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Mayor Names Committees: No Appointments

Committees Will Recommend at Next Monday Night's Meeting. Pool-room and Cigarette Licenses are Granted.

After attending the meeting and banquet of the Community Club Monday night, the City Council held an adjourned session at which time Mayor Patterson named his standing committees for the year. No appointive offices were filled.

The committee membership are as follows:

- The Committees.**
- Park—Hankla, Lawson and Birch.
- Police—Hankla, McPheeters and Birch.
- Finance—Lawson, Birch and McPheeters.
- Light—Birch, Lawson and Hankla.
- Fire and Water—McPheeters, Lawson and Hankla.
- Health—McPheeters, Lawson and Swisher.
- Streets and alleys—McFerrin, Birch and Lawson.
- Ordinance—McFerrin, Birch and McPheeters.
- Sewerage—Swisher, McFerrin and McPheeters.
- Buildings—Swisher, McFerrin and McPheeters.
- Printing—McFerrin, Swisher and Lawson.
- Local Improvements—All of the Aldermen.
- Rest Room—Swisher, Lawson and McFerrin.
- Cemetery—Birch, McPheeters and Hankla.

The Mayor announced that the matter of recommending appointments for the appointive jobs would be left to the various committees and that such recommendations would be forthcoming Monday night which will be the next regular meeting of the council.

A resolution was adopted fixing the pool table license at \$25 per year. There were no dissenting votes on this resolution.

Licenses were then granted to John Cazier for 6 tables and to F. O. Hawbaker for two.

Cigarette licenses were granted to John Cazier, R. D. Meeker and Frank McPheeters. The annual license fee for this privilege is \$25.

The Council had a big audience, many of those present being applicants for the positions to be filled.

"YOU AND I" SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS HAD CONTEST AND PARTY

The "U and I" class of the Christian church closed a successful membership contest last week with a party given by the losers at the home of Miss Marian Baker. Mrs. Kellar, teacher of the class, was captain of the winning side and the substitute teacher, Mrs. Fortner, was captain of the losing side. Dunn and Allenville were the names chosen by the respective sides for the evening. Allenville presented Dunn with a beautiful loving cup, which in reality was an eye glass.

Contest games were played and an all day sucker was given each winner. Dry biscuits and water were served by the losers—just for fun—after which light refreshments were served by the hostess.

Those present were: Misses Valeria Hodge, Harriett Tusler, Olive Grigsby, Vera Freemon, Etha Bushart, Fern Ashbrook, Marian Baker, Lena Bushart, Alameda Abraham, Olive McCusker, Erma Dale, Helen Whitfield, Lottie Ballinger, Marie Stallsworth, Mrs. Agnes Kellar, Mrs. Gertrude Fortner and Mrs. Estella Baker

P.-T. ASSOCIATION MEETING

The last meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association for this term of school was held Tuesday night in the South Side school building. A very good program was rendered after which a business session was held and Mrs. Elsie McFerrin, the new president, made a talk. The program committee for the first meeting at next term of school consists of Mrs. Arthur Dearth, Mrs. Charles Blackwell and Mrs. C. C. Turner.

NEW JEWETT BROUGHAM

Newbould and Jenkins have sold and delivered a new Jewett brougham to Mrs. Henry Miller of this city.

—John W. Lucas "Craft Shop", upholstering and furniture repairing. Phone 462.

TEACHERS APPOINTMENTS

Elmina Edwards, Vernon, 8 mos. \$105; Nellie Burnett, Mentzer, 8 months at \$100; Irma Bolan, Cook, 8 months at \$125; Sadie Price, West Hudson, 8 months at \$105; Leo Weaver, Lincoln, 8 months at \$100.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Booker have purchased the E. O. Dunscomb residence on South Main street. It consists of a residence and four lots. The consideration is \$2,000.

MISSIONARY CIRCLE MET WITH MRS. STONE

The Young Woman's Missionary Circle met at the home of Mrs. Leona Stone Monday evening, thirty-seven being present. During the business meeting a committee was appointed consisting of Misses Marie Hoke, Annie McCarthy and Golda Creech to select officers for the coming year.

Mrs. Stone had charge of the evening's program which follows:

Song—Assembly.

Prayer—Miss Etha Lindsay.

Scripture Lesson—Mrs. Lora Shasteen.

Vocal solo—Mrs. Cora Fleming accompanied by her son Billie on the saxophone.

Paper—Mrs. Hattie Breisler.

Paper—Miss Golda Creech.

Benediction.

The next meeting will be held June 8th at the country home of Mrs. Guy Pifer, south of this city.

LELA MAE MILLER HAS BIRTHDAY PARTY

A party was given Saturday afternoon by Mrs. A. H. Miller for Lela Mae in honor of her sixth birthday. The invitations specified that all wear their "Ole Clothes" and come prepared to have a good time in Wyman Park. The little folks arrived at 2:00 o'clock bringing many nice gifts for their little friend. All were then taken over to the Park, where refreshments of ice cream and cake were served, and the youngsters spent three happy hours together. Those present were, Sally Martin, Helen and Cora Lucas, Ruth and Verna Lucas, Wyvona Patterson, Ruth Miller, Amanda Harsh, Marguerite Fulk, Mary and Owen Ives, Elsie and Oscar Holzmuller, Jack Lewis, Thomas Murphy, Edward Lee, Edwin Earp, Robert Miller, Nettie Loveless and Lela Mae Miller.

PLAN BIG 4TH OF JULY CELEBRATION

Several local business men are planning to have a real big-time 4th of July celebration in Sullivan this year. The festivities will be staged in Freeland Grove and Wyman park. Those back of the move say it will be one of the biggest events ever held in Sullivan.

VETERANS AT AURORA

M. K. Birch and Mrs. Birch, Judge W. G. Cachran, T. B. Fultz, Asa Johnson, James Gregory, Ran Miller and John Yantis of this county are at Aurora this week attending the State encampment of the G. A. R. The encampment will close Friday.

DELPHIAN PROGRAM

The Delphian Chapter will meet May 21st at 7 o'clock in Library Club room.

Leader—Miss Emma Edmiston.

Program—Russian Fiction.

Gogol—Miss Cora Gauger.

Cossack Parents—Mrs. F. M. Harbaugh.

Apoptrophe to Russia—Mrs. Hattie Pifer.

Turgeniff—Mrs. G. A. Sentel.

Hor and Kalinitch—Mrs. Z. F. Baker.

From "Crime and Punishment"—Miss Emma Edmiston.

Tolstoi's "Childhood and Youth"

"Childhood"—Mrs. Chas. Edwards

"Boyhood"—Miss Opal Ellis.

WILL SNODGRASS LEAVES SULLIVAN; TO BE MARRIED

William Snodgrass who has conducted a watch repair business in this city for the past four years has sold his business to Mr. Tucker of Olney and has gone to Chicago. Reports says he and Miss Nellie Holt, a former S. T. H. S. teacher are to be married as soon as school closes in Chicago where Miss Holt is teaching. The couple will go to Kenton, Ohio to make their home.

REVIVAL MEETING AT NAZARENE CHURCH

Services started Sunday and will continue every night for another week. Rev. and Mrs. Roy Bradley will conduct the Saturday night services. Public invited.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed proposals for the erection and completion of a Grade School building at Sullivan, Illinois, will be received up to 2:00 p. m. of Wednesday, the 27th day of May, 1925, at the Master in Chancery's room in the Court House, Sullivan, Illinois, by Jessie E. Edwards, secretary, for the Board of Education of district No. 50, Sullivan, Illinois.

J. L. McLAUGHLIN, President.

JESSIE E. EDWARDS, Secretary.

—Miss Pearl Pearce went to Decatur Tuesday where she has accepted a position.

Munson on Trial For Robbery Of Bank At Gays

Mattoon Man First of Five Indicted to be Tried. State's Case Based on Identification. Munson's Defense is Alibi.

The case of the People vs. Edwin Ray Munson, indicted for robbery of the Farmers State bank of Gays, went to trial Tuesday morning.

Judge Sentel over-ruled the objections made by Jennings & Elder, attorneys for Munson, that the indictment was not legal because A. A. Brown, the States Attorney is not a licensed member of the bar of Illinois.

It was contended that Mr. Brown was not eligible to serve as States Attorney and perform the duties involved in filling that office, because he is not a licensed attorney.

Judge Sentel ruled that according to the laws of Illinois the office of States Attorney is constitutional and not statutory and that there is no law requiring a states attorney to be a licensed practicing attorney.

After this ruling by the Judge the task of getting a jury was started and it was not until 2:00 p. m. Wednesday afternoon that the jury was completed and taking of evidence began.

The 12 men hearing the case are as follows: I. S. Hoffman, Orval Hogue, Orville Jeffers, John Albright, Ralph Seaman, Matt Dedman, R. B. Belt, Lyle Bobbitt, Lon Grigsby, William Selock, Emmerson Hall and Fred Daum.

In his opening statement to the jury States Attorney Brown gave a brief resume of the facts which led to the indictment of Munson. The Gays bank was robbed on the morning of January 19th. The men entered the bank and at the point of a gun held up L. A. Slater the assistant cashier and Milt Waggoner and J. W. Fleming, two customers. The sum of \$4091 was taken away from the bank in a sack. The robbers entered a waiting automobile and fled toward Mattoon. Munson was one of the men arrested several days later. Four other men are also indicted in connection with this case and await trial. They are Curley Burnes, Monte Crist, Ed Murray and Elmer Walling.

For the defense Attorney Elder made the opening statement. He stated that the defense would be an alibi for Munson and that he would by competent evidence show that at the time of the robbing of the bank he was elsewhere. He stated that there would be plenty of witnesses to substantiate this alibi.

The first witness called by the State was J. W. Fleming one of the two men in the bank on the morning it was robbed.

His testimony and that of Milt Waggoner and L. A. Slater who followed him on the stand was very similar to that given at the preliminary hearing before Judge Lambrecht some weeks ago.

Fleming told of being in the bank when two men entered it. The tall man, identified as Munson, made Slater throw up his hands and the short man, presumably Burns, turned his gun on Fleming and Waggoner and made them throw up their hands and covered them with the weapon until the tall man emerged from the vault where he had, at the point of his gun, forced Slater to throw all money available into a grain sack.

The three men were then pushed into the vault and the robbers helped themselves to the money in the outer part of the office.

Following this testimony which established the actual robbery of the bank, the amount taken etc. the state proceeded to follow up its case by introducing witnesses who saw the car in which the robbers entered and left Gays.

Witnesses who gave testimony relative to this matter were Mr. Carlyle, Miss Zella Booze and Ot Schaffer. Witnesses were next put on the stand who saw the car racing on its way back to Mattoon. Ernest Martin testified along this line. D. J. Menges a farmer living North of Mattoon, testified as to meeting the car near the "Dole" road on a highway which was rather rough and not much frequented by cars at that time of the year. Mrs. Clara Elkins a teacher, saw the car passing by the school where she taught and identified it as a Dodge. The object of all of this testimony was to trace the car to the bridge North of Mattoon where the money was divided by the robbers.

Attorneys for the defense moved to have all testimony stricken but the state informed Judge Sentel that it would connect all of this up in its case against Munson and on this condition the Judge let it stand.

Parties familiar with the contents of Curley Burnes' third and last confession stated that the attorneys for he state were building up their case step by step on this confession, as substantiated by careful check-ups and investigations by the officials.

Time plays an important actor in the case, as the state will have to

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C. R. Patterson Outlines Plans, Asks Support

New Mayor Tells Community Club Members of Policies Relative to City's Municipal Plants; No Loafers; Improvements and Progress, The Keynote.

Farm Adviser Turner, who had been scheduled to be the speaker at Monday night's meeting of the Community Club was unable to be present. He broadcasted a message to farmers from Chicago at 12:30 and could not get back to Sullivan in time to address the night meeting.

The new city council being present, President Robinson called on Mayor Patterson for a talk.

The new Mayor made a very impressive talk, outlining his conception of the duties which confront the council and telling of some changes which will be made in the management of the city's affairs.

He asked the support and co-operation of the club in any improvement program that may be undertaken, assuring all present that such program would have as its basis the good of all in Sullivan.

He stated that the newly elected members of the Council and he, himself, felt that they were under no obligations to anybody for their election, but rather had been drafted into service, consequently had no political debts to pay or favors to bestow.

Appointive offices and jobs will be filled on recommendations made by the committees in charge of the city's various departments.

Digging For Facts.

While on the job but a few days some startling facts have already been found by the new administration. Among these are the following:

There are only 194 users of city water in Sullivan; 116 users of electric current have no meters but are on flat rate.

Along this line Major Patterson assured his hearers that no city official would in the future be permitted to enjoy any "flat rate" but that meters would be installed for all users of electric juice as soon as possible.

Under the new administration users of water and electric current will not be permitted an unlimited extension of credit. The bills will not be permitted to accumulate. If not paid promptly, service will be shut off and remain shut off until obligations are met.

Light Plant Inventory.

