

# SPECIAL PRICES

By buying for our Decatur and Sullivan stores together we buy in larger quantities and direct from the manufacturers, which cuts out the middle men's or jobber's profits and enables us to sell cheaper than we could if we bought for our Sullivan store alone. To prove our statement we give you a few of our prices on watches which enables you to see for yourself that we really are selling cheaper.

Bracelets, Locketts and Chains, Bar Pins, Hat Pins, Fobs, in fact Jewelry of all kinds, Silverware, Clocks and Cut Glass are being sold at Special Low Prices. These goods are all bought of the best manufacturers and are guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction in every way.

## Watches

Ten Jewel Elgin, Illinois or Hampden watch, in solid nickel case, S. B. & B., at \$3.75.

Elgin, Illinois or Hampden, in 20-year gold case, at \$8.00.

Fifteen Jewel Elgin, Illinois or Hampden, in 20-year gold case, \$9.50.

Seventeen Jewel Illinois, Elgin or Hampden, in 20-year gold case, at \$12.00.

## School Books and Supplies

School Books and School Supplies for city and country schools. We have the largest and best selected stock in the county. If there is any book that you want and we do not have it, we will gladly order same for you.

Every child making a purchase will be given a present.

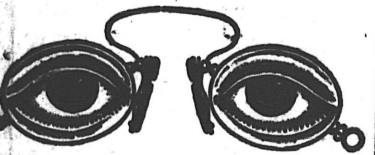
Don't Fail to Ask for the Pony and Cart Tickets

# E. E. BARBER & SON

Sullivan and Decatur, Illinois

We have moved five doors west of our old location in Sullivan, and are now located in the Odd Fellows' building, southwest corner of square.

## AUGUSTINE, Optician



143 N. Water St., Decatur, Ill.

Has visited Sullivan regularly each month for over ten years. Is this not ample proof of his skill and reliability? Call at his store when in Decatur and see his equipment for grinding lenses.

Next date here, Saturday, Sept. 21 AT BARBER'S BOOK STORE every third Saturday of each month.

## Vaughan Reunion.

The Vaughan family reunion was held in Fairview park, Decatur, Wednesday of this week. Those principally in attendance were the descendants of James Vaughan, deceased, one of the pioneer settlers of Moultrie county. His children were Alexander Vaughan, Mesdames Melissa Armantrout, Mary Butts, Emma Perryman, Adaline Sharp, George William Calvin and Thomas Vaughan. The most of them are deceased, and most of those in attendance were grandchildren and great grandchildren.

## Committee Meeting.

There will be a meeting of the Moultrie County Democratic Central Committee at the court house in Sullivan at 1 o'clock p. m., Tuesday, September 24. The work of organizing for the campaign, and all matters connected therewith that may come before the meeting, will be considered. You are respectfully urged to be present at this meeting and assist with your counsel in making plans for a vigorous and effective campaign in Moultrie county.

J. MARTIN, Secretary.  
 GEORGE REUSS, Chairman.

## THE BIG FARMERS' PICNIC

Plenty of Music, Good Speaking, Dinner, Free Lemonade.

The Farmers' Picnic, given by the Farmers' Class of Center, Jonathan Creek, is to be in the grove just across the road west of the Center school house, 7 1/2 miles northeast of Sullivan and 7 1/2 miles southwest of Arthur, August 30.

J. B. Burrows, of Decatur, will preside over the speakers. He will also splice ropes and make halters in one of his most popular lectures. He is director of the 19th district of the State Farmers' Institute work.

The Chamber of Commerce, of Sullivan, will furnish a speaker on his own subject.

### PROGRAM

Senator Duapl, of Savoy, Own Subject.  
 Mrs. H. M. Duapl, of Savoy, Own Subject.  
 Dinner.  
 Children's Parade.  
 Young Ladies' Race.  
 Young Men's Sack Race.  
 Boys' and Girls' Race under 14.  
 Colt Judging, by boys 14 to 17.  
 Grain Judging, by boys 17 to 22.  
 Needle Work, judged by girls 13 to 17.

### PRIZES OFFERED.

Young Ladies' Race—First prize, gold handled umbrella, Sullivan Dry Goods Co.; second prize, \$1.00 hair brush, F. W. McPheeters.  
 Young Men's Sack Race—First prize, \$2.00 cuff buttons, Barber & Son; second prize, \$1.00 buggy whip, W. A. Newbould.  
 Girls' Race—Ages 9 to 14, \$1.50 picture, C. A. Corbin.  
 Boy's Race—Ages 9 to 14, \$3.00 pair of boy's shoes, J. H. Pearson.  
 Boy's and Girls' Race—Ages under 9, \$1.75 K. K. express wagon, J. M. Cummins & Son.  
 Best Needle Work, done by girls

under ages of 13 to 17—First prize, \$2.00 door mat, Connor & Newbould; second prize, \$1.00 diamond edge scissors, McPheeters & Creech.

