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Tax Expert Here For Joint Meeting Of Civic Clubs

R. K. Eden, Executive Secretary of the Taxation Committee of the Illinois Chamber of Commerce, will discuss the 5-point tax modernization program for Illinois sponsored by the State Chamber at a combined dinner meeting of the Sullivan Chamber of Commerce, Kiwanis and Lions clubs on May 27.



R. K. EDEN

F. W. Wood, Secretary of the Sullivan Chamber of Commerce, is in charge of arrangements and states that a cordial invitation is extended to all business men and citizens to attend this important meeting, which will be held at the Masonic Hall at 6:30 p. m. Dinner will be served at six-fifty cents per plate.

- This meeting is one of a series in an educational program sponsored by the Illinois Chamber of Commerce to acquaint the citizens of the state with the need for modernization of the antiquated tax structure of Illinois. The five-point modernization plan includes:
1. Eliminate tax delinquency.
 2. Adopt uniform accounting and regular auditing.
 3. Strengthen, then enforce the budget law.
 4. Revise assessment methods.
 5. Reduce the number of local government units.

Mr. Eden is well qualified to discuss this important subject of taxation, having had many years of experience in tax work including the position of statistician for the State Department of Public Instruction.

USO Drive Head Sets Date On Calls

In order to meet the new demands that have been placed on the country by the war, citizens of this community have been asked to help support the 1942 U. S. O. drive that will be launched June 8th, according to a statement that was made by B. H. Smith of Sullivan, who has been appointed as chairman of the 1942 drive.

Moultrie county has been given a quota of \$1,600 as its share toward meeting the national goal. Workers will be drafted to carry out the plan of solicitation June 8th and drive leaders for each of the towns in the county will be announced prior to the opening date of the drive.

At a meeting of the executive committee last week, chairman Smith pointed out that the new slogan for the year was, "When you give to the U. S. O. you give to someone you know." He also said that there are now so many local boys in service that they too will benefit from the donations of this community.

Funds that will be donated will be used to establish rest centers and to provide entertainment for the soldiers in camps or abroad. During the past year the U. S. O., through its help in the Victory Book campaign, sent 5,000,000 books and magazines to the soldiers.

"Men and women who work or who contribute in the 1942 drive form an army behind the army at the front," Smith said. Final plans and drive leaders will be announced as soon as final plans are completed.

NOTICE

Owing to tire and government restrictions, I am asking my customers to please put out ice cards and have telephone calls in by eight o'clock in the morning, as I am only making one delivery a day to the residential districts. This has been asked by the government.
W. E. Martin Ice Co.

Business Men Plan A "Bucket Brigade" May Luncheon Held Monday

In a desire to see the lake completed before summer and the 4th of July, business men of Sullivan have formed a tentative organization that has been labeled the "bucket brigade". It is the plan of this group to organize enough of the business men of the city and other volunteer workers to donate their time and labor to remove the dirt and silt from the lake so that sand can be spread on the beach. It was thought that if enough people volunteered to help, the work could be completed in two weeks.

Several months have gone by since the proposed work was first scheduled to be completed and the business men thought that without the lake and the other improvements that were scheduled there, the park would not be useful this summer. The men who have signed to volunteer their labor felt that the mud and dirt should be removed before any other improvements were made at the lake. They said that a committee had made an inspection trip to the lake reported that since the water has been drained from the lake the supply of mud and silt has increased. The "bucket brigade" officials felt that since the city has ordered contaminated tiles removed from the city tile that drained into the lake, the water would not be unfit for the coming season.

It was also pointed out that the park would more than ever be a social focal point for the people of this community and that already several celebrations that had been scheduled for the park were hanging fire to see what the outcome of the lake improvement would be.

The business men's "Bucket Brigade" has to gain the official sanction of the city so that they can get their volunteer program under way. Tentative outline for the proposed program would be to have each man or boy to volunteer two or three days work at the park and that plans would be made to enlist the aid of any organization that would be able to carry on the work. It was thought that the work could be carried on without interfering with any work at the park.

According to Joe Shirey, commissioner, "The lake will never be completed until after next election". However, the business men said that they hoped that their volunteer plan would bring about the results that were so badly needed.

It was rumored that the work couldn't be completed because the war restrictions would not permit construction repairs or work. It was, however, pointed out that the state and other municipalities were letting contracts during the past few days and there had been no restrictions placed on street improvements or other types of construction. This was pointed out because the rumor was prevalent concerning the resurfacing of Worth street and Market street.

Kiwanis Club Honors 21 Year Olds Tuesday

At the Tuesday meeting of the Kiwanis club the members had as their guests, boys who have just reached, or will soon reach their 21st birthdays. Albert Walker spoke to the members of Kiwanis and their guests on the duties and responsibilities of becoming a citizen of the United States.

In his talk Mr. Walker outlined the new responsibilities and newly acquired responsibilities that come with the age of 21. There were forty Kiwanis members and guests

SERGEANT MAJOR



Corp. Boyce England has been promoted to the rank of sergeant major, according to word received in Sullivan this week. Sergeant England entered the National Guards there in 1930, and federal service last year. He was promoted to the grade of corporal in 1941 and has been serving as regimental clerk. He will be stationed at Fort Leonard Wood.

Rural 8th Grade Graduation To Be Held May 23rd

The Moultrie county eighth grade rural graduation exercises will be held at the Sullivan Township high school Saturday, May 23. Otis Keeler, from the State Superintendent of Public Instruction will deliver the principal address. Moultrie County American Legion awards will be presented at that time by W. H. White.

Program

March—Marilyn Emel.
Invocation—Rev. Wm. A. Askew.
Music—Vocal Solo, "The White Cliffs of Dover", Eleanor George.
Music—Freshman Girls' Trio: Eleanor George, Ruby Eastin, Helen Fitzgerald, Sullivan Township high school.

"To A Wild Rose" by McDonald
"Pale Moon" by Logan
Address—"Stand Fast For Freedom", Otis Keeler, Assistant Sup. of Public Instruction, Springfield.

Presentation of American Legion Awards—W. H. White, Moultrie County Council of the American Legion.

Presentation of Diplomas—Albert Walker, County Superintendent of Schools.

Following is the list of graduates:
Eureka 1—Charles Terril.
Mentzer 5—Edgar Hendrickson.
Bolinger 6—Benjamin W. Geringer, Jacob W. Geringer, Clara M. Yoder.

Fairview 7—Jacob D. Chupp, Anna D. Kaufman, Noah J. Kaufman, Evelyn Genevieve Lee, Irene Yoder.

McDonald 9—Enos S. Miller.
Cadwell 10—Fannie Diener, Mary Ann Dukeman, Maudie Marie (Continued on last page)

Graduating Class Will Present Class Exercises

Eighth grade city school graduation will be held at the Lowe school Thursday, May 28 at 8 p. m. The entire program will be furnished by the graduating class. Citizenship awards presented by the Legion will be made at that time. Forty-five eighth grade students will graduate.

Members of the graduating class are: Girls—Jacquelyn Adams, Isabel Augenstein, Mary Lou Beck, Jennie Lou Bragg, Mary Lou Carter, Patty Sue Clapp, Mary M. Dennie, Alberta Mae Harl, Ethel Hubbard, Eleanor Ruth Jackson, Evalena Alberta Jividen, Violet Kirkendall, Julia Joanne Lang, Susanne Jane Leeds, Betty Lou Lindley.

Pat Lorenson, Nellie R. Malloy, Denna Meisenheimer, Flossie Miller, Helen Mae Miller, Gwendolyn Ruth Newbould, Velma Etha Pierson, Dulcena Purvis, Ruth Sampson, Lois Shadow, Audrey Mae Stevens, Beverly Anita Smith, Ann Temple, Leah Mildred Woodruff.

Boys—Henry Barlow Blackwell, Leslie T. Colclasure, Jay E. Comer, Marvin G. Cox, Edward Fouth, Charles Freeman, Billy Grieve, Rodney Harris, Robert Hess, Wayne W. Krows, C. Warren Lane, George A. Martin, Thomas Pierson, Robert E. Reed, Johnnie Traylor, Jr., Joe Yeakel.

Ceiling Placed On Retail Prices This Week—Few Reductions

With Sullivan retailers using a wide variety of methods in displaying them, price ceilings went into effect Monday on most of the articles purchased by average consumers.

Except for farm products and certain other specifically exempt items, no article could be sold at a price higher than was charged in March.

For the information of the buying public, sellers were required to have on display the ceiling prices of 170 designated "cost-of-living" commodities ranging from epsom salts to furniture.

Merchants generally asserted that few reductions resulted Monday when the price ceilings became effective. In cases where prices had risen since March, however, they were required to return to the highest price charged in March.

A survey showed that local retailers, admittedly confused by the sweeping order of the Office of Price Administration, chose widely varying methods of showing their ceiling prices, but F. W. Wood, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, asserted all were making an honest effort to comply with the regulations.

Under the price regulation order, ceiling prices must be displayed so prominently only on "cost-of-living" commodities, but all articles—except those specifically exempt and many services are now covered by price ceilings.

By July 1, every store must have available for public inspection a list of ceiling prices on all articles covered by the order. This in many stores will run into thousands of items.

A list of ceiling prices on "cost-of-living" commodities must also be filed with the local rationing board. Time for filing these lists was originally fixed as June 1, but it was announced in Washington Saturday that the dead-line will be extended to July 1.

Some store managers said Monday they have been caught in a "squeeze" on more articles than they originally believed. The "squeeze," they explained, exists when wholesale prices rose in March or before but were not reflected in retail prices for that month.

Bible School Planned By Sullivan Churches

A Vacation Bible school from July 6 to 19 except Saturdays is being planned by four of the churches of Sullivan, The Christian, Methodist, Baptist and Presbyterian.

Under the leadership of the Ministerial association the organizing committee has been appointed and the first meeting was held at the Lowe school last Friday evening. The committee consists of C. W. Atkins, chairman; Mrs. Guy Little, secretary and treasurer; Mrs. Harry Shipman, Miss Viola Webb, Rev. Francis Strobel, Rev. William Askew, Ellis Brant, Rev. Owen Hutchison, Mrs. Fred Beitz, Judge J. L. McLaughlin, Rev. Stanley Ward, and Mrs. Paul Krows.

Committees on faculty, curriculum and promotion were appointed. Registration slips are being handed to the children this week.

The sessions of the school will be in the morning; the place will be announced soon.

The expense of the school will be borne by a free-will offering taken each day.

The committee believes that the school will be very attractive and helpful to the children of Sullivan, and it is hoped that many who do not attend Sunday school as well as those who do will come. The age group is from four to fourteen years.

Permanent Registration Slated For Moultrie

According to Ralph Hanrahan, county clerk, there will be a permanent registration for all voters of the state of Illinois. Mr. Hanrahan pointed out that according to the laws of permanent registration, all voters must register at the county clerk's office before they are qualified voters under the new law that will become effective June 8th.

The law provides that every person, who lives in a county containing a population of less than 500,000, shall register at a place designated by the Board of Supervisors. A place of registration shall be established by the Board in each of the precincts. The registration in the precincts shall be two days long and will precede the fall election by a few days.

Registration cards will ask the name of the registrant, sex, street address, nativity, citizenship, date of registration, age of the registrant, and finally, the signature of the applicant for registration.

All registration shall be done in person and no cards will be issued to those who desire to register by proxy.

It was also pointed out by Mr. Hanrahan that people who didn't properly register, would be denied the right of voting in the election. This registration is for the elections in which any state officers are to be elected.

SULLIVAN TEACHER ELECTED TO TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION

H. P. Erwin, agriculture teacher of the Sullivan Township high school was elected as secretary of the Illinois Vocational Association, an organization that has grown from a membership of 700 to 3,000. This is the beginning of the eighth term as secretary of the organization for Mr. Erwin.

HELLO WORLD

Mr. and Mrs. George Sabin of Chicago are the parents of a baby boy, Allan Powell. He was born at Burrows hospital and weighed seven pounds at birth.

Frank Woodruff Dies At Family Home

Frank Woodruff, 50, well known Moultrie county farmer died at his home northwest of Sullivan on Monday morning. Funeral services were held at the McMullin Funeral Home on Wednesday afternoon at three o'clock. Burial was in Greenhill cemetery.

Mr. Woodruff leaves his wife and mother, Mrs. Bert Woodruff, and six children and five grandchildren. He also leaves a sister, Fern Woodruff, a teacher in the Sullivan grade school.

The children surviving are: Ellet Woodruff, Sullivan; Mrs. Kathryn Feist, Dalton City; Charlotte, Leah, and Dean at home.

Services were conducted by the Rev. Stanley Ward. Pall bearers were: Raymond Bragg, Cline Sipe, Roy Algoed, Hugh Franklin, Herschel Weaver and Clarence Elder.

MISS CORA RISLEY VISITS IN FLORIDA

Miss Cora Risley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Risley, and who is employed in Decatur, left Sunday morning for Tallahassee, Fla., where she will spend two weeks vacationing with her uncle and aunt, Major and Mrs. James R. Pifer.

On her way home she plans to stop at Tullahoma, Tenn., for a few days and visit her brother, David E. Risley, who is stationed at Camp Forrest.

HARRY HENDERSON DIES NEAR WINDSOR

Harry Henderson, the brother of W. A. Henderson, died suddenly of a heart attack in his truck near Windsor on Saturday. The funeral was held Tuesday afternoon. Relatives from Sullivan attended.

Moultrie County Exceeds Bond Quota For May

Following instructions received from the Treasury department, the Moultrie County Bond Pledge Chairman, W. H. White, contacted all banks and postoffices, in the county to ascertain the amount of sales of war bonds and stamps, for the period of May 1st to 15th, inclusive.

Following are the total sales for the county, up to May 15th: Cost value, \$39,413.55; Maturity value, \$51,595.05.

This exceeds our May quota by more than \$1,000 but, we must continue buying month after month. Our quota for June is \$46,000 and from July on, \$70,500 per month.

As President Roosevelt has said: "Let us continue to give that magnificent response" and avoid compulsory legislation, which is very likely to come, in the event, voluntary sales fall to reach \$1,000,000,000 per month, which the Treasury department has set as a minimum goal.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR PARTY HELD AT REV. ASKEW'S

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Christian church had a party at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Askew on Thursday evening of last week. About eighteen were present.

Refreshments were served and Mrs. Kenneth Johnson was in charge of the games. Since everyone had such an enjoyable time, the society plans to hold a social meeting once each month.

