worship—10:45 a. m.
 Evening services—8:00 p. m.
 Peter once said, "Lord to whom shall we go? Thou hast the words of eternal life." John 6:68. What a logical deduction for him to make, that there is no one else to turn to because Christ alone has the words of eternal life. The more we study the Bible, the more significant it becomes to us. He should be in every life, but there are many on the broad highway that don't want him interfering with their life. There are others who think they have him when they do not. Something in the name of religion is not enough. The Pharisees had religion, but Jesus condemned it. The Jews, Paul tells us, were righteous in their own sort of way, but he informs us they were lost. Jesus explains that many who have been religious, will say to him in that day, "Lord haven't we done many wonderful works in thy name?" etc., but he will say, "Depart from me, ye that work iniquity." So anyone can see that religion in a broad sense will not suffice, but it must be the religion prescribed by the Saviour.

Come to church and study the bible with us and we'll prove in one year that you will know more Bible than you can ever gain from stereotyped systems which are throttled for fear of condemning wrongs of certain members.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Rev. Delmar M. Talley, Pastor.
 Bible school—9:30 a. m.
 Don Hood superintendent.
 Morning worship—10:30 a. m.
 Christian Endeavor—6:15 p. m.
 Carolyn Landers, leader.
 Evening service—7:30 o'clock.
 This Sunday the theme will be that of Father's day. Father's responsibility at home and the influence that he has in that home is a big factor in determining the kind of community and world that we will have tomorrow. The old saying, "as goes the home so goes the nation"; is one of the truest and best statements of our time. Father, what is your place in the home as far as your responsibility toward God and man is concerned? We will discuss this thought as we honor the fathers of our community this Sunday morning.

This Sunday evening the daily vacation Bible school will present their program at the Christian church. The time is 8:00 o'clock and all are welcome.
 Are the plans that you are making stop with this life or do they continue forever?

CATHOLIC CHURCH ST. COLUMBKILLE

Rev. P. F. Masterson, Pastor.
 Mass is read at 10:00 o'clock each Sunday with the exception of the last Sunday of the month when mass is at 8:00 o'clock. Visitors are always welcome.

CHURCH OF GOD

Corner Washington and Water
 Rev. John E. Long, Pastor
 Unified service Sunday morning:
 Sunday school—9:30 a. m.
 Harold Jones, superintendent.
 Message by Lorena Wooley—10:30 a. m.
 Christian Crusaders and children's meeting—6:30 p. m.
 Evangelistic message by Lorena Wooley—7:30 p. m.
 Prayer meeting, Monday—4:00 to 5:00.
 Mid-week prayer and praise meeting Wednesday—7:30 p. m.
 Rev. and Mrs. Long will be in Anderson, Indiana attending the International Camp meeting of the Church of God and Mrs. Lorena Wooley will be the speaker at both of the Sunday services. Come and hear this young lady and we are sure that you will feel well repaid for coming.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

R. Frank Mitchell, Pastor.
 Sunday school—9:45 a. m.
 J. K. McLaughlin, superintendent.
 Morning service—10:55 a. m.
 Rev. Mitchell will be away for the next two Sundays, June 16th and June 23rd, and our pulpit will be filled on both of those days by Dr. C. S. Pier, of Urbana. Dr. Pier has a reputation of being very forceful and eloquent preacher and we would like to have a full church to greet him.
 Choir practice, Wednesday evening at 7:30.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Joseph Partridge, Minister.
 Sunday school—9:30 a. m.

UNITED BRETHREN IN CHRIST

E. Thomson, Pastor.
 Sunday, June 16—
 Sunday school—9:00 a. m.
 (Standard time—10 a. m. fast time.)
 Worship service to follow.
 Evening service—8:30 o'clock.
 Fast time or 7:30 standard time.
 The total Easter offering was \$31.00 to be divided 1-3 to each—Parsonage fund; Benevolence and pastor's salary. Thank you who gave on this amount.
 Sorry to see folks working on the sabbath. Don't you believe God's word? Six days do your work. The seventh go read Exodus 20:8-11, please. He'll bless you if you give Him the day.

