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4-H Club Shows Will Be Held July 31-Aug. 1

The annual Moultrie County 4-H Club show for Agriculture Club members, will be held at American Legion Grove in Sullivan, Friday, August 1. The show this year promises to be one of the county's largest.

It is the hope of every 4-H club leader in the county that all club members with projects in beef cattle, dual purpose cattle, dairy cattle, swine, sheep, garden, rabbits and farm electricity will exhibit.

The program for the day is planned as follows:

8:00 a. m. - All exhibits to be on grounds.
8:30 a. m. - Swine judging.
9:30 a. m. - Garden, rabbits, sheep.

10:00 - Farm electricity, dual-purpose cattle, announcement of poultry awards.

1:15 p. m. - Dairy cattle, beef cattle.

4:00 p. m. Release of exhibits.

4-H Show Committees

The following committees have been named to handle each division of the show:

Dairy Cattle - E. L. Bosomworth, Delmar Elder, Clifford Drew, Wayne Wilson and Blaine Erhardt.

Dual Purpose Cattle - Joe Cole, Claude Stone, Earle Cruitt.
Beef Cattle - Ed Dunphy, Marvin McKinney, Arthur Freesh, Boyd Landgrebe, and Robert Ensign.

Swine - Luther Martz, Vernon Houchin, Darrell Davis, Lloyd Wacaser, L. A. Wildman, and Wm. Baumgartner.

Sheep - Kenneth Diehl, Wesley Harpster, Warren Day, Howard Phillips, and Joe Foster.

Rabbits and Garden - Don Hopper, Kenneth Johnson, and M. E. Huelster.

Farm Electricity - John Waggoner, Karl Kirk, and V. R. Osborn.

No Poultry Show

Due to the ban on poultry shows, the usual poultry show will not be held 4-H Show day. Instead of the show, a poultry judge will inspect each poultry member's project on the farm either Monday, July 28 or Tuesday, July 29. Poultry projects will be rated by the judge and the awards will be announced at 10:00 a. m.

GIRLS' 4-H EXHIBIT THURSDAY AT CHURCH

The annual county show for 4-H Home Economics clubs will be held on Thursday, July 31, at the Sullivan Christian church.

The girls have been asked to bring in, on Wednesday, the garments they have made in their clothing projects this year. These will be judged that day on construction by Mrs. Bessie Wilson, Mrs. Maurietta Cusey and Mrs. Helen Pelletier, home advisers from Coles, DeWitt, and Douglas counties.

The public is cordially invited to attend the show on Thursday, July 31 and to see the exhibits, which will be on display in the church basement.

The program follows:

8:00 a. m. Foods and Room Improvements exhibits to be entered.

Foods and Room Improvement exhibits to be judged by local leaders.

11:00 a. m.—Demonstrations.

1:00 p. m.—Demonstrations continued if necessary.

2:00 p. m.—Clothing revue.

Club revue

Presentation of awards to all girls who entered exhibits.

ORGANIZATION MEETING FOR WOMEN BOWLERS

An organization meeting of the Tuesday Night Women's Bowling League will be held Tuesday, July 29 at the home of Mrs. Raymond Shasteen at 7 o'clock. The captains or representatives of each of the 12 teams are especially urged to attend the meeting. Suggestions and ideas on the rules to be followed in the coming season are welcomed from any of the bowlers.

ON RADIO FORUM

Miss Rachel Richardson will take part in a Social Science forum discussion of the Marshall plan to be broadcast over Mattoon station WLBH on Monday, June 28. The program will be on the air at 2:30 p. m.

Homecoming To Feature Radio Star Entertainment

A group of WLS stars will headline the free entertainment program at the Sullivan Homecoming to be held Thursday, Friday and Saturday, August 21, 22 and 23.

These popular entertainers have been radio favorites for years, and now they can be heard in person, as they appear on the stage at Freeland's Grove during this annual homecoming.

Booked for the event are Bob Atcher, popular singing cowboy, who can ride as well as sing. Then there is Uncle Tom Corwine, featured on the WLS national barn dance in the sound effects department. He's the person who imitates the poultry and livestock. Corwine has been in radio 15 years.

Coming also is "Arkie", the Arkansas Woodchopper, another old-timer as far as radio is concerned. Arkie sings to his own guitar accompaniment, plays banjo and fiddle, and sometimes indulges in a bit of rustic comedy.

Another laugh provoker is Otto, also known as Little Genevieve, the little lass with the wisecracks and the whiney voice. Otto's real name is Ted Morse. Jimmy James, musician and comic, will be with the gang. And to top it all off there will be those top comedians, "The Virginia Hams."

Season tickets for the three-day event will be on sale soon from members of the Sullivan Chamber of Commerce, sponsors of the homecoming.

Mrs. Stackhouse Tells Of Trip

The Moultrie County News is in receipt of a letter from Mrs. J. W. Stackhouse who is visiting in Sioux Falls, S. D., in the home of her son, Ollie Stackhouse and her daughter, Mrs. Callie Hagaman. She is also visiting with her sister, Mrs. Barbara Wolf Gaddis, in Sioux City. The sisters had not seen each other for 23 years. Mrs. Gaddis is the widow of the late Tilden Gaddis of Sullivan, and is the mother of 13 living children.

Mrs. Stackhouse says that the crops look much better than in Illinois. They do not have as much corn but have lots of oats, wheat and rye. The temperature had been up to 93 and they were in need of rain.

Sullivan Police Are Busy; 8 Arrests

Sullivan Police Department had a busy week, the blotter showing eight arrests. They are: Raymond Newberry, Lovington, arrested July 1 for being drunk and disorderly. Fined \$14.40 in the court of Justice W. A. Stokes.

Harold Brady, Mattoon, arrested July 12 for disorderly conduct. Fined \$9.40 in the court of Police Magistrate Ross Thomas.

Dallis Frederick, Sullivan, arrested July 17, for assault, on a warrant sworn out by Kit Carson. Fined \$14.40 in the court of Police Magistrate Ross Thomas.

Wayne Moffitt, Windsor, arrested July 18, for disorderly conduct. Fined \$14.40 in the court of Police Magistrate Ross Thomas.

George Parks, Findlay, arrested July 19 for running a stop sign. Fined \$9.40 in the court of Police Magistrate Ross Thomas.

John Strohl, Mattoon, arrested July 19 for running a stop sign. Fined \$14.40 in the court of Police Magistrate Ross Thomas.

Leon Drew, Decatur, arrested July 20 for reckless driving around the Court House square. Fined \$14.40 in the court of Police Magistrate Ross Thomas.

Roy Livingood, Iola, arrested July 22 for disorderly conduct on a warrant sworn out by James Gaddis. Fined \$9.40 in the court of Justice W. A. Stokes.

Bridal Shower For Joyce Shasteen

Miss Joyce Shasteen, who is to marry on Aug. 7, was honored at a bridal shower Wednesday evening in the Woman's club hall. Hostesses were Miss Lois Utz, Miss Ione Perkins, Miss Helen Hall, Miss Helen Fahrnkopf and Miss Donna McWilliams. Twenty-five guests attended.

Joe McLaughlin Gets New Pilot's Rating

Joe McLaughlin, local attorney, was given a multi-engine flight check last Sunday by a flight examiner of the Civil Aeronautics Administration. This test was given at the new Decatur Municipal airport. Upon its successful completion, his civilian pilot's certificate was given a multi-engine endorsement.

Mr. McLaughlin already holds a civilian pilot's certificate carrying a commercial, single engine rating. He is chairman of the Aviation Committee of the Sullivan Chamber of Commerce and is legal counsel for the Moultrie County Airports commission.

Fred Curl Named Moultrie County Supt. Of Airports

Everett Hays, secretary of the Moultrie County Airports Commission received word from Robert Dewey, director of the Department of Aeronautics of the State of Illinois, that the nomination of Fred A. Curl as Moultrie County Superintendent of Airports has been approved and confirmed. The County Airports act provides that county superintendents of airports shall be named either upon competitive examination of three or more qualified civil engineers, or, if the incumbent superintendent of highways has at least 10 years of highway or airport engineering experience he may, with his consent, be nominated, without competitive examination, to this position.

The duties of a county superintendent of airports consist of working with the local County Airports commission and with the State Department of Aeronautics in preparing preliminary plans, specifications and estimates prior to a referendum held upon the proposition, and thereafter supervising maintenance repairs and improvements under the supervision of the local County Airports commission.

Loses Chickens And Truck In Fire

About 40 chickens were destroyed by fire on Thursday when the truck in which they were being hauled to Sullivan caught fire and burned about three miles north of Bethany. The truck was one belonging to the Newbold and Wooley Produce Co. Chalmers Newbold and H. B. Palmer were in the cab when the fire was discovered but it had gained such headway that it was impossible to extinguish.

Were Married In Strawn Church July 12



—Photo by Fultz Studio
Miss Rose Ellen Stone, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Stone of Bruce, was married to James Lawless, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. James Lawless of Strawn, on Saturday, July 12. The ceremony was performed in St. Rose church in Strawn by Father Motsett.

Blake Taylor Is Sought On Forgery Count

Moultrie county law enforcement officers are seeking Blake Taylor on a charge of forgery. Taylor passed two worthless checks here Saturday afternoon, signing the name of Elmo Carnine to each of them. One was passed at the Johnston Super Market, and the other at the Paris Laundry and Dry Cleaners. Each check was drawn in the amount of \$47.62.

At the Paris Laundry, Taylor came into the office and made inquiry about a shirt which was missing from his laundry. The shirt was at that company plant, and Taylor stated he would get it later. Then he asked if the cashier would cash his pay check, and tendered the forged instrument.

At the Johnston Market the request was also made to cash his pay check. Knowing that Taylor sometimes worked for Carnine Manager L. R. Price accepted the check. After Taylor had left the store Price inspected the check again and noticed a discrepancy on the face, wherein the amount given in figures did not correspond with the amount written on the face. He realized that the check was worthless and notified officers. Checking with Carnine also showed that he had issued no checks to Taylor.

Taylor was traced to Decatur, where he hitch-hiked from Sullivan. From that city his movements were followed to Chicago. He is still being sought.

Bid \$235.50 Per Acre For Land Located North Of Lovington

Moultrie county farm land brought \$235.50 per acre at a master-in-chancery sale held Saturday morning at the court house in Sullivan. Bryan T. Gregory bid that amount for 120 acres of land lying in Section 15, Township 15, two miles north of Lovington. The total price was \$28,260. This acreage is all in cultivation, and the purchaser gets the owner's share of the crops now on the land. Bidding on this parcel of land was spirited, with several individuals joining in the auction.

The second parcel of land sold a total of \$15,000, or \$125 per acre. This land adjoins the first 120 acres sold. It has 80 acres of pasture with improvements and 40 acres in cultivation. Casper P. Smith and Mary M. Smith were the successful bidders.

County Clerk Sees New Law As Lowering 1948 Tax

Signing of the Hodge tax bill by Governor Dwight H. Green Tuesday has led to varied speculation as to the effect of this measure on the 1948 tax bills. The measure, designed to lower taxes, barring increase in valuations, was passed at the last session of the legislature as an amendment to the 1945 Butler 100% property tax assessment laws.

County Clerk Ralph Hanrahan was queried as to the possible effect of the law on the 1948 tax bills.

"I am making a study of this bill," said Clerk Hanrahan, "and I can see several ways in which it can be applied. In all probability it will lower some of the 1948 tax bills."

In discussing the new law the county clerk brought out that there were several ways in which the new measure would apply in computing the tax rate for 1948, and that some of the sections would no doubt call for legal interpretation before they could be applied.