Best Colt—First prize, 1 pair Douglas Shoes, Mammoth Clothing Store; second prize, colt halter, Geo. W. Vest & Son.

Best Peck Oats—First prize \$1.50 worth of groceries, Newbould Bros.; second prize, halter, Jas. Dedman & Son.

Best Quart Clover Seed—First prize, 1 sack Climax flour, J. H. Shirey; second prize, two new horse shoes, Herman Lambrecht.

Best Peck Corn—First prize, sack best flour, J. S. Thompson, second prize, boy's hat, Max Learner.

### BABY SHOW.

For the prettiest baby one year of age or under, first prize, \$5.00 cash; second prize, \$2.50 or \$3.00 pair of Ladies' Oxfords, T. G. Hughes.

The Powell annual reunion will join with the farmers in this picnic, and a place will be given them on the program.

Base ball during the day near the ground, other amusements, such as swinging, pitching horse shoes, etc. Everybody invited to come. Bring your dinner and all eat together.

Lemonade will be free. There will not be a thing sold on the ground. No charges. All free. We have nothing to sell you, but we have a good time to give you.

Music will be furnished by the Sullivan band, donated by the merchants of Sullivan.

We want every child in the county old enough to walk 1/4 of a mile, to be in the children's parade. This parade will form at Albert Landers' and march to the ground. It is to represent the progress of time. Do not fail to have your child in this parade. Call up L. D. Seass at once let him know if we can depend on your children, and have him assign them a part to play.

## INSTITUTE TERMINATED

Moultrie County Summer Term of School Closed this Week.

The Moultrie County Normal and Institute closed this week. Those in attendance did much hard work, and are enthused and eager to move onward and keep in the front ranks. The instructors are all highly spoken of, and many of the teachers state that their time and money was well spent.

Superintendent Roughton is using his best endeavors to keep the teachers, patrons and pupils interested and working in unison. There has been but little entertaining, but much hard work.

A list of the teachers in attendance and their schools is given below:

- Mrs. Mattie Newlin, Palmyra.
- Rosie White, Fairview.
- B. O. Wilson, Cadwell.
- Wm. Carpio, New Castle.
- Byron Wilson, Brick.
- Harriet Pierce, Business Kaoli.
- Lillian Drew, Union.
- Grace Powell, Julian.
- Nelle L. Davidson, Forest.
- Lucy H. Spires, Hewitt.
- Edna A. Waggoner, Morgan.
- Camilla Bone, Prairie Flower.
- Cora V. Hill, Two Mile.
- Fred Mayberry, Prairie View.
- Alta Sears, Otto.
- Lee Clayton, Heaton.
- Margie Bisek, Fulllight.
- Nina Wehnhoff, New Hope.
- Wilfred Hogan, King.
- Esther Cochran, Bolls.
- Ethel Harpster, Baker.
- Hulda Hasey, Lilly.
- Tara Mattox, Verona.
- Fannie E. Showers, West Hudson.
- Rusha Waggoner, Smyser.
- Ada Mathews, Rosedale.
- Maude Harris, West Stringtown.
- Fannie Collins, Dry Ridge.
- J. F. Dyer, Todd's Point.
- Ho Grison, McDonald.
- Ruth Grindol, Miller.
- Ida Davis, Dunn.
- Mabelle F. Roney, East Stringtown.
- Louise Henninger, Bolling.
- Margaret Eay, Bushart.
- Lucinda Walker, East Hudson.
- Zola Bowers, Grand View.
- Zora Kanna, Minor.
- Verne A. Smith, Lincoln.
- Charles H. Dickman, Younger.
- Emma L. Warren, Cook.
- Harris Bone, Center, Marrowbone.
- Lella Driscoll, Maple Grove.
- Mattie White, Mentzer.
- Anna Hennoberry, Bohler.
- Vera B. Collett, Forest Hill.
- Gertrude Hill, Center, of Jonathan Creek.
- Henry Francis, White.
- Gertrude Hoke, Harmony.
- W. H. Eberhart, Whitefield.
- Ruth Grigsby, Titus.
- Beatrice Campbell, Strickland.
- May Han, Lake Scheerer.
- Amy Coombs, White.
- Lena Monroe Nasworthy.
- Fera Harris, Mt. Pleasant.
- Lora Todd, Sunny Side.
- Mrs. Lela Coombs, Pleasant Hill.
- Roby McAnis, Cropper.
- Howard Wood, Morning Star.
- A. V. Walker, Walker.
- Sullivan—Thos. H. Finley, Pearl Powell, Flossie Burns, Bess Grigsby, Olive Clark, Lucinda E. Rose, Ethel Thompson and Katherine Lehman.
- Lovington—Minnie E. Dehart, Goldie Atherton, Ethel Fuller, Lena Russell and Gretchen L. Root.
- Gays—Florence Mattox and Minnie Bolan, Altonville—Ethel Beck.
- Bethany—Walter Roney, Gussie McKinney, Margaret J. Miller, C. L. Brewer and Pearl Crowder.
- No School—Agnes Morrison, Mabel E. Bailey, Pearl Harsh, Fern Moore, Edna Drake, John S. Martin, Margaret Vohner, Ruth Mainard, Zella Moore, Nora Cole, Oia Birkhead, Bertha Roney, Fay Cole, Grace Bracken, Olga West, Myrtle Shaw, Rachel Drake, Edna Drake, Kate Shaw and Ruth Hampton.