ALLENVILLE CHRISTIAN CHURCH

W. B. Hopper, Minister.
 The Children's Day committee and the children are to be commended for their splendid program given Sunday morning. The attendance was good and a good offering was received.
 Bible school—10:00 a. m.
 John W. Hoskins, superintendent.

JONATHAN CREEK CHRISTIAN CHURCH

A. H. Lauchner, Pastor
 Services each Lord's day at—
 11:00 a. m.
 Sunday school—10:00 a. m.
 Sermon topic—"This Is My Beloved Son."

ARTHUR E. VALLICELLI WINNER OF LIVINGSTON C. LORD SCHOLARSHIP

Winner of the coveted Livingston C. Lord scholarship announced annually at commencement is an Eastern student, who served three years in the Army, ending up as a staff sergeant in special POW work in Florida. His name is Arthur E. Vallicelli and he comes to the Teachers College from Mishawaka, Indiana. His parents are immigrants from Italy.
 Mr. Vallicelli is a botany major at Eastern and was recently elected president of his fraternity, Phi Sigma Epsilon. Now classified as a junior student, he has done work at the University of Illinois under the army specialized training program and studied by correspondence from Indiana State Teachers college. Married, he lives in the Eastern trailer court now housing 30 veteran students and their families.
 The Lord scholarship, established by the Alumni Association in honor of Eastern's famed first president who died in 1933, makes a considerable sum available to outstanding students each year. Winner last year was Miss Louella Day, who this year won a graduate scholarship to the University of Illinois. Announcement of both awards came as a part of commencement exercises held June 5 with the Honorable Governor Dwight H. Green of Illinois speaking.
 Arthur E. Vallicelli is the husband of the former Ruth Leone Miller, of Sullivan. She is an Eastern graduate and taught in the high school at Thawville, Illinois.

HAS PICNIC

Frank Wolf and his family spent last Sunday picnicing at the river.

Legal Notices

NOTICE OF PUBLICATION

STATE OF ILLINOIS,)
 Moultrie County,)
 In the Circuit Court March term A. D. 1946.
 Keith K. Kirkwood, plaintiff, vs. Lottie L. Kirkwood, defendant. No. 46-30
 Affidavit of non-resident of the defendant, Lottie K. Kirkwood, impleaded with the above defendants having been filed in the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of said County, notice is therefore hereby given to the said non-resident defendants that the plaintiff filed his complaint in said Court on the 6th day of May, A. D. 1946, and that thereupon a Summons issued out of said Court, wherein said suit is now pending, returnable on the 17th day of June, A. D. 1946, as is by law required. Now, unless you, the said non-resident defendants above named Lottie K. Kirkwood, shall personally be and appear before said Circuit Court, on the 1st day of July, A. D. 1946, to holden at Court house in Sullivan, Ill., in and for the said county, and plead, answer or demur to the said plaintiff complaint, the same and the matters and things therein charged and stated will be taken as confessed, and a decree or judgment entered against you according to the prayer of said complaint.
 STANLEY R. DAVIS, Clerk.
 (SEAL)
 Sullivan, Illinois, May 21st, A. D. 1946.
 ROBERT W. MARTIN, 2113 Complainant's Solicitor.

MASTER'S SALE

STATE OF ILLINOIS,)
 County of Moultrie,)
 Moultrie County Circuit Court in Chancery.
 Eva L. Robertson, plaintiff vs. Ralph Robertson, et al, defendants.
 NO. 46-19 PARTITION
 Public Notice is hereby Given that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in the said Court June 11th, A. D. 1946, I, Francis W. Purvis, Master in Chancery for said court, on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1946, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder at the West Door of the Court House in Sullivan, Illinois, in said County, the following described real estate, situate in the County of Moultrie, and State of Illinois, to-wit:
 Lots Three (3), Four (4) and Five (5) of Block Five (5) of R. M. Magill's First Addition to the Original Town (now City of Sullivan), Moultrie County, Illinois.
 Upon the following terms to-wit:
 Twenty-five percent (25%) of the purchase price cash on day of sale, the balance to be paid upon approval of the sale by the court.
 Said premises will be sold together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging.
 Dated this 11th day of June, A. D. 1946.
 FRANCIS W. PURVIS, Master in Chancery.
 FRANK L. WOLF, Attorney for Plaintiff.
 RODNEY A. SCOTT, 2413 Attorney for certain defendants.