An inventory will be made of the city's municipal light plant to determine just what capital is invested in it and its present day worth. This inventory will include not only the plant but the entire system, meters, transformers, poles, etc. This will be done to determine whether or not the plant is on a paying basis. "Just simply because there may be money in this fund proves nothing," said the Mayor. A sinking fund will be created to take care of replacements as needed. The inventory will show whether or not the city is getting the right price for the service it renders.

Meter Readings.

People will be obliged to pay for what service they get, and will settle on the basis of meter readings regularly made. "Meters will not be read by a party who sits in the office and reads them. I'll promptly 'can' anyone who thinks he can read meters in that way," said Patterson.

Waterworks Plan.

Relative to the waterworks situation Mayor Patterson stated that the policy of the administration would be to do the very best possible. The system as it now exists will be developed to its greatest degree of efficiency. An ironclad rule of "pay or get cut off" will be adopted and put into effect.

A New System.

As to the much discussed new system of supply, he stated that a very careful investigation was needed before making any recommendations but that he firmly believed that the matter could be "put over." As a preliminary he urged a campaign of education telling the people what a really adequate supply of water would mean to this city.

As a matter of "good news" he stated that he had called the attorneys of the city together and had discussed the contemplated improvement and had been assured that no effort would be made to hamper any work of this kind that might be started but that all would help to the limit of their power to put the matter across.

"We want you folks to have confidence in us in this matter" said the Mayor, "so that when we finally do decide on a plan, as to source of supply, system of finance etc. you will back us up. We will not proceed until we know that the plan worked out is THE plan and will solve this most perplexing problem."

He urged that all people in this city take an interest in how its affairs are conducted. All who live

RESIDENCE DESTROYED BY FLAMES SUNDAY

Fire which is supposed to have originated from defective wiring destroyed a two-story residence building on South Hamilton street Sunday night about 7:30 o'clock.

The building was owned by Mrs. Mary Baker and the lower story was occupied by the Guy Jordan family. Tom Murray and family lived in the second story.

Neither of the families was home but had left shortly before the flames were discovered by the neighbors who turned in an alarm. The truck responded but as there is no city water South of the tracks, none was available to quench the flames. The chemical tank supply of the truck was used to safeguard neighboring houses.

Most of the Jordan furnishings were removed and saved but none of the Murphy property could be rescued.

Mr. Murphy is an employe of Smith Bros. hard road contractors. Mr. Jordan is associated with his brothers in the delivery business in this city.

NEW BLACKSMITH

H. V. Siron who sold his share in the Tire & Battery Station last Summer to L. A. Atchison, has decided to again engage in business here. He has opened a blacksmith shop one block north and one block west of the Square, in the building where the Goldsmith shop was formerly located. Mr. Siron bought this property last week.

He is an experienced blacksmith and horse-shoer and was engaged in that line of work before going into the tire and battery business.

DENTAL OFFICE CLOSED

My dental office will be closed on Thursday afternoons during the months of June, July and August. 20-4. Dr. O. F. Foster.

—Miss Audrian Fisher spent the week end in Decatur.

COUNTRY CLUB DECIDES TO TRIM DOWN THE ROUGH; THREE NEW MEMBERS

The Sullivan Country Club held a well-attended meeting Friday night. Reports were made by the officers and committees relative to the finances, grounds, membership, delinquents, etc and all of these matters were in turn discussed and some action taken on them.

It was decided to have a "lost ball" box at the Pearson store in this city and that G. R. Fleming and J. F. Gibbon constitute the "lost ball" committee which shall see to it that lost balls when found shall be returned to their owners.

John Eads, C. A. Croso and A. A. Brown were voted into Class B membership. Several memberships have been surrendered to the club where the parties owning them have moved away.

Finances were reported in good shape. A matter which evoked much discussion was that of mowing the grounds. While the "rough" has been kept down some this Spring, it has not been cut as short or kept in as good condition as the fairways. To this many players objected, saying that they spent most of their time hunting balls in the rough, instead of really shouting "fore" and playing golf.

The millions of danderlions with their seed balls which very much resemble a golf ball in size and color have made golf ball hunting a rather tiresome task for some of the "older" members. After the matter was threshed over, it was unanimously decided that the grounds committee have the entire grounds given a short cut once a week and that "rough" for this season at least, be but a mild evidence.

A committee consisting of Dr. J. F. Foster, Dr. Donald Butler and Paul Hanjla was named to confer with delinquent members in an effort to again place them in good standing.

—McCusker Grocery—Salt rising bread, new tomatoes, pineapples, celery, lettuce, berries; leaders in flour and feeds and country butter; groceries, work clothes, etc.

DO YOU WANT A FORD?

See the adv. of Carl C. Wolf in this issue. They're almost giving Used Fords away Saturday.

HOUSEHOLD SCIENCE CLUB

The Sullivan Township Household Science club will meet Tuesday afternoon, May 19th with Mrs. Nora Oliver.

Leader—Mrs. Bracken. Subject—The Relation of Home and School. Roll Call: "My greatest problem." Song.

Mrs. Florence Hogue and Mrs. Helen Davis will each give a short talk on the subject. Reading, "School Days"—Mrs. Kellar.

Round Table on Home and School.

That Shoe Factory.

The secretary reported that while in St. Louis last week he had tried to communicate with the shoe factory which had opened negotiations for locating here. He failed to find the company listed in the telephone directory and consequently could not get in touch with them. A letter which he received stated that the factory officials would communicate with Sullivan later relative to this matter.

After adjournment of the club many members went over to witness the city council's deliberations.

Senior Class Play at T. H. S. Thurs. Night

Class Will Present "Dulcy" a 3-act Comedy. Mrs. Baker Has Directed Rehearsals and Good Entertainment is in Prospect.

The Senior Class play of the Sullivan Township High School will be given at the school auditorium Thursday evening May 21st.

The play is a comedy in three acts entitled "Dulcy".

The cast of characters is as follows:

Dulcinea—Lottie Ballinger. Gordon Smith, her husband—Halbert Bolin.

William Parker, her brother—Ivan Wood.

C. Roger Forbes—Paul Leach. Mrs. Forbes—Olive McCusker. Angela Forbes—Lorene Behen Schuyler VanDyke—Samuel Hagerman.

Tom Sterrett, advertising engineer—Henry Wright.

Vincent Leach, scenarist—Harison York.

Blair Patterson—Clarke Lowe. Henry—Benjamin Jennings.

Synopsis.

Scene—Living room in Dulcy's suburban home. Act 1—Just before dinner on Friday night. Act 2—Immediately after dinner. Act 3—The following morning.

In her determination to help her husband and friends Dulcy plans a week end party. They are an ill-assorted group, such as only Dulcy could summon about her. Their brief association becomes a series of hilarious tragedies. It is Dulcy's final blunder which unexpectedly crowns her efforts with success.

The director of the play is Mrs. Estella Baker. Glenn Marble is stage manager. Price of admission is 35c and 50c.

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SULLIVAN

If some fellow in Mandalay or some other out of the way place would ask you to send him a list of reasons why you considered Sullivan a good place to live, what could you tell him?

Let us enumerate some of Sullivan's advantages:

It is a county seat with a court house that would be a credit to a county ten times the size of Moultrie.

It is surrounded by one of the richest agricultural regions on the face of the globe. It produces and markets corn, wheat, oats and similar crops and is the center of a great dairying country.

It has a splendid system of schools. The new \$50,000 building to be erected this Summer shows proper development in matters educational.

It has a fine park and lake, which offers recreation to thousands.

It has perhaps as large a mileage of good paved streets as any city its size in Illinois.

It has most excellent railroad facilities; the C. & E. I. railroad, the Illinois Central and the Wabash all offer this city the best in freight and passenger service.

It will be located on a hard road before the end of the Summer which will enable people to drive from Sullivan to St. Louis or Chicago without getting of the concrete slab. It is slated for additional hard road building within the near future. Oiled roads radiate in all directions.

It has one of the biggest and best located auditoriums in this part of the state, with free camping grounds in connection.

It has good churches and capable ministers.

It has a live and wide-awake Community Club.

It is within a few miles of the Illinois Masonic Home.

It is headquarters for the Moultrie County Farm Bureau with its varied and important activities.

It has a progressive and wide awake Country Club with grounds and club house that would be a credit to any city.

While the soil of the city is exceedingly fertile, it has nevertheless good drainage.

It has a wide awake city administration, made up of the best men in the community—watch 'em go!

And there's lots and lots of other good things to be said about Sullivan. God never made a better kind of people than are found here.

True, there are some other things the community needs, but we'll get them in due time. We've got a wonderful array of good things to talk about. A real booster never, never runs out of good things to say about this town. A chronic knocker would find fault with Paradise itself.

—Mrs. Helen Davis and daughter Miss Gertrude entertained the following guests Sunday: Mrs. Merle Small, Mrs. Thomas Nevins and Glenn Davis and family all of Decatur; Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Davis of Marion, Indiana; T. G. Davis, wife and daughter of this city and Melvin Davis.

—Mrs. O. F. Foster and Miss Opal Ellis were in Decatur, Tuesday.

This Week



By Arthur Brisbane

TO KILL BUS SERVICE WHOSE FROZEN WASTES? YES SIR, RATHER FIGHT HINDENBURG'S ELECTION.

Massachusetts considers a proposition interesting to other States. The idea is to oblige railroads killing competition annoying to them, but useful to the public, by interfering with omnibus passenger lines. The scheme is cleverly worked out.

First, owners of omnibuses using public roads would be compelled to get certificates of public necessity and urgency.

That isn't so very dangerous, because public opinion which would demand a convenient omnibus service could bring pressure to bear on the Legislature.

But it would also be necessary for an omnibus line to get a permit from the local authorities of every little town and village through which it might pass. With such a law in force it would only be necessary for the railroad to buy one or two little local bodies—and that wouldn't be difficult.

The railroads need something to wake them up, and they ought to be grateful for mild omnibus competition. By and by they will have real competition in the airplane routes. And even railroads will hardly suggest that the people haven't a right to fly through their own atmosphere without special permission.

The omnibus line as a medium of long-distant transportation is an established fact. You may ride by bus all the way from San Diego to Seattle, the whole length of our Western coast.

If buses wear out the roads, part of their earnings should be used to keep the roads in repair. But omnibus lines should be encouraged everywhere.

Four nations are racing to reach the North Pole. MacMillan hopes to arrive first with the American flag and his two airships.

Anyhow, whatever happens in this race, the United States reached the Pole first.

As to "owning" that territory, there need be no quarrel. There is oil there, within the Arctic. The Rockefeller's have actually proved it and produced it, although they do not mean to bring it out.

And as the Pole shifts, the different stars one after another become our Northern star, which is not at all "fixed and unchanging." Today's Polar lands will lose their carpet of ice, men will live there, on fertile fields, and Polar night" will be located elsewhere.

But what, by that time, will have become of the nations now claiming Polar lands? They will have vanished more completely than the 22 separate kingdoms that met the Conqueror when he landed in Britain.

And what we call civilization will then be part of a disagreeable past, studied, as we now study the Bushman, African pygmies, and the "head hunters" of Borneo.

Man by nature delights in struggle. At Columbia, South Carolina, beside the railroad track, four bare-foot colored boys from fifteen to six years of age called out, "Throw a nickle in the air and we'll fight for it."

The suggestion that the smallest boy would have little chance found no favor. All four boys were disappointed when each received his nickle without a struggle. Even the smallest boy said, "Yes, sir, we'd rather fight for it."

There is a moral for employers. Give your men on salary a chance to make something extra by "fighting" for extra business and extra profit. Only profit-sharing gets the best out of a man. A salary, no matter how big, seems like an insult after a few months.

The French declares the election of Von Hindenburg to be German's challenge to the world and to France especially. But the French should be the last to criticize the Germans in this selection.

When Napoleon was shamefully beaten and ran home from the Germans to save his skin, as the Kaiser ran away from Germany to save his skin, the French elected as President Marshal MacMahon, the best imitation of a military hero within reach.

—Mrs. Mel Gifford was hostess to the Wednesday Bridge club this week

BETHANY.

A tent show is in town this week. Several Bethany boys are planning to spend the week end in Champaign and take part in the interscholastics at the U. of I.

The operetta "In Old Louisiana" will be given by the Glee Clubs at the high school Thursday and Friday nights of this week.

The churches of Bethany had special services for Mother's day, Sunday. A number of Bethany people attended the Moultrie County track meet at Arthur Friday.

Miss Lucille Jones spent the week end in Arthur with friends.

Prof. Patterson of Irving has been employed for principal of the Bethany township high school. Mr. and Mrs. Patterson will move here as soon as his school closes, there. He is a graduate of the University of Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. Rordeny Spangler of Champaign, spent Sunday here with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Warren Wilkinson and family.

Miss Rosemerel Ekiss of Mansfield is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bone and family.

Workmen started to take down the old grade school building this week. Plans for the new building have arrived and work will be started as early as possible.

The grade school closed Saturday. All the teachers are re-employed for the coming year.

James Shelton is visiting in Decatur with his aunt, Mrs. W. R. Crowder, and family.

LAKE CITY.

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Winings and daughter Grace, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Winings at Bethany, Wednesday.

Mrs. Ruth Gifford who has been very ill is improving.

