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Supervisor's Report For East Nelson Twp. For The Past Year

T. J. McIntire Makes Statement Showing Expenditure of Money in Various Funds of the Township.

State of Illinois)
County of Moultrie) ss.
Town of East Nelson)

The following is a statement of T. J. McIntire, supervisor for the Town of East Nelson in the County and State aforesaid, of the amount of funds received and expended by him as Supervisor of said Town during the fiscal year just closed, ending on the twenty-seventh (27th) day of March A. D. 1926, showing the amount of funds on hand at the commencement of said fiscal year, the amount of funds received, from what source received, the amount of said funds expended and for what purpose expended, during the said fiscal year, ending as aforesaid.

The said T. J. McIntire, being duly sworn, doth depose and say that the following statement by him subscribed, is a correct statement of the amount of said funds on hand at the commencement of the fiscal year above stated, the amount of funds received, and the source from which received, and the amount expended and the purpose for which expended, as set forth in said statement.

T. J. McINTIRE.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of April A. D. 1926.

(Seal) G. R. Fleming,
Notary Public.

RECEIPTS

Date	From whom	From what	Received	source	Amt.
1925:	Mar. 31	Balance on hand	701.97		
	May 18	Received from H. H. Hawkins, taxes	899.31		
	June 25	H. H. Hawkins, Co. Treasurer, taxes	133.22		

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ODD FELLOWS HAVING NEW MEMBERSHIP BOOM

At Tuesday night's meeting of Moultrie Lodge No. 158, I. O. O. F. the initiatory degree was conferred on Oral Milsap and W. H. Elzy. The following three were voted into membership and will be given the initiatory degree next Tuesday night: Grover Spencer, W. J. Gordy and Finis Switzer. Three new applications were received and the applicants will be voted on next Tuesday.

The officers of the lodge urge a big attendance and team Captain Siron wants all members of the degree staff to be on the job.

A well attended booster meeting of Odd Fellows and Rebekahs was held Friday night in the local hall. A very good musical program was furnished by the Community Orchestra under the direction of Prof. W. E. Riggan.

WE THANK YOU

We desire to express our sincere thanks to all the voters who went to the polls Tuesday and voted for us. We will endeavor to so conduct our offices as to merit the confidence which you have shown in us.

Your support during our campaign and your votes on election day were certainly very much appreciated.

Omer E. Lowe
Guy L. Kellar
Fred Sona
John W. Pifer
Ed Briscoe.

CITIZENS TICKET IS UNOPPOSED IN CITY ELECTION APRIL 20TH

Wednesday was the last day on which candidates could withdraw from the city ticket for the aldermanic election, Tuesday, April 20th.

C. O. Pifer, who was nominated on the Citizens ticket in the Third Ward, filed his withdrawal some time ago. H. H. Smith who had been nominated on that ticket in the Second ward filed his withdrawal Wednesday.

The candidates of the Citizens party who go into the election without an opposing candidate on the ticket are as follows:

First Ward—E. O. Dunscomb.
Second Ward—C. E. McFerrin
Third Ward—Frank McPheeters.
This ticket has the endorsement of the Community Club.

TO GET FRED LEE

The Sheriff's office was notified Thursday morning that Fred Lee, under indictment on a charge of rape, had been taken into custody in Chicago. An attaché of the Sheriff's office left Thursday afternoon to get him. The grand jury fixed his bond at \$5,000.

SHERMAN MILLER IN JAIL

The men who were on Sherman Miller's bond withdrew this week and Miller has been placed in jail until his case can come up for trial next Fall or until he can furnish new bond

Two-Day Convention Of Women's Clubs Is In Session Here

Delegates From All Parts of the Nineteenth District Gather Here to Discuss Matters of Particular Interest to Club Women.

The 24th annual convention of the Nineteenth District Federation of Women's Clubs convened at the Christian church in this city Thursday morning for a two days' session.

Due to the bad weather and roads the first day's registration was not as big as expected. By 1 o'clock Thursday 67 delegates had registered. Eighty-six delegates were expected. Some of the speakers had also not put in an appearance at that time.

The convention is here on invitation extended by the Friends in Council Club, the only local club affiliated with the Federation.

The convention was opened Thursday morning with singing after which Mrs. Cora McPheeters delivered her address of welcome.

Thursday afternoon opened with a song by Mrs. O. F. Foster and a violin solo by Mrs. C. O. Patterson. The rest of the afternoon was devoted to reports of officials and committees.

Following the banquet at 6 o'clock a musical program was given after which Mrs. Lena Sadler of Chicago was slated for an address.

The convention will be in session all day Friday and speakers will address the convention of the various departments of the Federation's work. New officers for the ensuing year will be elected Friday morning.

The delegates will be entertained in the homes of club members while here attending the convention.

PARENT-TEACHERS MEETING

The regular meeting of the Parent Teachers Association will be held at the South Side School Tuesday April 13th at 7:30 o'clock.

The following program will be given:

Selections—High School Orchestra.
Reading—Jennie M. Cummins.
Talk—Mr. Tice.
Vocal Solo—Mrs. Cora Fleming.

AG CLUB BANQUET

The first annual banquet of the Agriculture class of the Sullivan Township High School and their "dads" will be held at the school Friday night. Prof. G. H. Iftner is instructor of the class.

SATURDAY IS SCHOOL ELECTION DAY; FOUR ELECTIONS TO BE HELD

Saturday will be school election day. All school officers will be elected on that day.

The Sullivan Township High School election for a president and two board members will be held at The Progress office. The terms of H. C. Shirey, president and Homer W. Wright and Dave Cummins, board members expire this year and these men seek re-election.

The grade school election will be held at the Armory. The terms of President McLaughlin and board members E. O. Dunscomb and J. N. Martin expire and all are candidates for re-election.

The term of U. G. Dazey as school trustee expires and he will doubtless be re-elected.

The Non-High School district election will be held in Dalton City. The term of W. L. Kennedy of Dalton City expires and his name again appears on the ballot.