FELLOWSHIP SUPPER AT CHRISTIAN CHURCH

The Christian church held its May Fellowship supper in the church basement on Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Guy Kellar was in charge of the program for the evening.

Report Crops Undamaged By Heavy Rains

An unusual amount of rain, fairly evenly distributed over the county, has slowed down work of the farmers, but so far has done no appreciable damage, Moultrie county farm officials reported yesterday.

Wheat Is Helped.

The wheat is helped by the rains rather than being damaged, members of the Moultrie County AAA said. But the crop will likely be short this year because of injury caused by the rains shortly after planting last fall.

Cool weather may have retarded the growth of crops already in the ground, but it has not been cold enough to do extensive damage, the farm officials agreed.

Already this month four inches of rain have fallen, whereas the normal fall for the entire month is 4.14 inches. Rain has been scored on 15 of the 21 days, so far in May.

On three of these occasions, the official report was only a trace but on all other occasions, it was of measurable amount.

Scrap Iron Drive Brings In Over 100 Tons

The recently completed scrap iron drive that was sponsored by Ray Stubblefield and the Earl Walker Company netted over 100 tons of scrap iron which was sent by rail to the defense plants.

According to those men who were in charge of the drive, farmers brought in everything from the drive from crow bars to tractors. There was even a caterpillar tractor sent in as scrap.

For the two days of the drive farmers from all parts of the community brought in scrap iron that had been accumulating on their farms. It was thought that the rains during the drive helped considerably, as farmers had time to search out the scrap. Each of the 110 farmers that helped to fill four cars of scrap were paid market price for their scrap iron.

BERT McCUNE'S PURCHASE EIGHT MAN RESIDENCE

Through a deal completed last week Mr. and Mrs. Bert McCune have come into possession of the residence on North Worth street belonging to Mrs. Ruth Billman. For a time Mrs. Billman had planned to return to Sullivan, but on account of having employment in Decatur, she has decided to remain there and give up her Sullivan property.

GARDEN CLUB BREAKFAST

The Garden club had its May breakfast this morning, Friday, May 22nd, at the park at eight o'clock.

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EDITORIALLY SPEAKING

First Sugar Ration Period . .

The first of the sugar coupons have been used by the consumer this week and so ends the first period of sugar rationing for the second world war.

When the average American coffee drinker found that he had to do his part as well as the soldier the objections were soon forgotten.

Gasoline Rationing

A shortage of gasoline for the Eastern seacoast necessitated a gasoline rationing plan for that district.

The government was confronted with the proposition of setting boundaries where the rationing was to be effective.

This would mean just one thing. The boundaries would have to be pushed farther west until all were under the same restriction.

Russia Receiving Arms . . .

Military authorities are said to believe that Hitler has the men and the equipment for one more grand offensive.

Stalin has said that American and English help has reached gratifying proportions.

Congress and Taxes

As Congress settles down to the intricate task of formulating a national economic policy for wartime, it is obvious that the road ahead is a rocky one, alive with pitfalls.

The seven-point program laid down by the President in his recent message to Congress and the speech to the public which followed it, provides important groundwork.

1. Most economists are agreed that it will be impossible to stabilize the cost of living until very strict controls are imposed on farm prices.

2. In many quarters the belief is held that it will be impossible to stabilize wages without additional legislation.

eye, and if any widespread demands for wage boosts arise, it is likely to slap through a tough law in jig time.

3. The proposal that tax laws be so framed that no individual can net more than \$25,000 a year will probably not be adopted.

4. Many are not convinced that voluntary War Bond sales will be adequate.

5. Most important of all, a great many experts of all economic and political persuasions, are dead certain that a workable tax policy will leave to hit the lower-income groups far harder than current proposals call for.

Just how to tap these income groups is a very potent question now.

The question is whether any one man can hope at one and the same time to build the ships and to operate them—to direct the greatest production program in the history of shipping and at the same time to direct the operation of ships on all the supply lines of this world-wide war.

This gives an idea of what Congress is up against now. Even a year ago, a sales tax would have had about as much chance of passing as the proverbial snowball would have of surviving the heat of Hades.

From Our Old Files . . .

TEN YEARS AGO. (May 13, 1932)

Memorial services for the late Judge W. G. Cochran will be held at 9:30 o'clock on next Monday morning at the court house, under the auspices of the Moultrie County Bar Ass'n.

Paul McDavid won first place in the javelin throw at the Okaw Valley track meet, which was held at Monticello on Saturday.

Levi Dickerson and George Henderson reported tough luck on a fishing trip to Paradise lake, near Mattoon, on Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Hays returned home on Monday from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Hafey, at Cincinnati, Ohio.

Thieves broke into the building occupied by the Walker Machine shop on Sunday night and stole some valuable tools.

Joe Ashbrook was down from Champaign to spend the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Art Ashbrook.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shell and daughter Joan, were called to Indiana on Saturday by the death of his sister, Mrs. Charles Miller.

Over 2,000 men have been given shelter at the local city building during the past winter months, reported Blomson Crockett, who has charge of the building.

TWENTY YEARS AGO. (May 19, 1922)

Dr. O. M. Williamson spent last week on a trip to Oklahoma, Missouri, and Kansas.

In honor of her son, Ralph Blystone's 13th birthday, Mrs. Wolf entertained at a surprise party on Monday evening.

The Moultrie County Odd Fellows and Rebekah service was held at the Odd Fellows' hall at Lovington on Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stevens and son Frank, were visitors in the city on Wednesday.

The proposition of moving the city light office and the public library to the city building was again brought up at the city council meeting by Alderman S. J. Lewis.

The local service company was mustered into the Federal service on Monday night by Col. Nelson of Springfield.

About 300 bankers are expected in Sullivan next Monday to attend the annual meeting of Group seven of the Illinois Bankers' Ass'n.

Admiral Land's Impossible Job

By WALTER LIPPMANN

The weakest link in the war effort is, as every one knows, shipping. And the most discerning thing that has been said about the situation has, I believe, been said by Mr. Alfred Friendly, of "The Washington Post," a reporter who has done yeoman service in the long, and ultimately successful, struggle to pass from business-as-usual to all-out production.

In many essential respects shipping today resembles strongly the condition of production before the appointment of Mr. Donald Nelson and the decision to convert the automobile and other mechanical industries.

To say this is no reflection on Admiral Land. It is to say only that he occupies a position and is carrying a responsibility which is beyond his powers, or those of any other man.

No one would think of asking Admiral King to operate the Navy and at the same time to direct naval construction. No one would think of asking General Marshall to command the Army and also to manage the aircraft factories, the tank arsenals and the ordnance plants.

Is it not plain that ships ought to be built by some one who is a master of the art of production? And that in war time ships ought to be operated by some one who sits with the directors of the highest war strategy and makes his decisions accordingly, with full and responsible knowledge of the military and diplomatic circumstances?

He has an impossible job, and if he is wise he will advise the President to reorganize the job by placing the building of ships under a production manager—not necessarily a shipbuilder, who is responsible to Mr. Nelson—by placing the operation of ships under some one not necessarily a shipping man, who sits as an equal with those who have the strategic direction of the war.

Admiral Land has built and is building a good many ships. But he is not by his training or talent a Sorensen or a Keller or a Henry Kaiser—a master of the art of production. And until a man of that caliber and quality is in charge of the building of ships, we shall not be getting all the ships this country is capable of building.

Shipping is one of the few large areas in which the spirit of business as usual still holds us back. It holds us back in the building of ships, where adherence to traditional designs and traditional methods is a strong retarding factor.

The shipping problem can be mastered, as indeed it must be mastered. But first there will have to be a reorganization as drastic as that which liquidated the O. P. M. and the policy of business as usual.

The weekly band concerts, which in the past have been given on Wednesday nights during the summer months by the Arthur Township high school band, will not be held this summer.

In past years the merchants have given financial support to these concerts and in a vote taken among them last week a majority favored discontinuing the concerts.

Word has been received here that Keith Orris and McVine Weakley, who left Tuesday morning in the group of men called into service, have been sent to Camp Grant, where they will receive the army clothing and other equipment before they are sent to a training camp.

Dr. S. H. Ambrose ordered to duty at Great Lakes. Dr. S. H. Ambrose was in St. Louis Wednesday, where he was sworn in as a Lieutenant, senior grade, U. S. Naval Reserve Medical Corps, and ordered to report at the Great Lakes Naval Training Station, Chicago, on Monday, May 18.

Belle Hopper M. S. Officers and Leaders For 1942-43

Officers elected in the Belle Hopper Missionary Society for 1942-43 are as follows:

President—Marie Pifer. Vice-President—Lavinia Lane. Secretary—Edith Smith. Treasurer—Cora Fleming. Pianist—Alice Davis.

Division No. 1. July, November, March.

Leader—Freda Horn; Gretchen Askew, Blondell Mattox, Goldie Blackwell, Lavinia Lane, Pearl Powell, Mildred Kilton, Marie Hoke, Nettie Dolan, Jessie Wood.

Division No. 2. August, December, April.

Leader—Hazel Monroe; Stella Ellis, Eva Hill, Grace Sosa, Cora Fleming, Ruth Brant, Edith Smith, Martha Montgomery, Jess Newbould, Molly Freesh.

Division No. 3. September, January, May.

Leader—Lora Shasteen; Cora Walker, Lissie Crookshank, Carmon Clevenger, Margaret Tabor, Inis-Little, Inez Kelso, Anna McCarthy, Alice Davis, Reta Wilson, Pearl Atchison.

Division No. 4. October, February, June.

Leader—Gladys Whitechurch; Ida Carnine, Marie Pifer, Clara Brandenburger, Ella Wiser, Cora Poland, Rose Lewis, Etha Lindsay, Rose Nottingham, Hazel Yarnell.

SURVEY TO DETERMINE OLD AGE RECIPIENTS AVAILABLE FOR WORK

A survey to determine how many recipients of old age assistance are able to work and wish to take jobs if they are available is being made by the State Division of public assistance, Fletcher C. Kettle, superintendent.

"The purpose of this survey is to find out to what degree men sixty-five to seventy-five years of age currently receiving Illinois Old Age Assistance payments might be drawn upon to replace younger agricultural and industrial workers who have been and will be called into the armed forces," Kettle said.

"No recipient will be required to accept a job if he does not wish to do so. If he does accept one which is sufficient for his support his assistance award will be suspended only while he is employed. Immediately on the termination of employment he will be reinstated on the assistance role if he continues to meet the Division's eligibility requirements.

"Many recipients of Old Age Assistance would accept employment if it could be secured. A recent study of recipients indicates that 16,000 men, between the ages of 65 and 75, or eight percent of all recipients, are in fairly good health and have had comparatively recent work experience which might be utilized in the present emergency. Forty-three per cent of these men have previously been engaged in agricultural work, 24 per cent in skilled and semi-skilled jobs.

"Letters are being sent to these recipients by the County Departments of Public Welfare explaining the plan of the survey and asking for appointments to discuss the recipient's health, his willingness to accept work and the kind of work he can do. Emphasis is placed on the fact that participation on the part of the recipient is entirely voluntary.

"Information concerning the recipients' ability and willingness to accept employment will be filed in the County Departments of Public Welfare and will be available to the United States Employment Service, the Department of Agriculture War Boards or any local agency or committee taking responsibility for assisting farmers or other employers to secure help.

"Employers who may have need for persons in this age group, or who are unable to secure younger persons, are asked to communicate with the local offices of the United States Employment Service, Department of Agriculture County War Boards, County Departments of Public Assistance, Springfield."

Isle of Evil Spirits

Jim Walton, director of the General Samuel Dale Historical society, says the Indians really pulled a smart trick when they sold Manhattan island to the Dutch for \$24.

Composition of Cloves. Cloves are the dried, unopened flower buds of an evergreen tree which is a native of the Molucca or Spice islands.

FROM LOCAL EXCHANGES

STUDENTS TO COMPETE IN STATE CONTEST AT LASALLE

Arthur Township high school students will compete in the state solo and ensemble contest at LaSalle on Saturday, May 16.

Representatives from the local school will be: Alto Saxophone—William Knobloch.

Baritone Saxophone—Robert Taylor. Bassoon—Eileen Stock. Mixed Clarinet Quartet—Betty Fleming, Esther Day, Barbara Reeder and Betty Vaughn.

Brass Sextet—Karl Upstone, Hugh Rigney, William Bryner, Richard Somn, Ted Bradford and Harold Anderson. — Arthur Graphic-Clarion.

BROTHERS AND SISTERS MEET AFTER 55 YEARS

Mrs. Eva McCord of Decatur, a former resident of this community, was called to St. Louis last week to be at the bedside of her brother, W. A. Riggins, who is very ill with heart trouble.

Mrs. McCord and her sister had not seen each other for 40 years, and this was the first time that the brothers and sisters had been together for 55 years.

USO DRIVE STARTING JUNE 1

At a county meeting Thursday night the USO set aside June 1 to June 5 inclusive for a \$2,500 drive during which time a house to house canvass will be made in Douglas county. Extra funds are needed to expand the services offered by the United Service Organizations, in order to make their conveniences available to our fighters in foreign lands.

O. R. Twiford is county USO chairman, and Cal Rasor is Tuscola chairman. Each township has a worker. —Tuscola Review.

CITY TO LICENSE PINBALLS, DOGS

The city council in its first meeting of the new fiscal year, Tuesday night, discussed a number of pending projects for the year, aside from the usual routine business.

Among other matters was the passing of a resolution to convert the building at Ervin park known as the kitchen into a concession stand. Sealed bids for concession rights were also authorized to be solicited through publication in the newspapers of the city. —Tuscola Journal.

PUBLIC WELFARE BOARDS AID SELECTIVE SERVICE IN DEPENDENCY CLASSIFICATION

Governor Dwight H. Green announced recently that the state division of public assistance is actively aiding selective service boards over the state by providing information needed to determine dependency classification.

"Investigations are made by the county departments of public welfare and the counties in which the dependents live at the request of the selective service boards," Wallace W. Clark, acting superintendent of the division, explained after a conference with Governor Green.

"The responsibility of the County Departments is limited to furnishing evidence to the Selective Service Boards concerning the nature and amount of support provided to relatives by registrants who ask for deferment because of dependents. If the dependents are found to have been under the care of other social welfare agencies, the requests are forwarded by the County Departments to these agencies.

"If the dependents are recipients of Public Assistance, the County Department provides the Selective Service Board with current information available to the County Department. Cases not known to social agencies or the County Departments are investigated by the County Departments.