SUNNYSIDE SISTERS

The Sunnyside Sisters held their organization meeting Thursday afternoon, May 23rd at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Harold Queene.

They selected sewing as their only project. Enrollment cards were filled out and officers were elected as follows:
 President—Virginia Wilson.
 Vice president—Betty Slevers.
 Secretary—Ruth Dazey.
 Recreational Leader—Louise Emel.
 Reporter—Wilma Elder.
 Mrs. Ralph Emel led us in some enjoyable games.
 Refreshments consisting of ice cream and cookie were served.
 Reporter Wilma Elder.

TO ATTEND GRADUATION EXERCISES

Mr. and Mrs. Opha Yarnell and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Evans, of Kirksville, will attend the graduation exercises at Campaign Sunday, June 16.
 Mr. and Mrs. Yarnell's daughter, Joyce, will graduate as an honor student, majoring in physical education. She will teach physical education at Pontiac high school next year.

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THE BELLE HOPPER WOMEN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY
Calendar for 1946-1947.
 Pearl Powell—president.
 Subject—July - December inclusive, "Our Human Race".
 July—"We Are Here". Leader Ida Carnine; hostess, Rita Wilson.
 August—"We Look at Ourselves". Leader, Gladys Whitchurch; hostess, Lena Emel.
 September—"These Groups Look At Us". Leader, Lois Queen; hostess, Marie Kidwell.
 October—"We Have Achieved". Leader, Hazel Yarnell; hostess, Edith Smith.
 November—"The Church and Our Future". Leader, Ida Carnine; hostess, Cora Walker.
 December—"Our Thoughts at Christmas". Leader, Gladys Whitchurch; hostess, Mildred Kilton.
 Subject—January - June, inclusive. — "Walking India's Roads".
 January—"A Tour of Our Mission". Leader, Lois Queen; hostess, Eva Hill.
 February—"Steps Back Into Our Past". Leader, Hazel Yarnell; hostess, Rose Nottingham.
 March—"Keeping Pace With the Times". Leader, Ida Carnine; hostess, Ida Carnine.
 April—"Some Individual Travelers". Leader, Gladys Whitchurch; hostess, Inez Kelso.
 May—"When Christian Groups Walk Together". Leader, Lois Queen; hostess, Marie Howard.
 June—"Forward With a Steady Stride". Leader, Hazel Yarnell; hostess, Freda Horn.

VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS
MAY FILE
Membership Applications
 AT
Sullivan Package Liquor Store

Service men of the Methodist church who have recently returned and members who have been received into the church this year will be entertained at a supper at the Methodist church Wednesday evening, June 19, at 6:30 p. m.
 A program will be given after the supper.

HONOR OUR VETERANS



HEARD THE GOOD NEWS TODAY!!

GIVE THANKS THIS FATHER'S DAY
 JUNE 16

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FATHER'S DAY
 June 16

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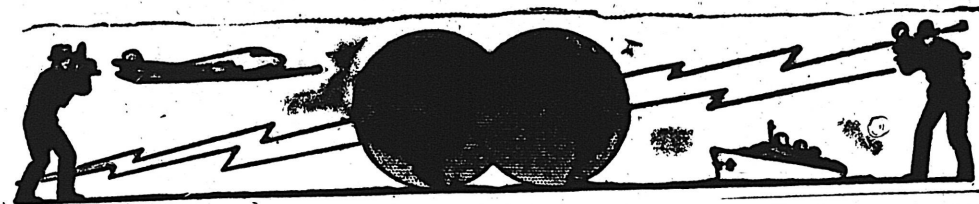
Sunday, June 16th

May we extend our Greeting to father on his day.