—Succene, Conkey's Full-o-Pep buttermilk starting mash, Chamberlain's Perfect Chick Starter.—Home Milling Co., Sullivan. 14-4

EDWIN ROBINSON

Edwin Robinson, an aged resident of Clay county, this state, died at the home of his son E. C. Robinson in the South part of this city Wednesday. He had been here visiting for the past month. The remains were shipped to Clay county for burial.

I THANK YOU

I certainly appreciate the support my friends extended to me in my race for assessor. Although I failed to win, I want to thank you for your votes and assistance.

Harry W. Fulk.

AMERICAN LEGION AT COMMUNITY CLUB

Monday night will be the regular monthly meeting and banquet of the Community Club. The program will be in charge of the American Legion, whose members will be the special guests of the club for the evening.

SEE THE FLOUR ADV. PAGE 4 FOUR.

BUFF ORPINGTON

Eggs for hatching, 75c per setting; \$5.00 per 100.—Mrs. C. C. McKown, Sullivan, Phone 683. 14-3*

Five Democratic Supervisors Re-elected. Sullivan Remains In The Democratic Column

Marrowbone and Whitley Townships Elect Republicans. Oil Proposition Carries in Jonathan Creek. 1315 Votes Cast in Sullivan Township. Dora Defeats Republican Assessor. Republican Town Clerk in Jonathan Creek Fails of Re-election. County Board 7 Democratic to 2 Republican.

Tuesday was Democratic day in Moultrie county. All five of the supervisors seeking re-election on that ticket were re-elected. Despite the bad weather a heavy vote was polled as the Republican candidates and their friends put up a good fight and had hopes of putting some of their candidates over.

In Sullivan Township where the Republicans had put up the best possible ticket, the Democrats won all offices by a substantial majority. It was not a walk-away, however, as was the case two years ago. A determined fight was made for all offices and there was little or no trading apparent. Cars kept plowing through the mud, hub-deep all day bringing the voters to the polls.

Omer Lowe for Supervisor, carried three of the five precincts and lost Sullivan 3rd and Kirksville. The First and Second wards gave him a big lead however and he defeated Frank Emel, his republican opponent by a majority of 103.

Guy Kellar's majority is 75 for assistant supervisor; Fred Sona for Town Clerk defeated Sam Palmer by 70 votes.

John W. Pifer, Democratic candidate for assessor was high man on the ticket, defeating Harry Fulk by 186 votes. This will be Mr. Pifer's third term.

The result of the election will leave the County Board of Supervisors 7 Democrats to 2 Republicans.

In Dora township J. L. Mayes was re-elected supervisor by a vote of 212 to 134 for Robert Denson. Mayes carried the first precinct by 4 votes and the second by 71.

John Bobbit for town clerk, defeated Claude Kennedy by a vote of 199 to 128, or a majority of 71.

Roy Wilson received 175 votes for assessor to 162 cast for Roy Dickson, Republican, who had held that office for the past two years.

For Justice of the Peace the vote was, Joe Burcham, D. 150; George W. Burress, D. 167; Thomas Martin, R. 155.

Big Majority For Lee.

In East Nelson township the results were as follows:

Precincts No. 1	No. 2
For Town Clerk:	
J. F. Lee, D.....	126 54
Wm. Ausburn, R.....	85 26
Lee's majority	79
For assessor:	
Newt Niles, D.....	99 58
Logan Chaney, R.....	119 24
Niles' majority	14
For Constable:	
William Black, D.....	99 50
Bob Pierce, D.....	71 51
Seth French, R.....	99 25
Len Conwell, R.....	109 25
For School Trustee:	
S. P. Purvis, D.....	103 54

Marrowbone Republican.

Marrowbone township went Republican as usual at Tuesday election, the vote being as follows:

Precincts No. 1	No. 2
For Town Clerk:	
J. M. Hogg, R.....	109 62
O. E. Mullinix, D.....	52 29
Hogg's majority	90
For assessor:	
Charles Dedman, R.....	126 64
H. L. Bones, D.....	38 38
Dedman's majority	104
Cemetery Trustee:	
T. L. Hudson, R.....	115 59
A. T. Goetz, D.....	47 33
Hudson's majority	94

Foster in Lovington

M. E. Foster of Lovington township

was conceded to have the hardest fight for re-election. In previous years the Republicans had failed to run a candidate against him but this year placed in the running Fred B. Wood, a popular young business man. Although Mr. Wood was confined to his home by illness during the latter part of the campaign, his friends put forth their best efforts for him. The Democrats only had two candidates on the ticket. The result was as follows:

For Supervisor:	
M. E. Foster, D.....	309
Fred B. Wood, R.....	244
Foster's majority	65
For Town Clerk:	
A. R. Smith, R.....	333
For Assessor:	
O. Clotfelter, R.....	162
E. S. Foster, D.....	369
Foster's majority	207
Graveyard Trustee:	
M. W. Munch, R.....	336
Poundmaster:	
Charles Clore, R.....	292

Jonathan Creek.

The Democrats got all the offices voted on in Jonathan Creek township Tuesday except one Justice of the Peace.

The oil proposition carried by a majority of 50.

The vote on officials was as follows:

For Town Clerk:	
Ralph Seaman, D.....	73
Ray Wilson, R.....	59
For Assessor:	
W. G. Ballard, D.....	66
J. E. Landers, R.....	65
For Justice of the Peace:	
W. S. Elder, Jr.....	63
Raymond Beals, R.....	63

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS PROVIDE FOR ROAD SURVEY

At Saturday's meeting of the Board of Supervisors funds were appropriated by resolution, for the survey of routes 132 and 133 through this county, where the location of these routes is definitely known.

It is believed that this action will put this county in line for early paving of these two routes. Route 132 extends from Mattoon to Decatur and passed through Sullivan and Bethany. Route 133 is from Lovington East into Douglas county.