In making the investigations particular consideration is given to the amounts and the regularity of the contributions made by the registrants to the dependents. "The State Selective Service office has notified local selective service boards to forward all matters requiring special investigation on dependency cases to the County departments and has advised the boards to limit the requests to those on which there is a specific need for action.

"Because of the urgent nature of selective service classification, county departments are making investigations and furnishing reports within thirty days.

"The Division of Public Assistance is also extending this investigation service to the selective service boards of other states when registrants claim deferment because of dependents in Illinois.

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COUNTY NEWS



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LONE STAR

Mrs. Fred Bennett of Windsor visited with her daughter, Mrs. Carl Edwards, one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Sittler of Mattoon visited Sunday evening with T. B. Goddard and Mrs. Osa Wright. Mrs. Sittler attended church at Bruce with Mrs. Wright on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Hilligoss and daughter visited in Decatur Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Leo Latch and daughter.

Mrs. J. H. Arthur has been quite poorly the last few days.

Mrs. Dean Storm has been ill the past several days.

Mrs. Lowell Elder entertained the Farmerette club one evening last week.

Mrs. Della Hilligoss and S. N. Whitlatch were in Mattoon on Saturday evening.

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LOVINGTON

Mrs. Max Cummins and daughter Lois and son Robert drove to Greenwood, Ind., Monday and returned home Tuesday. Robert will spend the summer with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Shirey.

The Grade school closes this week. Graduation exercises will be held at the L. T. H. S. auditorium on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ike Dows and children of Shelbyville and Miss Marjorie Devore of Lintner visited with Mrs. Laverne Haws on Sunday.

Mrs. C. C. Dickson and Mrs. W. O. Dawson attended a bridge luncheon at the home of Mrs. Frank Noel on Friday.

Mrs. Arlie Wilt entertained the J. B. club on Thursday afternoon. Refreshments were served.

Mrs. Francis Purvis entertained the Tuesday afternoon Bridge club at her home last week. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

The P and T club met with Mrs. May Seybert on Wednesday afternoon. Refreshments were served.

Pvt. Wade Booker of Camp Forrest, Tenn., has spent the past week with his mother, Mrs. Fanny Booker.

Mrs. A. A. Shields was a Decatur visitor on Thursday.

Mrs. Edna Lux, Mrs. Francis Purvis, Mrs. Ira Harrison and Mrs. A. W. Hosteler were Decatur visitors on Thursday.

Mrs. George Schable has been taken back to the St. Mary's hospital at Decatur for further treatment.

Mrs. W. B. Shirey of Greenwood, Ind., spent last week here at her daughter's, Mrs. Max Cummins. Mrs. Lena Hoskins, sister of Mrs. Shirey, was also here and will enter a nurses' home in Decatur, where she will reside.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Newbould and son Richard have moved to Decatur, where he has employment with the Williams Sealing company.

Mr. and Mrs. Hal Bowers and Mrs. R. E. Bowers drove to Chicago on Saturday to attend the Flower show. They returned home Monday evening.

Rex Bailey and Don Haws left last week for California. There they expect to find employment.

Joan, Patty and Mary Foster of Waltonville are here to spend the summer with their father, Murry Foster.

June Dickson and Lois Cummins returned home Sunday, following a visit at Peoria and Champaign. Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Dickson drove up for them.

Several from here attended the burial service for Zan Goney of Danville, a former resident of this place Sunday. The burial was at the Hewitt cemetery, where his first wife is buried. Mr. Goney leaves his wife and a daughter, Ellen, and son Victor.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hook and children and son-in-law, Clyde Pulliam and family of Bloomington, Ind., spent the week-end with Miss Ida Hook.

Mrs. G. W. Bryant, Mrs. Roy B. Wright and Mrs. Joe Gregory spent Friday with their cousin, Mrs. Will Watts at Lake City.

Mrs. Kitty Muma of Pontiac is here to spend the summer with her daughters, Mrs. Jesse Funston and Mrs. Blaine Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Holloway and children, Bing, Shirley Sue and Dixie Lee, were guests of Mrs. Holloway's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Rau, near Kenney on Sunday.

BETHANY

Andrew Bankson of Charleston spent Thursday with Mrs. Ida Coleman and brother, C. R. Kennedy.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Luther and Mrs. Dora DeBruler spent Sunday with Mrs. Sarah Shelton.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Smith and Mrs. Lloyd Smith of Decatur spent last week in Tennessee at Camp Forrest with Lloyd Smith, who was to be transferred, but has not received word where he is to go.

Harold Younger, who was stationed at Norfolk, Va., came home Sunday night for a few days furlough with his parents and wife. He left Thursday for San Diego, Calif., where he will be stationed for the present. His wife accompanied him to California and will live nearby.

Rev. W. H. Mason underwent an operation at the Decatur and Macon county hospital for removal of cataracts one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Rayburn, Mrs. Susie Cloud and Mrs. George Webber of Decatur, and Mrs. Ida Coleman spent Wednesday of last week with Miss Mary Cloud.

Ernest Martin and family will spend the summer near St. Charles, where Mr. Martin and wife will be teachers at the St. Charles school there.

Mrs. Mildred Poisel and Miss Margaret McGuire of Decatur spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Scott.

Miss Marjorie Scott has been employed as home economics instructor at Wyandot. Miss Scott graduates this week from Millikin university at Decatur.

W. A. DeBruler and family and Mrs. C. O. Tohill enjoyed a pot-luck dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wright of Findlay.

Corporal and Mrs. Joe Ekiss of Selfridge Field, Mich., are spending several days here with his mother, Mrs. Merle Ekiss and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry McGuire and grandchildren of Decatur spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McGuire. Mrs. Mildred Poisel and Miss Margaret McGuire were callers in the forenoon.

Joe Garrett of Pana spent Sunday with his family.

Lloyd Jackson, who was reported killed at Pearl Harbor, was a guest of the Bethany Lions club last week.

Paul Stine of Chicago, a former high school teacher here, has been employed to be an instructor in a school conducted at Scott Field, near Belleville.

Mrs. Sarah Armstrong returned home from Lovington the last of the week, after spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. George Shelton.

Ralph Wige and family of Arthur spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Ward Thomas.

Miss Patricia Garrett and Miss Wanda DeBruler left Wednesday for Indianapolis, Ind., to spend a few days with Miss Catherine Garrett.

The Ladies' Aid of the Christian church met at the home of Mrs. Will Moore last Thursday for a pot-luck dinner and for their quilting. There were thirteen present.

Mrs. Emma Younger spent Sunday with Mrs. Nora Younger.

The following enjoyed a pot-luck dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Cordray: Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pearce of Findlay, Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Courtwright and granddaughter, Jennie Hendricks of Mattoon, Mrs. Tella Pearce of Sullivan, Edd Pargson of Lovington, Dr. and Mrs. Alfred Cunningham and Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Barnett.

Mrs. Harve Smith is spending several days in Shelbyville with her daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Luther moved Tuesday to Decatur where he has employment.

Word has been received here that Joe Scott, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Scott, and John Baird, son of Mr. and Mrs. DeForrest Baird, have arrived in Australia.

DALTON CITY

The elementary school closed Thursday of last week.

Mrs. J. W. Armstrong attended funeral services for Mrs. Hoblett at Bloomington last Wednesday.

Mrs. S. L. Stevens underwent an operation at St. Mary's hospital in Decatur on Monday morning.

The Dalton City Home Bureau unit entertained the Lake City unit Wednesday afternoon of last week at the Presbyterian church. There were 20 members present.

Pvt. Ray Grinslade and Pvt.

George Horn of Chanute Field spent the week-end here with Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Phillips.

New sidewalks are being laid in town. They have been needed for some time.

Fred Massey of Decatur was a business caller here Thursday evening.

Mrs. A. D. Freeland, Mrs. Sarah Kennedy and Mrs. H. W. Armstrong visited Mrs. Martha Rogers and family at Findlay on Friday evening.

Pvt. Kenneth Virdin of Belleville visited his grandmother, Mrs. P. H. Snyder, on Tuesday and Wednesday.

Auxiliary Gives Tea.

The members of the Legion Auxiliary gave a tea in honor of Seaman Lloyd Jackson at the Legion Hall Sunday afternoon from three to five o'clock. Lloyd gave a very interesting account of his miraculous escape from death at the Pearl Harbor attack. He enjoys the life of the navy and is anxious to get back.

Pvt. Eldon Reeter, who is home from Camp Forrest, Tenn., was present and gave an interesting talk of his life at camp.

Birthday Pot-luck.

The birthdays of George Wagahoff and of his brother-in-law, Morton Ellison of Decatur were celebrated Sunday at the home of Mr. Wagahoff, when a group of friends came at the noon hour with a pot-luck dinner. Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morris and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Nihiser and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Nihiser, Miss Helen Nihiser, Frank Stockman, Mrs. Bonnie Lindsay, Rev. Wantland and son Burdett of Decatur, and Mr. and Mrs. Morton Ellison of Decatur.

Rev. Kerr To Oklahoma.

Rev. Hoyt Kerr preached his farewell sermon at the Presbyterian church on Sunday morning. He goes to Tulsa, Okla., on June 1st to take up his duties as assistant pastor of a Presbyterian church in that city. The congregation will greatly miss the services of Rev. Kerr and wish for him the greatest success possible in his new field.

LAKE CITY

Mrs. J. W. Stackhouse was a Decatur visitor Wednesday.

Dr. Max Schlosser of Mt. Zion was called here Saturday by the illness of Ollie Bushert.

Floyd Rich from Brownstown, who has been at St. Mary's hospital in Decatur was brought to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Levert Rich on Friday. Floyd was taken back to the hospital again Saturday. He is reported to be seriously ill.

Dr. Bores of Bethany was called here Sunday by the illness of Miss Bernadine Rich.

Corporal Thevon Baker of the 316th M. P. of Camp McCoy, Wisconsin, spent Tuesday and Wednesday here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bolsen and his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Baker.

Mrs. Otis Dawson attended the J. B. club meeting Thursday at the home of Mrs. Inza Wilt in Lovington.

Miss Maude Howell of Findlay and Vernon Perrine of Sullivan visited Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Winings and daughter on Friday evening.

Mrs. Ella Winings of Bethany visited T. F. Winings and family on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Ping were Decatur visitors Saturday. Mrs. Ping also visited her sister, Mrs. Lottie Brobert.

B. C. Hamm, Arthur Ault and Jim Powell were Decatur visitors on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Steed were callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stackhouse on Saturday.

Mrs. Ona Mitchell spent several days last week with her daughter, Mrs. Henry Lindsay, in Decatur.

Mrs. Hazel Ault spent Friday at Champaign with Mrs. Frank Noel.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shirey of Macon visited relatives here Saturday.

Jack Voll of Champaign was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Woodall spent the week-end in Decatur with their children. They also visited the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Woodall, who is ill at St. Mary's hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. I. V. Winings and son were dinner guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Lindsay in Decatur.

Mr. and Mrs. Alpha Hamm and son of Decatur were callers here on Saturday.

Mrs. Nettie Roughton of Sullivan was a business visitor here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Howell and daughter and Mrs. Cassie Howell of Findlay visited T. F. Winings and family Sunday.

Mrs. Lela Dowers, Mrs. Sadie Mercer, Mrs. Olive Dugan and Lela Hines of Decatur and Mrs. Sarah Scott and son Fred of Moline, and Ralph Bushert of Hervey City visited Ollie Bushert, who is ill, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Omer Brohard and Mr. and Mrs. James Brohard and two sons of Decatur visited Mr. and Mrs. Alva Ping on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Dawson visited his brother at Pana on Sunday.

Mrs. Ella Rich of Brownstown was a caller here Saturday on account of the illness of her son Floyd.

Mrs. Osa Ault and Art Townley were Decatur visitors Saturday.

Subscribe for THE NEWS

ALLENVILLE

A Gospel team from the Baptist church in Mattoon will present a play "Rock of Ages" at the Methodist church on Sunday evening, beginning at 7 o'clock. The public is invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles McFarland of Mattoon spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. S. R. French.

Mrs. Ivan Ethington and Miss Lois Ethington visited in Decatur on Friday.

Miss Lois Ethington went to Decatur on Sunday, where on Monday she began her studies at a beauty school.

Mrs. Rose Ridgeway, who has been quite ill, is much improved.

Rev. and Mrs. W. B. Hopper spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hoskins.

Miss Norma Howard spent the week-end with Marian Dolan.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Gibson and daughter, Lila, attended the dog show at Fox Ridge State park on Sunday.

Wilda and Marilyn Hoskins spent last week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Reub Davis in Sullivan.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Cundiff and son, Jack, have moved to Mattoon where he is now employed in the Big Four shops.

Sunday School Party

The Junior class of the Christian Sunday school held a party at the home of Tommy Lee Osborn on Friday evening. Games were played and Bob Osborn served popcorn, cookies and cocoa. Those present were: Eva Fitzhington, James Martin, William Harris, Wilda Hoskins, Don Harris, Ida Allen, Tommy Lee Osborn, June Standerfer, Mildred Standerfer, Loy Hopper, Marilyn Hoskins, Frank Elzy, Bonnie Fay Hopper and Patsy Hoskins.

Adults present: Mr. and Mrs. Vey Osborn, Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Don Hopper, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Ethington, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Hoskins, Mrs. Floyd Harris, Bob Osborn, H. L. Martin and John Standerfer.

EAST COUNTY LINE

Miss Jane Craig spent the week in Mattoon with her grandmother, Mrs. W. F. Janes, and other relatives.

Mrs. Paul Milam and son Kent spent the week-end in Chicago with Mr. Milam. He was sent to a camp in Wisconsin on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Harmon attended the wedding of Miss Mary Grissom of Arthur to Paul Wright of Charleston on Sunday afternoon at the Baptist church in Arthur.

Miss Jean Craig was hostess to the 4-H club girls on Friday afternoon. Light refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Conlin and son Davey and Jackie, and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Conlin and Elizabeth were supper guests Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Daily and John.

Mrs. Ruth Whitlock of Arthur spent Sunday with her father and brother, Charles and Gorten Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Watson and daughters, Dolores and Beverly, were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Morgan in Sullivan.

Mrs. Donald Ryan was hostess on Tuesday afternoon to the Study club of the St. Columbkille Catholic church of Sullivan.