Mrs. J. R. Bracken of Sullivan, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Clark last week.

The funeral of Dorothy Madigan, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Madigan was held at the St. Isadore Catholic church Thursday morning.

Miss Mabel Hollis of Decatur, visited relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Bradbury of Decatur, attended the funeral of Dorothy Madigan, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Baker were Decatur visitors Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Clark moved to Bethany last week where Mr. Clark has been employed as the minister of the Christian church.

Mr. and Mrs. Omer Brohard and son James, of Decatur, spent the week end with Alva Ping and family.

O. L. Snow and family of Walker, spent Sunday with H. Weaver and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Winings and family of Arthur spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Watson.

Mrs. Nora Tudor was a Decatur shopper, Friday.

Decatur visitors Saturday were Mrs. Alva Wilt, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sherman and Mrs. Ada Ault.

Joe Brohard who has been very ill is able to be out again.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Beck and family, of near Casner, spent Sunday with John Powell and family.

Oscar Dickson and family of Decatur spent Sunday with Charles Dickson and family.

Ben Bogie and family of Decatur, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Rankins.

Jesse Burcham and family, of Williamsburg, spent Sunday with Mr. Mrs. Joe Brohard.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Baker and son Vance, spent Sunday with Emery Bailey and family at Springfield.

Arthur Ault and family of Warrensburg, spent Sunday with Sherman Bandy and family.

H. E. Howell and family of Findlay were callers here Sunday evening.

Miss Leona Dickson is visiting relatives in Decatur.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Baker of Decatur, spent Sunday with Roy Baker and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Connour and son Paul, of Brocton spent the week end with B. C. Hamm and family.

Miss Maude Winings visited last

week with H. E. Howell and family at Findlay.

GAYS.

Miss Stella Mitchell spent Sunday with Miss Maurine Munson.

The revival meeting at the M. E. church is still going on with Mr. Kindig and wife as the leaders of the singing.

Workmen are progressing very rapidly with the laying of the slab on the hard road. They expect to have it completed as far as Gays by Saturday.

Ray Waggoner has commenced the erection of his new home. His father-in-law, Mr. Burcham, of Allenville is doing the carpenter work.

Miss Geraldine Barger is spending the week visiting relatives in Lerna. Miss Helen Nichols of Windsor spent Sunday with Miss Ruth Bolan.

Mr. and Mrs. Doris Fuller and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fuller near Paradise.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. J. Smith from Mattoon spent Sunday with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Smith.

Mrs. Ruth Curry of Decatur spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Blythe.

FULLER'S POINT.

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Ellis and daughters Miss Martha and Mrs. Matt Timmons and children of Mattoon, were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. John Jenkins and family.

Miss Margaret Gilmore spent Sunday with Misses Ruth and Minnie Cannoy.

Mrs. Sarah Phillips of Mattoon spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Lizzie Rightsell.

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Hall's Drug and Jewelry Store, West Side Square.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Creath and family and James Lawson attended church at Zoar Sunday.

Cletis Cannoy and Helen Phillips were guests of Evelyn Carnine Sunday.

Jimmy Furness spent Sunday afternoon with Bee Warner of Sullivan. Mrs. Lizzie Rightsell, Mrs. Chester Carnine and children were callers in Mattoon, Wednesday.

—The Daughters of Veterans surprised their president, Mrs. Adilla Burns with a sack social following the regular meeting at the K. of P. hall Tuesday night. A social hour followed the meeting.

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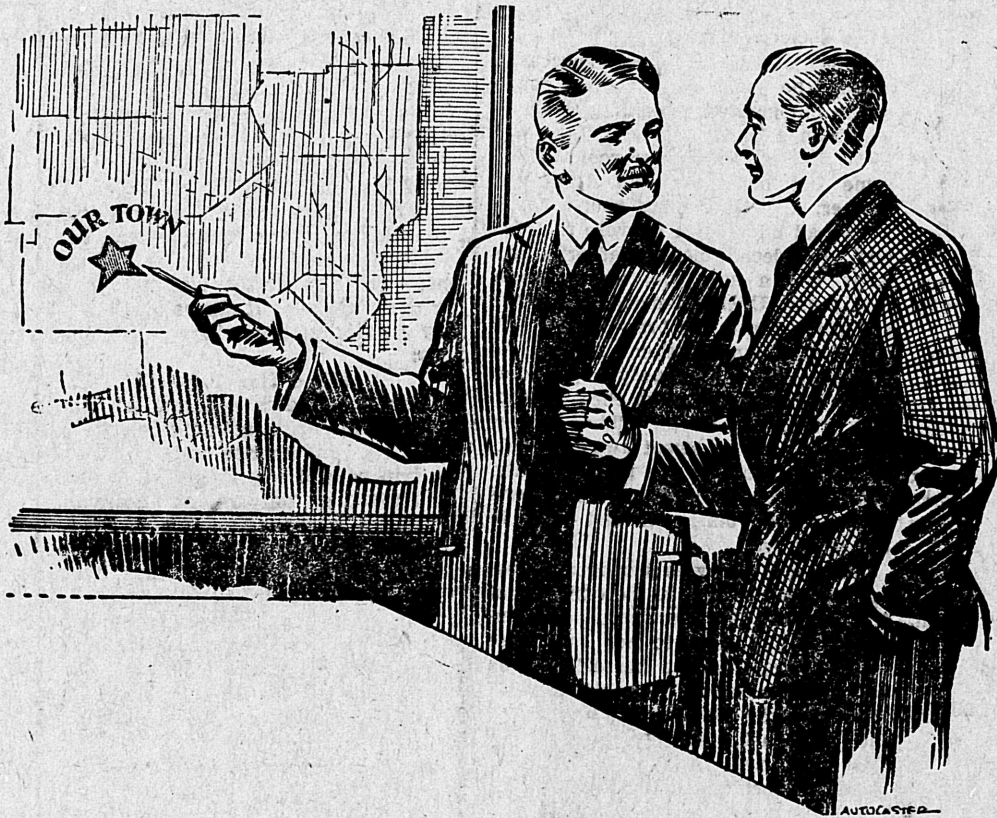
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Boost **Sullivan** at every opportunity. Call attention to the good things in **Sullivan**. Beat down subtle propaganda which in anyway would hold up to ridicule or belittle our town. Even amongst our own townfolks we should not let the habit grow of failing to appreciate the present development and growth of our town. If you live in **Sullivan** then **Sullivan** is entitled to your whole-hearted support. Trade in **Sullivan**. The quickest way to a bigger

and better **Sullivan** is through the growth and development of its commercial organizations. To be able to offer you bigger stocks of merchandise, merchants must have **your** trade -- **all of your trade**. They cannot hire your boys or girls nor can they put more money into circulation with new improvements and new buildings if their stores are to be used only as emergency shops. Think this over.

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LOCALS

—Divisions Nos. 1 and 5 of the Young Woman's Missionary Circle of the Christian church, will hold a bakery sale at the Robertson Shoe Shop, Saturday afternoon.

—Miss Lelah Thomas of Clinton visited the week end with Mrs. Walt Longwill and other friends.

—Mrs. Hammond of Oklahoma City arrived Saturday for a visit with her daughter Mrs. Ed Cooley.

—Mrs. Homer Shirey went to St. Louis Sunday to visit her sister Mrs. John Watson.

—I do general upholstering and furniture repairing.—Roy Light, Phone 265-Y.

—Mrs. Howard J. Hoag of St. Louis arrived Tuesday evening for a visit with her sister Mrs. Flossie Yarnell and other relatives.

—Miss Elma Long of Decatur, was a caller in this city Tuesday.

—Mrs. Flossie Yarnell and daughter Claudia, son Harold and Grandma Yarnell spent Sunday in Kirksville.

—Mr. and Mrs. James A. Moore and Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Moore and family of Decatur spent Sunday visiting relatives in this city.

—Miss Bess Todd and Mrs. O. J. Ohm of Mattoon visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Philip McCusker Friday.

—T. B. Ewing spent Tuesday in Bement.

—Miss Claudia Bromley of Chicago arrived Tuesday for a two weeks' vacation with her mother and other relatives in this city.

—Mrs. Minnie D. Riley of Ossawatimio, Kansas arrived Monday for a visit with Mrs. Tella Pearce.

—Marvin Bromley of Chicago is visiting his relatives here this week.

—Lovington folks who attended services at the Christian church here Sunday night included Prof. and Mrs. L. C. Francisco, Mr. and Mrs. Murray Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Walmsley and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. H. White.

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The Morgan Community Club met with Mrs. Irtys Peadro Wednesday afternoon.

—John Watson of Champaign visited at the home of his cousin, Miss Mary Patterson, Tuesday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stearns and daughter Gertrude, returned to their home in Chicago Monday after a visit at the Meeker home. Miss Grace Meeker who had been visiting here returned to Chicago with them.

—Carey Jones and Alva Smith of Gillespie spent Sunday with the Roscoe Barnes family.

—Miss Mary Patterson entertained the following at dinner Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Malt Munch and three children; A. J. Little and Guy Little; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer McLwain and son Billie.

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—Everett Sealock of Findlay spent Monday in this city.

—Mrs. Belle Kenney and family spent Sunday in Williamsburg.

—R. L. Richards spent Sunday in Findlay.

—The Loyal Women's class of the Christian church met at the home of Mrs. S. W. Wright Tuesday afternoon.

—W. H. Jennings and granddaughter Dorris Royal Edwards, Mrs. Lillie Myers, Rogery Myers all of Decatur visited the Jennings sisters Saturday.

—Mrs. Thompson will leave for Chicago the latter part of this month and will there be joined by her daughter Miss Lillian for a trip to Long Beach, California where they will spend part of the Summer with Miss Helen Thompson and Mrs. Bertha Traylor.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Shelton and family and Mrs. Poisel of Bethany visited at the home of the Misses Lucy and Ada Jennings, Sunday.

—Miss Cletus Harris, Mrs. Charlotte Vansickle, Desmond Winedorf, Verna Robinson, Iola Trigg, George Batman and Bill Keyes, all of Lincoln spent the week end at the James Harris home.

—Herbert Powell of Chicago is enjoying a two weeks' vacation at the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Powell.

—Miss Fern Woodruff spent the week end in St. Louis visiting friends.

—Miss Maurine Cochran will be in charge of the L'Habit Shoppe during the absence of Miss Mayne Keen who left Friday on a vacation trip.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Andrews of Decatur spent Sunday visiting relatives in this city.

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—Editor Patton of the Tuscola Journal visited the Sullivan Country Club golf course Sunday in company with John Eads of Arthur. Mr. Eads is one of the club's newest members.

—J. H. Ireland of Decatur was a business visitor here Monday.

—Mrs. A. E. McKenzie left Saturday for Chicago where she will visit a few days and attend a call meeting of Department officers of the Daughters of Veterans, of which she holds the office of Guard, before going on to the G. A. R. and other auxiliary meetings to be held at Aurora, May 12 to 14. Mrs. Gertrude Kinsel will join her at the convention at Aurora on Monday.

—Mrs. Fred French, a few years ago a residence of this city, but now of Decatur, was taken to a hospital in that city, Monday, where she will undergo an operation. Her mother Mrs. O. O. Misenheimer of Mattoon, is with her.

—Dr. and Mrs. W. P. Davidson attended a medical meeting at Robinson and stopped at Lawrenceville Friday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Shaw. Mr. Shaw purchased six acres of land in that city recently and erected an up-to-date greenhouse and residence.

—Leonard Witts, telephone worker, was injured Tuesday when a spur which is used in mounting telephone poles, ran into his heel, about an inch deep.

—Miss Ruth Emel returned home Saturday after visiting with friends in Decatur.

—Mr. and Mrs. Dale Elzy and family of Bruce spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Graven of Palmyra.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Holzmueller and daughter Elsie and son Oscar, motored to Effingham Saturday night and spent Sunday with Mrs. Holzmueller's mother Mrs. Joseph Feuerborn.

—Services at 8:00 a. m., Sunday morning at St. Columb's Catholic church, with Father Burtel in charge.

—Mrs. Jessie Miller and Miss Laura Conard spent Monday in Mattoon.

—Mrs. Frank Shipman visited in Mattoon this week with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bradley and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hewitt.

—Guy Shipman was a Mattoon visitor Friday and Saturday.

—Mrs. McCorvie and Mrs. Cawley entertained quite a number of friends to a bridge party in the parlors at the Masonic Home, Tuesday afternoon.

—Mrs. Elsie McFerrin entertained the Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church Wednesday afternoon.

—The Ladies Aid of the Presbyterian church served dinner to the Community Club Monday night.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Scallet moved their household goods to Salem, Tuesday afternoon.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Roney motored to Mattoon Saturday to meet Mrs. Roney's sister, Miss Katherine Kelligar of Champaign who is spending the week at the Roney home.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dow of West Frankfort visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Smith Friday night and Saturday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Jim Harsh and family went to Decatur Sunday where they called on Wayne Harsh, son of Harold Harsh and wife. Wayne accidentally broke his leg last week in a fall.