BIG LOVINGTON-SULLIVAN CHECKER TOURNAMENT ON IN FULL BLAST

A battle between the checker players of Lovington and Sullivan is now in progress. Three sets of games have already been played. The first meeting was at this city and Sullivan won. The local champs then went to Lovington and won again. Last Saturday night Lovington came to Sullivan and walloped the local boys and this Saturday the locals go to Lovington for the fourth meeting.

Sullivan is represented by E. W. Davis, W. H. Walker, Clarence Dixon, C. A. Corbin, Joe H. Wood and James Pifer. Chet Ledbetter of Bruce substituted for Mr. Pifer last Saturday.

The Lovington group is made up of J. Stapler of LaPlace, Mayor Ed Pargson, George Lindsay, Walt Malloy and Bruce Ham of Lake City. Walt Huffman is sub.

There has been a great deal of practicing in this city this week for Saturday night's battle. 'Tis said some of the boys sleep under checkerboard quilts and fall asleep planning new and intricate moves.

Sullivan Twp. Official Vote Tuesday

Supervisor	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	Total	Maj.
O. E. Lowe, d	213	240	181	55	20	709	103
Frank Emel, r	141	175	190	85	15	606	
Assistant							
Guy L. Kellar, d	207	217	183	45	18	678	75
J. A. Powell, r	143	178	178	90	17	603	
Town Clerk							
Fred Sona, d	217	193	190	48	25	673	70
Sam Palmer r	135	200	171	82	10	603	
Assessor							
John W. Pifer, d	217	222	216	71	19	745	186
Harry Fulk, r	138	187	151	67	16	559	
Cem. Trustee							
Ed Briscoe, d	210	205	205	61	20	706	183
Chas. Doyle, r	127	148	148	67	15	523	

Big Primary Campaign Ends Tuesday; Parties To Select Candidates

Democratic Race For Legislature and Republican Race for United States Senator Nominations Attract Most Local Interest; the Tickets.

Tuesday, April 13th the voters of both parties will go to the polls to select their candidates for office who are to be on the ticket at the Fall election which will be November 2nd.

On the Democratic side the greatest interest seems to center in who will be the nominee for the Legislature. As only one Democratic candidate will be nominated and the Republicans will nominate two, the three so nominated are practically elected, as the district is entitled to three representatives.

The Democratic candidates are H. H. Hawkins, Hugh M. Rigney, R. D. Meeker and Jack Baker. All have made a very thorough canvass of Moultrie, Piatt and Champaign counties, which constitute the 24th Senatorial district.

Democrats in County.

In the county primary Judge Grider for County Judge and Mrs. Roughton for Superintendent of Schools have no opposition for the nomination.

For the office of County Clerk, T. C. Fleming and James R. Pifer are the candidates.

For Sheriff W. O. Funston who held that office twice in former years seeks nomination and is opposed by Hark V. Weatherly of Lovington township.

S. T. Bolin, Sullivan implement dealer and George A. Daugherty, East Nelson farmer, both seek the nomination for county treasurer.

R. B. Foster and W. R. Huff both seek the Democratic nomination for States Attorney to fill a short term of two years.

Brennan For Senator.

Not much interest has been manifested in the Democratic campaign for nominations for state office. It is generally conceded that George E. Brennan will get the nomination for United States Senator and on a wet platform will ask the people whether or not they are in favor of continuing the present Volstead law.

The Big Battle.

The big Republican fight is for the nomination for United States Senator. William B. McKinley, present incumbent seeks re-election and is being opposed by Col. Frank L. Smith of Dwight. Col. Smith's candidacy is being managed by National Committeeman Allen F. Moore of Monticello.

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GRADE SCHOOL PUPILS TO PRESENT OPERETTA TWO NIGHTS, APR. 15-16

The Sullivan grade schools will present an operetta "The Windmills of Holland" at the school auditorium on the nights of Thursday and Friday, April 15 and 16.

A short synopsis of the play and cast of characters is as follows:

The scene opens with a chorus of girls singing the "Windmills of Holland".

An American Salesman is sent to Holland to try to replace the old windmills with electric machinery. The old Dutch farmer, Hertogenbosch his Vrou, work hands, children and young people oppose this new "Toot Engine" as they call it, and report the same to the disheartened salesman. Thus the operetta closes by singing the "Windmills of Holland."

Cast of Characters
Mynheer Hertogenbosch, Rich Holland farmer Duane Purvis
Vrouw Hertogenbosch, His wife Rose Eden Martin
Their daughters:
Wilhelmina Enid Newbold
Hilda Eleanor Hagerman
Bob Yankee, American Salesman.....
..... Robert Sullivan
Hans, Student of music, in love with Wilhelmina .. Joseph McLaughlin
Frans, Rich farmer's son in love with Hilda Everett Bushart
Katrina, Rich farmer's daughter.....
..... Louise English
Chorus of farmer's daughters:
Louise English, Alberta Harsn, Lillie Sullivan, Lenore Mallison, Emily Harshman, Gertrude Monroe, Helen Dunscomb, Roberta Luke, Anona Wheeler.

In addition to these singers there is a second chorus.

—MCCUSKER GROCERY—Proctor & Gamble soap deal now on. 16 lbs. Michigan navy beans, \$1.00; coffee 35c to 70c per lb. Onion plants 20c per 100, 200 for 35c. Salt fish, 5c each. American Lady canned goods; fruits, vegetables, feeds, seeds; work clothes, etc.

—Major J. P. Vachon of the regular army and Major Powers of the 1st Bn. 130 Inf. inspected the local Headquarters Co. Wednesday night. There was a good attendance.

Jenkins Guilty, Fined; Enterline Marriage Annulled; Divorces

Judge Sentel has busy day in Court Saturday; Cruse case results in divorce being given deserted wife.

In the Circuit Court Saturday Homer Jenkins entered a plea of guilty to the indictment charging him with having smuggled saws into the county jail to aid prisoners confined therein to escape.