The condensed version of the bill as enacted into law by the Governor's signature follows:

"Repeals the first four paragraphs of present law establishing tax rate limitations during the transition periods. Provides that until Dec. 31, 1952, unless changed by referendum, no tax shall be extended at a rate requiring a greater percentage than, and no tax rate necessary to produce the amount of a levy for any fund of any taxing district shall be restricted to a lesser percentage than 105 pct. of whichever is lower of the following: (a) the product of the 1942 assessment ratio and the maximum tax rate in effect or authorized prior to Jan. 1, 1946; or by the quotient produced by dividing the maximum permissible 1945 tax extension by 100 pct. of the assessed values. Provides that all referendum rates established prior to Jan. 1, 1946 shall be halved, subject to the further limitations prescribed above but no 1942-1945 referendum rate shall be less than sufficient to yield the product of the referendum rate limit and the assessed valuation of the year the referendum was held. Retains local option on the establishment of tax rates, by eliminating the restriction against lowering any rate more than one third. Requires 20 days notice prior to any election. Eliminates requirement that any referendum provision of this section may not be used to increase the tax rate unless the maximum otherwise attainable by law has been reached. Exempts tax rates of districts created after Dec. 31, 1945, tax rates established by referendum held after Dec. 31, 1945, and tax rate limits which were established by referendum held subsequent to the year 1942. Limitations shall not apply to prevent the use of tax rates necessary to qualify for state aid. Limitations to apply to tax levies made after the effective date of the act."

BUYS OIL STATION

Announcement was made this week of the sale of the Standard Oil station corner of Van Buren and Harrison streets. It has been operated by Herschel Kirkwood. The purchaser is O. C. Buchanan, of Tuscola. Mr. Buchanan served 21 years in the Navy, and saw service in both the Pacific and Atlantic during World War II. Mr. Buchanan took over the operation of the station on Monday.

GAYS RESIDENTS INJURED

In a three way accident in Mattoon, at 8:30 p. m. Friday, Aurice Young and Erban Doak, two young men from Gays vicinity, were seriously injured.

Young was thrown from the car and suffered many and serious cuts about the face and head. Mr. Doak was x-rayed at Mattoon Memorial Hospital and was found to have several broken ribs as well as other internal injuries.

PAVING PROGRAM

The alley paving program inaugurated by the city is off to a good start, with the first alley north of the court house square between Washington and Main streets nearing completion. Preliminary grading has all been completed on the other three alleys.

CHIEF CROCKETT HAS SNAKE TROUBLE

When a fire chief tangles with a snake something is bound to happen. And it did! That's why Blomson Crockett is getting about with a slight limp these last few days. He encountered a blue racer out along the river one day last week. It wrapped itself around his foot, and he tried to kick it off. At the first kick the Chief lost his shoe, and in the ensuing tussle to get the snake loose from his foot he dislocated some bones in the arch. To questioners he is likely to reply vehemently: "I don't like snakes."

Engagement Of Miss Eloise Boyd Is Announced

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Boyd of Sullivan announce the engagement of their daughter, Catherine Eloise, and Spencer E. Black of Atwood. The wedding is to be Sunday, August 3, at 7 p. m. in the Sullivan Methodist church. Friends are invited. Following the ceremony a reception and dinner for the bridal party and the immediate families will be held at the Dinner Bell in Mattoon.

Miss Boyd has been teaching homemaking in the Atwood Township High school, where she will return in September. Mr. Black is farming after three and a half years in the Navy. After a short wedding trip they will be at home in Garrett.

Dr. C. J. Elliott Opens Office Here

C. J. Elliott, D. D. S., will open a dental office in Sullivan on the second floor of the IOOF building on Monday, July 28. The office has undergone extensive remodeling and new dental equipment has been installed.

Dr. Elliott comes to Sullivan from Arthur. He graduated from St. Louis University in 1944, and went directly into the Army. He served in the European theatre of operations and was discharged in November, 1946, with the rank of captain.

Street Department Takes Up Culvert

Street Commissioner L. R. Picken announced that the culvert running across Eden and Lincoln streets, removal of which was asked by F. A. Graham and Emma Johnson, had been taken up. The request for removal was read at last week's council meeting, but no action was taken at that time. It was charged that the culvert diverted surface water onto the lands owned by Graham and Johnson.

"Rather than be drawn into a legal controversy, the street department took up the culvert," said Commissioner Picken.

HELD FOR DECATUR POLICE

Hal Leeds was arrested here Sunday on request of the Decatur police. He was charged with leaving the scene of an accident in Decatur. He was held in the county jail until the Macon county authorities came for him.

PAROLE VIOLATOR

Roy Livingood, arrested here last week on a drunk and disorderly charge, was delivered to Clay county authorities Tuesday as a parole violator.

TAX CASE

The tax protest case of the Pennsylvania railroad will be heard in county court on Friday, July 25.

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Burglar Gets \$200 From Loan Company Office

Burglars broke into the office of the Moultrie Loan Company on the second floor of the IOOF building Friday night and secured the company's cash box, said to have contained about \$200. The office is operated by Russell D. McPheeters.

Entrance was made to the office by prying the office door enough to spring the lock. A screw driver was used for a pry and was broken off in the door in attempting to force the lock. The handle of this tool was found lying in the hall outside the door.

Another screw driver and a large punch were found lying on the office desk inside. The main drawer of the desk had been pried open and all the desk drawers pulled open.

The lock on a steel filing cabinet which had contained the cash box was forced. Although all drawers in both the filing cabinet and the desk had been pulled open, other papers were molested only slightly.

The cash box was later found in the wash room adjoining the Loan company office. All of the cash had been removed except two pennies. The time of the burglary was fixed as early evening, as the box had been seen in the wash room shortly after 9 p. m. by the building custodian. He had not known that anything was wrong and had thought nothing upon seeing the box there on the floor.

Sheriff Glen Braden and Police Chief Carl Weakley were called on the case and made a search for fingerprints, checking the tools and the cash box for prints.

Officers Named By 4-H Federation

The Moultrie County 4-H Federation met last Friday night at the Farm Bureau building in Sullivan and elected officers. They are:

President — Charles DeVore, Lovington.

Vice President — Smith Cruitt, Dalton City.

Secretary — Patricia Pierce, Sullivan.

Reporter — Bill Wood, Sullivan.

Recreation leader — Doris McReynolds, Lake City, Betty Dimond, Lovington, Dan Smith, Lake City, Warren Hilligoss, Windsor.

Several 4-H activities including camp and play-day were discussed. The officers will meet Monday, August 4 to plan the 4-H Camp program. The next meeting of the Federation will be August 7.

The County 4-H Federation consists of one representative from each of the Home Economics and Agricultural clubs in the county.

The Federation members from Home Economics clubs are: Jonathan Creek Nimble Fingers, Marjorie Sullivan; Busy Bees, Betty Dimond; Victory Star, Patricia Pierce; Dora's Daughters, Doris McReynolds; Friendship, Helen Bicknell; Sunnyside Sisters, Ruth Dazey; Kum-Join-Us, Eleanor Harpster; Sunshine, Geneva Butts; Sullivan Merry Makers, Lois Valentine; Merry Stiches, Nancy Donovan; Marrowbone Merry-makers, Martha Bland; Lovington Home Builders, Alice Hawkins.

Representing the Agricultural 4-H clubs are: So Bossy Milking Shorthorn, Smith Cruitt; Whitley Whiz Kids, Warren Hilligoss; Sunnyside Flea Flickers, Dan Smith; Brushy Bend Gang, Willis Alumbaugh; Blue Ribbon, Russell Shaffer; Banner Blue, Charles DeVore; Kirksville Builders, Bill Wood; Sullivan Junior Farmers, Bob Bernius; Jonathan Creek Hustlers, Dale Hughes; East Nelson Live Wires, Junior Burwell; Stringtown Boosters, Gene Clark; Lowe Township 4-H, Eddie Davis.

BEN HUR JR. MEETING

Ben Hur Junior's of Sullivan court No. 636 held its second meeting in the V. F. W. Hall Thursday evening, July 17 at 8 o'clock. Since there was no business to transact a puppet play was given "Little Red Riding Hood" by Barbara Ward of Charleston, and Jewell Elliott of Mattoon. Several of the Juniors and parents were present. During the next few weeks our socials and parties will be given in the park.

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FAMILY REUNIONS

This is the season for family reunions. They begin in July and reach a peak the first three Sundays in August. As August and the vacation season ends so do the reunions. Travelers hurry homeward before the school terms start and the happy day when all the clan gathered about the picnic table remains but a memory for another year.

These gatherings are the tie that holds many a family together. They give an opportunity for new members—by birth and marriage—to be introduced. They give the oldest a chance to recall pleasant memories of younger days. Cousins get to know each other. Nieces can report on Aunt Hattie's rheumatism, which kept her away this year.

Housewives can compare foods, child rearing, and antique collecting. Farm and city families get together and learn a bit about how the other lives; how each has its problems; its advantages and disadvantages.

The meetings provide a whole new field of family conversation: "Minnie's potato salad was so good; I wonder how she made it!" "That apple pie Aunt Bess brought had a tough crust. She never was any good with pies." "Jim sure looks prosperous, this year. He's doing all right with that farm." "Bob has a new car. Isn't it a dandy, but I wonder how they can afford it."

Such speculation and discourse goes on for days in the family circle. It is a welcome relief from the routine subjects of nursing bottles, crops and the weather. Yes, family reunions are decidedly worth while. They should be encouraged and made a yearly event in any family that can muster a dozen or more members, however distant.

REDUCE FARM ACCIDENTS

This is National Farm Safety week. The period from July 20 to July 26 was set to call attention to the high toll which farm accidents take, in death, maimed bodies, lost time, and property damage. From the statements made by safety engineers and from statistics taken from accident records it is shown that the human factor is the greatest cause of farm accidents. Here is what some well known Illinoisians say about the campaign:

Arnold P. Benson, Illinois director of agriculture: "Motor vehicle fatalities among farm people increased 27 per cent compared with 18 per cent for all other occupational groups in the nation during the past year. The increased complexity of farm machinery and operation also creates additional hazards. Proper training of inexperienced operators of modern farm machinery is very important as being safety-conscious means having fewer accidents and less loss of time from farm work."

Charles B. Shuman, president Illinois Agricultural Association: "We on farms must face facts. Farm accidents in Illinois alone last year resulted in 1327 injuries and deaths. We could well use Farm Safety Week to carefully eliminate hazardous conditions in our homes and on our farms."

Dr. Richard F. Boyd, State Health Department: "Fifteen thousand farm people are killed and 1,500,000 injured annually. Health departments can assist in reducing this tragic toll, as prevention of disability, illness, and death is a basic purpose of public health work."

S. F. Russell, I. A. A. livestock marketing director and chairman for Livestock Safety in Safety Week campaign: "Farm people can well use extra care in dealing with horses, the leading cause of over 200 farm accidents and deaths in Illinois last year. Use of 'good horse sense' means just that."

L. J. Oester, Farm Equipment Dealer Association secretary and campaign chairman for Farm Equipment Safety: "Most farm equipment accidents are the result of the human factor rather than faulty machinery. Correct use of machine guards, and stopping machinery to adjust and oil will assist greatly in decreasing farm accidents."

Inspect machinery, keep guards in place, and above all don't take chances. Farm accidents can be reduced.

PICNIC AT TWIN LAKES

A picnic dinner was held Sunday, July 19, at Twin Lakes park, Paris, in honor of the birthday of Mrs. James I. Mills. Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Crowder, Mrs. John Frantz, Mr. and Mrs. Alva Courtwright and Millie May Kidwell of Sullivan; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond

Zindars of Sadorus; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Zahnd, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Mercer of Charleston, Mr. and Mrs. John Ballard and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Ballard and children of Chrisman; Mr. and Mrs. Gene Weger and family, Mrs. Betty Rossi and Michael, Mr. and Mrs. James I. Mills and Richard of Paris.

More LIP

The old saying about "the proof of the pudding" came true again, in a way, Monday night. We had an opportunity to eat some of those excellent Canadian caught fish. Still we didn't run onto any tags stating that Bo Wood caught them. We rather suspect that they were caught by Commissioner Carl Shasteen, and that Mayor Wood really came home with nothing more than having wet his line. They were very good, however, and we can vouch for the mayor's skill in assembling a fish supper.