—Mrs. Maye Rose and Mrs. Mattie Gardner went to Charleston Monday where they attended a Rebecca Convention. Mrs. Kingery attended the afternoon and night session and Mrs. Orma Foster and Mrs. Matt Dedman attended the night session. The party all returned that night.

—Dr. Don Butler and Dr. S. T. Butler went to Peoria Tuesday to attend a Dental Meeting. Dr. Don returned Wednesday and Dr. S. T. Butler returned Thursday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bence of near Windsor visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Edmiston, Wednesday.

—J. D. Martin transacted business in Kimmunity the first of the week.

—Miss Hazel Smith spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in Mattoon.

—R. M. Tull who went to Martinsville, Indiana for health treatment will return home Saturday.

—Miss Leota Smith has been employed to teach the Dunn school the coming year.

—Sam and James Hostetler of Whitley were business callers in Sullivan, Tuesday.

—Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Clevenger were as follows: Mr. and Mrs. Cadell West, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hoke.

—Margaret Dyer of Lovington, Ester and Verla Berry, Naomi Watkins and Erlean Eaton of Arthur visited Hattie Belle and Eleanor Clevenger Saturday night and Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ira Price returned home Tuesday from Koleon, Indiana where they were called Saturday by the death of Mrs. Pierce's father, Samuel Wright, who was 85 years of age at the time of his death.

—J. D. Ritchie, owner and manager of the Jefferson theatre before it was destroyed by fire was in this city Tuesday investigating prospects of rebuilding on the old site.

—Mr. and Mrs. Will Hasinger, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Kirkpatrick, Mrs. Lizzie Lambrecht and Miss Coontz, all of Decatur, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Will Shernburn.

—C. E. McPheeters, Will Gardner, A. R. Poland and Fred Wiedner motored to Springfield Tuesday and attended the Terre Haute vs. Springfield ball game.

—Misses Leota Smith, Irene Kirkendoll and Altabelle Waggoner spent last Monday night in Mattoon.

FOR LONG WALKS

Hugh Smith, dispenser at the Butterfly Shoppe wants a pair of stout, hobnailed hiking boots. He sometimes takes walks where he needs them.

C. & E. I. GIVES BETTER PASSENGER SERVICE

To the Public: We are glad to announce that arrangements have been made whereby our new six and half hour train operation between Chicago and St. Louis will stop at Sullivan to take on passengers for St. Louis and will also stop to discharge passengers from St. Louis.

Our St. Louis train No. 21 is due Sullivan 3:14 p. m. and due in St. Louis union station 5:55 p. m. Train No. 22 due to leave Union Station St. Louis 12:13 p. m. and arrive Sullivan 2:42 p. m.

H. H. Smith, Agent.

Anne and Her Ancestors

By DOROTHY DOUGLAS

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IF ANNE had not skimped with all her might during the winter she could not have had her trip to England and the Wembley exhibition. And if she hadn't got to Wembley, she never would have met Tom Everett, who got her a sweepstake ticket.

And little Anne Severn, without family or ties of any kind, won some forty thousand pounds, or in the coinage of her own land, about two hundred thousand dollars.

It took Anne about ten days to settle down and realize that she was no longer a skimping, hard-worked stenographer. She was a wealthy young lady, whose future, with clear-headed investment, was most decidedly assured.

Anne was an orphan, and didn't even know who her parents had been, and she decided at once that she would acquire some ancestors before returning home. She would seek in the antique shops for paintings, old family furniture and a romantic history, and return to New York well-equipped to enter society.

Anne was more than successful among the junk dealers. She found a fine old gentleman smiling down at her from a musty canvas. That was to be father. In another room behind some old bedsteads she discovered mother, a jolly looking soul who, if Anne had but known it, wore the jewelry of a decade before father's time. That was a small matter to Anne. She found Uncle Henry, Aunt Susie and many cousins of brave deeds. And lastly, she found brother. Anne loved brother. He was a fine young soldier in a queer wee cap, with checked edge and streamers, a tiny ribbon across his breast. Anne swept away a swiftly arrived tear as she looked at the bonnie face. She believed the dealer's tale that the young man had fallen in the great war.

Anne was lucky in her return voyage to the States in becoming fast friends with Mrs. Vandercup, who introduced her later to her social set in New York. Anne herself was as dainty as a bit of the old Chelsea china she had picked up to help adorn the old mansion she purchased in the East Seventies. Anne's ancestors arrived in short time and were hung on the walls in her "portrait room."

Mrs. Vandercup kindly managed the first dinner that Anne gave, and it was a marked success. Anne, living in a seeming romance, sparkled and chatted with this new-found coterie of well-bred friends and enjoyed herself hugely.

"Anne, dear," suggested Mrs. Vandercup, when most of the guests were joyfully dancing, "that young Mr. Warden, the artist, would love to see your portrait gallery; he has asked me to tell you."

Anne blushed swiftly. She had taken an immediate liking to the red-haired Briton, with his artistic Van Dyke beard, that was so apparently worn to conceal a great scar that lay across his cheek.

Warden followed her into the portrait gallery and listened to her tales so carefully thought out about each old painting. His eyes more often lingered on dainty Anne than on the ancestors. He was realizing that Anne was the most lovely bit of womanhood he had met during his life in New York.

It was while she was telling him about her dear brother who fell in the war that Warden came to his senses. His eyes opened wide as he looked at the portrait.

"He was in the Artist's Rifles," Anne was saying of the young officer of the portrait, who was wearing the Royal Scot's uniform, "and he won the Victoria cross," she added, and Warden bit his lips viciously. The bar was the Military cross, but to Anne it was all the same. She finished her recital, and was not exactly conscious of Warden's peculiar silence.

"Miss Severn," he said finally, "can I come and have a cup of tea with you tomorrow? I have lots to tell you—and I want to show you some of my own ancestors."

Anne never forgot his thoughtfulness in not speaking that night. It might have spoiled her dinner party.

Warden arrived punctually the next day, and Anne's heart fluttered as she felt the close grip of his hand.

"Miss Severn," he began softly when they were seated, "you are not to think me a conceited idiot if I show you my own photograph first." He drew from his pocket a small picture and held it laughingly out.

Anne looked at it, blushed furiously, then burst out laughing.

The photograph was the small one from which Anne's portrait of her brother had been painted.

"I'm glad, so very glad you did not fall—in battle," she said with a sincerity so great as to cause Warden's heart to jump a beat.

"You are just an adorable fraud," he said. "We lost every penny we had, sold our possessions, and I came here to earn my way. It is all very simple, isn't it? Meantime let me put you quite straight about the Victoria cross and the Military cross."

"I will let you do what you will," Anne told him, her eyes big pools of trust, "because my family are all on canvas. It is not so satisfactory."

"Brother will have to come to life—as somebody else then," Warden told her, and Anne agreed with a shy glance.

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prove that Munson could have been absent from Mattoon about forty minutes at the time that his friends and alibi witnesses actually thought that he was in the city.

The defendant's wife and three small children and his mother, Mrs. Miers, and other relatives sat next to him inside the guard rail and were interested spectators to the legal battle by which the state expects to prove that Munson was the tall man in the robbery case.

One of the state's best witnesses was Charles Ohm, a farmhand working for Frank Bates. He saw the men at the dredge ditch and bridge on the day of the robbery. They told him they expected to do some trapping. He found a number of rubber bands under the bridge the following day and turned them over to the officials. He also identified Munson in the police station on the day following the robbery as being one of the two men who had spent several hours at the dredge ditch and bridge and as the man whom he had spoken to.

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EDUCATIONAL CONTEST JUDGE

Mrs. Nettie L. Roughton was one of three judges who heard the educational contest orations at the Shelbyville High School, Friday night.

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Liked Her Trip.

Dear Pathfinders:—Some of the Pathfinders write about trips, so I thought I would write and tell about my trip to Canada from the States. We started on our trip at Sullivan, Ill., three years ago. We went to Chicago and stayed one hour; then we rode on the train to St. Paul, Minn. We were in a playground and had a good time. There were two slides. Then we rode to Winnipeg. I was in a store where there was stuffed animals. It was very interesting looking at them. We were in Eaton's and saw a lot of lovely things I played in their playground, too. We had a lovely time at Winnipeg. We stayed there till 10 o'clock at night. We got in Saskatoon at noon the next day. I walked over a one mile bridge—it was quite a walk. We went to Hanna and had a car ride out to our place. It was 25 miles. We were five days on our trip. I thought I had a lovely trip.

I am 10 years old and in the fifth grade. The studies I like best are history, spelling, arithmetic and composition.

I would like correspondence from girls of my own age. Best of luck to editor and Pathfinders.—Helen Armstrong (10), Garden Plain, Alta.

NOTES ON TUBERCULOSIS

LIN TESTING

Parties having sick chickens where I am testing please have them penned up and I will examine them and post them while making the cattle tests.

The object of the tests is to see whether tuberculosis in cattle effect chickens or that in chickens effect cattle.

I am not allowed to make any additional tests until further notice from the Chicago office. The herds that have already been tested are the only one that I can test now.

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HAMMOND WON GAME

The base ball game between Sullivan and Hammond Sunday afternoon proved an interest contest. At the end of the 9th inning the score was 6 to 6. Two extra innings were required to break the tie, the final score being 9 to 6.

DINNER PARTY

Rosy and Charles Graven entertained several young folks for Sunday dinner. Ice cream was served in the afternoon. Those present were: Helen and Grace Keyes, Ora Purvis Catherine and Forrest Misenheimer, Edna and Earl Rauch, Harlow Griffen and Ella and Wallace Graven.

—The C. H. Tabor Motor Sales reports the sale of a new standard Maxwell sedan to Frank Witts and a new Ford touring to Roy Newberry

HELPED RE-DEDICATE CHURCH

Rev. D. A. MacLeod of the local Presbyterian church, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Shirey and son Dorman, motored to Loxa, Illinois in Coles County Sunday to attend a re-dedication of the Presbyterian church there. Rev. MacLeod preached the evening's sermon.

This church was almost demolished

in the tornado which swept Mattoon and surrounding country some years ago. For some time things lay dormant, but about six months ago, under the leadership of Rev. A. J. Oesch, re-organization was effected and the church has been re-built and renovated until today it is a credit to any community. The cost of the work \$6,500 is reported all paid. Loxa is a town of a few hundred population between Charleston and Mattoon.

GOSPEL MISSION

H. H. Smith, Supt.
9:30 a. m. Sunday School.
11:00 a. m. Morning worship.
6:30 p. m. Young peoples service
7:30 p. m. Evangelistic service
7:30 p. m. Thursday preaching services

The attendance on Sunday for all services was very good, the young peoples service under the leadership of Mrs. Ethel Magill, was exceptionally good and should have been an inspiration to all who were there, and seemingly it was.

Prayer meeting this week at Brother G. H. Thompson's and next week at the home of H. H. Smith. Rev. Ridgeway will preach at the Thursday evening service.



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Please settle any outstanding accounts with us on or before Saturday, May 23rd.

We still have some wonderful bargains in Shoes, Dresses, Coats and Suits.

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—New and used tires and tubes, right prices.—W. H. Walker. 12-1f

STOVE WOOD for sale—Cut 14 or 16 inches.—Edgar Martin, Phone 7217 Sullivan. 4-1f.

FARROW CHIX: World's greatest selling chix after May 10th in 100 lots white or brown leghorns \$10.50; Barred Rocks, Single Reds, \$11.50; White Rocks, Rose Reds, \$12.50; Buff Orp., Minorcas, Wyandottes, \$13.50; Postpaid in Illinois only. Free catalog.—D. T. Farrow Chickeries, Peoria, Ill. 18-1f.

BUFF ORPINGTON select eggs for hatching, Byers Strain, \$1.00 for 15; \$5.00 per 100. Bruce phone 9 on 21.—Mrs. H. B. Lilly, one mile East of Allenville. 9-1f.

THE RAWLEIGH Good Health Products are highest possible quality. Sold on a money back guarantee. I have Moultrie County and am at your service for delivery of all goods wanted.—Will Peterson, Windsor, Ill. Phone 1 10-6mos.

BUFF ORPINGTON eggs for hatching, 50c a setting; \$3.00 per 100.—Mrs. Ernest Devore, Sullivan phone 890. 10-17

STANDARD CHIX 10c up; sturdy, healthy, disease-free; all kinds; write for free catalog and early discount offer. Standard Hatcheries, 200 S. Maffitt St., Decatur Ill. 11-1f

CASH PAID for false teeth, dental gold, platinum and discarded jewelry. Hoke Smelting and Refining Co., Otsego, Michigan. 48-1f

—**RADIO**—Installation service; practical experience.—Lester Dunscomb, phone 352, Sullivan. 10-1f

—Long distance moving at right prices.—W. H. Walker. 12-1f

FOR SALE—1922 Ford touring car; all over hauled and painted; re-ground block, new battery and tires in fair shape. This car is priced right and is a good buy for any one wanting a good used car. Call phone No. 462.