This is to be the greatest parade ever seen in this county. There is to be not a grown person in it. Farmers' Class of Center.

L. D. SEASS, Pres.  
 Arthur, Ill.

## Jewelry Opening.

The opening of the Elmer A. Collins jewelry store Saturday, was attended by over 1200 people, according to the list that registered their names. Music was furnished in the afternoon and evening by Mrs. John Lucas and Messrs. Gibler, of Mattoon, and Albert Brown.

The room is very beautifully finished, the taste in arrangement and finish being in unison with the business.

The woodwork of the room is finished in antique gold oak, as well as the large burglar-proof safe and regularity clock, which rests on the floor.

Mr. Collins has in stock Jewelry, Silverware, Cut Glass, Clocks, Watches, Diamonds and Umbrellas.

## NEW MODEL SCHOOL HOUSE

Center District, Jonathan Creek Township, Will Build.

Center school, in Jonathan Creek township, is now located on the map of this county at least. If any other can, does or will compete with them, we will be pleased to hear from them.

Most of the land in the district is worth \$250 per acre.

The school house was in a bad condition and stood with its back to the road for thirty years. It is reported they had not a thing in the school house that the teacher could use in illustrations except a map that had hung on the wall for twenty-five years and was split from top to bottom, a half dozen supposed-to-be cubes, a globe about the size of a large apple and a cracked cast iron stove in the center of the room.

A little more than a year ago the people in this district roused from their lethargy, and instead of hiring an inexperienced teacher, engaged one of the best in the county. They put in a heating and ventilation system, mensuration blocks, sand table, set of maps, hanging globe, set of measures, one-half dozen sewing machines, dustless chalk, noiseless erasers, individual drinking cups, paper towels and a sweeping compound. They put in new desks and arranged them according to the state plan. They also visited the school, held board meetings, had a splendid school and hired the same teacher again this year, advancing the salary \$5.00 per month.

An educational organization "The Farmers' Class of Center," was organized, and hold regular meetings. Subjects pertaining to the farm and home are discussed. The meetings are held in the town hall, which is in the school yard. The organization grew until they had forty members.



## If You Could See

some of the pathetic cases of EYE trouble that come to our notice you would take better care of your EYES. There are hundreds of people going about this city and vicinity who need glasses badly yet are indifferent about it. You are paying for them if you haven't got a pair if you need them. Consult us at Barram's Drug Store on third Saturday of each month.

Next Date, Sept. 21  
**The Optical Shop**

DECATUR, ILLINOIS,  
**Wallace & Weatherby**  
 Optometrists and Opticians  
 109 E. North St., DECATUR, ILL.

Their spirit of activity led them to take care of their children as well as their hogs, grain and cattle, and they decided to build an up-to-date school house. The plans they have decided upon are similar to the house in Union district, of which the directors have been so justly proud, but Center will eclipse them as it is modified and has additional conveniences.

**Herald's Calendar.**  
 Old Salem Chautauqua at Petersburg, Ill., August 14 to 29.

Windsor's Harvest Home picnic, August 29.

Lithia Springs Chautauqua, August 23 to September 1.

Farmer's Picnic near Center school house, Jonathan Creek township, August 30.

Shelbyville live stock exposition and home coming October 14 to 19.