First National Bank

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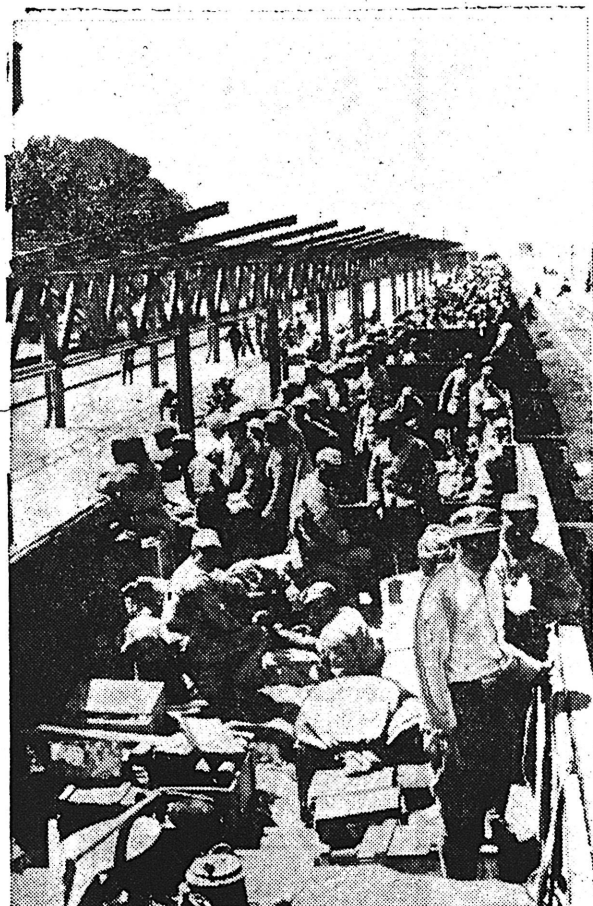
NOTHING'S TOO GOOD FOR POP—Ozzie Nelson settles back in preparation for Father's Day as his family waits on him. David smooths his pillow, Harriet Hilliard, his wife, hands Ozzie afternoon paper, while Rickie gets pop ready for his slippers.



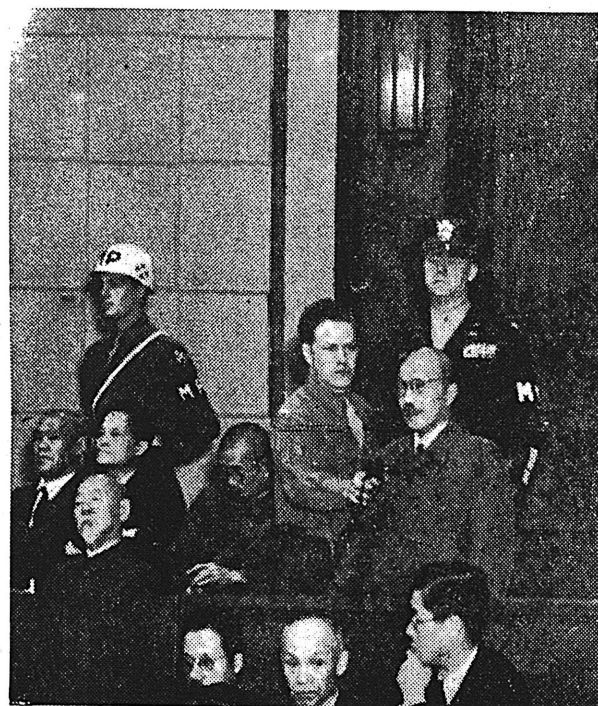
BOB HOPE AND FAMILY—Bob Hope claims "That guy Crosby isn't the only handsome movie star with kids," as he poses in Hollywood with his wife, Dolores, and their children, Tony, six, and Linda, eight. This is first family picture of the Hopes.



HUNDREDS OF VEHICLES GO UP IN SMOKE—Firemen played seven hoses into this garage in New York City in a futile effort to save an estimated 250 cars and trucks that were stored. The fire broke through the roof of the structure and gutted the building.