FOR RENT—5-room house with garage. Situated in south part of city. Mrs. Elizabeth Wallace. 20-2

WANTED TO RENT—Man and wife want a 4 or 5-room house with garage; will rent for at least a year. If you have a place of this kind, notify The Progress office. 20-1*

WANTED A HOUSE to house canvasser for Sullivan and surrounding territory, to sell KAR-LAVA, the World's Greatest Automobile and Furniture Cleaner. No polish is needed, where KAR-LAVA is used. Every demonstration makes a sale. Every housewife and automobile owner a prospect. We pay 50% commission, you can build a permanent business of this for yourself. Write for full particulars. Send 50c for regular \$1.00 bottle, so you can make the tests that are necessary to convince yourself. It is all we claim for it. KAR-LAVA CO., 6254 St. Lawrence Ave., Chicago, Ill.

LOCAL FIRM WAS LOW BIDDER ON MASONIC JOB

Bids were opened Tuesday in the office of architect A. L. Pillsbury in Bloomington, for the addition which is to be constructed this Summer to the Masonic Home hospital. The low bidder was the firm of Harshman & Hagerman of this city. Their bid was \$72,500. This was \$7,000 less than the next lowest bid. Eleven bids were in, three being from Sullivan. The other two Sullivan contractors were John F. Miller and Sims & McCune.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Reeves and family of Decatur visited at the home of Harry Myers and wife Sunday.

CADWELL-ROSEDALE

James Wilson, Pastor.
Cadwell and Rosedale came very nearly having a tie in Sunday School attendance Sunday morning. Attendance at Cadwell, 38. Attendance at Rosedale 39. Conditions were favorable for church going and good audiences were present for preaching services at Cadwell. Thirty-nine were present for Epworth League service at Rosedale.

Plans for next Sunday. For Rosedale—Sunday School at 10:00 a. m. and Epworth League at 6:30 p. m. Preaching at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. For Cadwell—Sunday School at 10:00 a. m.

LOVINGTON.

Charles H. Dalton went to Waukegan Saturday on a business trip. The Senior class play will be given on May 22nd at the high school auditorium. The title of the play is, "Come out of the kitchen". A comedy in three acts.
The Commercial Club held their regular meeting Monday night. Several interesting topics were read.
Mrs. Riley Dixon and daughter Miss Mae, are in Chicago this week visiting friends.

—Mrs. W. M. Kirkpatrick has gone to Martinsville, Indiana, where she will take treatments at the Hot Springs, for her health.

Miss Fanny Woodbury of Bloomington is here the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. S. Bicknell and family.

Mrs. G. W. Bryant is seriously ill at her home on South Country street.

Mrs. Siegfried Mauer of Chicago is here for an extended visit with her parents Dr. and Mrs. A. Scaggs and family.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Drake have moved their house hold goods back to Lovington and will make their future home here. They will occupy the Mrs. James Smith property on South Broadway as soon as it is vacated by C. H. Dalton who will leave as soon as school closes.

CUSHMAN.

Mrs. J. W. Landgrebe and daughter Miss Katherine Landgrebe spent Wednesday evening with Mrs. Jesse Reedy.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Bowers and Mrs. Olaf Bowers of Lovington spent Tuesday evening at the J. W. Landgrebe home.

John Foster of Decatur spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack White of Williamsburg spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Roberts.

J. W. Landgrebe and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Mayhew Rhodes.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Myers and family spent Sunday with J. H. Landgrebe.

Bryan Sipes and Willie Randol were Sullivan visitors Sunday evening.

Ed Hamblin was a Lovington visitor Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Orval Dow of Mattoon spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Aden Dow and family.

Orval George and Harry Dow spent a few hours Sunday morning with Earl Landgrebe.

Mrs. W. E. Devore and Miss Zelma Devore, spent Monday evening with Mrs. John Bragg.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Myers spent Tuesday with Mrs. Alice Mentzer of Arthur.

Mr. and Mrs. James Elder and daughter Flossie, were callers at J. W. Landgrebe's home, Tuesday.

BRUCE.

A birthday party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Keyes, Saturday night in honor of their daughter Miss Hazel's 13th birthday. About 35 friends were present. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. All had a good time and departed wishing Hazel many happy returns.

Mr. and Mrs. George Taylor and baby spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Ritchey.

Mr. and Mrs. William Winchester and daughter Miss Sybil Beck, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Reed.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Sharp and family of near Quigley, Mrs. John Sharp and granddaughters Ruby and Doris Sharp and C. D. Sharp spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sampson.

Mrs. Charles Elzy spent Saturday in Sullivan.

Mrs. Sarah Niles was a Windsor caller, Monday.

Matt Miller and family of Shelbyville visited over Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Andrew McDaniel.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hunter and family of Mattoon visited over Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Candance Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kirkendoll and children of Mattoon spent Sunday with David Kirkendoll.

Mrs. Bart Tull spent one day last week with her mother, Mrs. Edgar Sampson.

James Abbott of Iowa is visiting relatives here.

Chester Ledbetter and family visited with Mr. and Mrs. Harve Ledbetter in Sullivan, Sunday.

DAVIS REUNION

The Davis reunion was held at the home of Mrs. Catharine Davis of Bethany, Sunday, May 10th, the event also being Mother's Day.

Mrs. Davis was 87 years old. She received many beautiful floral offerings, a box of candy and the sons present presented their mother with a nice piece of money.

The birthday cake was baked by Mrs. T. G. Davis of Sullivan.

Three of the sons were unable to be present this year: Mack, of Florida; Elra, of Chicago and Green of Sullivan.

The sons present, with their families were:

Cryus and wife of Marion, Ind., T. J. Davis, wife and daughter Erma, of Sullivan; Henry and Eck of Bethany, Iso Lew, wife and son Lloyd, of Bethany. A nephew, John Rhodes and wife of Bethany; Melvin and Tertrude, grandchildren, of Sullivan were present in the afternoon.

The guests had an enjoyable time with lots of good eats and wished their mother many more happy returns of the day.

CHIPPS

Mrs. Ross Thomas and Mrs. Clifford Davis attended the Woman's club in Arthur, Friday afternoon.

Miss Mary Cutright of Sullivan spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Sutton and family spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Z. I. Standerfer at Allenville.

Mrs. Frank Ward and son spent Monday in Decatur shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Campbell and son; Mr. and Mrs. Verna Campbell and daughter; Mr. and Mrs. John Bathe and family spent Sunday at home of R. S. Haley of Sullivan.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Panky, Miss Gertie Powell attended the funeral of a friend North of Arthur, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ward are driving a new Overland.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Harmon and daughters; Mr. and Mrs. John Bathe and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ward and son, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Davis spent Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Thomas.

Mrs. Earl Chipps, Mrs. Vic Landers Mrs. Ross Thomas and Miss Eva Sutton attended the Young Women's Missionary Circle at the home of Mrs. Leona Stone, of Sullivan, Monday night.

Mrs. W. L. Landers entertained Tuesday: Mrs. Jennie Harmsen, Miss Wilvea Landers.

Mrs. Pearl Fields, Mrs. Raymond Shasteen, Mrs. John Schoonover visited Friday at the home of Mrs. W. L. Landers.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

A. J. Burville, Pastor.
Sunday School 9:30 a. m. Preaching 10:45 a. m. Subject "Four true teachings of God."

We will be favored by another song on Sunday night at the children's song service at 7:30 p. m. Preaching at 8:00 p. m. Subject "Salvation by Grace."

Our Wednesday night Bible Class will be held at the home of Mrs. Moore 607 VanBuren street near the I. C. railroad track. Cottage prayer meeting Friday night at 7:30 p. m. 618 Grant street at the home of the pastor. A hearty welcome awaits one and all at the Baptist church and the signs of the times will be spoken about from time to time.

We had two new scholars out last Sunday morning and thank God we are retaining our old ones. We have the promise of three or four more next Sunday.

The beautiful song, "Blue Galilee" was sung at the morning worship by Dr. F. L. James, Mrs. James and Mrs. Hampton, which was greatly appreciated by the congregation.

We had a nice attendance out on Sunday night. The Sunday School children sang a pretty song. Mr. McKneelie, Dr. and Mrs. F. L. James and George Burville sang "Mother's Prayers Have Followed Me." Mr. Thomas sang for us that beautiful song, "My Mother's Voice". At the end of the evening meeting Brother McKneelie sang "Goodbye and God Bless You."

We are very sorry to bid Dr. F. L. James and his wife goodbye. This city and Baptist church needs such people as this: Dr. James and his wife came from Champaign, some time back. Our Brother and Sister James did not do like some other Baptist folks in this city that came from other cities. He put his membership in with the poor Baptist people and helped where the need was the greatest. If all the so called Baptist in this city do the same we would have 60 or 70 members in our church. Dr. James and his wife have stood up for their convictions in this city and did not despise the small things. He has proved both he and his wife to be pure gold. It is with feelings of regret that we bid Dr. James and his wife goodbye as they go to Decatur. May the Lord bless them in their work there is our prayer.

ARTHUR.

Mr. and Mrs. Gottfried Stock, Orrie Bradford, F. F. Fleming and Quence McDonald all attended the ball game between Decatur and Springfield, Tuesday.

Clyde Sallee of Paris visited his father Ollie Sallee over the week end.

Miss Alberta Hamilton has returned after a visit of several weeks in Texas.

Mesdames Wm. Regenold, Wayne Chandler, Chester Cahill and Howard Huckleberry entertained the Tuesday club Tuesday evening at the home of Wayne Chandler. 500 was played during the evening. Mrs. Donald Howell and Gottfried Stock held high score.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo Jocelyn and family of Rantoul visited at George Joceyln's Sunday.

Miss Ermina Epperson of Arthur and George Zepeda of St. Louis were married April 25th in St. Louis.

Mrs. Gottfried Stock attended the bridge party in Sullivan at the I. O. O. F. hall Saturday afternoon.

Miss Georgia Troy is visiting in Chicago with Miss Bernice Watson.

Harold Clendennon, a student of the U. of I. visited at home over Sunday.

Miss Helen Crowder visited in Bethany over the week end.

—Mrs. Helen Morenson, Mrs. Malvin Hurst and Mrs. O. R. Brooks, all of Lovington were shopping in this city, Tuesday.

—Robert Ellithrope and Jean Haydon of Mattoon visited at the Ray Purvis home Sunday.

—Miss Mayme Patterson was hostess of the Domestic Science club Wednesday.

COLES.

Roy and Irene Townley called on Mrs. Viola Scoby Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cooley and daughter Anna Mary, Miss Nora Davis and Roy Cooley motored to St. Elmo Sunday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. George Cooley.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fowler and daughter Lucile and son Frank of Moweaqua, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Georhart and family.

Mrs. Ollie Daniels and Mrs. Dobbs spent Tuesday of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Scoby.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Graham and daughter Lois and Stanley Dailey spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Pierce and family of near Dorans.

Mr. and Mrs. Nate Hinton and family spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Cynthia Newbould of Sullivan.

Miss Leana Bareither of near Dorans spent the week end visiting with Misses Naola and Leota Buddie.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Williamson and son Buster; Mr. and Mrs. Beuford Foster and daughter Maxine, of Terra Haute, Indiana and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pierce and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. James Foster and family.

Miss Helen Davis who has been visiting in Decatur for the past week, returned to her home, Monday.

Mrs. Edith Cheeley spent Monday with Mrs. Mary Rogers of Janesville.

Mrs. Lydia Linn spent the first of the week visiting friends in Bethany.

Mr. and Mrs. Elzo Bashman and daughters and Howard Hunt motored to Newman Sunday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Philpott and sons.

Steve Scoby was a business caller in Sullivan, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Armantrout and family spent Sunday with Mrs. Dave Edmonds of Gays.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Gordon and family of Mattoon spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cheeley and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Feller and family of Terre Haute, Indiana, spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Essau Feller and family.

There will be a Mother's Day program given at the Coles church Sunday School at 10:00 a. m. B. Y. P. U. at 7:00 p. m. and preaching at 8:00 p. m. A cordial invitation extended to all. Rev. E. F. Grizzell, pastor.

LAST DAY OF SCHOOL

AT MORGAN, TUESDAY

Miss Cleo Wood closed a very successful term of school at Morgan on Tuesday, May 5th. It is the custom in that district, for as many of the patrons as can do so, to take dinner and have a good time on the last day. This year nearly every family was represented at this community dinner. Miss Wood had provided ice cream and angel food cakes as a fitting desert.

Morgan is the school that won the honors in the contest at the S. T. H. S. on Patron's Day a few weeks ago, and the banner, beautifully framed, hangs in the school room. The exhibits were tastefully arranged so that all might see them again the last day of school, after which each pupil could carry his own home.

Miss Wood is justly proud of the work done by the school in writing. She sent in nine sets of papers and eight buttons were awarded as follows: Primary, Silver Star button to Carmen Gustin; Palmer Method buttons to Robert Sullivan, Lillie Sullivan, William Horn, Paul Dazey, Lawrence Maxedon, Kathryn Nighswander and Leta Chaney.

Those who were neither tardy nor absent during the year were: Kathryn Nighswander and Lillie Sullivan; this being the third perfect year for Lillie.

Everett Bundy would also have had a three year record, had he not had the measles this year. Others who were perfect in attendance except during measles, were Ita and Jimmie Chaney.