## WOULDN'T IT MAKE YOU MAD?

### Just Suppose

that you had worked just as hard to raise your field of corn as your neighbor, and

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that on account of a late spring and a bad crop year it was caught by the frost and was almost a total loss, and

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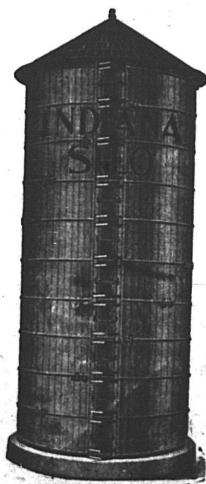
that you then awoke to the fact that your neighbor has an INDIANA SILO on his farm in which he put his late unmaturing corn and saved it, and now has a lot of good feed at his finger's end, and out of the weather, while you must go to the field and dig or chop your frost-bitten, worthless feed from the snowy shock, and

### Just Suppose

that you then remember that you, too, had had a chance to buy an Indiana Silo with which you could have saved your crop as your neighbor had done, and (though thousands upon thousands of men uphold the silo and you have never been able to find one man against it) you had said "No" and lost your crop of corn—NOW

## Wouldn't It Make You Mad?

The Time Is Short, the Danger Great  
 Do Not Let It Happen to You



## THE INDIANA SILO CO.

is the largest silo manufacturer in the world; 150 silos a day is their capacity.

They have sold and shipped over \$1,000,000 worth of silos this year, but they can still supply your need.

Their Fir is guaranteed for 25 years and their Long Leaf Yellow Pine for 20 years. The history of the Indiana Silo is that it stands the storms where others go down.

Write, telephone or telegraph your order today to

**L. D. SEASS, Arthur, Ill.**



**Local News Items**

L. D. Seass, living near Arthur, was in Sullivan Monday.

Landon Curry, of Stewardson, visited relatives in Sullivan Thursday.

Get date now for furnished cottage in Pifer's Park. Phone 714. 17-11

Paul Dixon, of Vandalia, is spending this week with Denton Burwell.

The senior class in the high school are camping at Pifer's Park this week.

Our sale on Majestic Ranges is next week, from the 26th to the 31st. J. M. David.

Miss Jeanette Ralston, of Mt. Pleasant is attending the teachers' institute this week.

Remember Barbers' book store has been moved five doors west into the I. O. O. F. building

Mrs. J. A. Sabin and children and Miss Nancy Whitman returned from a visit in Iola, Sunday.

Mrs. Bert Fultz went to Carlinville Monday to visit her sister, Mrs. George McPheeters.

See the line of fountain pens at McPheeter's East Side Drug Store. Your choice for \$1.00 and \$1.25.

H. M. Cole, of Crete, Nebraska, is here this week visiting his uncle, Josiah Hoke and other relatives.

Mrs. C. O. Campbell and children, Payne, O., visited Mrs. Bertha of McKittrick the fore part of this week.

The ordinance prohibiting the riding of bicycles on the sidewalk will be enforced. Chief of Police Tolley.

Mrs. Katherine Yarnell was called to Decatur Sunday on account of the death of a niece, Mrs. Ida Brummitt.

Found—Four lap robes, three summer and one winter, and a piece of carpet five yards long. Policeman Tolley.

Mrs. Claude Harris and three daughters, of Decatur, are spending this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira McIlwain.

James T. Taylor, Jr., and son, Deane, are both victims of typhoid fever. The former is the son of Jas. Taylor of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Thackwell have moved to Aurora, where Mr. Thackwell is located at present. He is working for Dunn & Co.

The local railroad agents went before the council Monday evening petitioning for a night policeman. They were given no satisfaction.

Wayne and Orville Curry, of Camargo, visited their uncle, S. P. Bristow and family and other Sullivan relatives Tuesday and Wednesday.

Miss Agnes Murphy, living north of town, went Friday with the Bethany Circle of the University of Illinois to Geneva for a two weeks outing.

There will be an ice cream supper at Allenville Saturday night, August 24, under the auspices of the Royal Neighbors. Everybody cordially invited to attend.

The Farmers' picnic at the Center school house will begin promptly at 9:30 a. m. There are some handsome and valuable prizes offered in the contests.

Misses Helen and Maurine Armantrout, of Emden, Mo., arrived Tuesday for an extended visit with their grandmother, Mrs. Margaret Lehman and other relatives.

A system of police call was established at the meeting of the council Monday night. Any one wanting the services of a policeman can have it by phoning to the water works.

Mrs. Verne Witherup returned Monday from a pleasant visit of two weeks with friends and acquaintances in and near Stewardson. While there she attended the camp meeting of the F. M. church.

Thomas A. Curry, aged 84, died in Stewardson Tuesday afternoon. He lived in Sullivan about fifty years ago. He was a brother of Mrs. Sarah Hendricks, of Sullivan and a brother-in-law of S. P. Bristow.