On his plea he was sentenced to pay a fine of \$250 and costs and to six months confinement at the state penal farm near Vandalia. Upon evidence being presented in court by Dr. W. B. Kilton and Dr. A. D. Miller to the effect that Jenkins is a tuberculosis sufferer, the six months' sentence was taken off. He will have to pay the fine and costs and the court order states that he is to remain in jail until paid.

The Cruse Case.

Some years ago a young man named John Cruse, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cruse of Lowe township, was married to a girl named Anna Spent of Lovington. Through his father action was started some time later to annul the marriage, it being claimed that the young man was but 19 years of age. In the meantime a son had been born to the couple.

The young wife fought the annulment proceedings and secured a decree awarding her temporary alimony while the suit was pending. When this was not paid, young Cruse was arrested for contempt of court and served a sentence in jail here.

As there seemed to be no prospect of the matrimonial troubles being satisfactorily settled, Mrs. Cruse filed a cross bill for divorce in the annulment case. This case was heard by Judge Sentel Saturday morning and the divorce was granted. She was also awarded custody of the child, a son named Carl Cruse, and given alimony to assist in his support.

Three Mis-mated Couples.

John Jordan was granted a divorce from his wife Nancy Jordan. These people formerly lived in Bethany.

Pearl Field was given a divorce from D. H. Field who deserted her and his family some years ago. She was given custody of Harold, the couple's youngest son.

Enterline Annulment.

The suit instituted by the mother of Pearl Enterline to have his marriage to Mrs. Emma Moran of Allen-ville annulled was passed on by the Judge and the annulment was granted. The ground on which this suit was based was that Enterline, now an inmate of an insane asylum, was not capable of contracting a legal marriage at the time he married Mrs. Moran as he was not mentally responsible. Mr. Enterline's mental derangement is said to have been caused by an accident which he sustained some years ago.

In Zion Baker Case.

In the foreclosure case of the Merchants & Farmers State bank vs. Zion Baker and Estella Baker, the Master in Chancery filed a report of sale which was approved. A deficiency decree in the amount of \$3,978.81 and costs was placed against the defendants and execution is to issue.

The next day of court will be April 21st at which time Judge Baldwin of Decatur will be here to preside.

WM. J. STRATTON TELLS EXACTLY WHERE HE STANDS

On page 8 of this issue is a statement issued by William J. Stratton of Lake County, a

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TUESDAY ENDS THE BATTLE OF MCKINLEY VS. SMITH

Saturday Senator William B. McKinley was Sullivan's guest. He came on a political mission and made a talk in the Circuit Court room. The Moultrie county organization of the Republican party was present. Judge W. G. Cochran gave the Senator an unqualified endorsement. Those Republicans who were conspicuous by their absence at the Smith meeting some weeks ago, were very conspicuous at the McKinley meeting Saturday.

All of which seems to indicate that Moultrie County Republicans will swing strongly into the McKinley ranks at the polls next Tuesday.

Senator McKinley has never been accused of being an orator. In his talk Saturday he proved what many of his acquaintances have always claimed to be true, that he was an expert trimmer and straddler politically.

After a recitation of his achievements in Congress over a period covering the past 24 years, the Senator took occasion to take a slap at Woodrow Wilson and his ideals of world peace, as embodied in the League of Nations. He disparaged the work of Wilson and the League plan and then launched into a defense of his own vote to have this country enter the World Court.

Except for political effect, it is generally conceded that the World Court is part and parcel of the League of Nations. It is the route by which the Republican party plans to put this country into the League via the rear door. The World Court is to the League what the Supreme Court is to the state government of Illinois. Without a state government where would our Supreme Court be? Without the League of Nations to back it the World Court would not amount to three whoops in hell.

So if Senator McKinley and President Coolidge and the rest of the Republicans who were misguided in this matter some years ago, now see the error of their ways, why trim and smirk and beat about the bush? If the Court is a good thing, the League must be a good thing. If Senator McKinley hopes to gain friends and votes by his contradictory attitude on these two matters, he must think the voters are a bunch of ninnies who never try to think for themselves.

Col. Smith is absolutely wrong on the World Court and League matter and Senator McKinley is stalling and trimming.

Indications are that neither McKinley or Smith will represent the state of Illinois in the United States Senate for the next six years. We down state Democrats may not like it, but prospects for the nomination and election of George E. Brennan of Chicago on the Democratic ticket are getting brighter day by day. One thing about Brennan—he's not afraid to tell people just where he stands on questions which confront the nation today.

G. H. LANE AWARDED MAROA BRIDGE CONTRACT

G. H. (Hoke) Lane, local contractor, was awarded the contract for the construction of the Miller Bridge near Maroa in Macon county, last week by the Board of Supervisors of that county.

His bid was \$2,874.10. The bridge will have 122.7 cubic yards of concrete and 13,570 pounds of steel. Mr. Lane has built several bridges in Macon county during the past year.

—Everett Bushart, son of Dr. and Mrs. E. E. Bushart broke the bone in his right arm Saturday while cranking a car.

This Week



By Arthur Brisbane

14 BILLIONS! CHEAP. SOCIALISM DEFINED. SCIENCE USEFUL. ASHES OVER GOLD.

The Bureau of Industrial Technology says it costs the United States FOURTEEN BILLION A YEAR to buy automobiles and keep them running.

That's more than the amount lent to Europe during the war and it is also better investment than the war loan. From Europe for our ten billions we get criticism, the accusation of meanness.

From the automobile for our fourteen billions we get national health, saving of time, much pleasure, millions of families united. At fourteen billions a year the automobile is a bargain.

If you haven't got yours yet, get it NOW, with the opening of Spring.

To use public moneys for the comfort of the prosperous class is "sound conservatism." To use it for the unprosperous class, their wives and children, is SOCIALISM.

We spend thousands on a fine bridle path in a great park, supplying soft footing for the horses or the well-to-do, that's WELL.

But when the Governor of New York suggests using public moneys to solve the housing problem for the poor, providing decent living quarters at reasonable rentals, that is denounced by indignant landlords as "rank Socialism."