The AP dispatch telling of the trouble the Army command is having on Iwo Jima to keep the flag flying atop Mount Suribachi brings back nostalgic memories. Having passed through a couple of near typhoons on that volcanic island we know something of the fight that must be constantly made to keep roads in shape. But we still can't see how the island maintenance garrison could let the road to the top of Suribachi get into such shape that a jeep can't make the trip. Many times we have been to the top via jeep and truck, and the road was always easily passable. Personally, we think the island needs some Seabees. Well do we remember the time some relative in the States sent a clipping to one of the 106th NCB taken from the World's Greatest Newspaper, telling how the Army Engineers built the road to the top. When it appeared on the 106th bulletin board, there was moaning and gnashing of teeth and threats. We feel sure that had there been any Army Engineers on the island a small war would have broken out. Incidentally the 106th didn't built the road, but they were loyal Seabees. They were just as concerned with the error as if they had done the work themselves.

Later we checked with some of the public relations men at the air strip. It seems the correspondent who wrote the story flew up from Saipan. His plane circled the island; he saw the road and landed. From the plane he went to visit the Island Command and chatted with the high Army brass. From that visit he assumed that inasmuch as the island was under Army command, the Army must have built the road.

To correct the record, Seabee built the road, and maintained it while they remained on Iwo. We wonder what has become of the other installations on top of Suribachi. The last time we saw it there were radar and gun installations, a weather station, storage huts, and the like there. Seabee bulldozers leveled the top, cutting some six feet off to make a place for this equipment. Surely our Army isn't planning on abandoning the island!

Or perhaps—like the original error—the correspondent didn't get all the facts. From the gist of the story we gathered that he got his information from Japan. That's a long way from Iwo. Ask any pilot who ever flew a P-51 from an island field on a strafing mission to Japan.

Some interesting bits of useless information that have come to our desk.

Checking accounts of individuals increased \$1.2 billions in the seven-month period ending February 26 this year to establish a new high of \$28.8 billions, three times as much as at the end of 1941, according to the latest survey of deposit ownership by the Federal Reserve System. Deposits of farmers gained \$500 millions from August through February to a total of \$6.7 billions and those of others increased \$700 millions to a total of \$22.1 billions.

The total of checking accounts of individuals, partnerships and corporations came to \$77.8 billions on February 26. The proportion owned by individuals represented 37 per cent of this total, half as much again as the 25 per cent ratio at the time of Pearl Harbor.

Have you heard about the Sullivan fisherman who came home and passed through "quarantine" before his wife would accept him into the family haven again. From the way his companions tell it, he left his clothes on the back porch and trekked directly to the bath room for everything but a shot of DDT. We hear that he slipped back later and gave the fishing clothes a couple of squirts from a can of the bug killer and another swish from the deodorizing bottle, and packed the clothes away in a garment bag, to await next year's trip north to seek the big ones in the Canadian lakes.

PROBATE COURT

Estate of Robert S. Reedy, inventory on file.

Estate of Fred Elbery Phillips, hearing on current report heretofore on file. Entry of appearance and consent of all interested parties on file. No objections. Current report approved and partial distribution authorized.

Estate of J. L. Brock, petition to probate instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of J. L. Brock, deceased, on file. Entry of appearance and consent of heirs on file. Will ordered to be admitted to probate. Letters to issue to Stella Pearl Brock, executrix, named in will. Oath and bond of executrix on file. Heirship found.

Guardianship of the persons of Betty Jan Whightsil, Edna Louise Whightsil and Beverly Ann Whightsil, minors. Petition on file for appointment of guardian with authority to consent of adoption of minors. State's attorney to give ten days notice of hearing to parents of said minors. Hearing on petition set for Tuesday, August 5, at 10 a. m.

Guardianship of the person of Gilbert Henry Hymmer, a minor. Petition on file for appointment of guardian with authority to consent to adoption. Hearing on petition set for Tuesday, August 5, at 10 a. m. State's attorney to give at least ten days notice of hearing to parents of said minor.

Guardianship of the person of Katherine Reed, a minor. Petition on file for appointment of guardian with authority to consent to adoption. Hearing of petition set for Tuesday, August 5, at 10 a. m. State's attorney to give at least 10 day's notice of hearing to parents of said minor.

Estate of William Shaffer, executor's notice of claim date with affidavit and publisher's certificate on file.

Estate of Walter R. Stables, administrator's notice of claim date with affidavit and publisher's certificate on file.

Estate of Ulysses Silas Hull, petition for probate of will and for letters of administration with the will annexed on file. Appearance and waiver of notice of hearing on file by widow of deceased and heirs. Hearing on file. Will admitted to probate. Nominee of executor by will declining to serve, Leo L. Horn appointed administrator with will annexed as requested in said petition. Oath of administrator on file. Bond in the sum of \$2000 on file and approved.

Estate of Lizzie Scott, petition on file requesting instrument purporting to be the last will and testament to be admitted to probate. Hearing on petition set for Tuesday, August 5, at 10 a. m.

Estate of William R. Wood, petition for letters of administration of the estate of deceased, on file. There being no person with prior right to petition, hearing and prayer of petition granted. Kenneth M. Wood appointed administrator and letters to issue. Administrator's bond of \$14,000 on file and approved. Administrator's oath on file. Heirship found as per written order on file.

Conservatorship of John N. Jones, an incompetent, conservator's report heretofore filed on the 23rd day of November, A. D., 1946, presented to the court and ordered filed and recorded.

Guardianship of Beverly Joan Colclasure, a minor, guardian's suggestion if change of name by re-marriage and petition for change of name in letters of guardianship. Prayer of petition granted as per written order on file for revision of name in letters and guardianship. Guardian's current report and accounting on file. Acknowledgment of receipt of notice of hearing on accounting and approval of account on file by Veteran's Administration. Hearing on report. Report approved as per written order. New bond of guardian with Hartford Accident and Indemnity Company of Hartford, Conn., on file and approved. Former bond of guardian with Travelers Indemnity company as surety discharged and released, as per written order. Petition for allowance of maintenance of ward on file. Acknowledgment of receipt of notice of application to disburse funds of ward and consent thereto on file by the Veteran's Administration. Hearing on petition. No objections. Prayer of petition allowed as per written order for allowance for room and board for ward. See order.

Estate of Elmer G. Dowers, now comes the administrator, Robert M. Tohill, and files his final report of his acts and doings as such administrator from the time of his appointment to this date. Hearing on said report set for Saturday, July 26, at 10 a. m. Attorney for administrator to give ten days notice by mailing to all interested parties of said hearing.

Guardianship of Freda Virginia Beachy, a minor, final report and account of Henry R. Yoder, guardian of Freda Vir-

ginia Beachy on file. The guardian further represents that said Freda Virginia Beachy is of legal age and capable of managing her own estate. Hearing on report set for Saturday, July 26, at 10 a. m. Ten days notice by mailing to be given to said Freda Virginia Beachy of said hearing, by guardian.

Guardianship of William Floyd Beachy, a minor, current report and account of Henry R. Yoder, guardian of William Floyd Beachy, a minor, on file and ordered recorded.

Estate of William R. Steed final report of the estate of William H. Steed, on file. Receipts for items paid out, on file, showing all costs and claims made. Notice of hearing waived since administrator is only heir and party of interest. Hearing on final report. Report approved. Administrator discharged, bond released and estate closed.

Estate of J. E. Bowers, executor's petition for leave and authority to transfer United States bonds in kind on file. Hearing on petition. Prayer of petition granted as per written order on file.

Estate of Charles E. Pasley, administrator of the Estate of Charles E. Pasley, deceased and files her report of final settlement in the said estate. Entry of appearance and consent of parties interested on file. Hearing on said report. No objections. Report approved as per written order.

Estate of Frank R. McDonald, proof of publication of claim date of estate of Frank R. McDonald, deceased on file. Publisher's certificate on file. Verified inventory on file and approved. Appraisal bill on file and approved.

Estate of Warren Wilkinson, report of executor of estate of Warren Wilkinson on file. Receipts of distribution on file. Report approved.

The News' Files . . .

TEN YEARS AGO

Twins, Lena May and Wayne Edward, were born to Mr. and Mrs. Homer Pifer.

Noble Ellis and Pauline Wallace announced their marriage which took place July 3 in Fulton, Mo.

A daughter was born to Dr. and Mrs. Wayne S. Williamson. Helen Wilkinson and Blanche Bradbury opened their Ladies' Ready to Wear Store on the south side of the square.

Smyser Christian Church celebrated its 100th anniversary with Dr. John W. Holland delivering the principal sermon.

A farewell dinner was given at Wyman park for the Harold G. Moore family who will move about August 1 to Riverton. Prof. Moore has been leading the high school band for some years.

TWENTY YEARS AGO

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Harmon received word that their son, Harold, had successfully passed examination and is now a certified public accountant.

Hubert Tabor and J. H. Dunscomb, both Sullivan boys, have gone to Superior, Wis., to a coaching school. Several coaches of national reputation are on the faculty. Dunscomb is coach for Windsor High school and Tabor for Benton High school.

S. A. Booker, of Lovington, was awarded the contract for re-roofing the buildings at the county farm. The old slate roofs are being replaced with modern asphalt shingles.

John Bupp opened the Texaco Oil station at corner of Hamilton and Harrison streets.

Mrs. Mary Allison celebrated her 91st birthday at the home of G. F. Allison.

STATE FUNDS SHOW INCREASE IN JUNE

Richard Yates Rowe, state treasurer, has announced increases in state funds for June as follows: general revenue funds increased \$7,625,644.98 from \$107,348,944.29 to \$114,974,569.27. State funds increased \$311,713,209.58 from \$296,254,049.37 to \$607,967,253.95. Most of this increase is represented by the \$300,626,875 proceeds of the sale of Illinois veterans' bonus bonds on June 4th. Trust funds decreased \$3,805,269.18 from \$497,874,989.68 to \$494,069,720.50.

Collections of retailer's occupation tax deposited in the treasury during June totaled \$13,928,928.80; an increase of \$4,359,873.71 over a year ago. Collections for the first six months were \$76,569,125.44; an increase of \$19,374,951.92 over the same period last year.

Motor fuel tax deposited in June totaled \$5,425,105.72; an increase of \$1,030,821.62 over last June. Deposits for the six month period were \$24,663,066.24; an increase of \$2,314,410.29 over the same period a year ago.

Collections of motor vehicle licenses for June were \$790,515.55; an increase of \$65,738.83 over last June. Collections for the six months period totaled \$23,535,045.81; an increase of \$1,460,976.32 over the previous year's six months period.

Cigarette taxes for June totaled \$2,324,131.71; an increase of \$864,020.94. For the first six months collections were \$11,889,964.85; an increase of \$3,696,151.94 over the same period last year.

Rowe also revealed that \$774,966.92 of the cigarette tax total and \$1,624,822.29 of pari-mutuel taxes at Illinois race tracks during June have been added to the bonus bond interest and retirement fund. Total places in this fund for the first six months of 1947 is \$6,316,741.04.

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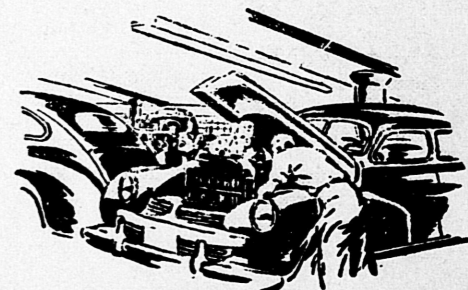
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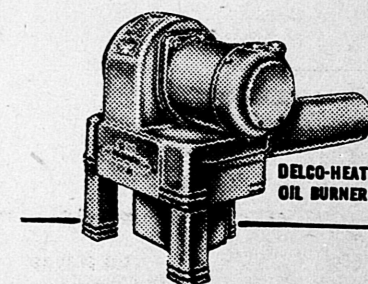
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Household Science Program Listed

The program for the Whitley-East Nelson Household Science club has been announced for the next five months. The club meets the third Wednesday of each month.

August:
Hostess—Open
Roll call—"How I Cure The Blues."

Topic—(1) Psychiatry; (2) A Dainty Summer Dessert, demonstration.
Committee—Nelle Edwards, Margaret Daily, Faye Monson.

September:
Hostess—Our club to Sullivan and Jonathan Creek.
Roll call—"The Trait I Appreciate Most in My Husband."
Committee—Lois Waggoner, Addie Fleming, Ruth Young Garrett, Louise Doughty.