Adam Harmon and son Glenn were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. John Harmon.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Craig and daughters Jane and Jean spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. James Janes, near Windsor.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Watkins and Craig called on his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Watkins on Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ryan and Marjorie spent Sunday in Sullivan with her mother, Mrs. Ella Wiser.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Shay spent Tuesday morning in Mattoon.

BRUCE

Miss Merle Waite is visiting her sister, Mrs. Otis Sutton and Mrs. C. D. Sharp and brother John Waite, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Walker attended a birthday dinner at the

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Wallace Kirkpatrick of Indianapolis, Ind., is visiting his mother, Mrs. Olla Darst.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Enos of Carlinville spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Sutton. They returned on Wednesday, accompanied by Betty Rudanovich.

Mrs. Edwards of Windsor came Saturday to make her home with her daughter, Mrs. Clifford Houser.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Morrison, Mr. and Mrs. Price Morrison, Mrs. Harold Hornbeck and son spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Morrison.

Mrs. Osa Wright, Mrs. Otto Kissel and Mrs. Maurice Lasater of Decatur attended quarterly conference at Windsor on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Vangulash of Decatur called on the latter's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Abbott, on Sunday afternoon.

WHITLEY CREEK

Mrs. Lavaughn Townley came from the West last week for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Monson. This is her first visit home for two years.

Lester Wickline is in Springfield selling for a coffee company.

Mrs. Minnie Osborn and friend, who are visiting here from Martinsville, W. Va., spent Tuesday with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Pearl Lilly.

Elliot Yeakle spent Saturday night and Sunday with Kenneth Young.

Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Kimbrough and Max visited Jean in Charleston on Sunday and attended church there. They called on Mr. and Mrs. Ray Young and Mr. and Mrs. John Reed in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Scroggins and daughter spent a ten day vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Doughty.

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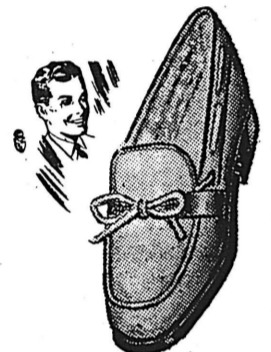
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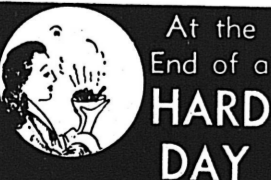
Memorial services for Sgt. William C. Smith, who was killed in a bomber plane crash at Wheeler Field, Hawaii on May 5, will be held at 2 p. m. Sunday, May 24, in the First Baptist church at Arthur.

No details of the crash in which Sgt. Smith lost his life have been received by either his mother, Mrs. Nona Smith, of Arthur, or his wife, Mrs. Winifred Sampson Smith of Denver, Colo. The telegram from the War department stated that his death occurred as a result of fatal head injuries received in the bomber crash. Later information said that the body would be sent upon request at the close of hostilities. Sgt. Smith was a bombardier with the ship's crew, and the first Arthur soldier to lose his life in the present war.

Sgt. Smith was born in Arthur Feb. 28, 1921, and spent his entire life there until his enlistment with the U. S. Aviation Corps shortly after his graduation from the Arthur high school in 1939. He was married to Miss Winifred Sampson of Denver, Colo., on June 29, 1941.

During his course of training he was located at Chanute Field and Scott Field, in Illinois, at Shreveport, La., and twice at Savannah, Ga. He completed a course in advanced armament at Lowry Field, Colo., last July, and was sent to Hawaii in March, 1942, where he was stationed at Hickman Field for a short time before being transferred to Wheeler Field, where he was located at the time of his death.

He is survived by his widow, his mother, two brothers, Lawrence of Washington, Ill., and James of Lincoln, and a sister, Miss Mary Ellen of Dixon.



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LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Mrs. Lewie David spent Wednesday in Decatur.

Mrs. Lyda Edwards and Mrs. Bess Carver spent Tuesday in Monticello. Miss Dorothea Hamilton and Miss Icca Reeser were in Springfield on Friday.

Al Lindsay, who has been ill since early May with heart trouble is improving.

R. W. Heim attended the bankers' convention the last of the week in St. Louis.

Mrs. Ethel Clark was the dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clark on Sunday.

Mrs. Martha Bean is staying with her sister, Mrs. Ollie Woodruff and daughter Fern.

Mrs. Rose Crist of near Pierson Station called one afternoon on Mrs. Merlie Stokes.

Mr. and Mrs. Ansel Howard and Homer Abrams went to Shelbyville on Tuesday evening.

Miss Sally Peters of Evanston spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Peters.

Mrs. Cecil Hamilton and Dorothea and Mrs. Les Rushing and Peggy spent Wednesday in Decatur.

Mrs. Otto Frederick, Miss Lulu Clark, and Elvie Clark went to Joliet on Saturday to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clark, Ethel Clark and Lulu Clark visited George Crawford in Tuscola on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Thompson of Windsor were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lewie David on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Peters went on a business trip to Evanston on Wednesday. They plan to stay several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy S. Little and children and Maxine Askew were in Chicago on Sunday and Monday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. McCorvie left last Friday for Caledonia for a visit of several days with her brother, John Kelly.

Ross Maris, who left last week for training at Camp Grant, came home last Wednesday for a few days visit with his wife.

Gail Killum and Merle Milam went to Arkansas on Tuesday to get Gail's brother. They returned on Wednesday night.

Mrs. Hilda L. McKim and Shirley June of Windsor called on her mother Saturday afternoon at the W. A. Stokes home.

Mrs. Agnes Hancock, who has been in St. Mary's hospital for observation since Monday, May 4, came home Tuesday afternoon.

Francis (Pete) Heckler, who is stationed at Keesler Field is home on furlough, where he is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Heckler.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Abrams and family and Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Sagers visited Mr. and Mrs. Claud Sagers of near Cowden on Sunday.

Everett Hays, who has been a patient at the Carle Clinic in Urbana for the past few weeks, returned to his home here on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Seward of Hammond spent one afternoon this week with her niece, Mrs. Merlie Stokes. They had been visiting relatives near Stewardson for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Howard and family and Annabell and Mable Henderson of Chicago were weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Henderson and other relatives here.

BAN GRAIN SHIPMENTS BY RAIL WITHOUT PERMISSION

Effective May 20, farmers may no longer ship grain to Chicago without special permission. The action was taken by the car service division of the Association of American Railroads upon recommendation of the Chicago Grain Storage committee.

The storage committee is composed of representatives of grain buyers, milling industries, railroads, and the U. S. department of agriculture. The processors will thus be able to efficiently handle grain shipments as they will be made gradually.

The restriction is also effective at Kansas City, St. Louis, and Minneapolis, as well as at sub-terminals such as Decatur, Springfield, and Peoria. Railroads will refuse to accept grain unless the shipper has a permit or certifies that the grain is for sale and not for storage.

The ban will be felt most strongly on farmers who have been accustomed to store wheat in terminal warehouses under government loan. Storage Shortage Seen.

Since farmers are limited to \$1,000 in amount of farm construction for any one year the farmer's ingenuity in providing storage space on his own farm will be needed. In most cases good storage structures can be built for less than the \$1,000 maximum, but in others it will be necessary for the farmers to adapt other structures for grain storage.

This is a wartime problem and the farmers will have to solve it. Farmers have always been adaptive and will find out some way to overcome the difficulties. One farmer, for instance, constructed a storage structure using a great deal of fine wire which kept his corn from falling out.

International Film Exhibit

Sixteen nations entered films in the International Exhibition of Cinematographic Art held in Venice recently.

DOSS SENTENCED TO SIX MONTHS FOR LIBEL

Admonishing him as a man "who should have known better," Judge James V. Bartley of Joliet, Tuesday, sentenced former Piatt county judge W. A. Doss to six months in the Piatt county jail. Doss was also ordered to pay all costs of the trial.

The sentence followed Judge Bartley's denial of Doss' motion for a new trial after he had been found guilty on May 9 on a charge of criminal libel against Carl Glasgow, Piatt county state's attorney.

The execution of sentence was stayed for 60 days to allow Doss to prepare his bill of exceptions for an appeal of the verdict. The appeal must be filed within 45 days.

Asks Change of Venue.

Doss filed a motion for a change of venue on the citation charging him with contempt, for which an amended information was filed five days ago by O. D. Mann, special Piatt county prosecutor.

Court was adjourned Tuesday before Judge Bartley ruled on the change of venue motion, but was to convene again Tuesday afternoon.

In announcing the sentence, Judge Bartley said:

"It has not been a pleasant matter to serve as judge in the case. When the supreme court judge called and asked me to serve, I knew nothing about it and told them I would serve. Had I known what I do now, I probably would have said no.

"No one could have been around here as I have been and not learn that this has caused disunity, when at a time such as this, during this terrible war, a community should be united.

"The defendant is a learned man and had been honored by the people of the county and had served as county judge and state's attorney, and should have known better."

INCREASED WAR ACTIVITY INCREASES RENTALS

The increased war activity at Chanute Field, Army Air Corp Technical school at Rantoul, is reflected in the rising cost of home rentals in that city as shown by an index prepared for the OPA by the WPA and released today by Harold Pogue, District WPA manager.

For the 19 month period from September 1940 through April 1942, the increase amounted to 9 1/2% in the average rental price of dwellings, 11.5%, or one-ninth of the available homes, increased their rental prices between December 1941 and April 1942. The average increase amounted to \$5.09 and to offset this, decreases were recorded in only 2.7% of the rental units.

Increases were most marked in the \$25 to \$40 a month price range where the increase amounted to 26 percent of the average rental prices. For those units renting for \$40 and more, the increase was 9 percent.

The WPA has made a complete enumeration of all dwelling units throughout the city designated as a Defense Area as a part of the War Service Division of that agency, according to Mr. Pogue.

Arizona's Painted Desert

The Painted desert is an area of plateaus and low mesas in north central Arizona. It extends from the top of the Marble canyon of the Colorado river southeastward along the east side of the Little Colorado for about 100 miles. The desert lies at an altitude of about 5,000 feet.

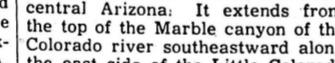
Its vast areas of rocks, mostly Triassic shales and sandstones, exhibit a great variety of colors, including red, pink, purple, chocolate, lavender, pale green and gray, whence the name painted.

Invention of Bronchoscope

The bronchoscope, an instrument for the extraction of foreign bodies from the lungs and bronchial tubes, was invented by Dr. G. Killian of Vienna and originally used by him. It was brought to this country by physicians, modified and perfected by Dr. Chevalier Jackson of Philadelphia, and is now in use in practically every large hospital in the country.

What You Buy With WAR BONDS

The Army's fighter planes are the finest in the world and develop speeds up to 400 miles an hour. They cost approximately \$100,000 each, provide fighter escorts for the huge flying fortresses, and combine speed, range, altitude and blistering fire power.



America's plane production plants are working over-time turning out thousands of these fighter planes. War Savings Bonds will help pay for them and the American people are committed to at least ten percent of their income to finance their cost in War Bonds. Every American, buying his share every pay day, will make it comparatively easy to supply our army and navy air corps with these supreme Eagles of the air.



Washington, D. C. RRs VS. SHIPS

It hasn't made headlines, but a battle royal has been raging between WPB Czar Donald Nelson and Transportation Czar Joe Eastman over the freezing of steel for the construction of railroad cars.

With less and less shipping moving along the coast, and more and more traffic by rail, the question is one of the most important facing the country.

What happened was that the War Production board froze all construction materials already on hand in railroad construction shops. The intention was to transfer these materials for use in building other types of cars.

However, Joe Eastman claims that these materials, chiefly steel, already had been bought and cut out for certain cars, in certain shapes, so the order merely will make the materials go unused, with car shops closing down.

Already, Eastman argues, certain plants of Pullman Standard are idle, at a time when all plants should be used to capacity.

Meanwhile railroads are groaning with traffic. Sugar is now being hauled by rail as much as possible from Florida to avoid submarines. Oil is clogged up in the producing fields for lack of railroad transportation. And with the sinkings of several Chilean ore ships, more iron ore has to be hauled from interior U. S. iron mines.

In view of all this, Eastman complains bitterly that Nelson won't release the steel and let the car foundries do the job.

INFLUENCING EUROPEAN LABOR

Here is one inside reason why Roosevelt leans toward labor. Basically, the President always has been pro-labor, and continues to be, even though he has become fed up with some labor activities in the past year.

But in addition, U. S. war strategists are convinced that the chief hope of revolution in Europe comes from labor. And most of the psychological warfare strategy being devised here is aimed at influencing labor in Germany, Czechoslovakia, Austria and the occupied countries.

Although not generally known, the nucleus of the old Social Democratic party which tried to create a real republic in Germany is still intact. When Hitler came into power, they moved to Czechoslovakia. After the Sudetenland seizure, they moved to Paris. After the downfall of Paris, they moved to the U. S. A.

Fifty Social Democrats from the old Reichstag are now in this country co-operating with U. S. officials.

Furthermore, it is labor in the European occupied countries which is able to assemble or make radios. German labor listens to the radio far more than other classes. Some labor groups even have published very small "underground" newspapers on hand presses and these are distributed by hand.

German labor resents the long hours in munitions factories, the small pay and the lack of food, more than any other group. Also labor is about the only group which was not taken over completely by Hitler. The Communists, his chief opponents, now have long been underground, but secretly active.

To European labor Roosevelt always has been one of the world's greatest leaders. And one thought in the minds of war strategists is to show Europe that the rights of labor here will not be thrown completely overboard during war.

WALLACE'S FAVORITES

The men who came to Washington with Henry Wallace in the early days of the New Deal realize now that they picked a winning horse. Almost to a man, they have moved up to important posts in the government.

Claude Wickard was head of the corn-hog section in Wallace's AAA. Now he is secretary of agriculture.

Milo Perkins was a lowly assistant to Wallace, holding down a desk in the outer office. Today, he runs the Board of Economic Warfare, as important as a cabinet post.

Paul Appleby was an assistant in the inner office. Now he is under-secretary of agriculture at \$10,000 a year.

Chester Davis was head of the AAA. Now he is director of the Federal Reserve bank in St. Louis.

R. M. ("Spike") Evans was an aide to Wallace; now head of AAA. Sam Bledsoe, Roy Hendricksen, and Whitney Tharin were newsmen covering agriculture. Bledsoe is now an assistant to the secretary.