The Rev. Dr. Thomas, president of Rutgers University, says all our progress is due to religion—"this nation forges ahead through its faith in God. Science and education have been negligible factors in the progress of America."

The founder of Christianity said: "Render therefore unto Caesar the things which are Caesar's."

He would have rendered unto science and education all credit due to science and education. The radio, carrying sermons, including the marvelous Sermon on the Mount, to millions unseen by the speaker would have interested him and the modern methods of protecting mothers and prolonging the lives of children would have delighted the heart of the great defender of children and women.

Religion is the greatest thing in the world, because it deals with the infinite. Science and education are important also.

Eugene C. May, highly educated, has left this earth in disgust. Years ago he learned the location of a schooner sank in a few fathoms of water on its way from the Australian gold fields with \$10,000,000 in gold on board.

Trying to get that gold he fitted out two expeditions, spent all he had, more than \$100,000, failed. He opened the veins in his wrists, died, and now his ashes will be scattered on the surface of the Pacific Ocean above the \$10,000,000 in gold that he did not get. A good text for sermons.

A British scientist makes this most important announcement concerning cancer. He can detect, by analysis of a few drops of the patient's blood, the presence of cancer in its early stages. Cancer located and treated promptly in the beginning can be permanently eradicated. Cancers that kill are those ignored too long. Report any strange growth to your doctor.

Seven years ago, young J. R. Tucker, of Darmouth College, owned just one dime and a watch. Now his life is insured for a million. That interests many who think money means happiness. Later Mr. Tucker won't have even the dime, and the worms will have him. But the crowd forgets that.

We have heard an unpleasant story of slave labor. A State is alleged to have made a profit of more than half a million dollars in 1925 by putting convicts to work in the mines as slaves, under conditions of dreadful cruelty.

Conditions are not as bad as they have been formerly, however; not as bad as when English laborers were branded with a red-hot iron on the cheek if they sought work outside of their own parish; not as bad as when men sent to the mines by Peter the Great lived and died chained to their wheelbarrows.

DID YOU EVER STOP TO THINK

By E. R. Waite, Secretary, Shawnee, Okla., Board of Commerce.

THAT some cities seem to need to get their collective affairs into the hands of some men who are competent and capable of handling them.

THAT it is a foolish community that will allow any factional differences to permanently disintegrate its citizenship.

THAT foolishness should be stopped.

THAT every citizen should remember his duty to his home city and realize that no matter what their opinions are, there is no use of carrying on hostilities forever.

THAT they should get together, get down to business and Build The Home City.

THAT the men who think they can't do a thing are usually right.

THAT the men who make up their minds to do things usually can do it.

THAT the hardest work some men do is figuring how to keep from working.

Men who can do things should realize that co-operation means teamwork. Get Together!

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BRUCE.

L. C. Messmore is very much better.

Miss Ethel Keyes visited over Sunday with Miss Fern Goodwin, near Sullivan.

Mr. and Mrs. Orval Bragg and family spent Sunday with F. M. Bragg and family.

Edgar Sampson and son Ollie, were Mattoon callers, Monday.

John Sharp and son Charles and wife and Lorraine Sharp spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. John Bragg and family near Cushman.

Bart Tull and family spent Sunday with Edgar Sampson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Weakley were called to Mattoon Friday by the death of a relative.

Jesse McCully spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bragg.

Mrs. John Sharp spent Tuesday in Sullivan with her sister Mrs. Mattie Fread.

Mrs. Noah Smith of Sullivan visited Friday with her daughter Mrs. Otto Frederick and family.

FLEMING FOR COUNTY CLERK

ON ROAD TO BONEYARD

"I have just finished a treatment of your wonderful remedy and can say it has done wonders for me already. For the past five years I have been unable to eat any but the lightest food and that but sparingly, as any food caused me to bloat with gas. I was reduced to a skeleton of ninety pounds, and was on the road to the boneyard. A friend in Birmingham sent me a bottle of MAYR'S, which I took, and I am sure it will entirely cure me of my trouble, judging from what it brought from me and the way I feel." 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 druggists everywhere. Adv.

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MATTOON TO HAVE VIGILANCE COMMITTEE PATROLLING ITS STREETS

Mattoon citizens aroused by the many crimes committed in that city within recent months, are going to have a committee of citizens patrol the streets at nights in an effort to check the crime wave.

The Mattoon Gun Club has volunteered for this service. The club has 35 members. They will co-operate with the police. Mattoon has a police chief, one day officer and two night officers.

The crooks have been getting bolder right along and robberies have been the order of the day. It is believed that a well-organized gang is operating in that city.

Moultrie County has had some experience with these Mattoon crooks and sent a number of them to the penitentiary for bank robbery. Since the determined effort on the part of Sheriff Ashbrook in rounding up these gangsters, they have kept out of Moultrie and are now doing business at the "old home stand".

LOVINGTON.

Misses Pauline and Catherine Poole who attend school at Normal, are spending their Easter vacation here with their parents.

Charlie Hamblin of Sullivan was a business visitor here, Tuesday.

G. W. Bryant has returned from two months' stay in Florida, where he has been looking after his real estate at Brooksville, Florida.

W. S. Idleman who was taken suddenly ill last week, has been removed to the St. Mary's hospital at Decatur.

W. O. Funston of Sullivan was a Lovington visitor, Tuesday.

Leo and William Morrison who are attending school at the U. of I. are spending their Easter vacation here with their parents Mr. and Mrs. John Morrison.

Mrs. Elva Ray and little daughter Jean, spent several days here this week with Mr. and Mrs. E. Hamblin.

Leland Brown, who is a student at Normal, is spending his Easter vaca-

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tion here with his parents Rev. and Mrs. R. D. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hines have moved to Carivi, Ill., where they will make their future home.

MERRITT DISTRICT

Mrs. James Landers and son spent Wednesday visiting Mrs. Victor Landers.