The patrons and pupils are fortunate in having Miss Wood as teacher next year. She will attend Summer school to increase her efficiency and with hearty co-operation Morgan

school may win the banner next year.

MRS. PEARCE READY TO WRITE YOUR INSURANCE

Several from this vicinity attended the baptismal services at the Nelson Bridge, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Maxedon were Sullivan callers Saturday night.

Mrs. Hettie Purvis of Sullivan is able to be out in this neighborhood again.

Sunday visitors at the William Black home were: Mr. and Mrs. Earl Meyers and family of Mattoon, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Rose and family of Windsor, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Goddard of Bruce and Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Galbreath and family of Allenville.

George C. Purvis was a business caller in Sullivan Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Cornwell were shoppers in Sullivan Saturday night.

Mrs. Tella Pearce who took over the insurance business of her husband, the late F. M. Pearce, is ready to write insurance of all kinds except Life. For city property she represents the Queen and Hanover companies and for fire insurance the Forest City company. Her office is located in the Dr. Kilton office one block West of the Square on Harrison street.

—Mr. and Mrs. James Dunn and family of Findlay spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Poland and family of this city.

—Mrs. A. Claude Scott and daughter Betty, of Boston are visiting with T. A. Scott and sister Miss Sadie Scott.

GREATEST USED FORD

Bargains Ever Offered Here

We need the room for new stock and some of the Used Fords will be almost given away in order to get them off the floor. THEY WILL GO ON SALE SATURDAY AT THESE PRICES

FOUR USED FORDS \$65 EACH

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These cars are all in good running condition and will give thousands of miles of real service.

WHO WANTS THEM?

Be here bright and early Saturday morning, for we expect these cars will go like hot cakes. We've priced them so that they are bound to sell.

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SULLIVAN, ILLINOIS

Sullivan Banks Will Be Closed

All Day Wednesday, May 20th.

on account of meeting of Group 7 Illinois Banker's Ass'n at Shelbyville.

Merchants and Farmers State Bank
First National Bank

Sallie's Temptations

By Gladys Baker
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A Girl, a Man, and the lure of a velvet night.

Darkness fell swiftly, as is the habit of Florida's twilight. A violet shadowed cloud enveloped the earth—an earth made sweet-scented with the thousand unnamed odors.

"It's going to be wonderful!" I exclaimed, "no where else in all the world is the air so soft. It's like velvet."

"You used that word once before in describing a Florida night and I've remembered it ever since because it's so typical of that quality one senses, rather than feels in the air. I've traveled the world over many times," he reminisced, "but I'm lured back by memories of Florida nights. It's that same 'softness' though I never realized it before."

A brief silence. Then simultaneously, we both lamented the fact of being indoors on such a night.

"Tell you what?" Warren, Fisher suddenly announced as he regarded his watch, "as it is, we'll burst in upon the Divines just after they've had dinner and so I suggest that we hop off at Hollywood, have a bite of the Country Club and chase in later—it's just a pleasant drive."

Tentatively, I put forth a few objections but when one really wants to do a thing, all obstacles can be made mythical and usually end by taking flight.

"Tonight's going to be the most glorious one you've ever seen," he urged, "you'll feel close to the stars and hear the gentle cadence of the ocean and feel the fresh breeze from the sea."

The train WAS stuffy now, compared to the picture he drew of the outside world.

If women with vitrolic tongues could know the impulsive nature of girlish hearts; could be touched by their eager longing for the joy of the moment, regardless of the price; if they could see again with the eyes of Youth, they would take no cognizance of other viewpoints and would

only see the immediate fun to be had from the lark.

Hollywood-By-The-Sea—the Country Club—with its insouciant charm, beautifully gowned women and the exotic atmosphere of Old Spain. We faced a patio, the glass floor of which was crystal clear. From our little table against the wall, we watched the dancers glide smoothly as on ice while colored lights sent myriad hues against their feet, making a kaleidoscopic pattern.

The plaintive notes of a violin came from a screen of potted plants. The strain was carried on and on by the orchestra playing with a rhythm that was distractingly happy and light. "Guess we'd better toddle along to our journey's end," I suggested when the demi-tasse had completed a perfect repeat.

"No, the fun's just begun. I'll bet you haven't the faintest idea who's going to dance."

A flare of lights—the music began softly as if promising much—the notes quivered and sent a haunting, barbaric melody into the night. No one rose to dance.

Then, as a meteor darts vividly towards earth, the inimitable Gilda Gray flashed into sight.

From her dance and her encore, no one could have torn themselves away. The whole atmosphere of the place was vibrant with color and delight.

I looked at my watch when the last echo of applause had lost itself as a whisper in the night.

"Now, we must start," I avowed, "the time has simply skipped past."

"By jove! you're right," he agreed but then letting his eyes rest upon me, he became lost in thought.

I rose from my chair. "No, no," he mentioned me to sit down, "you stay here where it's pleasant while I scout around for a car."

Instantly the chauffeur was out and with a raised hood hunted for some explanation of the car's unexpected behavior. He evidently discovered the reason for he shook his head decisively and came back to where we were sitting.

"Sorry sir," he said, "but the transmission is out of order and it'll be morning before I can get the necessary parts to fix it. I'll walk back to the town we've just passed and see if I can get some accommodations for you and the lady—"

"Accommodations?" I exclaimed, "we'll do nothing of the sort—we'll get another car, surely. Warren you mustn't think of listening to what this man is saying." I was indignant.

"He must be mistaken," Warren answered, "That is—about the car, though if he should be correct, the only thing we could possibly do would be to walk back to the village and get as comfortably located as possible. A car this time of night would be unheard of."

Then followed a conversation between them which resulted in Warren consulting his watch and saying, "Sallie, you won't be unreasonable and I know it, now will you darling? It's past midnight. The car is absolutely out of order. By the time we could hope to have another sent to us it would be morning. Take my advice. Let me make you comfortable in the Inn back yonder and we'll drive on in the early freshness of the morning."

"Oh, but Warren, what will the Divines think about it?"

"That you missed your train, as usual, and as for me I'm not expected until my presence announces my arrival. Be a good sport now, Sallie and make the best of an unavoidable situation."

I was such an irresponsible, foolish person to get off the train in the first place, I argued, and, on the other hand, there was no use being a bum sport about it. After all, there was really nothing criminal about resting for a few hours at the hotel and going on in the morning. The only thing—

I threw back by head and laughed. "Ah, that's more like our Sallie!" Warren Fisher encouraged. "But won't you let me in on it?"

"Oh, it's nothing," I responded, my sense of honour coming to my assistance. "I was just thinking what a certain person would think of my latest escapade if he should hear that you and I had passed the night unchaperoned in this God-forsaken village." (To be continued next week.)

WHITFIELD.

Montelle Cox, who is working in a bank in Chicago, visited with his mother, Mrs. Rebecca Cox, over the week end.

Thomas and Archie Leggett returned home Sunday after visiting the past week with their sister Mrs. Clyde Shaw and husband.

Mrs. Eva Scott visited with her sister Mrs. Earl Myers, from Friday until Sunday.

There were sixty at Sunday School last Sunday. A Mothers' Day program was given just after Sunday School. There was a good attendance, the house being filled.

T. I. Leggett and family attended a birthday dinner at Owen Glasscock's Sunday, the affair was in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Glasscock, Chester Glasscock and Harry Leeds, all having birthdays near the same time. Those present were—Jack Kellar and family, Chester Glasscock and family of Mattoon; Jack Glasscock and family, T. B. Athey and wife of Decatur, James Reed, wife and daughter; Harry Leeds and family and Paul Moberly of Windsor; Roscoe Boling, wife and son Russell; Clyde Shaw and wife and T. I. Leggett and family.

A flivver that runs is worth more than a twin-six that won't.

STARTING TOGETHER

"Sergeant," said the artillery recruit, "please pick out a nice gentle horse for me, won't you?" "Have you ever ridden before?" "No." "Ah!" said the sergeant. "Then here's just the animal for you. He's never been ridden before. You can start together."

EXECUTRIX' NOTICE

Estate of Francis M. Pearce, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed executrix of the estate of Francis M. Pearce late of the county of Moultrie and the state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that she will appear before the County Court of Moultrie county, at the Court House in Sullivan, at the July term on the first Monday in July next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 27th day of April A. D. 1925.

TELLA M. PEARCE, Executrix.
W. J. Thompson, Attorney.
(First publ. May 1, 1925. 18-4)

GALL STONES

New booklet explains scientific horse treatment prescribed for over 30 years. Before risking operation—read about the success of this method for irritations of Liver, Gall Bladder and Gall Ducts as associated with Gall Stones.
Dr. E. E. Paddock, Desk A 1, Kansas City, Mo.

DALTON CITY.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Tipsword and daughter of Decatur spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Shuey.

Mrs. Anna Hillgoss visited relatives in Decatur several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Smith spent Sunday with Chas. Smith and family.

Mrs. S. L. Stevens and Mrs. Ordea Ekiss attended the District Rebekah meeting at Charleston, Monday.

Gertrude Wilson of Champaign spent the week end with her parents Dr. and Mrs. G. H. Wilson.

Ruby Lambdin spent Wednesday in Decatur.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Watts of Indiana visited friends here Monday morning.

Mrs. Gumble and niece of Bishop are visiting her sister Mrs. M. Uppendahl.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Younger of Bethany spent Monday with Mrs. S. H. Pasley.

Mrs. S. H. Pasley and daughter spent Monday night and Tuesday with relatives in Bethany.

—Ed Hall of Cairo visited his brother S. B. Hall, Friday.

WIDOW CRIES FOR JOY

"I couldn't eat anything but raw eggs and sweet milk and was so weak I could hardly walk across the room. I would have been in my grave today if I hadn't taken Mayr's Wonderful Remedy when I did. When I think how I have suffered with my stomach and how good I feel now I cry for joy." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. For sale by drug-gists everywhere. Adv.

THE BIG BLACK JACK

Blackstone No. 20316 (Better known as the Dr. Hull Jack which made last season at the Sullivan race track)

This big black jack with white points will make the season 1925 at my place, 6 miles North of the Masonic Home.

TERMS—\$5.00 to breed; \$10 to insure in foal; \$15 to insure colt to stand and suck. He weighs 1100 lbs. and is a sure breeder. Good mules always sell for good money, so here is your chance to get one or more.

DICK HUDSON

The Closing of School

to some is a joy, to others it means more and harder work. Some will never return to the class room but will start out on life's way in all walks of life.

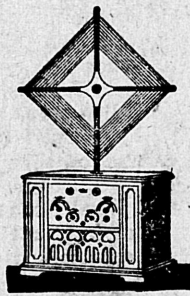
May We Suggest

as you start out, to see that your eyes are equipped to stand the work they will be subjected to.

Consult us here, at Robinson's Store 3rd Saturday of each month.

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HAVE A DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Emel are the parents of a daughter, born on Thursday of last week. The little Miss have been named Joyce Marilyn. Mrs. Emel before her marriage was Miss Lena Laws, a teacher in the local grade schools. The new-comer is their first child.

TOMMY IN OAKLAND

Mr. Craven, the new proprietor of the Parkside restaurant, is building up a good trade. He is a thorough restaurant man and is keeping his place of business in an attractive manner. Having come here to make his home with us, Mr. Craven is deserving of the patronage of all our people.—Oakland Ledger.

S. T. Butler Donald M. Butler BUTLER & BUTLER DENTISTS Hours 8:00 a. m. to 5:00 p. m. Phone No. 129 Sullivan, Ill.

Dr. A. K. Merriman VETERINARIAN Sullivan, Illinois Day Phone 9 Night Phone 408 Successor to Dr. W. C. Bateman

THE DARN LOAFERS

I we should have another war and a draft was ordered Oakland could furnish pretty near one hundred young men who are not engaged in any profitable avocation to God or their country.—Oakland Ledger.

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BACK ON THE JOB AGAIN

ALL READY TO SHOE YOUR HORSES

I have opened a shop one block North and one block West of the Square and am prepared to take care of your horse-shoeing needs.

Note these prices
0's to 4's at per team.....\$4.00
5's and up, per team.....\$5.00

Also general blacksmithing ALL WORK STRICTLY CASH To trust is well—to bust is hell; No trust, no bust, no hell. Prompt and efficient service; I respectfully solicit your patronage.

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Tuesday, May 19

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Dr. W. C. Martini of Urbana, Ill. will be the clinician for this clinic.

Everyone should be examined once a year and now is your chance as there are no charges for these examinations; these clinics are made possible by the Christmas Tuberculosis Seals that are sold during the holidays by the school children.

Call or phone the Moultrie County Tuberculosis Ass'n at the Court House, Sullivan, and make appointments before the date of the clinic as these clinics are always crowded.

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THE WRETCHED ONE

The rain drizzled down from a blanket of black clouds. It was a dreary, dark, very damp and chilly evening. The wind beat sharply against all that was in its path.

In the streets of London there wandered a little boy ten years of age. He was adorned with a woman's woolen shawl, picked up, nobody knows where, of which he had made a muffler. There he stood, shivering under his rags, his little drawn face looking in the windows of a barber shop.