George Edwards and wife of Warren, Sherman county, Kansas, arrived in Sullivan Sunday for a visit with relatives. Sunday afternoon they went to Bethany to visit Mrs. Edward's father, Joseph Reed.

Iva Myrtle Brumitt died at St. Mary's hospital, in Decatur, Sunday, of acute arterial rheumatism. Her maiden name was Reider. The funeral was conducted at the Oak Grove church Monday, by Rev. Webb. The burial was in the Hampton cemetery.

Supt. Roughton and Co. Judge I. Hudson both have authority to enforce the law and both have been doing their duty as to delinquent children, over which the superintendent of schools has jurisdiction.

J. C. Hoke went to the Old Salem chautauqua at Petersburg Monday where he was on the program for a lecture. Mr. Hoke is mounting the ladder of fame on his chosen branch of study, that of agriculture and domestic animals. His lectures are interesting and instructive. He has had several good positions offered him in college this year, but decided not to accept them, as he desires to finish the course he has begun in the University of Illinois.

Supervisor E. T. Ray and wife returned from Staunton, Indiana, Monday, where they visited Charley Bathe and family. Mr. Bathe has a coal mine on his farm which he opened Monday. The entrance is from a bank. He has a good thick vein of Indiana block coal near the surface which promises to be very profitable. Mr. Ray wielded the pick just for fun. He is satisfied that Mr. Bathe will do a profitable business in his mine.

Evidence was taken in J. E. Jennings' office Wednesday in the Vangundy vs. Steele case. Jennings had been appointed a special Master in Chancery to take evidence in the case. Some hard feeling developed over some of the testimony which brought on blows after the adjournment at the close of the day's work. The round was between John and Robert Vangundy and Senator S. W. Wright and son. The former were taken before Police Magistrate Edwards, Friday. The trial of the others is set for next Monday.

The Clifton-Kelley Carnival Co. has been in Sullivan this week. The streets have been well filled with the people who have enjoyed being uptown together as well as seeing the attractions. Good order prevailed. Extra policemen were appointed from Co. C. The children have enjoyed the nice merry-go-round. Women NEVER, never like to have shows for men only; it causes murmurings. Women of Sullivan believe their husbands should show them due respect. The most of the shows are good and creditable attractions.

**CHURCH SERVICES.**

**CHRISTIAN.**  
9:30—Bible School. There were 10:45—Preaching Service.  
Teachers' training and prayer meeting every Wednesday evening.

**METHODIST EPISCOPAL.**  
Regular services both morning and evening at the usual hours.  
A. L. CASELEY, Pastor.

**GENERAL NEWS.**

**LIBERTY, MO.**—About ten thousand dollars in gold, believed to have been hidden by William Anderson, a bandit who terrorized central Missouri immediately after the Civil War, has been found in the old manor house on what was the plantation of William Burch, in Howard county, Missouri, and which is the property of C. E. Yancey of Liberty. Mr. Yancey was notified of the discovery by employees who are remodeling the old house. According to those familiar with the story of the death of Anderson in 1868, he was wounded after robbing a central Missouri bank and stopped that night in the manor house of the Burch plantation, dying several days later. It was in the room in which the bandit slept that the money was found.

**DUBUQUE, IOWA.**—Very extensive damage was done in northeastern Iowa by a severe rain, wind and electric storm. Railroads and interurban lines were crippled in every direction by washouts and weakened tracks. Bridges were made unsafe in many places. Crops were flattened to the earth over parts of several counties. In Dubuque and near by towns streets were flooded, outbuildings were undermined, or upset, basements were filled with water and trees were broken. So far as reported no lives were lost.

**CLEVELAND, OHIO.**—President James M. Lynch, in a speech before the convention of the International Typographical union, declared that the "slimy hand of the professional politician and the venal labor leader" caused the Chicago newspaper strike. He blamed the socialists in particular. It was a scathing arraignment of the socialists who, he said, are using every labor trouble to bolster up their waning fortunes. Revenge, he said, was also behind the misrepresentations used to deceive the working people.

**Utility Combines.**

Central Illinois utilities are fast coming within the grasp of a giant utility company. The object seems to be a complete consolidation.

The electric light merging companies are:

Northern Indiana Utility Co., capital.....\$ 1,075,000  
Public Service Company of Northern Ill., capital... 39,059,000  
United Light and Railways, capital ..... 34,375,000  
Middle West Utility Co., capital.....

The Public Service Company covers the territory south and southwest of Chicago.

Central Illinois utilities, both individual and municipal light and water plants, are coming within the grasp of the Central Illinois Public Service Company. Recent transfers include some of the largest municipal utilities in Central Illinois.