Mrs. Henry Ray is spending the week with her daughter Mrs. Ray Wilson.

Ray Wilson spent Wednesday night in Sullivan.

Mrs. Herman Ray spent Saturday in Decatur.

Harold, Dorothy and Lucille Bathe spent from Friday till Sunday visiting Ross Junior Thomas.

J. E. Landers spent Saturday and Sunday visiting in Sullivan.

Mr. and Mrs. Clorus Millan and family visited with Walter Wiser, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Vanderver, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kirk and daughter visited with Mr. and Mrs. Will Vanderver, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Landers spent Sunday in Sullivan.

Miss Mildred Chandler of Decatur is spending her Easter vacation visiting at the home of Ray Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Rolla Thomas, Mrs. Herman Ray spent Sunday afternoon visiting Mrs. Henry Spanhook.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Thomas entertained Sunday the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. James Landers and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Davis and daughter, Herschel and Willis

Ray, Jimmy Thomas, Harold, Lucille and Dorothy Bathe.

Mr. and Mrs. Verna Campbell and daughter spent Sunday at the home of John Bathe.

—Miss Coral McIntire, a teacher in the Newark, Illinois schools, spent the week end with home folks, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. McIntire and family. Her school has been closed on account of illness among the pupils. Before leaving Saturday, Miss McIntire called at the office of the County Clerk and voted for the April 13th election. April 13th is not only primary day but it is also Miss McIntire's 21st birthday anniversary.

—MARK FOR HARK.

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SEND HAWKINS To The LEGISLATURE



Reports from all over this district seem to indicate that the Democrats will next Tuesday name Harve H. Hawkins as their candidate for the Legislature. As but one Democrat will be nominated for this office, nomination practically means election.

Over-confidence on the part of Mr. Hawkins' friends may encompass his defeat. There are four candidates in the field. They have all thoroughly canvassed the three counties—Moultrie, Piatt and Champaign—which comprise this district.

A cross in front of the name of any of these candidates means three votes for that candidate. Mr. Hawkins respectfully asks you to put that cross in front of his name.

In discussing legislation these days, the one big feature to consider is farming. Mr. Hawkins, now serving as County Treasurer, is a practical farmer. He has farmed on a large scale and is today the owner of a 160-acre farm in Moultrie County. Before his election he farmed near Gays. He has taken an active interest in Farm Bureau work since its beginning in this county and was manager of the Gays Shipping Association while residing on the farm.

He has served several terms on the County Board of Supervisors and there made a good record for efficiency and economy.

He respectfully asks your vote Tuesday, April 13th at the Primary. He will appreciate your assistance not only on election day but will, if nominated and elected, show his appreciation by serving the best interests of this district at Springfield in the Legislature.

Will you kindly go to the polls Tuesday and on the Democratic ballot place a mark in front of his name.

X H. H. Hawkins

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H. M. RIGNEY CANVASSED EVERY TOWN IN DISTRICT

There are fifty-two towns in the 24th Senatorial district and Hugh M. Rigney, candidate for the Democratic nomination for Member of the Legislature, has canvassed every one of them, big and little. Mr. Rigney has gone out among the people and met them face to face and man to man. He is making his race on the principle that if you are going to hire a man to work for you you should see him. Mr. Rigney has spent three months in strenuous campaigning, braving the bad roads and weather, but states that he has enjoyed his trips and that it has been a real pleasure to meet the people, all of whom treated him with courtesy, kindness and respect. Judging from the favorable reception he has met in all parts of the three counties, Moultrie, Champaign and Piatt, he feels confident of election.

It is interesting to note that Mr. Rigney has used approximately 25,000 pieces of printing in his campaign. —Adv.

RED CROSS INSTRUCTS IN NURSING AND HOME HYGIENE

Many more American girls marry than take up business or professional careers, yet it has been only within recent years that systematic instruction in home-making has been given to girls. Now, however, domestic Science courses are available in almost all well organized public and private schools. In line with this instruction and because it is also a vital phase of domestic education, the American Red Cross has introduced its course in Home Hygiene and Care of the Sick into public and private schools in several cities in this country.

An example presents itself in New York City. On February 1, 1919, the course was introduced into several girls' high schools and was made compulsory for all students in their third or fourth years of attendance. To each of these schools a Red Cross nurse-instructor was assigned and was accepted as a member of the school faculty. Academic credit was given the student for satisfactory completion of the course. For three years the Red Cross conducted this instruction, paying the salaries of the nurses, and on May 12, 1923, the New York School Board agreed to take over this service for permanent maintenance and development.

Red Cross instruction in Home Hygiene and Care of the Sick has two distinct aims. The first of these lies in the remedial principles of nursing, personal hygiene, and household sanitation to all types of women and girls so that in time of war and pestilence when a shortage of professional nursing service is inevitable, and also in the routine minor illnesses which occur in every family, the wife, mother or sister will be able to care for the sick in her home. The second aim of the course lies in the preventive field of health education and consists in teaching women and girls to assist in checking infant and children mortality by the intelligent care of babies and children and to further adult health and efficiency by the prevention of avoidable diseases and the control of communicable diseases.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Estate of Rose Ann Quiett, deceased. The undersigned having been appointed administratrix of the estate of Rose Ann Quiett late of the county of Moultrie and the state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that she will appear before county court of Moultrie county, at the Court House in Sullivan, at the June term on the first Monday in June 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.

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LUCY QUIETT, Administratrix.

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Theme—Mildred Buxton.

GENERAL NEWS

The last game of the girls basketball tournament was played Thursday afternoon. The score was 8 to 2 in favor of the Whites.

Anna B. Goodale of the Macon County Hospital gave a lecture on "Personal Hygiene" to the girls of the school last Tuesday afternoon.

The debating society had a debate in the assembly on Monday. The question debated was: Resolved, that school should start at 8:00 o'clock and be dismissed at 1:30 through the months of April, May and September. Those on the negative side were Marjorie Bolin, Grace Keyes and Maudia Daugherty and on the affirmative side: Martha Harkless, Kenneth Johnson and Vera Wooley. The judges decided in favor of the Negative side. Both sides put up good arguments.