October:
Hostess—Jennie Findlay.
Roll call—"My Favorite Cookies." Each member bring cookies for dessert.

Topic—(1) A Thorough Explanation of Socialism, Commun-

ism and Capitalism; (2) spot removal demonstration.
Exchange of bulbs and slips.
Committee—Clara Edwards, Ruby Christy, Florence Monson.

November:
Hostess—Frances Young.
Roll call—"An Improvement I intend to make in my home."
Topic—New Kitchens and Costs; My Dream House. (2) Curing meat.
Committee—Helen Hoskins, Nola Hickman, Emma Martin, Mabel Elzy.

December:
Hostess—Ruth Hoskins.
Roll call—"My Special Christmas Memories."
Topic—(1) How the Bible Was Written (outside speaker); (2) Decorating for Christmas; Making Door Wreaths.
Committee: Susia Hall, Hillis Jordan, Iessie Wright.

Lloyd Selby Wins Golf Tournament

Lloyd Selby won the Judge O. F. Cochran Memorial Trophy tournament with a sparkling 143 for the 36 holes. Play was completed Sunday, and Selby was 11 strokes under his nearest competitor, Orville Foster, who carded 154.

The tournament began earlier in July when qualifying rounds were played, and the players who finished yesterday were chosen on the basis of their scores.

Selby will receive the trophy to be retained by him for one year. His name will be engraved thereon, showing the year in which he possessed the cup.

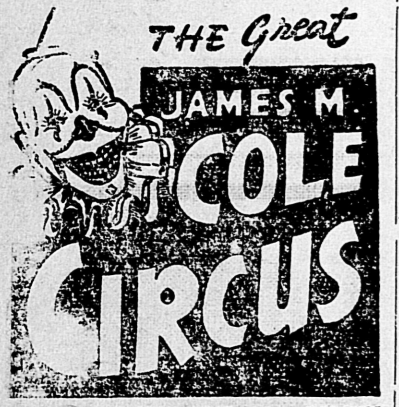
The scores were:

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| Lloyd Selby | 36 | 37 | 36 | 143 |
| Orville Foster | 42 | 40 | 36 | 154 |
| Van Anderson | 44 | 37 | 38 | 155 |
| M. E. Huelster | 41 | 38 | 38 | 155 |
| J. McLaughlin | 38 | 38 | 41 | 155 |
| R. J. Getz | 41 | 44 | 38 | 155 |
| Kenneth Horton | 42 | 41 | 38 | 161 |
| E. Dunscomb | 38 | 40 | 43 | 163 |
| Kermit Hortno | 43 | 42 | 38 | 164 |
| Charles Davis | 45 | 44 | 41 | 170 |
| Paul Isenberg | 41 | 46 | 43 | 176 |

OIL PRODUCTIONS
The oil wells of Illinois produced 5,636,000 barrels during June, according to the monthly report of the state geological survey. Production during may was 5,792,000 barrels. Six oil pools, seven extensions to pools and nine new pays in pools were discovered during June.

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Vacationing On The Ohio River

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We arrived in Cincinnati a day and a half early so did a little sightseeing. It is not what you would call a tourist town, still one could enjoy it in just that manner. We called at the "Visitor's Bureau" and got some literature on what to see and do and where to eat and after a very nice dinner at the "Ol South Restaurant" we went from there on a two hour open-air trolley car for a trip over the city. It would have been a wonderful trip if only we had been wearing fur coats and wool head scarfs. Short handkerchiefs just are not enough on those hills. The last lap of this tour we came down the "Incline Lift." That's where my hair turned a shade whiter. It was a very dark night and from the top of this hill we went thru a shed and out into thin air. The city lights were visible down below us but nothing visible holding the trolley car out there in mid air. It was almost too much for me, but after a slow descent we were safe again and were returned to the starting point.

Visit Rockwood Pottery
After a good nights rest we started out again to use up that day until evening when we could go aboard the boat on which we were to take a seven day cruise on the Ohio and Kanawha rivers. We drove up to Eden Park where I took a few pictures of the city below. Then we went to the Rookwood Pottery, one of the largest and most beautiful exhibits of ware I have ever seen. Colorful vases from sugar bowl size to three or more feet high. And large pottery pictures, in wood frames, of sceneries or sail boats, pictures as beautiful as our oil paintings. One could enjoy hours in their large show rooms.

From there we went over to view the incline lift, just to see how safe we had been the evening before and of course found the thing to be a very safe affair even tho' the plaque did read that it was built in 1879, and maybe I should add "re-built in 1891."

We took in the zoo next but found little color for the camera so did not spend much time there. From there we took a lovely sightseeing trip thru radio statio WLW. The guide explained each and every room. The news room with the sound equipment was most interesting. We saw the thunder machine, the squeaking door, and the marching feet, and of course we watched a program. When we left there it was at the time when we could take our luggage aboard the Gordon C. Greene and have our car stored in the Greene Lines fire proof wharf which we went thru' to reach our boat.

Leave Cincinnati On Cruise
We left Cincinnati at eight o'clock Saturday evening for this seven day cruise. There are other cruises, a fourteen day on the Ohio and Tennessee rivers to Chattanooga, and a twenty day cruise on the Ohio and Mississippi to New Orleans and also a twenty day cruise to St. Paul, Minn.

This Gordon C. Greene is a very nice boat and with a wonderful crew. The line was started in June 1890 by a Captain Gordon C. Greene and in November of that year he was married to the little lady that we had the pleasure of meeting on this trip. They had three sons, Captain Greene and two of the sons have passed away so that now the line is operated by Mrs. Mary Greene and her son, Tom. Captain Tom is at this time bringing the Delta Queen around to Cincinnati from California by way of the Panama Canal. You Saturday Evening Post readers may recall the Sept. 21, 1946 cover with the Delta Queen boarded up for her ocean trip around the California shore line.

Captain Mary
Mrs. Mary Greene is a most interesting person. I am sure she is the only woman in our country with a river pilots license. She has been a pilot for 57 years and can take the wheel at any time tho' her roll now is that of a hostess. Her crew is somewhat younger than her 77 years, but to know her as we did those seven days you would say she was the youngest. I did not see her do the rhumba but she never missed a dance in the evenings and I am sure she could have danced one if the orchestra had brought it forth. She spent her afternoons sewing on aprons, which were sold for the church, and visiting with us passengers. And one of the most outstanding sights on this cruise was the parade of beau-

Kanawha River and altho' the Ohio river was very scenic this river was lovely. There were so many dark green mountains that is gives you the feeling of being smuggled down in a valley. As you sit on the upper deck watching the river wind thru' these mountains you come to a dead end just ahead, then all at once the boat curves and you are headed for another dead end and so on. An ideal spot for your camera shots. The smooth water with its reflections.

We made a short stopover at Ravenswood, W. Va., a small town which sent many of its town folks down to watch us docks. One little old lady stood out on the porch roof to watch. Thursday we had a shower at Point Pleasant, W. Va., so did not stay ashore long. At Gallipolis, Ohio, the sun was out so we took in some of their historical old homes that are open to the public.

Friday we docked at Portsmouth, Ohio for about two hours. It is an interesting town with its old homes and churches. We went into two of the churches and one had the marker that showed how high the water had been in the 1937 flood. It was half way up on the second floor. In the later afternoon we docked at Maysville, Ky., for an hour. It was a typical river town as far as we got to see. And from here we came on into Cincinnati around midnight. Some left the boat then, but only a small number. I think everyone hated to miss out on just one more nice breakfast.

In those short few days and nights we had covered 840 miles and been in three states, as well as adding a few more nice friends to our list. It was a trip we would so much enjoy taking again.

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Personals

Miss Ione Perkins of Decatur is spending this week with Miss Lois Utz.

David Reimers of University City, Mo., came Sunday for a visit with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Robert White.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Stone and family visited with Mrs. Stone's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Jones, at Benton on Sunday.

Miss Betty Butler of Decatur spent Monday and Tuesday with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Don Butler.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Horn, Patricia Grover and Mrs. Edith Riggle are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Aldridge this week.

Miss Helen Wilkinson and Miss Blanche Bradbury returned to Sullivan on Friday from a river cruise on the Ohio river.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Dazey and daughters visited with Mrs. Dazey's parents at Mattoon on Saturday.

Mrs. Lester Lippincott spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Alfs, at New Canton.

Mrs. F. W. Wood and Mrs. Harry M. Davis entertained at a bridge luncheon Thursday afternoon at the Wood home. Contract was played at four tables.

Rev. and Mrs. E. J. Campbell of Rock Island, are spending a few days with Mrs. Campbell's parents, Dr. and Mrs. A. D. Miller.

Mrs. Grace P. Clark is spending this week with her father, Isaac Alvey. She will be in Chicago several days before returning to her work.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Wheeler spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Buchart, south of Kirksville. Mr. Wheeler is a brother of Mrs. Bushart.

The regular meeting of the Junior Woman's club was held last week at Wyman park with a potluck supper for the husbands and families of the members.

Miss Ann Lawson of Lovington left Sunday morning for California where she will spend three weeks. Miss Lawson is employed in the office of State's Attorney J. C. Munch.

Miss Ruby Rich and Mr. and Mrs. Nihiser and children of Effingham visited Mrs. Ellen Rich and son, Merle, last Sunday. Miss Rich and Mrs. Nihiser are daughters of Mrs. Rich.

Weekend visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Thompson were Mr. and Mrs. Wilse Gustin and Mr. and Mrs. Wes Lee, all of Kirksville, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bundy of Windsor.

Mrs. Willis King took her parents to their home in Murphysboro recently after a three week's visit here. They found a deposit of five feet of mud in their house as a result of the recent floods.

Jessie Keen, formerly of Sullivan is employed at Bartlett, near Chicago, in a sanitarium for children suffering with heart trouble. She spent last week in Chicago with her brother, Glenn Keen, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Patterson and Mrs. W. D. Kneeder went to Litchfield Thursday to attend the funeral of ex-senator, Harry Stuttle. Mrs. Patterson and Mrs. Kneeder have been associated with Mrs. Stuttle in club work.

Mr. and Mrs. Ike Hochstrasser of Champaign were here Thursday to attend the picnic given for Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Wright. Mr. Hochstrasser is manager of the Prairie Farms creamery in Champaign.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Davis left Tuesday for a week's vacation in Michigan. They were joined by Mr. and Mrs. Luther Drake of Mt. Zion. Mr. and Mrs. Davis' son, David, will stay in Hammond, Ind., while his parents are in Michigan.

Everett E. Hamilton, son of Louis R. Hamilton of Lovington, has accepted a position as commercial instructor and coach at the Towanda High school for the coming year. Mr. Hamilton will complete work on his bachelor's degree at Illinois State Normal university at Normal, in August.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Walter went to Chicago Tuesday and will leave there for a cruise of the Great Lakes. They will visit Mackinac Island, Sault Ste. Marie, Georgian Bay, Midland, Ont., and other major port cities. Mr. and Mrs. Walter expect to be gone a week.

Mrs. Leland Glasco and children, Betty and Jerry, of Long Island, N. Y., who are visiting Mrs.

Glasco's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Newbould, have gone to Monticello to spend the weekend. Mrs. George A. Sentel and Mrs. Edgar McKenzie returned home from St. Louis Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Bone left Thursday for a three weeks tour of Colorado.

Miss Joan Booker is spending the week in Mattoon with Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Winchester.

Mrs. Pat Robinson, the former Pat England, was honored at a miscellaneous shower at the Corner dining room on Tuesday.

Roger Lane of Urbana is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Eva Conard and other relatives in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Atchison and Mrs. L. A. Atchison attended the funeral of Charles M. Atchison of Peoria on Monday.

Mrs. Harry Shipman and Des-Is Cundiff visited Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Winchester in Mattoon Monday evening.

Rev. Fr. K. Schlessler of St. Josephs Seminary Q. F. M. Teutopolis, said mass at St. Columba Catholic church Sunday in the absence of Fr. Masterson.