MERRY-GO-ROUND

Secretary of War Stimson is held in the warmest personal esteem by army commanders. Hard-working and open-minded, he never meddles in military operations and backs up his subordinates 100 per cent. Stimson is always at his desk by 8 a. m., and rarely leaves until evening, when he always takes home with him a big bundle of papers that he works over after dinner.

Good explanation of "Your Army" and how the draft works, has been written by George E. Jiler of the Bridgeport Post.

Advertisement for Sullivan Grain Co. and Warren Davis, featuring a large illustration of an American flag and the headline 'You Did Your Part In Collecting 102 Tons Scrap'. The ad lists names of donors and promotes the collection of scrap metal for the war effort.

Less Sugar For Restaurants

Restaurants were given an additional cut in their sugar quota at a meeting of the sugar rationing board Wednesday night.

The first cut that was given permitted the restaurant owners to receive 70 per cent of the unrestricted amounts. It was, however, pointed out at the meeting Wednesday, that this was a mistake and that they would only be allowed 50 percent of the total amount.

Owners of the restaurants reported that many of them had to reduce the use of sugar approximately 200 pounds as the result of this new ruling. They also said that they would not be permitted to purchase sugar during the second period because they had exceeded their first quota, because of the old ruling. Sugar would have to be drastically reduced to their customers in order that they wouldn't go sugarless until they were permitted to purchase their next quota.

FAREWELL PARTY FOR MISS ICCA REESER

Miss Betty Jo Light gave a farewell dinner party at her home on Thursday evening, in honor of Icca Reeser. Icca is leaving Saturday, May 23, for Los Angeles, Calif., where she will join her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Reeser.

The following guests were present: Miss Icca Reeser and Mrs. Jack Poland, Miss Marla Crockett and Mrs. Blonson Crockett, Miss Elma Wirth and Mrs. Troy Wirth, Miss Kay Reedy and Mrs. H. S. Reedy, Miss Jean Pressy and Mrs. Normal Pressy, Miss Dorothea Hamilton and Mrs. Cecil Hamilton, Miss Ruthie Brackney and Mrs. Fern Brackney, Miss Frankie Webber, Miss Light and Mrs. Roy Light.

Children's Party

A child's party should be a simple play party, with refreshments at the time of the regular meal.

MARKET REPORT. The market report Thursday is as follows: New No. 3 White Corn .87, New No. 3 Yellow Corn .77, Wheat \$1.06, Oats .46, Soybeans \$1.64.

Produce Markets. Butterfat .36, Leghorn Hens .13, Hons .17, Old Cocks .10, Eggs .25.

LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE OF CLAIM DATE. Estate of Harry L. Utz, Deceased. Notice is hereby given to all persons that Monday, July 6, 1942, is the claim date in the estate of Harry L. Utz, Deceased, pending in the County Court of Moultrie County, Illinois, and that claims may be filed against the said estate on or before said date without issuance of summons.

Laura Utz, Administratrix.

J. L. McLaughlin, Attorney.

Advertisement for L. W. McMullin Funeral Home, featuring the headline 'Our Ambulance' and 'Ready any hour, any day - Complete, efficient service!'. The ad lists the funeral home's address and phone number.

Report of City Electric Dept. As Made to the City Council

To the Mayor and City Commissioners of the City of Sullivan, Illinois, I, Cale R. Cunningham, beg leave to submit my report as Superintendent of the Electric Department from May 10, 1941 to May 10, 1942.

SUMMARY	
Balance May 10, 1941	\$20,515.36
Collected from Sale of Current	63,377.20
Collected Int. \$125.00, Mdse Fund \$2,718.49	3,093.49
Other Col. \$250.00	3,093.49
	\$86,886.05
Paid out during the year	77,292.22
Balance May 10, 1942	\$ 9,693.83

OPERATING COSTS	
Total Collected from sale of Current	\$63,377.20
Distribution System, Office, etc.	\$16,869.05
Salaries & Supplies at Generating Plant	3,712.37
Repairs to Engines, Generators, & Bldg.	1,346.86
Fuel Oil Used (211,773 at .04913)	10,404.62
Lubricating Oil used (3,628 at .20)	725.60
Depreciation by Auditor	\$12,000.00
	\$50,058.50

Net profit after giving one Free month of Electric Service of \$4,807.33	\$13,318.70
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SUPPLIES & LABOR	
Office Distribution & Labor	\$16,869.05
Generating Station Supplies, Labor etc.	21,687.50
	\$38,556.55

CASH & PERMANENT EQUIPMENT	
Sinking Fund	\$12,000.00
Addition to Distribution System	2,284.23
Government Bonds	10,000.00
Building Purchased	11,305.99
	\$35,590.22

CASH TO OTHER DEPARTMENTS	
Contingent Fund	\$ 645.45
Street & Alley	1,500.00
Park	1,000.00
	\$ 3,145.45

Total Paid Out	\$77,292.22
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EXPENDITURES IN DETAIL OFFICE DISTRIBUTION	
Salaries	\$ 5,637.95
Truck	191.03
Office	1,434.77
Insurance & audit	1,044.50
Poles (1 car)	930.18
Line Material	4,552.21
Freight	144.97
Telephone	30.78
Sinking Fund	12,000.00
Metres	1,942.75
Street Light Hoods	6.93
Sales Tax	1,902.34
Government Bonds	10,000.00
Surety Bonds	45.00
Cash to other Departments	3,145.45
Rebates	30.12
Transformers	855.36
Meter Repairs	8.85
Treasure Salary	150.00
Building Purchase & Alterations	11,305.99
Building Expense, Coal, Janitor etc.	245.54
	\$55,604.72

GENERATING STATION	
Salaries & Labor	\$ 6,347.28
Supplies	903.56
Insurance	\$ 1,453.09
Fuel Oil (216,895 gal.)	10,656.41
Lubricating Oil	971.84
Repairs	952.67
Piston Rings	394.19
Freight	8.46
	\$21,687.50

CURRENT DISTRIBUTION	
Electric Light Plant	\$118,077
Street Lights	110,000
Water & Sewer Plant	130,000
Park, Xmas Decorations, Fire Dept. etc.	100,000
600 Electric Light Users	422,323
201 Light & Refrigerations Users	162,700
261 Light & Cooking Users	529,938
9 Commercial Heat Users	33,768
82 Power Users	512,248
26 Hot Water Users	151,500
Losses & Unaccounted for 9 1/2%	235,046
	\$2,405,600

SINKING FUND	
Balance May 10, 1941	\$27,348.98
Collected (\$12,000.00) Interest (\$400.00)	12,400.00
Balance May 10, 1942	\$39,748.98

ELECTRIC SERVICE FUND	
Balance May 10, 1941	\$ 4,518.00
Collected	1,135.00
	\$ 5,653.00
Paid Out	840.00
Balance May 10, 1942	\$ 4,813.00

Respectfully Submitted,
C. R. CUNNINGHAM
Supt. Electric Dept.

MRS. JOE ASHBROOK AND SON ARRIVE AT CHAMPAIGN FROM BRAZIL

Mrs. Joe Ashbrook and son Robby, three years of age, arrived at Champaign from the Illinois Central train, City of Miami, on Wednesday evening from Rio Grande do Sul, Brazil, for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Bresson in Champaign and also with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Art Ashbrook of Sullivan. They arrived at Miami on Saturday after making the last lap of their trip from Puerto Rico. The first part of their trip was made by a slow boat and at Rio de Janeiro they boarded a strato-liner. The trip was made entirely by daylight, with

overnight stops along the way. Mr. Ashbrook went directly to Washington, D. C., and will join his family here later.

ARTHUR MAN ACCEPTED BY U. S. NAVY

Jesse C. Jean of Arthur was accepted last week for enlistment in the U. S. Navy at Champaign and left for St. Louis. He was to take his final physical examinations and if successful was to be sworn into the navy. Mr. Jean asked for enlistment as a painter third class, and was classified in VG, miscellaneous specialties.

COUNTY NEWS

KIRKSVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Coman Gustin and family and Tom Gustin spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Wise Gustin. Mr. and Mrs. John Floyd, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Donnell and Lowell Donnell of Ladoga, Ind., called on Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Donnell on Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Warner spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Luther Marble.

Mr. and Mrs. Curt Calahan called on Mr. and Mrs. Wise Gustin on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl West spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd West.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cole, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest England and family and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Risley spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Risley and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Marble and daughter spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Andy Fultz and family.

Elvie Clark and Miss Lulu Clark spent the week-end with Victor Clark, who is in the Joliet hospital with a back injury.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Thompson of Findlay and Mr. and Mrs. Loren Rhodes spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Wise Gustin.

Mr. and Mrs. Anil Burgholzer and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sentel and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Tony Burgholzer.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Sentel spent Sunday afternoon in Decatur. Mrs. Clara Moore returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Jeffers and family spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Jeffers.

Mr. and Mrs. Bethel Conwell spent the week-end with Mrs. Cordelia Ritchey. Mr. and Mrs. George Taylor and son spent Sunday with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Hudson, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Marble and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Elder and family spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Donnell and family and Lowell Donnell of Ladoga, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Niemeyer were callers in Teutopolis on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Marshall and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Grover Graven and son.

Anna and Freda Bruce spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Donnell.

Mrs. Luther Marble called on Mrs. Grover Graven on Tuesday afternoon.

JONATHAN CREEK

Mrs. Carrie Landers spent the week-end with Mrs. Belle Piper.

The men of the Jonathan Creek church met on Monday afternoon and Tuesday and worked on the church yard.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Elder spent Sunday and Monday in Elwood, Ind., with their daughter and son-in-law, Rev. and Mrs. Duncan McCall, and family.

The Ladies' Aid of the west division of the church will meet on Wednesday afternoon, May 30, with Mrs. Susie Powell.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Haines of Decatur and Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Buxton of near Lovington, called on Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Everett on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pound and Jimmy spent Monday in Mattoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Welch and family spent Monday in Decatur.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Spaug and Norma Jean spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Spaug and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Wacaser and family spent Thursday evening in Lovington.

Mrs. Edson Buxton and sons spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Baker and family, in Champaign.

Mr. and Mrs. John Baucom and Betty Lou spent Sunday afternoon and evening with Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Everett.

FULLER'S POINT

Ira Reed, who has been ill, is slowly recovering.

Maynard Rhue spent Friday evening with Rose Soper.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Ellis spent Saturday with Mrs. Jessie Rominger.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hoskins and Martha Kay, Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Spaug and Norma, and Mr. and Mrs. Ora Soper and Jimmy were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Spaug and Herschel, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerold Cazier spent Tuesday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cazier.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Ellis spent Sunday with Mrs. Rose Jenkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Johnson called on Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Cahoon on Tuesday evening.

4-H PEP-UP CLUB MET LAST FRIDAY
The Jonathan Creek 4-H Pep-Up club met May 15 at the home of Jean and Jane Craig. Officers were elected as follows:
President—Juanita Suhl.
Vice-President—Jean Craig.
Secy.—Doris Watson.
Reporter—Wilma Cole.
Rec. Chairman—Phyllis Suhl.
Miss Dorothy Footitt was present and explained the project. After the business meeting, refreshments were served. The next meeting will be held May 29 at the home of Doris and Alberta Watson.

'Round The Square

THE UNSEASONABLE weather is keeping the Victory gardeners on their toes at night... some say the tomatoes should be covered and others say that they shouldn't.

AND THERE ARE THOSE who find that they have an ample supply of sugar at home but not at the favorite eating place, so they take their sugar with them... it all works out very well.

IN THE RECENT DRIVE sponsored by two business men to get scrap iron for the countries defense needs, over 100 tons was delivered to the railroad cars... One tractor was driven into the car and was shipped to the market... there was also a caterpillar tractor driven into the car and shipped as scrap... the two dealers were almost overcome when they found that they had to ship the 100 tons... this should be something of a record... Sullivan can do its part in the war toward making Hitler and his slant-eyed half cousins from being too happy.

IT IS SAID THAT THE BUCKET BRIGADE men are serious in their contentions that they can clean out the lake by hand... when you get a determined group they can do most anything... except get new tires and more sugar...

TO DO OR NOT... that is the question in the minds of most motorists... it seems inevitable that there will be gasoline rationing for all motorists... you even see bicycle riders looking at their tires occasionally.

TO TEST YOUR ABILITY to observe those things that you see every day... 1. How many steps are there going into the court house? 2. Which hand on the court house clock is the nearest to the dial of the clock? 3. Are there dashes between the numbers on the 1942 license plates of cars? 4. What is the street address of your home or office? (Can you even tell the name of the street?) 5. On what side of the hat is the bow on a man's hat? 6. What is the name of the artist on the USO posters that are seen in all of the store windows? 7. How many times are there on a common eating fork?

EVEN IF YOU ONLY BUY a ten cent defense stamp a week, the Japs will know that the American people mean business in the matter of winning this war... ten cents will buy some part of a bomb... for Tokio.

FARM SPORTS FESTIVAL IS CANCELLED.
Because of the war the seventh annual Illinois Agricultural Association sports festival will not be conducted late in August and early September at the University of Illinois campus. This was learned Monday morning from C. L. Mast, Jr., director of public relations for the IAA, Chicago.

Such action was taken by the IAA's board of directors recent meeting in Chicago. But the directors recommended that reconsideration of having the festival be given for the fall of 1943. Because this is one of the major summer agricultural events, it was not until after thorough consideration had been given the matter that directors decided to cancel it for this year.

Over 3,000 participants have been recorded in this festival yearly, with attendance attaining 25,000 to 30,000. For six years this has been a pre-Labor day week-end event at the University of Illinois campus. IAA directors did not take final action until a survey was made by the county farm and home bureaus, and a special committee considered the matter.

CONSERVATION PROGRAM COST AT LOW FIGURE
Expenses of county associations in Illinois for administration of the agricultural conservation program during the year that ended June 30, 1941, averaged 4.9 per cent of the gross payments made to the farmers of that state by the Agricultural Adjustment Administration.

Illinois farmers received \$25,114,779, and county association expenses totaled \$1,230,389, it was shown by an agricultural department table inserted in the Congressional Record by Senator Byrd, (D), Virginia, who told the Senate that 100,000 farmer committeemen of the country had collected \$44,000,000 in expenses during the fiscal year that ended June 30, 1941.

Byrd said he was unable to obtain from department officials any "satisfactory explanation" of a "tremendous variation" in administrative costs between various states and between counties within the same state.

Moultrie county received monies as follows: Gross payment, \$217,174; Association expenses, \$6,524; Percent expenses is of payment 3%.