Miss Folk spent Easter Sunday in Rocksville, Illinois.

Miss Bach spent the week end at her home in Bloomington.

Miss Lewis visited at the home of Miss Pape at Mattoon over Easter.

Several students from out-of-town schools visited last Friday.

Miss Emel and Anna Mary Bayne returned to school Monday. They have had the measles.

Fred Hoskins from Illinois College spoke to the school at the Music period Monday.

Those entered for the try-out last Wednesday evening for the Okaw Valley and County contests are:

Humorous readings—Jennie Margaret Cummins, Vera Wooley, Margaret Harrington, Claudia Yarnell.

Dramatic readings—Olive McCusker, Eloise Harshman, Martha Harkless.

Declamations—Delmar Elder, Marjorie Bolin, Martha Harkless, Keith Grigsby.

Oration—Gloyd Rose.

Extempore speaker—Eloise Harshman.

CLASS NOTES

The Latin students are working on their posters which must be finished by the middle of the month.

The American History classes are studying about the new industrial age following the Civil War. Also they have set aside one day a week on which one half of the class gives reference reading reports while the other half gives current event reports.

The English students are also working on projects to be in by mid-

dle of the month.

The Physics class have just finished studying electricity. This week they have started studying sound.

The Chemistry class a few weeks ago, developed some pictures. The Chemistry class are starting the study of the Halogens, a family of salt formers.

The Freshman English class are now studying Scott's "Lady of the Lake." Last week they made maps to illustrate the region of Scotland where the action takes place.

The Junior class have set May 3 for the annual Junior and Senior banquet.

LITERARY NEWS

The Thalian and Aeolian societies held their regular meetings Friday. Both reported very good programs. The Aeolian program is as follows:

Reading—Sylvan Baugher.

Three numbers were given by the Aeolian orchestra. The members of the orchestra are—Alice Harris, Gerald Newbould, Glen Clark, William Heacock, Lloyd Brown and Sylvan Baugher.

Jokes—Mary Crane.

The Thalian also had a good program, as follows:

Current Events—Kenneth Johnson and Kenneth Walker.

Jokes—Florence Graham.

Olive McCusker, who is to be their dramatic reader, instead of Meda Harris gave a part of her reading as practice.

They were not able to have all of their program on account of not having a piano in the room.

The dramatic readers have been chosen for all the societies now: The Thalian society, Olive McCusker; The Aeolian society, Martha Harkless; the Agorian, Eloise Harshman. The contest will be held Thursday, the 15th.

MUSIC

There will be assembly singing from 1:15 to 1:45 on Thursday afternoons. This is to do away with the regular chorus at that time, and to give everyone a chance to sing. If this plan meets with approval it will continue until school is out.

Several girls have taken the musical instruments which Mr. Lucas had and have the intentions of joining the band as soon as possible.

The orchestra assisted at the violin recital at the High School Friday night.

The preliminary for the Okaw Valley and County Contest will be held on Wednesday of this week. The girls glee club will enter at the Okaw contest at Arcola, and a chorus of sixteen will enter at Lovington. Other contestants are:

Piano—Agnes Wright, Gloyd Rose, Janette Landes, Genevieve Daum, Anna Mary Bayne, Herwald Smith.

Voice—Vivian Harsh, Ruth Tabor, Royce Roley, Paul Harshman.

Violin—Lloyd Brown.

AGRICULTURAL NOTES

A common belief is that farm boys who go to high school do not return to the farm. Various teachers of vocational agriculture have made studies of the situation; the following study of the teacher at Lincoln, Illinois, should serve to throw some light on the question. The study was made of the present occupations of seventy boys who have studied agriculture and who have been graduated from high school. The records show that 80% of the total farm boys are now farming, and approximately 20% are in college. There were only two of the farm boys who are now engaged in city occupations. Of the 21 boys who were city bred only one moved to the farm.

From this study two things are evident: (1) that the country boys do go back to the farm and put into practice what they get from agricultural courses, and (2) that the city boy is always a city boy, and the instruction that he gets from agricultural courses is of little practical value. This study of the Lincoln teacher is typical of the studies made by other teachers and the results are similar in every case.

The class in Animal Husbandry judged Guernseys on the farm of L. C. Horn last week.

The Fathers and Sons Banquet will be held Friday, April 9th.

SPORT BRIEFS

A call was made by Mr. Sterling, Monday for all boys who wished to enter in the field events for the track team. Results were good but the rain and snow were very unfavorable for a suitable week of practice. On account of this a few practiced in the gymnasium.

A class meet will be held soon as a preliminary. Later we have a county and Okaw Valley meet to be held at Arthur.

AN UNWELCOME, YET WELCOME VISITOR

I had just come home from school and had already taken off my hat, sounds came to my ear. It was a low when one of the most peculiar whine with a note of deep distress mingled with it.

At first it seemed that some child was in trouble, but on listening closer I could tell it was not human. I went outside and the sound became plainer. On rounding the corner I saw a woolly black ball projecting between two heavy pieces of timber.

As I took it out I noticed that it was a small puppy, a collie. I picked it up very carefully and took it to the house.

I cannot attempt to explain the scene when my mother caught sight of the woolly mass. Of course, I was not going to get to keep the dog, which is usually the case. Nearly every child has such an experience at least once in his life.

I was then given orders to take the dog out and to keep it out. I sullenly obeyed but not altogether, for I took the trouble-maker and hid it in the basement.

That night at supper by some miracle I obtained a few bones from the meat on the table, and slipped them to the outcast. A tramp could not have grumbled at such a supper and bed as that puppy got.

I had fixed the dog to both his liking and mine and was going upstairs

through the kitchen, when I heard father exclaim, "Well, Mother, I guess I'll fire the furnace, for it's getting rather chilly."