L. A. Atchison, who is a patient at the T. B. Sanatorium in Decatur, spent Sunday at his home here. He expects to be home to stay in several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Bart Roney of Bethany and Miss Belle Hull of Chicago spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar McKenzie.

Mrs. Nellie Lowe of Mt. Auburn and Mrs. Bert Peterson of Kansas City were guests of their cousin, Mrs. Fannie Hawkins, on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shipman and Miss Joan Booker spent Sunday at Iola with Mrs. Ethel Winchester, Dorothy Winchester and Mrs. Ada Fitzgerald.

Mrs. C. J. Booze and her niece, Mrs. Daisy Seright, of Harrisburg visited from Thursday until Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph David and family at Logansport, Ind.

Mrs. Gladys Whitfield returned to her home Friday after a three weeks visit in the east. She was accompanied by her grandsons, James and Bruce Miller, of Lewiston, N. Y., who will spend part of the summer here.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Saulkner and Mr. and Mrs. Horace Hines and

family of Carmi and Raymond Atchison of McLeansboro spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Atchison.

Mrs. Lewis Brown and daughter, Miss Lucille, were in Decatur shopping last Thursday.

Mrs. Everett Hubbart left Thursday for a month's visit with her son, John, and family in Hartford, Connecticut.

Miss Sharon Kay Martin spent last week end with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Martin of near Kirksville.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Stockwell of Decatur, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Martin. Mrs. Stockwell and Mrs. Martin are sisters.

Mrs. Eva Conard of Sullivan and her daughter and granddaughter, Mrs. Don Ayer and Leatitia Ayer, of Decatur, spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Conard at Muscatine, Iowa.

A number of people from Sullivan were in the northern part of the state visiting with relatives. Those in the party were: Mrs. Ora Grieder visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bell at Rochelle; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lane and Lorene visited with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Barnes and Stanley at Aurora; Mr. and Mrs. Orris Lane and family with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lane and family at Rochelle; Mr. and Mrs. Bert Lane and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Leeds, Sr., with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Leeds, Jr. at Rochelle. On Sunday they enjoyed a picnic at the Rochelle park in honor of the birthdays of Mrs. Elmer Leeds, Sr., and Mrs. Elmer Leeds, Jr. Richard Leeds returned home with his parents after a two weeks visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Craig have moved to their new home in Sullivan.

Mrs. Elden Craig and Patricia Sue spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Mason Isaacs and Roger.

Edward Arterburn of Peoria called on Mr. and Mrs. Ben Freeman of Lovington. Neither are very well.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Elder spent Sunday evening with Mrs. Elder's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Brown.

Mrs. Phama Arterburn and daughter, Myrtle White, took her son David White to Chicago Friday for a physical check up.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Craig, Jr., and Gloria Gene and Ronnie Auten called on Mr. and Mrs. Mason Isaacs and Roger Monday night.

Edward Arterburn of Peoria spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Porter Arterburn, and Myrtle White and son, David.

Clifford B. Ewing of Gays has recently purchased the registered Brown Swiss bull, Susie's Zeph of L-Eyre from Fred H. Lebrecht of Mattoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Potter Arterburn and Myrtle White and son, David, William Cundiff called on Mr. and Mrs. Ben Freeman of Lovington, Sunday evening.

SCOUT TROOP 39 NEWS
Scoutmaster George A. Dedman reports the following advancements achieved among the boys attending camp Robert Fairies on Lake Decatur;

To Second Class rank—Charles Getz, Gordon Wood and Walter Jenkins, Jr.

Qualified for Life Scout—Terry McDonald and Robert White.

At present, the Troop is devoting its regular meeting times, as well as extra periods, to painting and fix-up work at the Scout Cabin.

A Scout-Parent potluck get-together was held Monday night at 6:30 p. m. at the Scout Cabin, with 26 present. The Scout-Parent Association was reorganized

at this meeting. The purpose of the association is to enable the parents of scouts to acquaint themselves with the activities and problems of the troop and their sons, and with each other.

Douglas Hinton and Francis Crockett plan to attend the last camp session at Camp Robert Fairies on Lake Decatur.

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FOR SALE — Four very desirable building lots, nw cor. McClellan and Hunter Sts. Tract 200x91, price \$900. Will consider selling lots separately. Charles R. Slider, 930 South Jasper St., Decatur, Ill.

FOR SALE — Two baby beds, baby blankets, 2 porch gates, 4 snowsuits, and a number of wash suits, size 2. Mrs. Russell McPheeters.

FOR SALE — New 5-room, all modern house, with full basement, storage room, plenty closet space; garage 20x24; all on two lots, within 6 blocks of square. Also two 5-room houses, with extra room for baths, priced reasonable. H. T. (Doc) Houts, Realtor. Campbell & Selock, salesmen. Phone 3212, Sullivan, Ill.

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FOR SALE

FOR SALE — Lumber, 10,000 feet oak and maple. \$8 per hundred. Also 3,000 feet walnut. Everett Hawbaker, Gays, Ill. Route 1. 29t4

FOR SALE — Laundry stove, hot water tank, pipe and fittings, complete. See Charles Guin. 29t4

FOR SALE — Service station, grocery and 5-room house, combined. See Tommy England, at 412 S. Hamilton St., Sullivan.

FOR SALE — 1939 Plymouth motor; 1935 two-door Chevrolet. Walter Oathout, 502 W. Hagerman st. 29t3

FOR SALE — One 380 egg electric incubator and one electric brooder. Mrs. J. W. Dickens, 1028 South Main. 29t2

FOR SALE — Blond cocker puppies. A. K. C. registered. Champion stock. Phone 3138. L. R. Price, Sullivan.

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MISCELLANEOUS

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CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere appreciation to our friends and relatives for the many kind and thoughtful expressions of sympathy extended to us at the time of the death of our loved one, Mrs. David S. Sullivan. D. S. Sullivan and family.

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ABOUT OUR CHURCHES

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Rev. Delmar M. Talley, Pastor. Don Hood, superintendent. Bible school—9:30 a. m. Morning worship—10:30 a. m. Our worship service is yours. Come and worship with us and accept the invitation of Christ to partake of the communion. Official Board Meeting Monday evening at 8 p. m. Bible study class Tuesday evening 8 p. m. All persons who have placed their membership in the church during the ministry of the present pastor will receive membership certificates. These are now in the process of being compiled and you will receive yours as soon as possible. Remember in your worship—You can find God through knowing Christ.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Corner Van Buren and Monroe a. m. Morning services — 10:00 a. m. Evening services—7:30 p. m. Wednesday evening service—8 p. m. Come to church regularly. We welcome you.

CHURCH OF GOD

Rev. John E. Long, Pastor. (Where salvation makes you a member) Corner of Water and Van Buren. Unified services Sunday morning. Sunday school—9:30 a. m. Harold Jones, superintendent, Message—10:30 a. m.

Christian Crusaders—6:30 p. m. Evangelistic Message, — 7:30 p. m. Midweek prayer meeting, Wednesday—7:30 p. m. Missionary work at Parsonage—Wednesday 1 to 4 Radio broadcast, Friday 1:00 to 1:30 over WLBH, Mattoon, 1170 on your dial. Come to church Sunday. Remember you are a stranger but once at the Church of God.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Joseph R. Hoy, Pastor 215 E. Water Street Bible School — 9:45 a. m. Ralph Shirey, Superintendent. Worship with sermon—10:45. Worship — 7:30 p. m. B. Y. Fellowship — Wednesday 3 p. m. Men's Brotherhood — Friday 7:30 p. m. at the home of Rev. J. R. Hoy. Those not attending some other church are cordially invited to come and worship with us.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Joseph Partridge, Minister. Sunday school—9:30 a. m. Joseph Munch, General Superintendent. We have a class for you. Morning worship—10:45 a. m. If you have no church home in Sullivan, we cordially invite you to worship with us. Come or go to church Sunday.

CATHOLIC CHURCH ST. COLUMCILLE

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

JONATHAN CREEK CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Sunday School—9:30 a. m. Gerald Dolan, Superintendent. Rev. Berthold will preach the second and fourth Sundays of each month. You are welcomed to these services.

ALLENVILLE CHRISTIAN CHURCH

W. B. Hopper, Minister. Sermon Subject: Moving Northward.

ALLENVILLE METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. H. T. Harper, Pastor. Homecoming Sunday, July 27 at the Allenville Methodist church. Everyone is invited and everyone is welcome. Sunday school 10 a. m. Mrs. Fred Watkins, superintendent, Worship at 11 a. m. Basket dinner at 12:30 p. m. Afternoon service at 2:30 p. m. Special singing by quartette and old time songs. Evening service at 7:30 p. m.

Personals

Mrs. James Woodfall and daughter, Rosemary, Mrs. Fannie Decker and Miss Nell and Miss Lois Hutchason, all of Charleston were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Verle Dollahan on Tuesday. Word has been received here from Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Coombs of Bushnell, that they are the parents of an 8 lb. 1½ oz. baby boy, born July 17. He has been named Ronald Calvin. Mrs. Coombs is the former Betty Jean Craig of Sullivan.

BUXTON REUNION SUNDAY AT HILGENBERG HOME

The Buxton Reunion was held Sunday, July 20, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hilgenberg with 48 in attendance. The tables were loaded with appetizing food brought and served at the noon hour. The afternoon was spent in singing, visiting, and men pitching horseshoes. It was voted to keep the same officers: President, Mrs. Jeanette Hilgenberg, Humboldt; Vice president, Jerry Buxton, Sullivan, Secretary and Treasurer, Mrs. Maud Everett, Sullivan.

Those present were as follows: Mr. and Mrs. Will Dick and son, Lovington; Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Haines, Decatur; Mrs. Earl Hines, Arthur; Mrs. Mary Buxton, Pierson Station; Erma Jean Anderson, Mattoon; Mr. and Mrs. Clem Buxton and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Buxton and sons, Lovington; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hilgenberg and Clem, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hilgenberg and Paulie, Humboldt; Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Everett, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Floyd and three grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. George Buxton and sons, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Buxton and Jerry Buxton, all of Sullivan; Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Buxton, Allenville; Mr. and Mrs. Ora Buxton and family of Bethany.

There has been one death, two births and two marriages since the last meeting:

Death—C. M. Buxton, Pierson Station; Marriages — Wilma Earlene Dick, Lovington, and Maynard D. Hawkins, Morris; Everett Buxton, Sullivan and Alice Baker; Births—Mr. and Mrs. Percy Ledbetter, a son; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Payne, a daughter. Secretary.

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LYDIA GREY Tissues lg. box 28c

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Orange Slices lb. 35c

NATION WIDE Prune Plums Heavy Syrup No. 2 ½ can 25c

SUGAR 10 lbs. 99c

WHOLE SWEET Pickles 16-oz. jar 39c

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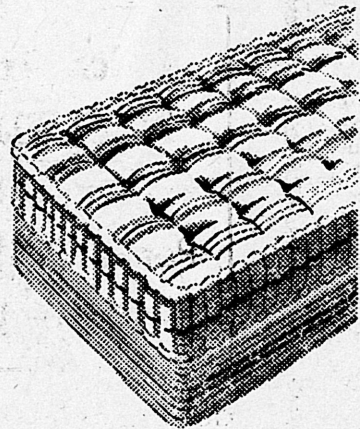
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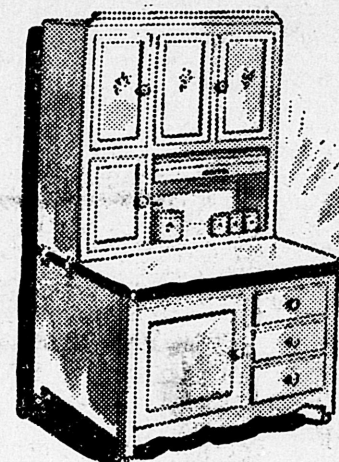
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We have an extra good value in a 24-in. wood base Cabinet, genuine porcelain top at \$17.50

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flexible steel backs, also a few porch settees and porcelain lawn tables to close out for the season. Look at them.

COUNTY NEWS

Bethany

By Dorothy Florey
Mrs. Minnie Smith and Miss Dorothy Florey spent Wednesday in Sullivan.