Classified Ads

FOR SALE

USED STOVES—We have a good selection of cook, heating and oil stoves.—Harry Fulk, Terrace Block, Sullivan. 23tf

JAMESWAY EQUIPMENT for barns, poultry houses, etc. Call Barclay's, Phone 3229. 29tf

BABY CHICKS HATCH — every Tuesday and Friday. If interested write for prices. Biehler's Hatchery, Strasburg, Ill. 2tf

LAST HATCH June 15. Book your order before they are all gone, will have started chicks most any time. Ulmer's Hatchery, Strasburg, Illinois. 21tf

FOR SALE—A hatch every day in the season. 45,000 chicks fresh our incubators every morning. Start with fresh chicks. Sexed or non-sexed. Hayes Brothers Hatchery, 405 S. Water St., Decatur, Illinois. 822c

FOR SALE — 1937 Plymouth Deluxe coupé. New rings, bearing inserts last 2,500 miles. Tires good for many miles. \$200 cash. Call The News office.

FOR SALE — Illini Soybeans, Machine run, Germ test 96%; Price \$2.00 bushel. Recleaned, Germ test 98% & 99%; Price \$2.25 bushel. J. E. Crowder, Sullivan. p203

FOR SALE—I. H. C. all-steel grain drill, A-1 condition. Reedy & Grote. p211

FOR SALE OR RENT—four-room house in Kirksville. See Cordelia Ritchey. p212

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Three room apartment, unfurnished. Upstairs, modern. Mrs. Gertrude Walter. Dial 6194. 21tf

FOR RENT — Modern house. See Myrtle Dunscomb. 21tf

FOR RENT — Two-room apartment upstairs, unfurnished. Call 3128. Mrs. Anna Ray. 21tf

FOR RENT — Furnished room for one or two. Adjoining bath. Dial 3184. 21tf

FOR RENT—3-room apartment, unfurnished. No children. Call between 4 p. m. and 7 p. m. Friday. 614 W. Harrison. Ed Pals. 21tf

FOR RENT — Two upstairs unfurnished rooms. Dial 3128. 20tf

FOR RENT—3 1/2 room unfurnished apartment. Call 4111 before 5 p. m., then 4112. 19tf

FOR RENT — 3-room unfurnished modern apartment. Call after four o'clock. Stanley Fleming. 215 S. Hamilton St. 20tf

WANTED

WANTED—Short order cook. Call at Coffee Shoppe. 21tf

WORK WANTED—Common labor near Lovington. J. L. West. 21t

WANTED—Boys age 10 to 14 for Accrains Band. Instrument only 85-cents. Lessons in your city 15c. Write J. C. Richards, 2512 Shelby Mattoon, Ill. 21t

WANTED—We have a buyer for 40, 60 or 80 acres of grass land with small creek. No improvements or small improvements preferred. Wood Insurance & Realty Company. 18tf

LOST

LOST—Dark grey boy's raincoat. Reward. Robert Hess, 414 East Waggoner St. p211

MISCELLANEOUS

HAVE YOUR SEWING MACHINE Repaired and put in good sewing condition. We have a man that knows and does the work satisfactorily, at Ross' Store. Dial 5196 Sullivan. 46tf

BABY CHICKS — Get Yunker's chicks for a profit producing flock of good hens. Barred Rocks, White Rocks, S. C. Reds, White Wyandotts, White Minorcas, White Leg horns. Get the Best, Order Early. Yunker's Hatchery, Phone 250, Windsor, Ill. 7tf

MONEY TO LOAN on farm land at 4 and 5%. Also city and residence loans. Write C. E. Stetson, White Hall, Ill. p214

HOSTESS AT SLUMBER PARTY
Miss Frankie Webber was hostess at a slumber party at her home last Friday evening. Those present were: Misses Ica Reaser, Betty Light, Marna Crockett, Kay Reedy, Elma Wirth, Jean Pressy, Ruthie Brackney, Dorothea Hamilton, Thelma Ann Briscoe of Peoria, and Miss Webber. The following day was spent on a picnic in Decatur.

HANKLA'S --- DIAL 2251

FREE DELIVERY

WE WISH TO THANK OUR PRESENT CUSTOMERS FOR THEIR PATRONAGE AND THEIR SPLENDID CO-OPERATION WITH OUR DELIVERY SERVICES.

We invite NEW TRADE to come in and get acquainted with OUR STORE AND SERVICES.

WE CARRY A COMPLETE LINE OF COMPETITIVE PRICED MERCHANDISE AS WELL AS OUR RICHELIEU, BLUE RIBBON AND PREMIUM BRANDS.

AGAIN WE ARE ASKED TO COOPERATE WITH THE WAR EMERGENCY BOARD BY REDUCING OUR DELIVERY TO ONE TRIP A DAY PER FAMILY.

By combining your daily purchases into one order we will be enabled to continue our present delivery and also to abide by this new request.

DIAL 2251 — Same Special Attention will be given to your orders as if you came to our store in person.

JOB PAYMENTS TOP 100 MILLION MARK

Benefit payments to jobless Illinois workers under the Illinois Unemployment Compensation Act passed the \$100-million mark early in May of this year, State Director of Labor Francis B. Murphy announced today.

"The money paid to unemployed wage earners in job insurance benefits is just as important now as it any time since the first Illinois check for Unemployment Compensation was paid in July 1939," declared the director.

"Job insurance has helped to solve a serious problem as thousands of workers throughout the state are temporarily out of work while the production lines of industry are converted to full-time war work."

Approved by the General Assembly in July 1937, the Illinois Unemployment Compensation Act provided for payment of benefits for involuntary unemployment beginning in July 1939. Under the original provisions of the law only the jobs of workers of employers of eight or more persons were insured.

Beginning with January 1, 1940, the number of covered workers was increased with the amendment of the Act to include employers of six or more persons.

Another significant date, explained Director Murphy, was April 1, 1942, when the maximum weekly benefit amount for total unemployment was raised from \$16 to \$18, and the maximum duration of benefits from 16 to 20 weeks.

More than two million Illinois workers are now protected against complete loss of income during unemployment under the State Unemployment Compensation must qualify for benefits a worker must be able to work, willing to accept a suitable job offered, and have earned at least \$225 in insured work during the year 1941. All claims for Unemployment Compensation must be made in person at the office of the United States Employment Service for the district in which the worker lives.

Hitler—The Choir Boy
Adolf Hitler as a boy sang in the choir in the Benedictine monastery at Lambach.

WPB DECREES CURB ON AIR CONDITIONING

The War-reduction board on Friday prohibited new installations of air conditioning and commercial refrigeration equipment in theatres, restaurants, hotels and for all other uses except to meet military and essential civilian needs.

The order also places rigid restrictions on the production and sale of such equipment.

After 90 days, the production of beer dispensers, carbonated beverage dispensers, bottled beverage coolers, individual room coolers, florists' boxes, fountainette-type soda fountains, and low temperature refrigerators designated to store frozen foods or to "quick-freeze" food, will be stopped completely.

In the 90-day period of production, only the army, navy and maritime commission will be entitled to order these and similar articles.

Curtalement of the industry was necessary to save large quantities of war-essential iron, steel and copper, WPB's announcement said.

BETTER CROPS and More of Them

will help make the needed extra food required under war conditions. You can provide for them by using

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It is the quick-acting, much disintegrated rock phosphate, which is distinguished by high first year and early years crop increases. Use it now or store it for application when convenient.

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THOMSON PHOSPHATE COMPANY
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LOCAL NEWS

Miss Myrna Stricklan is now able to work again.

Icca Reeser spent several days this week with relatives near Tuscola.

Mrs. Cary Landers visited with Mrs. Oscar Piper over the week-end.

James Mills returned Wednesday to the Veterans' hospital at Dwight.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Albers spent Sunday with friends in Decatur.

Thelma Ann Briscoe, of Peoria, spent the week-end here with friends.

The Presbyterian Ladies' club met with Mrs. C. J. Booze on Thursday, May 21.

Mr. and Mrs. Julio Florini went to St. Louis Sunday to attend the ball game.

Marvin Kenny went to Peoria Monday, where he expects to find employment.

Mr. and Mrs. Ike Briscoe of Chicago visited with his mother over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. David Joekisch of St. Louis spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Poland.

Mrs. John Gramblin and children of Detroit are visiting relatives here and in Lovington.

Joyce Yarnell is spending a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Milton Harwood of Dixon.

Mrs. Huston C. Smith of Louisville, Kentucky is visiting with her brother, L. M. Craig.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Heater and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pifer visited in St. Louis on Monday.

Mrs. Ione Thomas of Arthur spent Tuesday and Wednesday here with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Baker of Shelbyville spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Craig.

Mr. and Mrs. James I. Mills spent Sunday in Charleston at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Zahnd.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Smith and sons, Dan and Pat, visited in Metropolis over the week-end.

Mrs. Hattie Foster and Jane of Peoria spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Yarnell.

Johnny Heckler, of Peoria, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Heckler, spent the week-end with his parents.

Junior Shasteen, of Scott Field, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Shasteen.

Mr. Elmer Brown of Humbolt and son Floyd, of Indianapolis, Ind., spent Thursday afternoon with Dr. and Mrs. I. A. Crookshank.

James Reedy, Harold England, and Kent Bone of St. Louis spent the week-end with their parents.

Mrs. L. P. Dickerson went to Chicago last week to visit her sister. She and her sister returned Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pickle and Betty Mills were in Decatur Sunday where they were the guests of Miss Wilma Flannigan.

Ray Heckler, who is working in Peoria, visited at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Heckler, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Elder and children of Decatur spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Elder and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Breedon and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Matix of Tuscola spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Poland and Miss Icca Reeser.

Miss Myrna Stricklan entertained at dinner at her home Sunday the following guests: Billy Walker of Argenta, Mary Lou Risley and Shirley Loeb.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Bartley and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Newbould and son, Richard, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Miller in Decatur Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Womack left last Thursday, May 14th for Glendale, Calif. They are going to visit their daughter, who has undergone a serious operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fulk, Mrs. Mary Beitz, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Beitz and daughters visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Monical in Decatur on Sunday evening.

Mrs. Laura Lindsey of Lovington is spending a week in Chicago with her daughter, Mrs. O. J. Ellis. She will also visit her granddaughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Greenburg, and son, Lewis Lindsey, and other friends.

Mr. Stanley Lanman of Rantoul spent Sunday in the home of Dr. and Mrs. I. A. Crookshank. Mr. Lanman's daughter, Lenora, returned with him to spend ten days with her sister and brother-in-law, Corporal and Mrs. E. W. Jahn.

Mr. and Mrs. John Poland, who are employed in the hospital at Jacksonville, were in Sullivan last week on business. Mr. Poland is in the receiving ward and Mrs. Poland is a charge nurse on ward work. While they were here they visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barclay.

LOWE SCHOOL FROLICS

CURB ON STEEL WILL AFFECT FARM ITEMS

The War Production Board's order, issued May 1, which soon will stop the use of steel and iron in the manufacture of more than 400 items, affects a number of items which are widely used in agriculture, the AAA office reported Friday.

Under this order, manufacturers may deliver or accept delivery of iron and steel to be used in the manufacture of products listed in the order for 15 days. For 45 days they may process steel and iron for the manufacture of the affected items up to an average of 75 percent of the average monthly weight of all metals processed in 1941 in making each item.

Items Not Affected.

After that, all use of steel and iron in the manufacture of the articles named must cease. The order does not apply to screws, nails, rivets, bolts, strapping, and small hardware used for joining and other purposes.

Among the prohibited articles used widely on farms are the following:

Hello folks, here comes the school news of this week. The eighth grade commencement is changed from the 29th to the 28th day of May. Everybody is welcome, folks! Please come. It is all free.

The eighth grade girls had a party Monday in the back room. They are to have one every day this week.

The seventh grade girls were to have a picnic, but it has been too wet to have it yet. So we hope it will dry up.

We hope that we will get out the 25th of the month because the sooner the better. Everybody is looking forward to it.

We haven't had many visitors so far. Those who have come this week are Eunice Karen Stevens and Ann Adams.

We want to express our sympathy to Miss Woodruff, Leah, and Dean Woodruff. Miss Woodruff's brother passed away Monday morning. He is the father of Leah, 8-II, and Dean of the sixth grade.

Reporters, Audrey and Barbara Stevens.

Liberty Limericks

Baskets (except for commercial cooking and manufacturing uses), canopies for electric brooders, cattle stanchions, (except for hangers and fasteners), chicken crates, chick feeders, corn cribs, culverts, feed troughs, fence posts (except on A2 or higher preference rating), fly traps, grain storage bins, silos, tanks for dipping, watering, and feeding animals, water storage tanks, wagon bodies, frames and wheels, wheelbarrows, (except wheels), and wire racks or baskets.

Farmers will not be eligible for metal roofing and siding except for maintenance and repair purposes.

Farmers and others who want to obtain allotments for sugar for home canning provided by OPA rationing regulations should see their rationing boards and be sure to give all the facts about their needs. Canning allotments amount to five pounds per person per year.

WPB has continued high preference ratings, the county AAA office reports, for some uses of chlorinated hydrocarbon solvents to be used in the fumigation of stored products, including grain.

Since war activity may interfere with deliveries of such substances, this points up to the fact that persons in charge of keeping stored grain should make early arrangements to obtain supplies of fumigating materials.

To The Consumers:

The Merchants must limit credit to the consumer because of governmental restrictions that have been placed on them.

For the information of the consumer the following reprint is made from the Consumer Credit Regulations:



The regulation reads that all purchases of any one calendar month must be paid for in full before the 10th of the second month following the month of purchase. All purchases made prior to May 1, 1942 are considered to be the same as May purchases. Therefore, the requirement is that the balance shown on your open thirty days account at the end of May be paid in full by July 10th.



Under these regulations, an account will be in "default" if purchases are not paid for within this 40 to 70 day limitation; and the store is prohibited from making any additional charge until such "default" has been corrected.

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Churches

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN Rev. Owen Hutchison, Pastor

Sunday, 9:45 a. m. — Sunday school. Our superintendent, J. L. McLaughlin, is making a special effort these days to build up our Sunday school, not only in numbers, but also in interest and in a more effective presentation of spiritual truth in the classes. Let us all get behind him and cooperate with our attendance and interest.