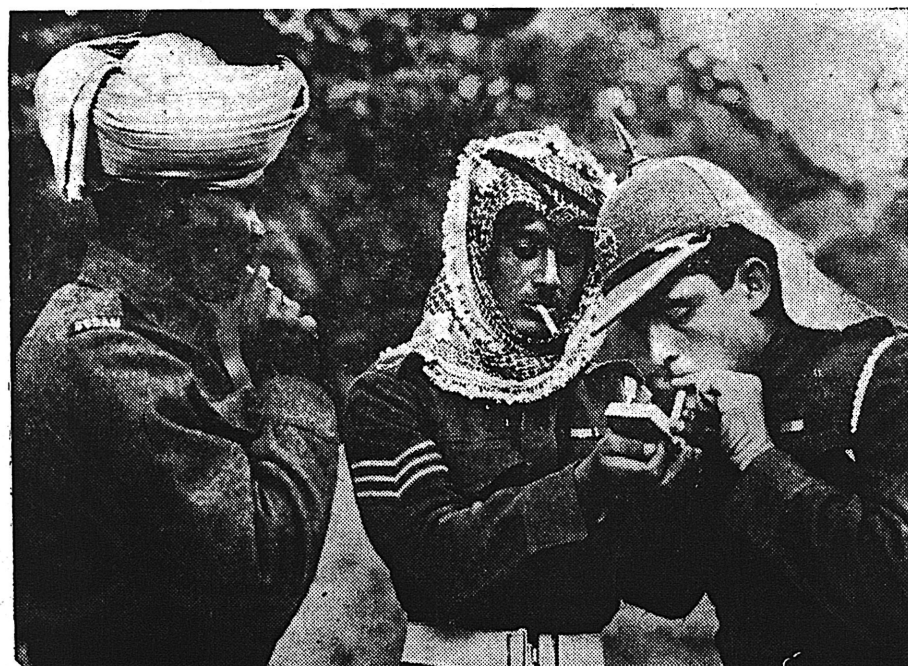
MOVE TO MANCHURIAN FRONT—Nationalist forces aboard coal car are rushed to Szepingkai, as reinforcements in government's swift-moving drive on Changchun, capital of Manchuria. There has been bitter fighting along the line for the important railway which runs from Shanghai to Mukden, Manchuria. Both Chinese Communists and Nationalists seek control of Manchuria. (Photo by Harlow M. Church, Acme staff photographer.)



PLEADS "NOT GUILTY"—Former Premier of Japan Hideki Tojo uses microphone to voice denial of his guilt at war crimes trials in Tokyo. His Chief Defense Counsel challenged the jurisdiction of the Military Tribunal.



MERCY WHEAT SINKS IN BAY—Five box cars loaded with wheat for famine-stricken nations plunged into St. Louis Bay, Superior, Wis., when 19 rail cars rolled two miles downhill. Two of the five cars outline a wheat loaded freighter in the background.



DISTINCTIVE HEADDRESS—The Victory parade in London should reveal an unprecedented array of military hats if the headdress of these warriors is any criterion. The three soldiers, above, struck a fashion note upon their arrival at Victory Camp in Kensington Gardens.



JAPANESE WOMAN VISITS AMERICA—First alien Japanese to enter U.S. since war's end, Mrs. Tamiki Uemura explains to stewardess Ferne Simmons at Chicago airport that the Christian Bible is the same in any language. Mrs. Uemura is en route to Grand Rapids, Mich., for a Presbyterian Church conference.



GOOSE GIRL—Taffy haired Dixie Duane, 18, has been chosen "Goose Girl" to reign over 1946 Hollywood Park race track meet. Here she is at Inglewood, Calif., with one of the geese that swarm the track's lake-studded infield.

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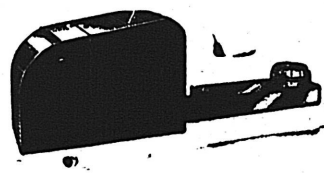
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ST. LOUIS MUNICIPAL OPERA TO PRODUCE "MARY" JUNE 17 TO 23

The tuneful, gaily romantic musical play, "Mary", will be presented as the second production of the 1946 St. Louis Municipal Opera season in the Forest Park open-air theatre for seven nights, beginning at 8:45 p.m., Monday, June 17.