Some of their recent purchases are the light and power company's holdings of Bridgeport, Charleston, Arcola, Paris and Olney, Tuscola, Taylorville, Pana, Assumption and Stoughton.

Negotiations are now being made for Lovington. The board has agreed for the sale, and probably the purchase price will be \$6,000.

Some of the cities have granted them a franchise for fifty years.

A representative met with the council in Sullivan on Monday night, preliminary to making negotiations for the municipal plant of the city of Sullivan. No offer was made and but little was said in regard to the subject. Some cities that have turned their plants over granted a franchise or fifty years. A representative of the Public Service Company has at different times been here to purchase the plant of the Sullivan Electric Co.

The citizens are divided upon the question as a lengthy franchise with such big concerns looks not much better than the Steel Trust or the Standard Oil Co. This question deserves much consideration before tying up the town beyond the present generation. Then another point, is it advisable to move from our town the employment industries. Several men are given employment by them, it is the business going out of town that hurts. There are other industries here which afford a living for a number of good families. We will mention one. Suppose, for instance, the wholesale poultry dealers form a combine and ship all poultry alive to some larger city or start poultry farms to meet all demands. Does the farmer or country towns want such trusts? Is it not time to break up trusts instead of aiding the combines?

**COURT HOUSE NEWS**

**REAL ESTATE.**  
C. L. Jenne to Harlin A. Eakle, e. 1/2 blk 3, Hunsaker's 1st add. to Arthur.....\$ 280  
Samuel T. Newbould to Elmer W. Richardson, s. 1/2 n. 1/2 blk. 7, Freeland's 3d add, to Sullivan..... 3000  
David S. Beechy to Samuel D. Brady, sw. nw. 85-15-6..... 10000  
Same to Meno D. Beechy, nw. nw..... 10800

**MARRIAGE LICENSE.**  
James L. Wilson, Prairie Hall, .....25  
Cleo Hopkins, Lake City..... 19

**Mrs. Celinda Purcell.**  
Celinda Burr was born near Mt. Pleasant, Iowa, February 28, 1841. She was married to John Purcell in Macomb when 16 years of age. Later they moved to Sullivan. They were the parents of nine children, two dying in infancy. Since the death of her daughter, Mrs. Geo. Lang, she and her daughter, Dora, have lived with Mr. Lang and her son, John.

Mrs. Purcell had been an invalid several years. She died Wednesday night. She was a faithful Christian and was identified with the M. E. church in Sullivan.

The funeral was preached in the M. E. church Friday at 5:30 p. m., by Rev. Cullom, the interment at Green Hill cemetery.

Mr. W. S. Gunsaulus, a farmer living near Fleming, Pa., says he has used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy in his family for fourteen years, and that he has found it to be an excellent remedy, and takes pleasure in recommending it. For sale by Sam B. Hall and all dealers.

**Electric Motor For Sale.**  
A three-horse power Watson electric motor in first class condition, for sale at a bargain. Can be seen at the Herald office.

**Rupture Cured While You Work.**



**NOT MANY** ruptured people know that they can be cured by anything but a cutting operation. I have been treating Rupture in Illinois for ten years by my non-surgical method; can cure any curable case "While You Work"; no danger; no cutting; no loss of time; a complete and permanent cure in every case. If you are ruptured, I shall be pleased to make your acquaintance. Consultation and examination free. Will be at the Eden Hotel, Sullivan, August 29 and September 5th, and weekly thereafter.

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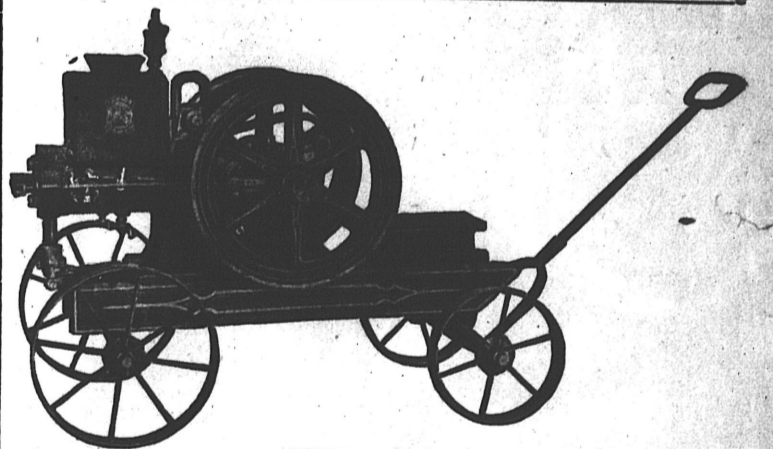
August 28, 29 and 30th

MUSIC throughout the time by the Famous Salisbury Band and Orchestra, and the Arthur Band of Twenty-three Pieces.