Sunday, 10:50 a. m. — Morning worship. Next Sunday is Pentecost Sunday—the anniversary of that day, so long ago, when the early Christians first caught the great vision of what the Risen Christ meant to themselves and to the world. It is that same vision that we need in these days of confusion and uncertainty. The pastor will preach, therefore on the subject, "For a Time of Confusion—a Vision!" The choir will bring an appropriate message in music.

Wednesday, 8 p. m. — Choir rehearsal in the church. Saturday — Memorial Day. There will be a special Memorial day program at the cemetery, sponsored by the American Legion. The pastor

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH Rev. Stanley Ward, Pastor.

Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Public worship at 10:45 a. m. with sermon on "Religion as Glad Response". The Youth Fellowship will meet at 6:00 p. m. with the topic, "Being Friends".

Evening worship at 7:30 p. m., with a message on "Being Human and Being Christian". The Tri-Study class will meet next Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in Wyman park, weather permitting, otherwise with Mrs. Ralph Hanrahan.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH Wm. A. Askew, Minister Res. 709 W. Jefferson Dial 3198

Next Sunday is Pentecost, the Birthday of the Church. Next Sunday is also Whitsunday, the common English name for the Feast of Pentecost, celebrating the gift of the Spirit and the foundation of the

Christian church on earth. This, one of the most important days in the church's calendar, should be celebrated by attending the services of your church.

Church school, 9:30 a. m. A school with a vision to grow in attendance and improve in teaching the truth of God's Word.

Worship, 10:30 a. m. Sermon topic, "What Jesus Is Doing". Our choir will supply music. Christian Endeavor, 7:00 p. m. Betty Mills, leader. All of our young people are welcome.

Worship, 8:00 p. m. Sermon topic, "The Gift of the Spirit." You will enjoy the congregational singing in this service, for our people sing well and enjoy it.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Rev. Francis Strobel Pastor.

Preaching services on the Second and Fourth Sundays of each month.

A man's direction in life can be judged by his attitude toward Jesus Christ.

Sunday, May 24th: Bible school at 9:45 a. m. Frank Fuson, Supt., Clarence Gordon, Ass't. Supt.

The true A B C of life is a sound knowledge of the Bible. Give your child this teaching.

Morning worship at 10:45 a. m. Topic: "The True Purpose of Life". Senior and Intermediate BYPU at 6:30 p. m. Children's story hour in the base-

ment. Evening worship at 7:30 p. m. Subject: "Vision and Victory."

Monday, May 25th: Junior BYPU at 4:00 p. m. Wednesday, May 27th: Mid-Week prayer service starting at 7:15 p. m.

No good religion ever proceeds except on the basis of sound facts, and no good religion ever evades any facts.

PENTECOSTAL MISSION Sister Nora Baker, Pastor. Over The Postoffice

Brother Mark Barr of Mattoon will conduct the regular services at the Pentecostal church for the next two weeks, while Sister Nora Baker is taking her vacation.

JONATHAN CREEK AND ALLENVILLE CHURCHES Rev. W. E. Hopper, Pastor.

ALLENVILLE We are much encouraged over the splendid increase in our Bible school attendance. You are invited next Sunday. Bible school at 9:30 a. m. followed by Communion. This is Pentecost Sunday. Every member is urged to be present at the Communion service.

JONATHAN CREEK Bible school at 9:30 a. m. followed by Communion and worship. As this will be Pentecost Sunday, we

hope to see every member at the Communion service.

Bible study class will meet at 7:20 p. m. Evening worship at 8 o'clock. We are pleased with our interesting evening services. "The Slave Woman who was Driven From Home," will be the subject of the evening service. Can you name this woman?

PUBLIC NOTICE TO

James Epperson and the unknown owners or parties interested in the following described real estate; The East One-Half (1/2) of the South East One-Quarter (1/4) of Block Two (2) of Freeland's Second Addition of the Town (now City) of Sullivan, Moultrie County, Illinois.

You and each of you are hereby notified that on the respective dates of October 14, A. D. 1940 and the 5th day of September, A. D. 1941, I, Ross Tucker, purchased the above described real estate for the 1939 and 1940 taxes which said real estate was taxed in the name of James Epperson; that the time of redemption of said real estate for said taxes, expires on the 14th day of October, A. D. 1942.

ROSS TUCKER.. 2113

NOTE OF THANKS I wish to thank my many friends for remembering me on my eightieth birthday with such lovely greetings. Mrs. Emma Wood.

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NEWS from the State Capitol

Every community in Illinois will be reached by the "Dedication to Victory" program launched by Governor Dwight H. Green, as Chairman of the State Council of Defense, for the week of June 7 to 14. Local councils of defense, mayors, civic leaders, patriotic organizations, publishers and radio station owners are being asked to join in a united effort to concentrate public attention on the task of winning the war.

Plans are being made for great parades in various cities of the state. Veterans organizations, Boy and Girl Scout troops, school children, drum and bugle corps, bands and community groups will take part. Contingents of soldiers from nearby camps will be invited to head the parades.

Special church services June 7 will probably open the week's activities. Civic, luncheon and women's clubs are being requested to arrange special programs for the week. Business houses, office buildings and individual homes will be asked to display the Stars and Stripes throughout the week.

War restrictions on the use of copper have stopped rural power line building in Illinois. Of the 213,439 farms in the state, 119,856 now have electric service. Many other farmers living along existing power lines would like to get service, and great activity in line building is looked for after the war.

The State of Illinois is setting up a reception service for soldiers and sailors returned from the war. Already about one-hundred fifty Illinois soldiers, most of them mentally afflicted, have been sent back from the army. The state division of veterans service is making arrangements for the care of these men.

"This year Memorial day will have for us an even deeper meaning," Governor Dwight H. Green said in his proclamation designating Saturday, May 30, as Memorial day. "For we have come to see that we must add to those early sacrifices through which our nation was built and bound together. We understand now that only fresh heroism will preserve our liberties. We know that we must guard with stern and renewed devotion the heritage of freedom we received from our fathers. We ought, then, to keep Memorial day reverently, with heightened feeling for its significance."

There were about 11,150 more births and 3,500 fewer deaths in Illinois last year than in 1940. The death rate from typhoid fever, scarlet fever, diphtheria, tuberculosis, pneumonia and diseases associated with childbirth was the lowest in the state's history.

The State Department of Public Health, reporting these trends, says the birth rate in Illinois has been increasing year by year since 1933.

Good bass fishing this season at Crab Orchard Lake, in Williamson county, is predicted by conservation officials. The lake was stocked with largemouth black bass and other good fish two years ago. The bass season in the southern third of Illinois opened May 15.

Eleven hundred acres of state welfare institution farms are being used

for truck gardening this season, almost double the acreage of former years. With favoring weather it is thought that enough corn, peas, beans, carrots and other vegetables will be raised to make 900,000 gallons for canning. In addition, it is planned to can 100,000 gallons of fruit.

This amount of canned food will meet the needs of the 52,000 inmates and employees of the public welfare institutions of Illinois. Thus the state will not be in the open market for canned goods during the coming season.



GOLF NOTES

The following is an excerpt from a Decatur paper explaining the virtues of golf . . . it seems well that this be reprinted:

"Perhaps we become indignant and change physicians, because our doctor doesn't just pull health out of his little black bag and hand it over to us. In reality health is something that is a part of our daily living. It never stands still. We are increasing or decreasing in health hourly, both according to our habits and attitude of mind.

Out on the golf course, we do not simply follow a little white ball, dropping it in a certain number of shots, into a series of 18 holes. We are following a lode star that leads to health. Out in the open air and sunshine, free from the dust and din of the city, free from life's worries, and cares; there health is preserved and builded.

As we often find that one hour of sleep is more refreshing than eight hours, so we find refreshment in an afternoon of arduous exercise upon the golf course. Swinging, bending, walking and carefully posing the muscles and mind for precise shots, life takes on a brand of health that the doctor has never carried."

The car situation has taken a toll in the numbers of golfers but the play is still better than was expected . . . many of the out-of-town golfers are doubling up in their cars . . . they take turns in driving.

Roy Biddle brings in a snake story that he says actually happened . . . he was playing in a foursome when they came across a blue racer that was at least five feet in length . . . they couldn't even get close to it with a brassie . . . he said that he couldn't see why it wasn't charged with green fees . . . a foursome playing later in the week heard of the snake and all of the drives went over the scene of activity . . . maybe a few more snakes sprinkled around would be conducive to longer drives.

There is still some agitation toward having an all country club tournament soon . . . and a party afterwards . . . this would help to bring out a few more golfers . . .

Warning has been given about some of the ditches . . . a form of quicksand can be found in some places . . . the top of the ground seems very firm but when a player steps in the bottom of the ditch to retrieve a ball he usually winds up about knee deep in mud . . . several of the players found this out last week . . . a cleaners bill was in order.

Dues are payable to either Charlie at the country club or to Cotton Wood in town . . . fees this year are being paid by monthly schedules . . . don't forget the war clause . . . if you are called to war your fees are paid up for the duration and your family will be extended all of the privileges . . .

Ben Hogan has quite a story about his golfing history . . . all boiled down, he says that it is a matter of mind over matter and hard concentration . . . he is one of the lightest golfers in history . . . around 140 pounds at the heaviest . . . the story was carried in last week's Colliers . . .

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By HAROLD L. LUNDQUIST, D. D.
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Lesson for May 24

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THURSDAY: THE LAST DAY WITH THE DISCIPLES

LESSON TEXT—Luke 22:14-30.
GOLDEN TEXT—This do in remembrance of me.—Luke 22:19.

The last day! How quickly it comes, and how fleeting yet meaningful its moments.

We do not know what our Lord did on Wednesday of Passion Week. In all probability He remained in Bethany to rest in fellowship with His friends. Surely He needed that day of quiet, for that which had gone before, difficult and strenuous as it had been, was as nothing to that which lay before Him.

Late on Thursday He and His disciples came to the upper room where Peter and John had already made preparation for the observance of the Passover (Luke 22:8). This feast had (since that great and awful night of Israel's redemption out of Egypt's bondage) pointed forward to the Christ and to His cross as the fulfillment of the type of redemption by the shedding of blood. But now the hour had come for Him to give Himself in that death, and so He set aside the Passover (because it has been fulfilled) to establish the great Christian feast of remembrance—the Lord's table, which now shows forth His death till He come.

I. The Final Passover (vv. 14-18).

Our Lord looked forward with intense desire to the Passover which He now observed with His disciples, for it was the last celebration of that feast recognized by God. All that it had foreshadowed of deliverance and hope was fulfilled in Him who now sat at the table. He had moved forward with resolute purpose to this day when His mission on earth was to be accomplished, and He was to become the Christian's Passover lamb (I Cor. 5:7).

The fact that He had looked forward to it with desire does not minimize the deep darkness of either Gethsemane or Calvary. Remember that, when in the garden He faced that hour and thought of the possibility of the cup being taken from Him, He said to the Father, "Not what I will, but what thou wilt." Praying concerning the same matter (in John 12:27), He said, "Now is my soul troubled; and what shall I say? Father, save me from this hour; but for this cause came I unto this hour."

II. The First Communion (vv. 19, 20).

Taking the unleavened bread and the unfermented wine of the Passover which had just been observed, Jesus established a new feast, the Christian feast of remembrance, which we call communion or the Lord's table.

His words are significant, "For as often as ye eat this bread, and drink this cup, ye do show the Lord's death till he come" (I Cor. 11:26). At the Lord's table His followers find spiritual strength in recalling His death for them, but they also find joy as they remember that He is to come again. They thus testify to the world that they believe and cherish these truths.

This feast is rightly called "communion," for down through the ages and until He does come the saints of God have at His table sweet communion with Him and with one another. Let us not neglect it! Our Lord also spoke of the cup as "my blood of the new testament." The word "testament" means covenant. The Lord's table therefore speaks of our allegiance to Him, of our loyalty to our Lord, and our devotion to His service. That is why the Christian Church speaks of communion as a sacrament, a word from the Latin sacramentum, meaning oath, and essentially an oath of allegiance.

III. The Folly of the Disciples (vv. 21-30).

Someone may say, "That point does not belong with the other two. Both the Passover and the Lord's Supper are for the joyful remembrance of deliverance and redemption." The objection is well taken except for one thing—we are dealing with human beings as they are, not as they should be and could be by the grace of God.

Here in the inner circle of the twelve there was one traitor. It seems impossible, but apparently Judas had maintained such outward conduct as to turn no suspicion in his direction, even though all along he had in his heart the blackest of treachery against his Lord. A sad and soul-searching fact is here revealed, that it is possible for one to make a high profession of faith in Christ and even so to live as to give no cause for criticism, and yet to be unregenerate and in fact the enemy of Christ.

What about the strife regarding position? Shameful as we agree that it was, it still goes on in the church. Not even the remembrance of our Lord's death and the reminder that He is coming again is enough to keep men from wanting to be great.

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(By E. J. Hughes, Secy. Of State.)

Q. Who was Captain John Todd?
A. "County Lieutenant," 1779, of the "County of Illinois" under the jurisdiction of Virginia.

Q. What was the Little Michilimackinac?
A. In the early days of Illinois, before statehood, this name was applied to the Mackinaw river, flowing into the Illinois four or five miles below Pekin.

Q. How many counties in Illinois are named for presidents?
A. Six — Washington, Jefferson, Madison, Monroe, Adams (John Quincy Adams) and Jackson.

Q. What was the last county formed in Illinois?
A. Ford, February 17, 1859.

Q. Who was Jane Addams?
A. Civic and sociological leader. Founder of Hull House, social settlement in Chicago.

Q. Who was Frances E. Willard?
A. Frances E. Willard (1839-1898) came to Illinois from New York and was one of the leading figures in the Temperance movement. She was dean of women at Northwestern university in Evanston and president of the Women's Christian Temperance union.

Q. After whom are two counties in Illinois named?
A. DeWitt Clinton (DeWitt and Clinton counties), one time mayor of New York City, Governor of New York and U. S. Senator.

Q. With what newspaper was Eugene Field connected?
A. Eugene Field (1850-1895) conducted a column called "Sharps and

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Q. Who are the United States senators for Illinois?
A. Scott W. Lucas and C. Wayland Brooks.

Q. Who are the representatives at large for Illinois?
A. William J. Stratton and Stephen A. Day.

AT THE GRAND

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An exceptional musical score was provided as background for the comedy exploits of Bud Abbot and Lou Costello in their latest picture, "Rio Rita," coming to the Grand on Sunday and Monday, May 24 and 25, with M-G-M's singing find, Kathryn Grayson, and John Carroll filling the romantic singing roles.