Mrs. Cressa Davis spent Thursday in Decatur.

The W. S. C. S. met at the home of Mrs. Charles Rule Wednesday afternoon with 24 members present. Mrs. Leta Schwartz was the leader. Mrs. Jim Little read the lesson. The meeting was enjoyed by all after which refreshments of ice cream, wafers, and iced tea were served.

Mrs. Patricia Price formerly of Bethany and Ralph Stuart of Wood River were married Saturday afternoon at 4:00 in the Methodist church in Alton. They will make their home in Wood River.

Miss Lucy Wilson of Fairfield has opened a beauty shop in the location formerly occupied by Vicky's Beauty Shop.

Mrs. Charles Clark has purchased the Glen Evans property in the west part of town.

Glen Evans has purchased the 33 acre farm located southeast of Bethany which was owned by Alf Reed.

Miss Florence Gough and Miss Grace Majors, Mrs. Catherine Majors, Mrs. Chris Majors, and Mrs. Robert McCord spent Saturday in Decatur.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilber Florey and Mr. and Mrs. Marcell Hanson of Decatur spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Vernie Florey and family.

Miss Joan Twenty, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marion Twenty, and James Howard, son of Mrs. Hershel Goetz, were married Tuesday evening in Sullivan by Rev. Delmar Talley, pastor of the Christian church.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Majors, Mrs. Catherine Majors and son, Herbert Allen, Mrs. Cora Reed, and Miss Ellen and Miss Linda

Dick spent Sunday in New Harmony, Ind.

Albert McLaughlin and daughter, Mrs. Walter Wahlberg, of Houston, Tex., are spending several weeks here visiting relatives. Mrs. Anna Monroe and son, Cecil, of Decatur called on Mrs. Ida Burk Saturday.

Gays

By Valerie Waggoner

Mrs. Jessie Libotte is quite ill at her home at this writing.

Owen Clabaugh was brought to his home here Sunday from the Carle Hospital in Champaign. He had been there since Tuesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Waggoner of Waterloo, Iowa, and Morris Hillgoss were callers at the home of Ray Waggoner on Sunday morning. Billie Lemons and family of Neoga and Mr. and Mrs. Otis Burcham and son of Mattoon were late afternoon callers.

Virginia and Bobby Hughes of Sexton Corner spent the weekend with their grandmother, Mrs. Frances Hughes.

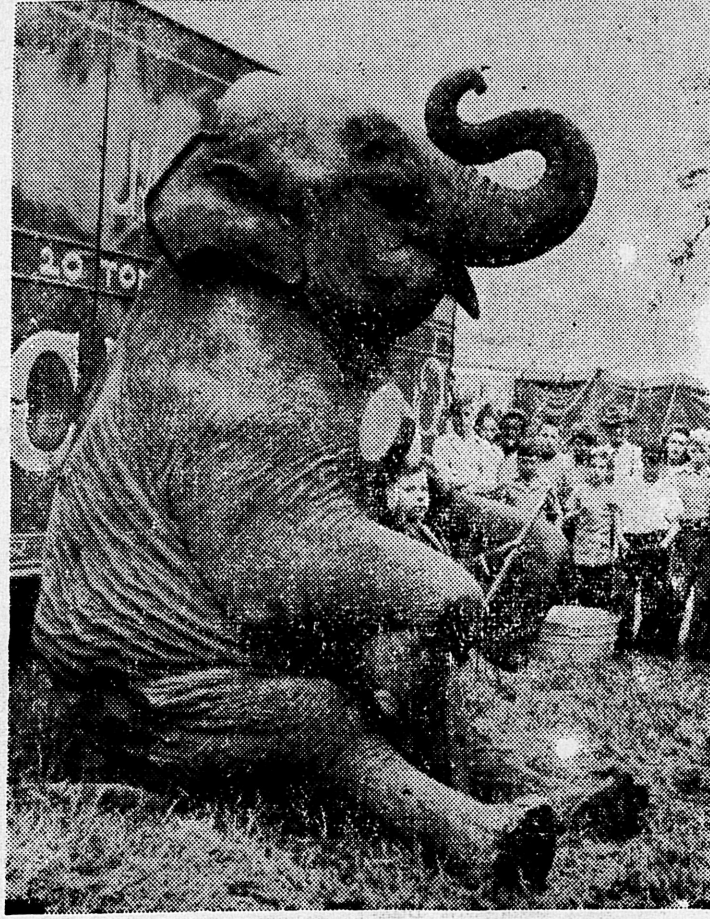
Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Fuller visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Fuller, Sunday. Mrs. Owen Clabaugh, Mrs. M. U. Clabaugh and Mrs. Bertha Allen of Decatur were visitors in Champaign on Thursday.

Halfow Bowman is drilling a well for Mr. and Mrs. Burl Swits.

Mrs. Paul Young entertained a few relatives Sunday for dinner in honor of her husband's birthday and also the birthdays of her two nieces, Janice Ann Lemons and Geraldine Clawson. Those attending were Mrs. Laura Burcham, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Waggoner, Billie Lemons and family of Neoga, Dean Clawson and family of Ash Grove and Riley Burcham of Decatur.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Moore,

7-Year Old With The Circus



Seven year-old Jimmy Cole, Jr., is the youngest elephant trainer in the U. S. Here he is making 5-ton Frieda sit up and take notice. Little Jim will perform in Mattoon with the Great James M. Cole Circus on Friday, July 25th at 33rd St. and DeWitt. Performances at 2:30 and 8:15 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Moore and daughter, Madeline and friend of Ashmore were all visitors with Mrs. Ella Moore on Sunday.

Mrs. Paul Young went to Kankakee Sunday evening to help care for her aunt, Mrs. Opal Brown, who had been in a patient in a hospital there for the past ten days.

Mrs. Julia Floyd visited her sister, Mrs. Ray Ferree, on Friday. Mrs. Don Florian and children of St. Louis are visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Phipps and children took supper Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Alexander and children.

Mrs. Gertie Sullivan of Mattoon and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Miller and children of Decatur visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Meyers and son, Earl.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivy Alexander spent Sunday with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Roellig and babe of near Strasburg. Their granddaughter, Nancy Alexander, returned home with them having spent the past week in the Roellig home.

Word was received here Tuesday morning of the sudden death of Mason Harrison of Birmingham, Ala. Both Mr. and Mrs. Harrison were residents of this community several years ago.

Lake City

By Mrs. Sophia Connour
Vacation Bible school will be held at the church here starting Monday, July 28. All children from four to sixteen are invited to take part. Special workers will be in charge.

Rev. Mr. Hiatt of Brethren church in La Place attended services here Sunday evening. Menno Plank and family of Arthur and workers of Bible school had charge of services here Sunday evening.

Mrs. W. E. Baker visited relatives near Cerro Gordo last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Franklin were Hammond visitors last Tuesday evening.

Carl Brohard was a Decatur visitor Wednesday. Mrs. Cassie Howell, Mrs. Homer Eskridge and children of Hammond were visitors here Saturday evening.

Bernadeen Rich was a Sullivan visitor Thursday. Fete Baker attended State Convention of Rural mail carriers in Rockford last week.

Joe Howell and family of Findlay were callers here Sunday evening. Grace and Maude Windings accompanied them to Hammond.

Leonard Dosse of Lake City and June Foster of Galesville were married July 19 at 9 o'clock at Monticello by Rev. Charles H. Kennedy. They will make their home with his mother for the present.

Ralph Goodrich and family, Leland Franklin and family were Lovington callers Saturday evening. J. P. Cook and family were Bethany visitors Saturday evening.

West Prairie

By Mary Miller
On Sunday, church services were held at the homes of Mrs. Joe L. Schrock, Menno Dieners, Lewis Yoders and Levi Kauffmans.

A young folks singing was at Mrs. Joe L. Schocks Sunday evening. Mrs. Lydia Miller returned home from Indiana Friday evening after a few months there taking care of her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Mast are the parents of a new boy, Lynn William is his name.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Miller and some Slabuk people from Oregon are visiting through here at present. They spent the winter in Florida and are travelling home now. Living quarters are fixed in a bus and they travel with it.

Some wheat has been threshed. Oats threshing will start this week.

Work is getting plentiful at the canning factory. Quite a few beans etc., to be canned.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Yoder, Brenda Kay and Clara Miller spent Sunday evening at Amos Grebers. Ice cream was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Schrock are putting an addition to their house. A bath room and porch will be added, also a room upstairs.

Levi Kauffman and Dave Plank will leave for the Western States Tuesday morning. Eli Yoders, who have remodelled their house and added a new kitchen, have moved back into it.

NOTICE OF CLAIM DATE
Estate of Ulysses Silas Hull, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given to all persons that September 1, 1947, is the claim date in the estate of Ulysses Silas Hull, 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.
LEO L. HORN, Administrator with will annexed.
JOSEPH C. MUNCH, Attorney.
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Approximately 38 species of mammals are represented in Wyoming.

Recreation Roundup

League Standing

| | W | L |
|---------|---|---|
| White | 5 | 1 |
| Cooper | 3 | 1 |
| Jibby | 3 | 1 |
| Roley | 2 | 2 |
| Stowers | 1 | 2 |
| Barclay | 1 | 4 |
| Goddard | 0 | 4 |

Lucky Seven

| | R | H |
|---------------|------|---|
| G. Hollenbeck | .600 | |
| Schack | .571 | |
| Perrine | .500 | |
| G. Dailey | .500 | |
| R. Hubbard | .500 | |
| Shasteen | .466 | |
| West | .461 | |

White vs. Stowers
White won their fifth straight game by defeating Stowers 10 to 3. Maxedon and Winchester led the victors with two hits each.

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| White | 200 020 6—10 | 8 |
| Stowers | 010 000 2— | 3 8 |

Roley vs. Goddard
Krows slapped out a single, a double and a triple as Roley defeated Goddard 12 to 3. The high spot of the game was a triple play. Bone of Goddard's team caught a line drive, threw to Goddard on first who in return threw back to Bone on second. This doubled both base runners and completed an unusual play.

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| Goddard | 001 020 0— | 3 9 |
| Roley | 314 004 x— | 12 10 |

Jibby vs. Barclay
Lefty Hollenbeck batted out three hits and pitched fine ball as Jibby upset Barclay 7 to 2.

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| Barclay | 001 100 0— | 2 5 |
| Jibby | 001 015 x— | 7 9 |

Jibby vs. White

White's team was leading Jibby by 6 to 3 in the last inning and was on the verge of winning the first half schedule undefeated. However Jibby's crew came up with six runs in the 7th to sink White. D. Davis was the man of the hour, when he knocked a Ruthian home with the bases loaded in the fatal seventh.

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| Jibby | 210 000 6— | 9 9 |
| White | 022 011 0— | 6 9 |

Roley vs. Cooper
Rookie pitcher Bulldog Lane won his second victory 9 to 5 as Cooper defeated Roley. Bulldog allowed only four hits and was in complete command except in the third inning when the losers scored all their runs.

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| Roley | 005 000 0— | 5 4 |
| Cooper | 043 020 x— | 8 8 |

BOYS LEAGUE

League Standing

| | W | L |
|----------|---|---|
| Newbould | 3 | 1 |
| Stearns | 3 | 2 |
| White | 1 | 2 |
| Carnes | 1 | 3 |

Dangerous Ten

| E. Isaacs | .666 |
|------------|------|
| Moore | .636 |
| Cochran | .625 |
| Selby | .615 |
| Marble | .555 |
| D. Hubbard | .500 |
| Newbould | .500 |
| J. Johnson | .466 |
| Harchous | .416 |
| Bailey | .388 |

Newbould vs. Stearns
Newbould's team revenged an earlier defeat by romping over Stearns 15 to 7. Ronnie Newbould got four hits for his team.

White vs. Carnes
Perry Moore slugged out a single, a triple and two home runs as Carnes defeated White 8 to 7.

Stearns vs. Carnes
In a wild hitting contest, Stearns came out on top 16 to 8. Bailey led the attack knocking out four hits.