"What a nice warm place" thought he, "if only I could stay there for one hour." His face brightened. He had thought of something to do. Gathering his courage he timidly turned the knob of the barber shop door. In a plaintive murmur which was more like a sob than a request, he asked for work in that barber shop.

The barber turned with a furious face and without laying down his razor, he half kicked and half pushed the little one into the street. There he warned the "intruder" not to come back again, and with a parting kick he returned to his shop.

In fact the barber had not heard the boy's request. He had seen the boy and supposing that he was going to ask for alms (and he was very stingy) he had gotten rid of him quickly and as effectively as he knew how.

For two hours the outcast child had been walking looking for things to eat in every corner, but he could find nothing.

"I know," said he, "The dogs eat up everything."

He stopped, and for some minutes groped and fumbled in all sorts of recesses which he had in his rags. At last he raised his head with an air which was only intended to express satisfaction, but which was in reality triumphant.

He had drawn a penny from one of his pockets. He went to the baker shop and asked for a cent's worth of bread.

Next this little, half-starved boy began to hunt for a place in which to sleep. He slipped around the buildings, dodging all people that he could and sea-ching the alleys for anything that would shelter him until the sun should rise the next morning.

He had slept in an old goods box, for three nights, but now he saw that they had taken that away.

Trembling with fear and weakness, and almost ready to give up entirely and lie down behind a store building where he knew he would be found and given away (for this had happened to him before) he spied a large barrel lying on its side, the open end toward him, as if it were inviting him to enter.

He crept into it and snuggled back into the end of it. Here he ate his little piece of bread and pulled the rags tighter over his half frozen body. The rain beat against the barrel and blew in at the opening.

"Oh, my poor mother," he thought "it was a night just like this when she died, and we had to lay her in the cold, cold, wet ground the next day."

With the thought of his mother he began sobbing and cried himself into a troubled sleep.

The next day the junk haulers of London, found a poor little, frozen, starved boy in the barrel. His misery had ended and he had gone to join his mother in a world where misery and misery and wretchedness never

appears. —Olive Lilly.

A VIEW FROM THE CHOIR

I believe that most of you will agree that you get rather weary during the prolonged Sunday morning services, looking at the one object—the minister. You will also acknowledge that a view from the choir is often very interesting.

One bright, clear, Sunday morning, being a victim of the Spring fever, I became exceedingly restless. My eyes wandered from the pulpit to one of the front pews. There a very trim old lady sat quite erect with her head tilted slightly to one side. She wore a lustrous black taffeta dress trimmed with elaborate lace of the same color. Around her neck hung a long strand of Job's tears, which had from their appearance, undoubtedly belonged to her grandmother. Her black hat, adorned with violets and grapes, was resting nicely on the back of her head. Indeed, she looked like a statue, because she never moved her hand, turned her head, or winked an eye, but sat there seemingly absorbing every word of the sermon and entirely unaware of the outside world.

A few seats back, with his grey head resting comfortably against the window sill, sat an old man. He had possibly forgotten that he was at church and had probably been sleeping for some time. I, too, was hearing very little of the sermon. I was giving the room a "once over."

In the back of the house sat a "very good-looking" young man. He wore a dark suit, light blue shirt and a dark bow tie. His eyes were dark, yes almost black, and his hair was the color of a raven. Beside him sat a "hand-painted doll." She wore a beautiful fur coat and a rose-colored silk hat covered her pretty golden hair. Evidently she had not been attacked by the Spring fever as I had. When I glanced at the face under the hat, the first thought that entered my dull mind was "I wonder if she bought out the whole factory supply of powder, lipstick, rouge, eye brow pencil and well in short—all the necessities one uses in handpainting a doll.

Behind this devoted couple sat a row of real boys; the kind that some call mischievous, but the type I class as real boys. They had evidently sat still as long as possible and were now mocking the couple in front of them. Each time, which was really about a dozen time a minute, the young lady powdered her nose, the boys behind her would do the same. As you know, things done in church are much funnier than anywhere else. So it was in this case. These pranks became extremely comical so I thought I had better turn my attention to something else before I began to laugh.

I turned and my eyes rested on a couple of the exactly opposite type. The young man was rather small of stature, wearing a light suit, a blue work shirt and a green necktie. He had light brown hair which I imagined had not seen a comb for at least two or three days. His partner was a girl of about 17. Her apparel was truly undesirable. Her nose if it could really be called a nose, was entirely covered with freckles. These all attracted very little attention in comparison with her chewing gum. Did her life depend upon it? Yes, I believe it surely did, else she would not have been using so much energy. She seemed to be trying to keep time with the chattering and singing of the birds outside while the words of the preacher came in as an unwelcome intruder.

Why what's the matter? Everyone seems to be stirring. Have I been asleep? No, I have had quite an impressive view from the choir and was wholly unaware of the fact that the preacher had dismissed the congregation. Yes, just one more glance and what did I see? The stylish young gentleman was gently escorting his

friend out through the door while the other young man was walking awkwardly in front of the girl who was equally awkwardly trying in vain to put on her coat. —Ferne Sickafus.

JOKES

Miss Pape (explaining Algebra problem): "Now watch the board while I run through it once more."

Gerald Tusler: "What kind of a watch have you?"

Clive Rhodes: "A wonder watch."

Gerald: "I never heard of that make before."

Clive: "Well you see it's this way, every time I look at it I wonder what time it is."

Mr. Henderson: "Wayne, how many bones have you in your body?"

Wayne: "Nine hundred."

Mr. Henderson: "That's a great many more than I have."

Wayne: "I guess you didn't have fish for dinner like I did."

Mr. Brown: "What do you expect to get out of your high school education?"

Viva: "A man."

Professor (after trying first hour class): "Sometime ago my doctor told me to exercise with dumb-bells. Will the class please join me tomorrow before breakfast?"

Vera Wooley (translating French): "His voice stood on end and his hair stuck in his throat."

FIVE YEARS AGO

Leonard Anderson was learning to pole vault with a broom stick.

Robert Wilson was beginning to turn his feet out.

Merle Powell was reading "Alice in Wonderland."

Delmar Elder was learning to spell.

Martha Harkless was sitting on the chicken coop with a red sun bonnet on her curls.

Evelyn Keen was arguing.

Grace Keyes got to school on time.

Pauline English went to class without her compact.

Ruth Tabor was singing "Does the Spearmint Lose its Flavor on the Bed Post Over Night?"

FIRST ANNUAL MOULTRIE COUNTY LITERARY CONTEST

The first annual Literary contest between the schools of Moultrie county was held in the auditorium on Thursday evening, May 7th.

Declamations, vocal solos, reading and choruses were given. Gold, silver and bronze medals were awarded to the winners of first, second and third places. S. F. Beath, K. M. Cowen, E. M. Carlson of Decatur were the judges.

Our representatives won either first or second place in every contest. Evelyn Keen received the gold medal for the best declamation. She gave Patrick Henry's famous speech "Give Me Liberty or Give Me Death."

Royce Roley won second place in the vocal solos. He sang "Give a Man a Horse He Can Ride." Royce also represented us at Charleston with the same selection.

Catherine Poole of Lovington, won first place in the readings, but Eloise Harshman of Sullivan, won second. Eloise gave "How the La Rue Stakes Were Lost."

The Girl's chorus of Sullivan won the only prize given in the chorus contest.

Each contestant had chosen a good number, and each gave his selection well.

SULLIVAN WINS COUNTY TRACK MEET

Sullivan won the Moultrie County Track Meet which was held at Arthur Friday afternoon with a total of 40 1-3 points. Lovington was second with 26 1-3 points, Arthur third with 22 points and Bethany fourth with 19 1-3 points.

Pearcy of Lovington was high scorer of the meet with 15 points; Walton of Bethany, was second with 10 points and Bradley of Sullivan was third with 9 points.

Harold Osborne, the world's champion high jumper was referee of the meet and gave an exhibition of

high jumping. Besides winning individual medals, Sullivan received a silver cup for winner of the meet. The relay team was given a banner for first place.

DOMESTIC ART AND SCIENCE CLUB

The Domestic Art and Science Club composed of the cooking and sewing classes met Wednesday, May 6th.

Lois Davis, Orpha Goodwin, Etha Bushart prepared a short program: Duet—Naomi Lee and Colleen Conard.

Short story—Freda Edmiston.

Freda Edmiston, Colleen Conard and Lucy M. Moore were chosen as a program committee for the next meeting.

STATE TRACK MEET AT URBANA

Samuel Bolin, Clarke Lowe, Talbot Bradley and John Hankley are going to Urbana Friday to compete in the state interscholastic track meet there. The preliminaries will be held Friday and the finals will be on Saturday.

Bolin will represent us in the Mile Race, Lowe in the Half Mile Race, Bradley in Quarter Mile, and Hankley in the golf tournament. Since Sullivan did so well in the County Meet we are expecting to rank well among the state competitors. The boys have certainly been showing a wonderful athletic interest the past year and although highly satisfactory we expect to have as good if not better team next year.

CHARLESTON EVENT

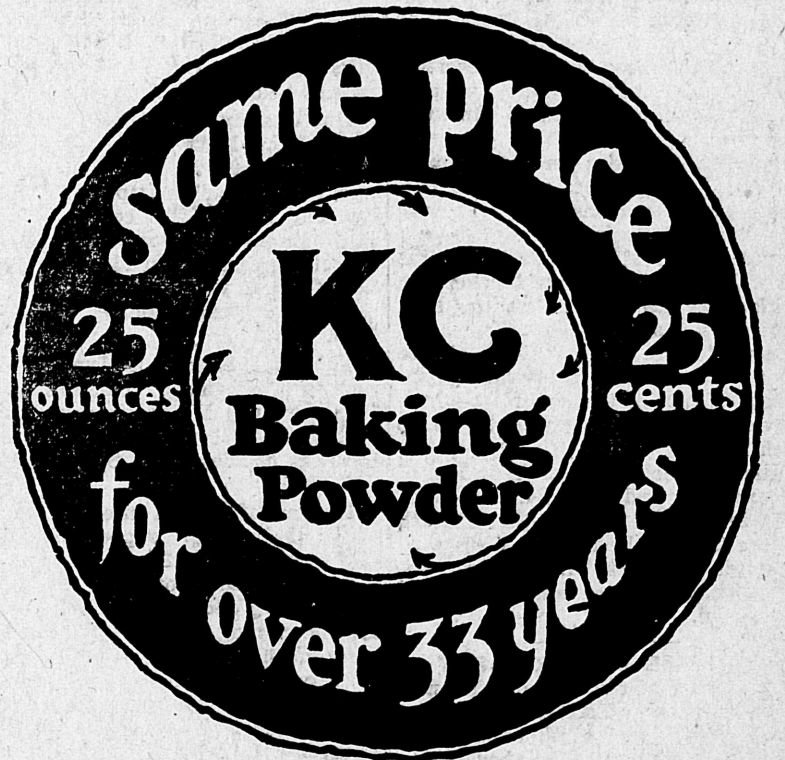
Sullivan was represented at Charleston last Saturday by two soloists, Vida Murray and Royce Roley, and a girl's quartette, Marjorie Bupp, Vida Murray, Etha Bushart and Lorene Behen.

None of these won a prize but all

gained honorable mention.

Opal Rauch and Helen Keyes, graduates of this school, visited here one day last week.

—Mrs. Gertrude Kinsel left Monday night to join Mrs. Edgar McKenzie at Aurora.



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J. K. MARTIN WILLS

ESTATE TO HIS WIFE

The will of J. K. Martin has been filed for probate and Judge Grider has set June 15th as date for hearing. C. S. Edwards was named guardian ad litem of Joel Kenneth Martin, the youngest son, a minor.

The will was made December 23, 1919 at which time Mr. Martin contemplated going West for the benefit of his health. In the preliminary he states that while he may live away from Illinois for a time, he nevertheless claims citizenship here and asks that the will be probated in this county.

The will provides for the payment of all of his just debts out of the proceeds of his personal property with the idea that the real estate be kept intact. This real estate he wills to his wife, Mrs. Belle Martin for her use during her lifetime, or until such time as she shall again marry. In either of these cases the estate is to go to the children, share and share alike. If any of the children die and leave heirs, their share shall go to such heirs.

His brother I. J. Martin is named as executor and provision is made that in case of this brother's death before that of the testator then C. S. Edwards shall act. I. J. Martin being alive, this latter contingency has not arisen.

SURPRISE DINNER PARTY

A number of relatives and friends, to the number of sixty, gathered at the country home south of Cadwell, Sunday, with well filled baskets to help Albert Landers celebrate his birthday anniversary.

At the noon hour the table was loaded with everything good to eat. The afternoon was spent in a social way. All departed late in the afternoon wishing Mr. Landers many such happy birthdays.

Those present were: J. B. Martin, Ward Martin, Miss Dora Mead, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Shasteen and sons all of Sullivan; Mr. and Mrs. Guss Angle and children, Mr. and Mrs. Dolf Tulfur and daughters, Mrs. Jno. Roberts, Miss Beulah Roberts, Cecil Roberts, all of Arthur; Miss Mary Cutright, Rev. James Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Thomas and son, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Chippis and children, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Landers and family, J. E. Landers, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Landers, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Davis and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Landers and sons.