Several stars new to the Municipal Theatre as well as favorites of past seasons will make up the top flight cast. Leading roles will be carried by Evelyn Wyckoff, beautiful singing and dancing ingenue who has performed in the open-air theatre during three previous years, in the title role of "Mary"; Ray Jacquemot, young American baritone and leading soloist of New York's Radio City Music Hall, coming here for the first time to appear as "Jack Keene," the hero; and Helen Raymond, veteran comedienne of eight past seasons, who will play "Mrs. Keene."

Other performers in the sparkling comedy will include Leonard Elliot, comedian who will be remembered for his appearances in 1943; Jack Blair, dancing comedian who was seen last year; Leonore Rae, soprano ingenue of stage and concert, making her Municipal Opera debut; Gean Greenwell, bass-baritone of opera and concert, another newcomer; and Edwin Steffe, concert and opera baritone.

Jacquemot, who has been under contract to the Theater Guild for a year, starred in "Sing Out, Sweet Land," folk song opera which ran six months in New York and on the road, and has made many radio and concert appearances. Miss Rae, who recently made her debut at New York's Carnegie Hall, has a long record of dramatic experience, including "Family Portrait," "Midsummer Night's Dream," "St. Joan," "George Abbott's Broadway production," "Beat the Band," and recently, "Song Without Words." Greenwell has sung with various opera groups, as well as with major symphony orchestras, including the New York Philharmonic.

With book and lyrics by Otto Harbach and Frank Mandel, "Mary" tells the story of a young man's efforts to build low-cost cottages called "Love-Nests," in the face of financial obstacles. Louis Hirsch's score includes such lilting music as "Love Nest," "Mary," "Anything You Want to Do, Dear," "Waiting," "Deeper Still," and others. The attraction was previously presented by Municipal Opera in 1928 and 1939.

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LEARNING ABOUT THE KINGDOM

LESSON TEXT—Luke 9:23, 24, 46-48, 67-69; 11:14-17:20, 21

MEMORY SELECTION—Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done in earth, as it is in heaven.—Matthew 6:10.

Following Christ calls for the best in man. Weak-kneed and watered-out religious philosophies and activities have no right to call themselves Christian.

Let us put away these insipid imitations of Christianity, which so often masquerade under its name, and face our time with a call to discipleship which demands every fine, noble, manly and womanly quality.

I. Denial of Self (Luke 9:23, 24).
A cross—that speaks at once of suffering and death. We may as well face it. The Lord never intended it to be an easy thing to follow him. A man must lose his life for Christ if he is to win it.

Note that the cross we bear does not refer to the trials or vexations of life. We should bear those as Christians, but there is something else in mind; namely, the complete denial of self-will, and the eager desire to do only God's will. And note also that this is required of every true Christian, not just of a few who are especially "consecrated."

Do you qualify? If so look at the next point.

II. Humility of Heart (Luke 9:46-48).

The world looks up to the great, the mighty, and the rich. The disciples had caught that fever and were quarrelling about who was to be greatest. What a tragic and disgraceful picture! But is it any different in the church today? Men are still determined to be "Mr. Big."

The follower of Jesus sees beyond the false earthly standard of greatness, and in humility ministers to the little child. And lo! he has received and served Jesus Christ himself, and has become greater than all the would-be great ones. Those about him may not see it, but God does, and in due time others shall also know of it.

III. Determination of Purpose (Luke 9:57-62).

Following Christ is more than singing glibly or carelessly, "I'll go where you want me to go, dear Lord." The one who starts out with him is to count the cost (Luke 14:28-33). He must expect the same treatment as Christ (II Tim. 3:12) and be willing to take it gladly (John 15:20; I Pet. 2:21).

We ought to make this plain to professed believers. Tell young people the truth and you will see that they are ready to respond to it. They are willing to give themselves sacrificially for causes of this earth—why not for Christ?

Christianity is considerate and courteous, and our Lord is not here suggesting any neglect of the duties or amenities of life. The point is rather that the Lord must have first place whatever else may call for second thought.