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40 Year Old Car Gets 1947 License

One-hundred-sixty makes of passenger automobiles, one of them a forty-year old model, have been licensed to operate in Illinois since the first of the year, Secretary of State Edward J. Barrett reports.

Most of the popular early "gasoline buggies" are represented in the current passenger car license registrations which now total 1,598,734.

Secretary Barrett said that a review of the automobile department files showed the oldest licensed car to be a 1907 Buick. Other licensed old-timers are a 1908 Stoddard-Dayton; 1909 and 1910 models of both the Brush and E. M. F.; a 1913 Regal; 1914 Allen; 1916 Stanley; 1918 Overland; and five 1920 models including a Birch, Cleveland, Patterson, Revere and Scripps-Both. Six Detroit - Electrics have licenses.

Another group of old-time models have titles only because they are maintained by their owners as museum pieces or collector's items, and not for road use. These include a 1902 Gardner-Serpollet and a 1903 Auto-car as well as many of the more popular models manufactured from 1907 on through 1920.

Mr. Barrett said that foreign cars represented in the license files include a Maericar, Mar Rosse, Hispano Suiza, Newfield Motor Glide, Standard, Volswagen, Matford and Delta. The last four were brought back to this country by G. I.'s.

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Illinois Corn Is Still Two Weeks Behind

The Illinois corn crop is still an average of two weeks behind normal, a slight improvement over a month ago, according to estimates made by the Illinois Agricultural Association board of directors in session Friday.

The IAA board is composed of 15 long-time Farm Bureau leaders and operating farmers representing every section of the state.

The Farm Bureau leaders were of the opinion that given a fair share of hot weather with warm growing nights and a reasonably late fall, Illinois farmers would produce a corn crop about 70 to 80 per cent of last year's record breaker.

Some were of the opinion that the U. S. Department of Agriculture estimate of 406,000,000 bushels of corn for Illinois is a bit optimistic.

Soybeans, they estimated, would yield at least a normal crop throughout Illinois. The beans are in first class condition and a normal acreage has been planted. The expected increase in soybean production due to the late corn planting has not materialized, they said.

July pastures throughout the state are an unusual lush green. Several members of the IAA board said that they had never seen the pastures in such excellent condition at this time of the year.

Hay is still producing very heavy cuttings because of the favorable weather and greater hay acreage than anticipated this spring. Quality of hay, however, runs to stummy and coarse.

Crop prospects in southern Illinois are good all around and closer to normal than in other parts of the state. Gloomiest prospects were reported by the IAA men from north and west of St. Louis and the north central part of the state where spring rains were unusually heavy. The heavy corn growing areas of north central Illinois, IAA directors estimated, would yield under 70 percent of a normal crop.

Dalton City

By Mabel F. Roney July 18, 1947

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Smith and son and Mrs. Celeste Wright returned home Saturday evening from a visit at Baker, Minn., with Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Baird. Mrs. Wanda Stewart and daughter Dianna, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Stewart and son Paul, of St. Louis, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kite and family.

Misses Lois Fisher and Edith Howse of Shelbyville, visited Mrs. Grace Hight and daughter Monday evening.

Some of the sidewalks of our village are being repaired at this time. They have been in need of repair for several years.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Kenneth Roney of Shelbyville, visited Mrs. Josie Roney Saturday evening.

Miss Nancy Cole of Gibson City, is visiting relatives here this week.

Mrs. George Dickson spent the first of the week in Decatur with Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Nihiser.

Mr. Clarence Eads of Golden, Colo., came last Thursday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weidner. Mrs. Eads has been here for some time. Mrs. Roger Crockett and sons of Sheboygan, Wis., are also here visiting Mrs. Crockett's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morris and family entertained the H. E. Nihiser family and the Misses Boyd of Decatur at a hamburger fry Friday evening.

Mr. Ira Nihiser is remodeling his home at this time. He is excavating for a basement.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rawlings and daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. Godfrey Shipman at Dunn Station Sunday evening.

At The Grand Sun.-Mon., July 27-28



The armful of loveliness above is Marie McDonald, of the million-dollar figure, who welcomes Gene Kelly back to the screen in his first post-war picture, "Living in a Big Way." With Kelly as her partner, curvesome Marie not only has her biggest chance at romance, but also is given an opportunity to dance—although, with that figure, it's hardly necessary!

State Capitol News

In two radio talks this week from the executive mansion at Springfield, Governor Dwight H. Green is reporting to the people of Illinois on the work of the General Assembly at its recent session. The Governor speaks at 7:15 p. m., Monday, July 21, and Wednesday, July 23, over WLS, Chicago, and a network of downstate stations. His address Monday evening will be on the Assembly's financial measures, and Wednesday he will discuss legislative enactments in the field of public policy.

An array of the work of Midwest artists in oils, water colors, sculpture, and lithography, comprising the Old Northwest Territory art exhibit, will be a notable feature of the Illinois State Fair, August 8-17. Nearly 600 works of art have been entered and judged, and winners of \$2900 in awards will be announced on the opening day of the fair. The prize-winning works, along with about 150 other pieces, will be displayed in the art gallery of the newly decorated Exposition building throughout the fair.

Coal production in Illinois during June dropped about 20 percent below the amount mined in May, according to the state department of mines and minerals. The 4,057,299 tons produced in June came from 19 strip mines turning out 945,895 tons, and from 69 shaft mines with an output of 3,111,404 tons. Total May production was 5,102,505 tons.

Parkings space for 12,000 autos will be available at the Illinois state fairgrounds this year. A new parking space has been prepared inside the new training track, and old parking areas have been enlarged. Parking rates: 50 cents per day; \$3 for a parking ticket good throughout the fair, August 8-17.

Wednesday, August 13, Democratic day, and Thursday, August 14, Governor's day, will be free gate days, as well as Youth days, August 8 and 9, and Veteran's day, Sunday, August 10.

Contracts for Illinois highway work amounting to \$6,698,859 were let during June, according to Walter A. Rosenfield, director of public works and buildings. The construction of fifty bridges, as well as paving, grading, and general road improvement were included in the contracts.

NATIONAL FARM SAFETY DRIVE JULY 20-26

National Farm Safety Week is being observed July 20-26, as leaders and workers in agricultural education join with other agencies in a campaign to lower the farm accident toll.

Primary purpose of the week is to urge every farm family to adopt safe practices of living and working 52 weeks of the year. Safety specialists suggest that families learn what hazards menace their lives at home and on the farm, at work and on the highway; what each member of the family can do to eliminate as many of these hazards as possible; and how carelessness on the part of any member of the family imperils the lives and happiness of all.

Figures of the National Safety Council show that last year about 4,500 farm workers were killed and 300,000 were injured in accidents.

Shelby Hospital Receives Bequest

The Shelby County Memorial hospital will receive at least \$10,000 from the estate of Mrs. May Hambleton, who died Thursday, June 26, in St. Louis, it was revealed.

Mrs. Hambleton was a former Shelbyville resident, but for many years had been residing in St. Louis.

Under terms of a trust agreement made with the Shelby Loan and Trust Company, of Shelbyville, she reserved the income from certain funds during her lifetime and provided for the distribution of the principal at her death.

Besides certain small gifts to a few friends, she directed that substantial sums be paid to the Shelby County Memorial hospital, churches and the local library. All the remainder, after the specified gifts are to go to the Shelby County Memorial hospital.

Under this trust, there will soon be paid to the hospital at least \$10,000, perhaps more, depending upon the market value of the securities in the trust.

SENIOR GIRL SCOUTS

Monday, July 14th marked the fifth meeting of the summer for the "Hi-Scouts." It was a swell day to be out-of-doors, and we had a very good attendance of girls. Our present meeting-place is at the Scout Cabin on the north shore of Wyman Lake.

We all had lots of different things to do, such as swimming, canoeing, weaving, writing and campcraft. Speaking of canoeing, some of us girls are getting pretty good at paddling that canoe!

A few of the girls are working for their Curved Bars. Helen Cochran and Norma Howard have passed several requirements in the Out-of-Door field. Betty Sievers has completed the Scribe badge in the field of literature, Esther Witchurch has made a good start in the field of music, and the Arts and Crafts workers include Mary Lou Donaker, Lorene Lane, Beverly Riley, Pat Saltzman, Mary Lou Thompson, and Marilyn Wood.

Maurine Marble, our Assistant Leader, took several of us girls on a bicycle trip to Jonathan Creek last Monday in the late afternoon. We took a sack-lunch to eat, and it really tasted wonderful after our ride.

Mrs. Briggs left on her vacation last week, to be gone the rest of the summer. Her Troop 3 Senior Girl Scouts will meet with our own Troop 1 until she returns in the fall.

We had three prospective new members at our meeting this week. They are Joan Jordan for Troop 1, and Ruth Ann Myers and Janice Shasteen for Troop 3. We enjoyed having them with us, also all the girls of Troop 3. Ruth Butler, Troop 1 Scribe.

PROGRESS PICNIC HERE

The annual picnic for the employees of the Progress Manufacturing Company, of Arthur, and their families, was held in Sullivan Saturday at the Legion pavilion in Freeland Grove. Contests and games were held in the afternoon. Supper was served at 6:30 p. m., after which there was an entertainment program.

Twenty thousand workmen labored 21 years to build the Taj Mahal, considered by many to be the most beautiful building in the world.

SUNNYSIDE HOME BUREAU MET IN CLUB ROOMS

The Sullivan Sunnyside Home Bureau unit met at the Junior Women's Club room as the guests of Mrs. Walter Jenkins on Monday, July 14. The meeting was called to order by the chairman, Mrs. B. J. Peters. All the members joined in singing the song "America." The minutes of the previous meeting were read by Mrs. Myrtle Smith.

Roll call was answered with "A point of etiquette of which I am not sure." The Vice-Chairman's report was given by Mrs. Ralph Emel. Mrs. J. F. Fleming gave a report on the activities of the Executive Board.

Mrs. Harold Queen, 4-H Club chairman, informed the members that the County 4-H Home Economics clubs would have their show on July 31. She also told about the Citizenship Conference at Jacksonville which she attended.

The minor lesson on "Table Courtesies," was given by Mrs. Westor Rothermel. For the major lesson, Mrs. J. F. Fleming asked all members to participate in a review of the lessons we had during the year. Mrs. Albert Pierce, County School chairman gave a report on her trip to the Citizenship Conference.

Miss Dorothy Smith showed colored slides photographed in the Philippine Islands by her brother, Kenneth Smith. There were 21 members present and one associate member.

HOME BUREAU TOPIC

Leaders from the sixteen Home Bureau units of the county met at Mrs. Frank Fleming's Thursday, July 24, to learn how to give artificial respiration. Miss Dorothy Smith of Sullivan was the instructor. Home Bureau members are centering their attention on health at their August meeting. A study of the local health department will be the major lesson and the minor lesson topic will be "Artificial Respiration."

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kistler, returned home last Friday from a three week's vacation in Canada.

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Frank G. Thompson, chairman of the board of vocational education, made this announcement on the fourth anniversary of the present expanded program for

civilian disabled persons. He estimated there are at least 56,000 civilians in Illinois with handicapping physical or mental disabilities. More than half of those assisted during the past four years were men and women between 15 and 30 years of age.