ENTERTAINED, SUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Longwill entertained several relatives and friends to a twelve o'clock dinner Sunday. The afternoon was passed in visiting. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Monroe and daughter Telva, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Monroe and family, Claude Monroe of Paxton, James Kilmer of Mattoon, Miss Ruth Pierce and Miss Lela Thomas of Clinton.

FOOTBALL SCHEDULE '25

The football schedule for the season of 1925 for the Sullivan Township High School team has been arranged and is as follows:

Sept. 19—Open date.
Sept. 26—Assumption at Sullivan
Oct. 3—Sullivan at Arthur.
Oct. 10—Sullivan at Atwood.
Oct. 16—Lovington at Sullivan.
Oct. 24—Open date.
Oct. 30—Bement at Sullivan.
Nov. 7—Shelbyville at Sullivan
Nov. 13—Sullivan at Findlay.

METHODIST CHURCH

Milton Wilson, Pastor.

Thursday, May 17, is Ascension Day. The Ascension Day sermon will be delivered next Sunday morning at 10:45 o'clock. The pastor is very anxious that his people might be present to hear the discussion of this most significant incident in the life of the Master.

At 7:30 p. m., the pastor will discuss a subject very dear to the heart of the Methodist people. The theme, "Backsliders." Come and bring your friends to church Sunday night.

Our Sunday School is doing excellent work. Meet with us Sunday morning at 9:30. The Junior Epworth League is an important organization. Little folks come out at 2:30 Sunday afternoon. The Senior Epworth League is an ideal organization for the youth. Young folks attend the meeting Sunday night at 6:30.

The third Sunday in June is the regularly recognized Father's Day. Therefore the Methodist church will postpone the contemplated program for next Sunday until Sunday, June 21.

Matters of special interest for the week. Fellowship supper Wednesday evening at 6:30. Miss Zella Moore and ladies of Unit No. 14 as hostesses. Fellowship program Wednesday evening at 7:30. Special features on the program—Vocal number by Mrs. Grace Richardson; reading by Miss Edith McCune and stereopticon lecture. The public invited. Thursday night at 7:30 prayer meeting. Saturday night at 7:30 choir rehearsal.

Last week was one of the best in church activities. 113 were served at the fellowship supper. A good company of people attended the after service on Wednesday night. Our prayer meeting was one of delight with nineteen present. The W. F. M. S. meeting with Mrs. James Wood was a perfect success in every way. The ladies gained much good from the Bethany W. F. M. E. convention. Our people observed Mother's Day in earnest. The study period of the Sunday School was attended by 224. The church was full for the program period of the Sunday School and the morning worship. Thirty-four of the Leaguers received the benefit of the 6:30 session for young people. The house well filled for the evening worship. The church is grateful to all who did their parts so well in connection with the special program throughout the day. The reading, singing, playing—all a spiritual uplift. Beautiful flowers adorned the front part of the church. More than 300 little flower/sprays were pinned to the lapels of the coats and capes of those who attended services Sunday morning. Thanks to the faithful flower committees.

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PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

May days are days of gladness in the heart of nature, for every where there is the song of new life, and the herding of a new force that makes brighter the way of every living thing. The brooks ripple, the birds sing, the flowers bloom, the lambs skip upon the hills, the goats upon the mountain side, and the mocking sings in the silent watches.

In the rising sun there is a new glory and in the setting there is the sweet refrain. So it is true "that day unto day uttereth speech and night unto night sheweth forth knowledge." With all of nature may we catch the inspiration that will call forth the best that is in us. Kindly remember the Giver of every good and perfect gift and enter into His house with praise.

Subject for next Lord's day morning service "Doing Our Bit."

Evening subject, "The Living Stone."

Sunday School and Bible study before the morning service. We invite you to come and worship with us and study the word of life.

EAST HUDSON.

Luther and Otha Mills and Roy Burress of Trowbridge, spent Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Ann Elliott.

Howard Nance and niece and Miss May Herendeen spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Herendeen and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Franklin and family and Mr. and Mrs. Bruford Swindle visited with Mr. and Mrs. George Atteberry and family, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Cunningham and family visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cookson and family.

Ruby Shipman of Dunn and Velma Mills of Sullivan had dinner with Miss Anna Elliott, Sunday.

Hugh Franklin and sons were visitors in Decatur, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Daum and son spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Willie Daum of Bethany.

Mrs. Sallie Elder and family and Mrs. Nannie Waggoner spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Elder near Bethany.

Mrs. Art Alumbaugh and children and Mrs. Willie Hawbaker and children spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. F. O. Cunningham and family.

Mrs. Walter Longwill and Mrs. George Monroe spent Thursday evening with Miss Ann Elliott.

Miss Gertrude Monroe spent the week end with Miss Ruth Pierce.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Cunningham of Bethany spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Cunningham and family.

Mrs. Sallie Elder and family spent Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Earl Horn.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Monroe and family and Miss Ruth Pierce spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Longwill.

Mrs. Henry Daum and son Chester spent Monday evening with Mrs. Orville Kracht and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Wood and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Grover Nighswander and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Marshall and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Marshall west of Bethany.

Mrs. Jane McClure spent Tuesday evening with her daughter Mrs. Will Woods.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Robertson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Kracht and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Kracht of Sullivan.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Hudson and Mrs. J. L. Marshall and son Johnnie, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Marshall and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Funston and children and Miss Mabel Mumma spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Mumma.

Wayne Monroe spent Tuesday night and Wednesday with Ralph Hilliard of Sullivan.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Daum of Taylorville spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Orville Kracht and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Miles Taylor and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. Scroggins and family of Hammond and Mr. and Mrs. Tracy Ringo and family of near Westervelt visited Mr. and Mrs. Ira Mayberry and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Burke visited relatives in Shelbyville, Sunday.

PALMYRA.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Sweebee and family spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy B. Martin and family.

N. King and family were callers at Sunday.

Mrs. A. A. Hollonbeck is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. John Turner and family of Allenville spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Black and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Waggoner and family spent Sunday with M. E. Shaw and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Edwards and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bart Tull.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Graven and daughter Eileen; Helen and Grace Keyes of Bruce and Earl and Edna Rauch and Catherine Misenheimer spent Sunday with Wallace Graven and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy B. Martin and family were visitors at Strasburg Sunday evening.

C. O. Misenheimer called on Miss Belle Misenheimer Tuesday.

Mrs. Bart Tull spent Monday with Mrs. Paul Edwards.

ALLENVILLE.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Cornwell spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Cornwell.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. McCabe of Covington, Ky., and Mrs. Elizabeth McCabe of Sullivan, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Tuggle, Sunday.

Mrs. Alfred Whitley and daughter Velma of Cooks Mills are visiting the former's grandmother Mrs. Julia Humphrey.

Miss Irma Sutton of near Sullivan is visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Denham.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Wilcox and children of Cooks Mills and Mr. and Mrs. John Black visited Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Humphrey Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Glover and son visited N. S. LeGrand and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Bundy of Windsor were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Snyder.

HANDING IT TO "RIP"

G. C. (Rip) Hines was elected village clerk at the recent village election in Hammond. Mr. Hines edits the Hammond Courier, generally conceded as Piatt county's newest newspaper and is a leading citizen of our neighbor city on the north. He is competent to hold any office the village offers from dog catcher to mayor, and while his political aspirations in that village may not be to the extreme in either direction, our venture is that the Hammond populace will soon draft him to its highest office and when it does—Atwood, Bement, Lovington, et al may well sit up and take notice. The "best little city" in the Illinois corn belt will surely go some.—Lovington Reporter.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

There will be Bible School at the usual hour Sunday morning. Following Sunday School, without intermission, there will be short church services, consisting of song service and communion. There will be no preaching service, either morning or night.

Christian Endeavor will meet as usual at 6:30.

The official board of the church will meet Saturday night at 7:30 in the parlors of the First National Bank.

Big audiences attended the Mothers' Day services Sunday and heard two excellent sermons preached by Rev. Linden Million of Lovington. Quite a number of Lovington people attended the night service.

—Mrs. Pearl Crowder, Mrs. Florence Sabin and Mrs. Elizabeth Birch are attending the state convention at Aurora this week as representatives from Tent 58, Daughters of Veterans.

—Dr. W. P. Davidson went to Mattoon Tuesday where he was a guest of Dr. F. O. Freeman. They attended a medical meeting and seven o'clock dinner.

FARM ADVISER TURNER

URGES BUDGET IN FARMING

Chicago, May 11.—That a well-worked out system of budgets is essential to the successful operation of farm bureau activities, is the statement made by C. C. Turner, farm adviser of Moultrie County Farm Bureau, in a radio address today over WLS, Chicago, according to information coming from the Illinois Agricultural Association.

"A properly planned system of budgets is a good insurance against bankruptcy," says Mr. Turner. "It is a padlock on the exchequer and it applies as much in the management of a farm as it does in any business."

The farm adviser likens budgets to cross-word puzzles. "Working out a budget is the champion cross-word puzzle of the farmer today," he declares, "and the purpose of working it is a vital necessity."

Comparing farm bureau work to family expenditures, Mr. Turner says "In our farm bureau work in Moultrie county we are confronted with the same problems as in a large family. After taking an inventory of resources, we plan our expenditures accordingly. We prepare a budget. We know where we are headed and how fast we are going. Consequently we have never overspent, and our financial condition is good."

Mr. Turner believes that carrying too many projects destroys the effectiveness of any one project. The Moultrie County Farm Bureau platform of agricultural improvement, he points out, includes three major planks—disease-free and corn, dairy improvement association work, and swine sanitation. Minor projects in his county include lime and legumes, poultry culling campaign, T. B. eradication, bee-keeping and orchard work, and beef cattle tours. Many farmers in Moultrie county, he asserts have the "budget habit."

ORGANIZE MUSIC STUDY CLUB

The Music Study club was organized in the club room of the City Library Monday night. Meeting are to be held twice a month to study music. The members, who are twelve in number, expect to build up during the summer and be ready to do some good work by fall. The members of the club are: Mrs. O. F. Foster, Mrs. Sam Hall, Mrs. Ray Fleming, Mrs. George Roney, Miss Gertrude McClure, Miss Helen Chase, Mrs. Frank Newbould, Mrs. Pearl Lanum, Mrs. Addie Patterson, Mrs. Carmen Patterson, Mrs. Bert McCune, Mrs. Geo. Sentel. The officers are: President, Mrs. O. F. Foster; Secretary, Mrs. Helen McCune.

—There were twenty-six applicants for teacher's certificates. Olive Lilly, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Lilly, was one of the successful five that received certificates. This is a good record for Miss Olive as this was her first time to write for a certificate.

PROMINENT COUPLE

MARRIED BY GRIDER

At 9:30 o'clock on Sunday morning Judge John T. Grider performed the ceremony which made Powell Reese and Miss Lillian Reynolds man and wife. The ceremony was performed at the Grider residence.

The groom is a young farmer of near Bruce and his bride is a well known school teacher, having just completed three years of successful teaching at the Merritt school.

The couple was accompanied by Luther Reynolds, a brother of the bride, and Miss Bernice Malone. After the wedding ceremony the couple went to church services at the Church of God on the Northeast Corner of the Square.

They will go to housekeeping on the William Wright farm near the Liberty church southwest of this city.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

Ollie McClard, Lovington.....24
Gladys Meador, Williamsburg,.....24
Lowe township.....22
Lowell Reese, Bruce.....22
Lillian Reynolds, Sullivan.....24

THAT PILGRIMAGE TO THE STATE CAPITOL

Tuesday morning Rev. D. A. MacLeod told the writer that C. E. McPheeters, W. F. Wiedner, A. R. Poland and Bill Gardner were going to Springfield to witness a ball game.

Later information is to the effect that Rev. MacLeod was also one of the party. As an explanation why he did not want his name included in the item it has been explained that he was rather dubious about the success of the trip because Bill Gardner was its general manager. Bill also acted as chauffeur; W. F. Wiedner was footman; Mr. Poland was manager of the commissary and Postmaster McPheeters lent official dignity to the crowd. The only regrettable thing about the tour according to the boys, was the fact that Mr. Gardner while taking refreshments was smoking a cigarette, drinking coffee and eating a sandwich all at the same time. He took a bite off the cigarette thinking it was the sandwich and in the dilemma which followed forgot to drink his coffee. He wanted to go back for it but the bunch would not stand for the delay. They saw Judge Landis and Gov. Small perform on the diamond in the game between Springfield and Terre Haute.

LEAVE TODAY ON EXTENDED TOUR THROUGH EAST

Dr. and Mrs. W. P. Davidson, Miss Mayme Keen of this city and Richard Davidson of Lake City, expect to leave early Friday morning on a motor trip east. They expect to be gone about three or four weeks. They will stop off at Washington, D. C., Baltimore, Philadelphia, Atlantic City New York City and at Governor's Island where they will visit with Lieut. Vere Barnes and family, who are stationed there.

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