Miss Grayson has a brilliant solo number in "The Shadow Song" from Dinorah, by Meyerbeer, and also sings two duets with Carroll: "Long Before You Came Along," by Harold Arlen and E. Y. Harburg, and "The Ranger's Song," by Harry Tierney and Joseph McCarthy, the latter number being sung by a male chorus of fifty rangers on horseback.

Carroll sings the picture's theme song, "Rio Rita," by Tierney and McCarthy, in a picturesque cafe scene with 200 gaily-costumed players, among them Abbott and Costello.

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COUNTY COLLECTOR

KIRKSVILLE BUILDERS 4-H MEETING
The third meeting of the Kirksville Builders 4-H was held at the home of Eloise and Wilma Elder on Tuesday night. There were fifteen members present.

The following talks were given: "Care and Management of Baby Chickens", by Eloise Elder. "Control of Common Diseases of Hogs", by Gilbert Donnell. "Why I Joined the 4-H", by Norman Hawbaker.

The meeting was then turned over to the recreation leaders and games were played, after which refreshments were served.

Rural 8th Grade Graduation To Be Held May 23rd

(Continued from page 1)

Dukeman, Thelma Dean Netherton, Donald Eugene Shonk.

Merritt 11—Doris Evelyn Voltenburg.

Minor 12—Marcella C. Ayward, Ruby Virginia Sager.

Center 13—James J. Cole, Edna Marie Miller, Phyllis Jean Suhl.

Lilly 14—Mary Diener, Edna J. Miller, Marjorie V. Ryan.

Business Knoll 15—Doris Marie Watson.

Bolin 16—Elizabeth J. Wacaser, Elsie F. Welch, Mary C. Yaw.

Julian 18—Evert W. Gillenwater, Roscoe Soper.

Purvis 20—Glenn A. Jenkins, Norma Sager.

Palmyra 21—Dwight Hollenbeck, Allenville 22— Ivan J. Abbott, Elizabeth Clayton, Rebecca Maxine Dean.

Vernon 23—Marian Dolan, Floyd D. Robinson.

Henton 24—Audree Jean Harris, Lee Roy Hopper.

Crabapple 25—Virginia L. Gearhart, Martha Louise Rowland.

Brick 26—Helen Louise Cross.

Smyser 27—Raymond Carnine, Carol Dean Young, Wilma B. Young.

Whitfield 28—David R. Hudson, Richard R. King.

Prairie View 31—Roberta Jane Ankrom, Laurence R. Evans, Junior Hill.

Belle Forest 32—Harriett Louise Tussing.

East Stringtown 33—Nora Ethel Butler.

Hewitt 34—Rethel C. Jent.

Dyer 35—Donald R. Bordus, Maxine Gentry.

Forest View 39—Henry Betzer, John R. Griffin, Doris Ann Smith.

Grand View 41—Walmer Earl Willoughby.

Morning Star 42—Glen H. Hughes, Fulllight 45—Lora Mae Bone, John A. Rhodes.

Dunn 46—James Butt, Donald B. Harchous.

East Hudson 47—Valeria Faye Marshall, Duane Selby.

Newcastle 48—Rosemary Alumbaugh, Georgia Deloris Flannigan.

Titus 49—Doris Marie Summers, Goldie Taylor.

Union 51—Theodore E. Sievers.

Nazworthy, 52—Carrol Blaine McDaniel.

Morgan 54—Ralph E. Elzy, Betty Jean McDaniel, Wanda Lee Sheets.

Harmony 58—Beverly Jeanne Cain, Willard D. Riley, Finis E. Selock, Frances Elen Selock.

Lake City 59—James Leon Auten, Elvin W. Dial, Leona Marie Dial.

West Stringtown 60—Mary Lucille Madigan, Elizabeth Joanne Smith.

Bohler 61—Catherine Lucille Smith.

White 64—Eldin Wayne Fair, Irene Teuth.

Younger 71—Floyd Eugene Denton, Verl Pauline Younger.

Cook 74—Doris Jean Florey.

Todds Point 182—Bill Farris, James Miller, Frances Nuttall, Joseph D. Walton.

Forrest 183—Robert Florey, Donno Yarnell.

Lone Star 184—Betty Ruth Spencer.

Boling 185—William Albert Camis, Glen Dale Harpster.

Walker 186—Foster F. Buckley, Raymond J. Bunyard, Thomas D. Smith.

Edward Charles Peadro Obituary

Edward Charles Peadro, son of Bayless and Kitty Stillwell Peadro, was born near Shelbyville, March 3, 1865. He departed this life May 14, 1942, at the age of 77 years.

In early life he became a Christian, having been a member of the Smyser Christian church for over fifty years.

At the age of 25 he was married to Miss Lizzie Quiett. One son, Roy, was born to this union. Both wife and child preceded him in death.

On March 14, 1894 he was married to Miss Emma Wright, who survives him. Seven children were born to this union. One son died in infancy. The children are: Eva, Bryan, Eugenia (wife of Charles Erwin), Lizzie, Mabel and Carl. Eight grandchildren and one great grandchild also survive him. Two sisters, Mrs. Laura Kern and Mrs. Dora Wright, both of Gays, and several nieces and nephews survive him.

Four brothers: Frank, Oliver, Robert and Jay preceded him in death.

At the age of one year he moved to the farm where his entire life was spent.

Funeral services were conducted Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Smyser Christian church by Rev. E. E. Briggs and the body was laid to rest in the Smyser cemetery.

Pall Bearers were Paul Hostetter, Cal Carnine, Jake Arthur, Ward Butler, T. M. Edwards and J. J. Edwards.

Music was furnished by a quartet: Orla Kimbrough, George Finley, Jesse Lilly and Henry Hortenstine, accompanied by Mrs. Orla Kimbrough. Songs sung were: "Home of the Soul", "Golden Bells", a solo, "Only a Shadow Between", was sung by Orla Kimbrough.

EAST NELSON HOME BUREAU UNITS HOLD DISTRICT MEETING

The South East Nelson and the North East Nelson Home Bureau units held their district meeting at the Allenville Christian church on Thursday, May 19th.

The meeting was called to order by Vice-chairman Dena Graham, and all sang "The Star Spangled Banner." Elva Hawkins read the secretary's report and Mrs. Graham called the roll for the South unit. Mrs. Carl Leeds called the roll for the North unit. The South unit had ten members and two associate members, the North unit had nine members and five guests.

The roll call response was "My Pet Pevvie". Mrs. Leora Pierce of the North unit gave a Home Safety report. Miss Footitt presented certificates to Mrs. Sam Purvis and Mrs. Jennie Purvis, they having completed the Home Nursing class.

The minor lesson was presented by Mrs. Ida Shuman of the North unit. The subject was "Flag Etiquette".

Misses Virginia Wilson and Mary Alice Edwards played upon their electric guitars. Miss Edwards also sang "The Streets of Dover".

The major lesson "Meeting the World Sanely" was presented in panel discussion by Miss Footitt and Mrs. Ida Shuman, Mrs. Dena Graham, Mrs. Monroe Wilson and Mrs. Dilla Hoskins.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Jennie Purvis on June 11th. Leaders will be Fern Wiley on the minor lesson and Mrs. Jennie Purvis and Mrs. Dena Graham.

DECATUR JOB OFFICE NAMES PLACEMENT CHIEF FOR FARMS

The appointment of a special farm placement official to recruit workers needed on the farms of this area, was announced today by Manager B. A. Bollmann of the Decatur office of the United States Employment Service.

"Mr. H. M. Lindsey will devote his full time in making sure that all local calls for farm help are met as promptly and satisfactorily as possible," said Manager Bollmann. "He will cooperate with officials of the Macon, Dewitt, Piatt and Moultrie War Boards, the Macon, Dewitt, Piatt and Moultrie Farm Bureaus and the local Triple-A.

Similar farm placement officials have been appointed by other local offices of the United States Employment Service. The work of all these local agents will be coordinated by the state farm placement supervisor appointed by Chester W. Hepler, Director of the United States Employment Service in Illinois.

"Every bit of food that can be raised on Illinois farms this year is needed to build up American and allied fighter and civilian strength this winter," said Manager Bollmann. "But raising the crops is only the first step in feeding the people. Harvesting usually demands much extra help. Mr. H. M. Lindsey will first complete a survey now being made to determine exactly what help local farmers will need. His next job will be the recruitment of this help, either locally or, if necessary, bringing in workers from other areas."

Mr. Lindsey will maintain his headquarters at the United States Employment Office at 144 N. Franklin street, Decatur. He will be at the Moultrie County Farm Bureau office on Tuesdays.

SON FOLLOWS FATHER TO U. S. NAVY

On May 5th of this year, James Floyd Applegate of Lovington, enlisted in the United States Navy as Metalsmith, First Class. He is now a member of the Naval Construction Battalion which has been formed recently to build Naval bases wherever the Navy may need them outside the United States. Twelve days later, on May 17th. Applegate's son, Charles Wayne Applegate, applied for enlistment in the United States Navy. He applied at the Navy Recruiting Station at Effingham, as his father had done. Charles Wayne was sent to St. Louis, Mo. the same day he applied. The following day, May 18th, he passed the final physical examination and was sworn into the Naval service as Apprentice Seaman.

The Navy Recruiters at Effingham say this is the first case in this area of father and son enlisting in the Navy since the outbreak of hostilities. They also say this may hold good all Southern Illinois.

4-H CLUB MEETS WITH MARIE BLACK

The Willing Workers 4-H club held their organization meeting at the home of Marie Black on Friday, May 15. The following officers were elected:

President—Colleen Shaw.

Vice President—Bettie Black.

Secretary—Marian Dolan.

Rec. Chairman—Beverly Johnson.

Reporter—June England.

The next meeting will be held at two o'clock on Friday, May 29 at the home of Bettie Black.

ROBERT C. COOL TO RECEIVE COMMISSION

Commissions as second lieutenants in the Army of the United States for 242 University of Illinois R. O. T. C. cadets, who have completed four years of military training, will be presented on Saturday afternoon, May 23, at a ceremony in the university auditorium.

Among those to be commissioned are Lyle W. Miller, Dalton City, Field Artillery and Robert C. Cool, Sullivan, in the Infantry.

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BILL SHASTEEN TO GRADUATE EUREKA COLLEGE MONDAY

William Shasteen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Shasteen of Sullivan will be graduated from Eureka college, Sunday, May 31. The commencement exercises will be held in the Open Air Theatre of the campus at 6:30 p. m.

Shasteen is completing academic training in economics and will receive a bachelor of arts degree. He has been particularly prominent in campus activities and has been listed in Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities. Shasteen has been president of the sophomore and senior classes, vice-president and treasurer of Lambda Chi Alpha social fraternity, a member of the college chapel choir and of the operetta chorus, and a member of the senior play cast which will present "No Time for Comedy," Saturday, May 30. Shasteen was co-captain of the basketball team and, as quarterback, was chosen a member of the all-star eleven of the Ivy League, composed of Eureka, Shurtleff and Principia.

Rabbi Charles E. Shulman, clergyman, attorney and author will give the commencement address.

Dr. E. S. Ames, dean of the Disciples Divinity House of the University of Chicago, will give the baccalaureate address Sunday morning in the Eureka Christian church.

SUPT. McCORVIE GIVES TALK TO HI-12 CLUB

Supt. A. E. McCorvie of the Illinois Masonic Home was in Champaign on Friday to give an illustrated lecture at the meeting of the HI-12 club at the Champaign Masonic Temple. The film shown by Mr. McCorvie illustrated life at the local institution and also at various Masonic Homes in the East.

Shots of the grounds and buildings and several views of activities at the homes were included in the films shown. Mr. McCorvie was assisted in the program by his son Archie, who is a freshman student at the University.

ENTERTAINS FOR FATHER

Mrs. Alta Lee planned and carried out a surprise on her father, Riley Moran, celebrating his seventieth birthday.

A good dinner was spread.

Those present were: Riley Moran, Mrs. Olga Wilcox and sons Oral, Seth and Keith, Mrs. Clara Winchester, Mrs. Anna Ringo, Mr. and Mrs. John Standerfer, Miss Helen Standerfer, Miss June Standerfer, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Lee and Carol Dean Lee.

BAPTIST CHURCH PEOPLE SHOW MUCH INTEREST IN "JUVENILE DELINQUENCY"

Clarence Janes, Chief of Police, spoke on Juvenile Delinquency at a meeting of the members of the Baptist church last Friday, May 15.

Mr. Janes has been very much interested in juvenile delinquency in Sullivan township. He said that there are 42 delinquent children in Sullivan township whose ages range up to 16 years. No police record is made of these delinquent cases, instead case histories are kept in order to study the child. These case histories contain information on the child from before his birth through infancy, his food, sleep habits, grades in school, recreation, etc.

Mr. Janes said that it usually is the parents fault on second offense and when there is a second offense no cooperation has been realized from the parents. No trouble occurs when the parents cooperate with the police and child. According to Mr. Janes, there has been a rapid decrease in delinquency the past year due to the interest taken by parents and the people of Sullivan.

Those who heard the talk have evidenced much interest in the work being done in Sullivan for juvenile delinquents.

SCOUTS HONORED AT PICNIC MONDAY NIGHT

Sullivan scouts who aided in the recently completed scrap drive in Moultrie county and Sullivan were honored at a picnic supper Monday night at the scout cabin at Wyman park.

B. H. Smith represented the USO and William Mammen represented the Kiwanis club at the picnic. The scouts made a contribution to the USO and the Red Cross and Mammen, representing the Kiwanis, the organization that fosters scouting in Sullivan.

During the drive for old paper, the scouts collected and shipped to the market over 13 tons of old paper. Lewis Kerwood is the scout master of the troop.

PARENTS' CLUB OF LOWE SCHOOL HAS TEA

The Parents' club of the Lowe school gave a tea from four to five o'clock Thursday afternoon. The tea was held in the new recreation rooms of the Lowe school building, and brings the club year to a close.

New officers for the coming club year were elected. The nominating committee, consisting of Mrs. C. G. Blackwell, Mrs. Frank Wolf, and Mrs. Mildred Baker, nominated the following for officers: Mrs. F. W. Wood, president; Mrs. Frank Wolf, vice-president; Mrs. Ray Slevin, secretary-treasurer.

TOWNSEND CLUB

Townsend club No. 1 of Sullivan will discontinue meetings for the present. Poor health, busy times and bad attendance are given as the reason for discontinuing meetings.

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