**BIG FREE ACTS**  
Balloon Races Each Day  
Leslies' Porcine Circus  
Base Ball Games

**PROMINENT SPEAKERS**  
Hon. Henry McIntosh, of Decatur; Hon. Chas. Adkins, of Bement; Judge Wm. G. Cochran, of Sullivan; Hon. Frank H. Funk, Progressive Candidate for Governor; Hon. Wm. B. McKinley and other noted speakers.

Admission 10 cents. Tickets good for entire day and evening. Pass out checks given.



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The Lauson starts easy without any battery and without any crank, a slow turn of the wheel and it goes. You have no pumps to pack until you get up to a six-horse power and larger. These engines are perfectly balanced and strongly built and always ready. All wearing parts are steel, case hardened and ground to size. The gears in the Lauson are machine cut steel and are unbreakable. The Lauson stands for highest quality. See DENNIS LANDERS before you buy an engine.

**ILLINOIS CENTRAL**

**NORTH BOUND.**  
\$Peoria Mail and Express.....8:00 a.m.  
\$Peoria Mail and Express.....2:35 p.m.  
Local Freight.....10:15 a.m.

**SOUTH BOUND.**  
\$Evansville Mail and Express.....11:30 a.m.  
\$Mattoon.....9:37 p.m.  
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# Every Business Farmer Should Ask Himself



No. 2140—101 ACRES IN PAULDING COUNTY, OHIO

101 acres of good, level black soil in eastern part of Paulding County, Ohio, 1 1/2 miles from Oakwood, a town of 450 on Nickel Plate Ry.; on stone pike. All well tilled and all in cultivation but about 2 acres of timber. Improvements are a good 7-room house, fine new barn with crib and wagon shed attached, good granary and new poultry house; small orchard. A good farm in a good location. Price \$740 an acre



No. 2210—170 ACRES IN LUCAS COUNTY, OHIO

170 acres in Lucas County, Ohio, 15 miles west of Toledo, on stone pike, close to a small town and to school and churches. This is a splendid piece of level dark loam, tilled and all in cultivation but about 8 acres of good timber. Improvements are a fine 10-room house with cellar, furnace and bath; hip-roofed barn, 40 x 80, with water inside; granary, crib, tool shed, ice house, tank house, hog house and scale; wind pump and good orchard. Finely located, only a few minutes from Toledo by electric railway. Price \$160 an acre

Is my farm really paying a fair rate of interest on the amount for which I can sell it?

If I should sell my farm could I invest the money in another farm where it would earn a greater profit and yet be just as safe?

If I could do this, but don't, is not the difference between the profit I am getting and the profit I could get simply a loss that I suffer for the privilege of staying where I am?

If this loss is of considerable size—if, for instance, I could make a third more money every year in some good location in a neighboring State—are the ties that keep me here so strong that I can afford to lose that money?

Am I farming for profit, or for my health—or for what?

Can I afford, in this day of competition and high prices, to accept less than the greatest possible returns from my capital and labor?

Can I afford to not investigate a proposition to exchange my farm for one of a third to a half more acres of just as good and productive land, maybe better, in the Maumee Valley of North-Western Ohio—a farm that is just as well improved, on stone pike road, and close to markets where corn sells for 5 cents more per bushel?



No. 2105—80 ACRES IN WOOD COUNTY, OHIO

A fine 80-acre farm in the best part of Wood County, Ohio, 1 1/2 miles northwest of Hoytville, a town of 600 on the E. & O. Ry. This is level black loam of excellent quality, with joint clay subsoil, well tilled and all in cultivation but about 3 acres of timber. Improvements are a good 6-room house, up-ground brick cellar, small barn, usual outbuildings and wind pump. Price \$175 an acre



No. 2170—160 ACRES IN PUTNAM COUNTY, OHIO

A good 160-acre farm in Putnam County, Ohio, 2 1/2 miles from Continental, a town of 1,200 on three railroads; close to school and Catholic and Protestant churches. Level black elm loam, with joint clay subsoil, all in cultivation and tilled at every five to six rods. Has two complete sets of buildings, consisting of two 6-room houses, one of which is shown above; two barns, 24 x 30 and 36 x 40; double crib, poultry house, hog houses, ice house, etc.; wind pump and good orchard. Farm can be nicely divided in two eighties, with buildings on each. Price \$162.50 an acre

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### Around the County

#### Kirkville.

Otto Frederick, of Peoria, recently spent a few days here with his parents and other relatives.