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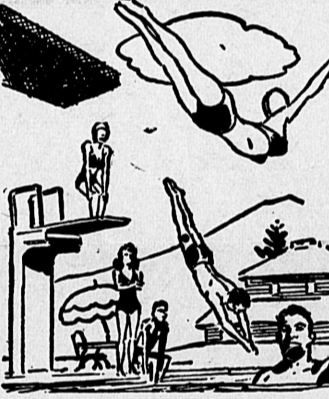
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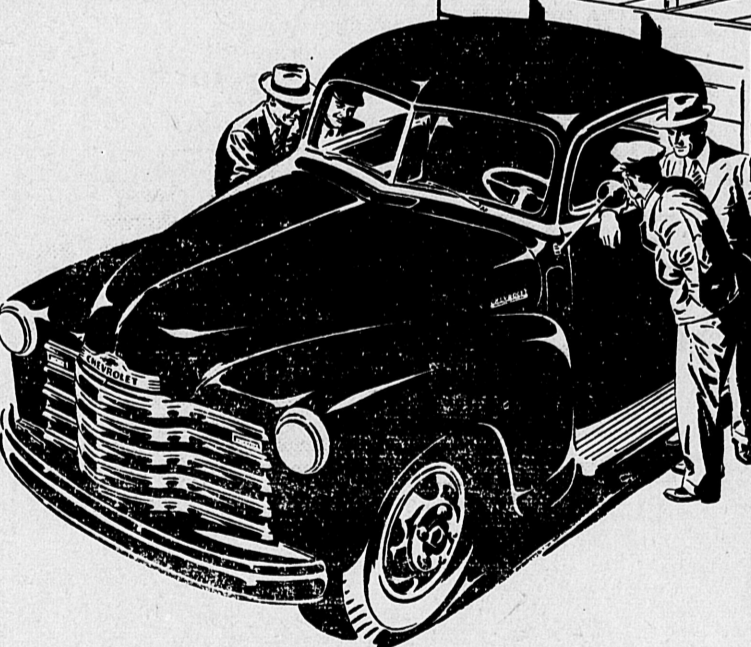
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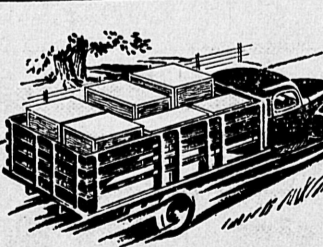
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Of course, the forms weren't closed. But I had kind of an inkling of what might happen. Then Sun-

day he phones me, and says, kind of sheepishly: "You can forget that ad. Me and the missus have everything all patched up. And we're having a friendly glass of beer, right now."

From where I sit, if you give folks time enough to think things over, those hasty quarrels that come so often from misunderstanding will give way to tolerance and common sense.

Joe Marsh

PICNIC FOR WRIGHTS

More than 120 persons attended a picnic given in Wyman park on Thursday for Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Wright who are leaving this community.

HUNTING LICENSES OUT

State hunting licenses have been received in Moultrie county and are available at the office of County Clerk Ralph Hanrahan, and at hardware stores and other central locations throughout the county.

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C. Of C. Names The Committees For Work On Homecoming

The following committees have been named to work with general chairman, George Roney to promote and stage the first annual Sullivan Homecoming on August 21, 22 and 23.

Publicity-Lester Lippincott, chairman; Byron Brandenburger, R. H. Keeler, R. E. Lane, Lewis Sheop, Earl Walker, B. J. Peters, Francis Peters, Harry Davis. GROUNDWORK-Christie Nicotley, Jr., chairman; Leo Lane, W. H. Fisher, R. D. Ramsey, J. G. Stowers, Harry Fulk, L. R. Picken, Carl Weckley, Claude Anderson. RECEPTION-William C. Ingram, chairman; Charles W. Kelso, John J. Gauger, Leon Kite, Hagerman & Harshman, Bob Calahan, Ralph Hilliard, Robert LeVane, David Butler, Paul Eisenberg, Charles W. Buxton, Francis Newbould, Ray C. Subblefield, William A. Horn. TICKET SALES-Orrville Isaacs and Glen Landers, co-chairmen; H. O. Swartwood, D. L. Baker, Wm. Kolhauff, John A. Cassady, Maurine Crockett, E. A. Crowder, L. L. David, Earl Walker, B. J. Peters, Finley W. Pifer, Bliss Shuman, J. Wilbur Gagon, Ruby Hansen, Cecil Hamilton, George A. Kinn, R. A. Howard, J. W. McMillin, James B. Guin, Les Rushing, Warren McFarland, R. F. White, Glen H. Lane, J. G. Marble, George C. Miller, Jack McLaughlin, Melvin Strickland, Verle G. Dolan.

Dunn

By Lula Shipman Mr. and Mrs. Guy Cunningham visited Mr. and Mrs. John Jones on Wednesday. Myrta and Victor Scott spent Tuesday with Mrs. Jane Love. Mr. and Mrs. Chance Welty visited the first of the week with relatives at Shelbyville. Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Shipman and Lula spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Nighswander. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Baker spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Austin Sanner. Mrs. Maud Wood returned to her home on Saturday after spending the last two weeks with Mrs. Bertha Wood. Lester Baker visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Shipman and children. Mrs. Mae Frederick spent Sunday with Mrs. Mamie Jeffers. Mrs. Luella Bell and Bobby returned to their home in La Grange on Sunday night. Mrs. Lula Davidson is staying with Mrs. W. R. Wood. Mr. and Mrs. John Jones spent Sunday at Turkey Run.

Dalton City

By Mabel F. Roney Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Patrick and daughter of Macon spent Friday with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wright. The Tried and True Class of the United Brethren Sunday school will serve home made ice cream and cake on the church lawn Tuesday night, July 29. Mr. and Mrs. Cooley Doley of Peoria spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kite. Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Fogarty of Decatur visited friends here Saturday evening. Miss Bernice Taylor of Charleston spent the first of the week with her sister, Mrs. Thomas Wright. Mr. and Mrs. George Dickson visited Mr. and Mrs. Bert Bible at Findlay Sunday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Junior Nihiser and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Nihiser. Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Virden and daughter of Decatur visited Mrs. Laura Snyder and Mrs. Lola Virden Sunday. Charles Ohl of Decatur spent Friday evening with Walter Kite. Mrs. Jessie L. Wilson and Mrs. Ruth Lester visited the rock garden at Chesterville Sunday afternoon. Miss Lorene Schum of Raymond is visiting her brother, Carl Schum, and family this week. Mrs. Grace Hight and daughter were Decatur callers Monday. Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Nihiser and family of Decatur and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dickson and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Grinslade and family of Bethany had a hamburger fry Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Dickson. Irvin Varvil was picked up Wednesday night by the city police department, charged with being drunk and disorderly.

Jonathan Creek

By Mrs. G. R. Crawford Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Elder were business visitors in Decatur Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Ora Robinson and family were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Short and family. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Keown and Charles Allen spent Sunday with Mrs. Beatrice Danner of Danville. Charles Allen is spending this week there. Mrs. Sam Purvis and Dulcinea and Mrs. Ora Purvis called on relatives in Kenny Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Crane and Maurice, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Bolin and Charles and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Pierce visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Powell and Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Crawford. Mrs. Edson Buxton called Monday morning on Mrs. G. W. Bolin. Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Elder visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Beals. Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Wilhelm and family of Decatur and Mr. and Mrs. Harris of Mattoon were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Wilhelm. Miss Lura Shore spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Meadows. Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Everett, Mr. and Mrs. Edson Buxton, Jerry Buxton, and Mr. and Mrs. George Buxton and family attended the Buxton reunion which was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hilgenberg of near Mattoon. Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Spaug spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Needham of Charleston. Mrs. G. R. Crawford of Clinton was a Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Powell and Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Crawford, Jr. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wilhelm and Cheryl called Sunday afternoon on Mr. and Mrs. George Wilhelm. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Keown visited Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Scott of Dunn. Mrs. Walter Crane and Miss Lura Short called on Mrs. W. S. Elder Tuesday morning. Mrs. Cleo Spaug and Mrs. George Buxton spent Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Myrtle Martin.

Graveside Rites For Mrs. Zoe Harris

Services were held at the grave here for Mrs. Zoe Harris on Saturday, July 19 at 2:30 o'clock with Rev. W. B. Hopper, a family friend of many years, conducting the services. Mrs. Harris died in San Pedro, Calif., in November, 1946. The deceased was the daughter of Samuel Patterson and was a graduate of Sullivan high school. She was married to Ollie Harris, who preceded her in death. Surviving are four children, Cliff, Clyde (Bud) and Charles Harris and Mrs. Harry (Marjorie) Robertson, all of California; and six grandchildren. She was the sister-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wood and Martha L. Harris.

OAK GROVE CHURCH

The Oak Grove church will have an all day meeting on the church grounds on Sunday, July 27. A basket dinner will be served at noon. Rev. Melvin Carlon of Charleston will talk to the group at 11 o'clock.

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Lion's Club News

A service club should stand for something in the community and unless that something is service it is not living up to the work that it must do in the community of which it is an important part. What are Lion's clubs doing in other parts of our state? CHICAGO (uptown) sent twelve boxes of used clothing to Greece. MORTON GROVE sponsored a war memorial addition to the local library. ST. ELMO project under way for recreation hall for young people of the community. ELMHURST proceeds amounting to \$750.00 given to Memorial hospital. The proceeds came from home talent show. This is service and the club of this community has projects underway which they hope will be of service to the community and to the people of the community. Unless it benefits it it not service.

Funeral Services For Charles Voyles

Funeral services were held at 2 p. m. July 14, at the Rhea Funeral home in Findlay for Charles Voyles. He was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Voyles, was born Oct. 9, 1869 near Findlay and died July 12, 1947 at his home southeast of Findlay at the age of 77 years, 9 months, and 3 days. He was united in marriage to Mary E. Francisco Oct. 8, 1891 and to this union two children were born, Grace Lee of Sullivan and Edith Erb of St. Louis. Besides his wife and two daughters he leaves eight grandchildren, 15 great grandchildren, one brother, Silas, and one sister, Bethenia Francisco, both of Findlay, and a host of friends and relatives.

Allenville

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Winchester entertained Mr. and Mrs. Leon Winchester and daughter, Sonja, and Owen Lee Tull at supper on Monday evening, honoring Sonja's third birthday anniversary. There was also ice cream and a cake with 3 candles. Sonja received a number of gifts. Keith French, seven year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Olaf French, underwent an appendectomy in St. Mary's hospital, Decatur, Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Willis Hoskins and daughters, Wilda, Marilyn and Pat, and Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Hawkins enjoyed a picnic at Lake Mattoon, Sunday. Mrs. L. W. Hawkins attended a pot luck dinner at the home of Mrs. Fleta Emel in Bethany, Wednesday. Clay Standerfer of Decatur, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Ethington and Mrs. L. L. Ridgeway are visiting relatives in Swea City, Iowa. Mr. and Mrs. Dean Tull of Lansing are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bart Tull, and son, Owen Lee. Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Gibson and daughter, Lila, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Glen Gibson of Parnell. Lila remained for a weeks visit. Mr. and Mrs. Theo Snyder called on Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Bence of near Windsor, Sunday.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Ralph Hilliard and wife to Floyd H. Valentine and wife Freeland's 3rd add to Sullivan s w 1/4 town 2; \$10. Lester E. Clough and wife to Harry W. Erpson and wife, Humberaker's, Arthur, sections 8, 9, 10, town 2; \$1. Jackie Eugene Shelton and wife to Stanley R. Davis, Host. Lovington, section 10, town 3; \$1. Stanley R. Davis to Jackie Eugene Shelton and wife, Host. Lovington, section 10, town 3; \$1. Hazel E. Temple and husband to Cora S. Gauger, Camfield's Sullivan, part town 5; \$1. N. W. Walters and wife to Stanley R. Davis, original Beth any part town 2; \$1. Stanley R. Davis to H. W. Waters and wife, original Bethany, part town 2; \$1. Edwin C. Poisel and wife to John D. Haws and wife, N. Hostetter's 2nd addition, Lovington, section 5, town E; \$1500. William E. Maycroft and wife to Cecil G. Drake and wife, Nancy Meeker's, Sullivan, sections 6, 7, 8, and 9; \$1.

FAMILY REUNIONS

The Waggoner Family reunion will be held at Wyman park on Sunday, July 27. All relatives and friends are urged to attend. A basket dinner will be served at noon. The Landers Family reunion will be held at Wyman park on July 27. This is the annual reunion and friends of the family as well as relatives are invited to attend. All relatives and friends are invited to attend the annual Johnson reunion to be held Sunday, July 27, at Wyman park. The Elder-Janes Family reunion will be held Sunday, July 27, at Lytle park in Mattoon. The Reedy family reunion will be held Sunday, July 27, in Wyman park. All relatives and friends of the family are welcome. MARRIAGE LICENSE Hughie Darel Handley, 20, Decatur; Donna Fonner, 18, Dalton City. Forty-six items were deposited in the cornerstone of the Wyoming state capitol in 1886.

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