IV. Prayer of Faith (Luke 11:1-4).

The one who is to follow Jesus must know how to pray—and to pray in faith. He must know how to hold up the world to God, and get things from God for this needy world.

There is no one who can teach us to pray better than Jesus, for he practiced what he preached. He prayed. It was seeing him pray that led the disciples to ask him to teach them to pray. Jesus taught his disciples a model prayer. This prayer opens with a recognition of God as Father, followed by a reverent petition that his name may be hallowed; that is, that he may have glory as his will is done and his kingdom established in the hearts of men. Those who have that attitude are ready to ask for the supply of daily needs, and above all, forgiveness of sin and deliverance from temptation.

Note that verse 4 is not the prayer of the unsaved for forgiveness and regeneration, for that is all of grace (Eph. 2:8). "The man outside (of the kingdom) gets his forgiveness with no condition; but once he is in the kingdom of the Son of God's love, he lives within the laws of that kingdom. Then he does not get forgiveness unless he is ready to forgive, unless he has forgiven" (Morgan).


V. Recognition of Christ (Luke 17:20, 21).

The disciples thought of the kingdom in terms of "when"; they should have asked "what," or even better "who," for the kingdom was present and operative right then because the King was there.

That is the true meaning of "within" (v. 21), which really means "in your midst." It does not mean that the kingdom of God was within the hearts of the Pharisees, or within the social order, but that in the person of the King, the kingdom itself was in their midst. They rejected him, and so also his kingdom. What about us? Is he your King? Or do you also reject him?

As "Gilda," Rita Hayworth has her first important dramatic role. But, that doesn't mean that she completely forsakes the singing and dancing that brought her to fame. In the revealing ensemble pictured above, Rita whirls through one of the most torrid sambas ever brought to the screen.

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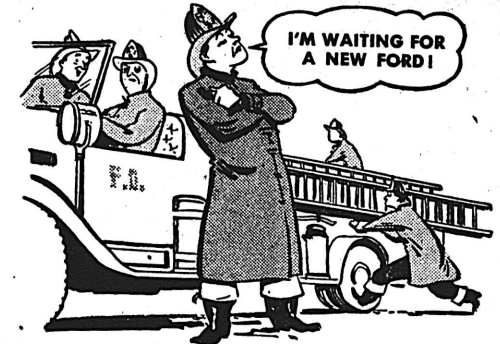
Women IN THE CHURCH
by Mary Fowler

Miss Mabel E. Emerson, secretary of the American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions, Boston, Mass., is on a visit to the Congregational-Christian missions in Greece, Syria, Turkey and Bulgaria. A New Englander by birth, a graduate of Wellesley College, Miss Emerson has long been associated with mission work in the Near East, in Africa, and in India and has helped determine the mission policies in these fields. She is a former chairman of the Foreign Missions Conference.

The Women's Bureau of the U. S. Department of Labor estimates that 80% of women in the labor force of the country work to support themselves, and that 30% support other persons in addition to themselves. "War casualties will force many women to continue in employment," says Miss Eleanor Neff of the Woman's Division of Christian Service of the Methodist Church, "and the excess of women over men in the post-war population will compel them to the self-supporting. Many women will continue to work so as to supplement their husbands' pay, in order to make possible a more adequate life for themselves and their families: more and better food, housing, medical care, educational and cultural opportunities. The sharp reduction in the take-home pay of former war workers affects millions of families. This country must use effectively the valuable skills of women workers demonstrated during these past years. Church women can help build a public mind concerning this."

Miss Rena Button, secretary of Christian education in the Mexican Baptist Convention, Puebla, Mexico, tells of a young man who came one day to buy a Bible. "I am a chauffeur, but try to use all my spare time well and talk to other taxi drivers whenever I can. One of my companions has showed an interest in the Bible, but has never seen one. I began to save my tithe and today I have enough to buy him the Bible." ... According to Miss Button, the taxi driver has since purchased a Bible dictionary, a concordance, a personal workers' manual, and a book of sermon outlines. "When he was very ill he heard about the Gospel from a companion and decided that if God gave him life and health he would use his influence for Him," explains Miss Button.

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