Jam: Pearce and family, visited at Guy Wright's living north of Sullivan Sunday.

Or: Hilliard and family, living near Findlay, visited at Ed Hilliard's Sunday.

Threshing has been delayed by the rains, and the grain somewhat damaged.

We are too busy to attend the carnival in Sullivan. Nothing doing but work.

Henry Frederick and daughter, Ethel, Mrs. Ras Frederick, of Bethany, and Mrs. Mart Emel, left Monday for a ten days' visit with relatives in Missouri.

Notwithstanding the extreme heat Sunday, a large crowd was in attendance at the baptismal service of five candidates in the river.

Rev Sybolt closed his year's engagement with the congregation last Sunday. Conference convenes soon.

Were all medicines as meritorious as Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy the world would be much better off and the percentage of suffering greatly decreased," writes Lindsay Scott, of Temple, For sale by Sam B. Hall and all dealers.

#### Gays

P. M. Armantrout and family attended the Vaughan reunion in Decatur Wednesday.

Myron L. Armantrout, of Chicago, spent this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. U. G. Armantrout.

Any skin itching is a temper-tester. The more you scratch the worse it itches. Doan's Ointment cures piles, eczema—any skin itching. At all drug stores.

#### Harmony

Miss Essa Banks, of near Findlay, visited with her uncle, Edgar Hoke and family, this week.

Roy Cook of Chicago, is visiting with relatives here.

Andy Fultz and wife, Miss Etta Fruit, of Bethany, called at Art Graven's Monday afternoon.

Wm. Sentel lost a valuable horse, by death, Monday night.

J. E. Briscoe and family, spent Sunday at B. F. Silers'.

Charley Womack and two daughters, of Iowa, were guests at I. N. Marbles' recently.

S. A. Carter and family spent Friday at Andy Feltz's.

Jesse Robinson and Joe Butler, of near Allenville, spent Sunday at W. G. Butlers'.

Ran Miller visited Tuesday with relatives near Kirkville.

One of the most common ailments that hard working people are afflicted with is lame back. Apply Chamberlain's Liniment twice a day and massage the part thoroughly at each application and you will get quick relief. For sale by Sam B. Hall and all dealers.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address: F. J. CUNNEY & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

#### Morgan

Mrs. Lee Standier spent Sunday with C. W. Darst.

Jack Hollenbeck and family, of Bruce, and Otto Kinsel and family, of near Young's Bridge, spent Sunday with Wm. Johnson and family.

Harry McCulley visited with Alec Ray and family, of Sand Creek, this week.

Kate and Myrtle Shaw, of Sullivan, visited with Charley Nighswander and family Monday.

Waldo Hidden and wife visited Saturday night and Sunday with Francis McQueen, near Quigley.

Mrs. Mark Bragg and family visited with Walter Sampson and wife, of Bruce, Monday.

Dyspepsia is our national ailment. Burdock Blood Bitters is the national cure for it. It strengthens stomach membranes, promotes flow of digestive juices, purifies the blood, builds you up.

#### Lovington

James Turner, residing near here, has been employed to teach mathematics in the Mansfield, Ohio, high school at \$100.00 a month.

Mrs. Wm. Donnan, of Rantoul, was here the fore part of the week visiting her parents, C. F. Howell and wife.

Walter Stanley recently visited relatives in Neoga.

"I have been somewhat constive, but Doan's Regulents gave just the results desired. They act mildly and regulate the bowels perfectly."—George B. Krause, 306 Walnut Ave., Altoona, Pa.

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Dr. C. E. West, eye, ear, nose and throat specialist, 318 Wait building, Decatur, Ill., makes a special introductory price on Gold Eye Glasses and Spectacles, rim or rimless, 15 years guarantee, for \$5; ground crystals and fitting included. This is made possible by purchasing large quantities from the factory. 23-tf

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#### Executor's Notice.

ESTATE OF Samuel Finley Gammill, deceased  
The undersigned having been appointed Executor of the last will and testament of Samuel Finley Gammill late of County of Moultrie and the state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Moultrie County, at the Court House in Sullivan, at the October term on the first Monday in October next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.  
Dated this twelfth day of August A. D. 1913.

MACK GAMMILL, Executor.  
E. J. Miller, Attorney.

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Zemo and Zemo Soap are prepared by the E. W. Rose Medicine Co., St. Louis, Mo., and their guarantee is as good as gold.

#### Would Have Preferred Cheese.

Rats in Washington ate up over \$2,000 worth in bills, but we are of the opinion that if they had been given an option in the matter they would have preferred to have had it in cheese.

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