At this speech my heart nearly jumped from my throat where it had been for a long while. "Oh, no, Dad," I cried eagerly, "I'll fire the furnace for you." This uncommon burst of willingness on my part brought a surprised look to father's face. He gazed at me a while as if inclined to doubt his ears, and then turned with a grin and a "hmm".

That evening as father sat reading the paper, a low whine came from directly beneath us. At this my heart sank and my head hung.

Mother looked up from her work with horror and anger written all over her face.

At the sound of father's paper, I lifted my head enough to see a smile cross his face. "Well, mother," he said, "Boys will be boys. I was a boy once myself." I read much from the tone of his voice, and went whistling out of the room and down the steps to the basement.

—Herwald Smith.

JOKES

Kenneth Lowe to Meda H. (across the table) "I wish you wouldn't knit at meals. I can't tell where my spaghetti leaves off and your sweater begins."

Herman Martin: "I have a terrible rumbling in my stomach. It's like a wagon going over a bridge."

Harold Hoskins: "It's most likely that truck you ate this morning for breakfast."

Page The Smith Brothers.

The Irish name of the new Dubbin Broadcasting station is Staisium Craoilbhsecoil each in Ath Cliath. I hear the announcer has already received many pockets of throat lozengers from sympathizers in England.

Miss Hobbs: (in class) "What are the eyes for Janette?" "To see with," she correctly replied.

"And now what are the ears for, Florence?" "To keep clean," bravely answered Florence.

It is reported that John Hollonbeck who swallowed a collar button, has been operated on three times. If this sort of thing keeps up he will undoubtedly have to buy a new one.

Cop: "What's the idea of stalling on the Main street?" Clara Robinson (absently): "I just washed my car, and I can't do a thing with it."

Teacher: "How can anyone tell me what a myth is?" Herwald Smith: "Please, Miss,

it's a female moth."

Gladys Woods: "I don't intend to be married until I am thirty."

Drucilla W.: "I don't intend to be thirty until I am married."

MARINE RECRUITING OFFICE NOW OPEN IN DECATUR

Sgt. George L. Searle, U. S. M. now stationed as recruiting officer on the 3rd floor of the Neustadt Building in Decatur, states that he had received requests for information from several young men in this vicinity and asks publication of the following:

"Enlistments in this branch of the military service are open for all able-bodied unmarried men of good character between the ages of 18 and 35."

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"Any one who may desire any information in regard to the U. S. Marine Corps can secure same by writing to United States Marine Corps, S. D. N. Recruiting Station, 3rd floor Neustadt Bldg. Decatur, Illinois, Sgt. Searle will be glad to accommodate."

HELPED US OUT

Prof. R. K. Eden, instructor and band leader of the O. T. H. S. dropped into our composing room late Tuesday and read proof and gave us a lift in general. R. K. learned his trade on the Moultrie County News and later went to the Sullivan Progress a full fledged "devil" in everything the word implies in a print shop.—Oakland Ledger.

—John A. Elliott who was seriously ill the latter part of last week has recovered to the extent of being able to be up and about again.

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Loyal to continued tax-reduction, government economy and business administration;

Loyal to labor, and to the rank and file of the public—business man, banker, farmer—

For United States Senator

To get recognition for Illinois as a great Republican state; Service in the Senate, like he has given as chairman of the Illinois Commerce Commission, which is saving the people \$19,000,000 a year—over \$70,000,000 since Smith became chairman.

Primary Day, Tuesday, April 13th

S. T. BOLIN
For
COUNTY TREASURER
PRIMARY APRIL 13th

On Tuesday, April 13th the Democratic party will select its candidate for County Treasurer.

That is the nomination I am seeking.

Because of the bad roads during February and March, I have not been able to make the thorough canvass that I intended. Therefore, I take this method of bringing my candidacy to your attention.

I was born in Jonathan Creek township and grew up on a farm in that township.

Twenty-seven years ago I came to Sullivan and have been in business here since that time. For seventeen years I was employed in the First National Bank. For 10 years I have been in the farm implement business and for the past 7 years I have devoted my entire time to this business.

These facts I cite to show my qualifications for the office I seek. I know that I am fully qualified to perform the duties of the office.

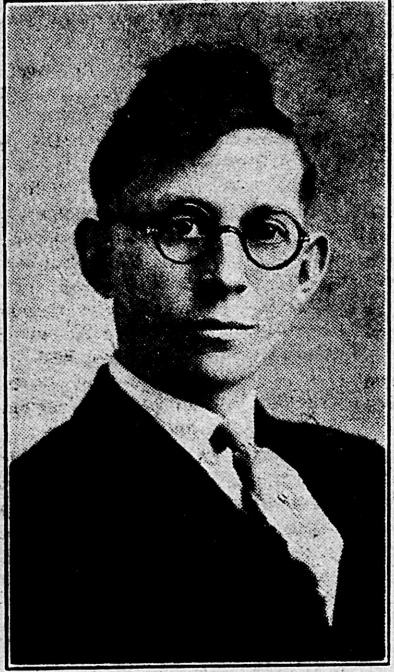
Politically I have been a life-long Democrat. I have never before asked my party for county office. The call of the party for aid, financially or otherwise has never been made to me without a response as liberal as I could afford.

This will be a year of Democratic success. If nominated April 13th, I assure my friends that I will make an active campaign for election, and if successful at the general election next Fall, I pledge to you and all my other friends of the county, that I will do my best to merit the support you have extended.

Remember the date of the Primary Election, Tuesday, April 13th. If you want to see me nominated, do not depend on the rest of my friends to do it, but go to the poll and vote. Any support in my campaign will be appreciated. If you know me and feel that I am the man for the place, tell your neighbor Democrats and friends and see that they go to the poll on Primary Day.

S. T. BOLIN

To the Republican Voters of Moultrie County



I am a candidate for the office of County Treasurer not because my friends have insisted or compelled me to become a candidate, but because of my experience as cashier of the People's State Bank of Allenville, for nine years, I believe I can serve the taxpayers of the county efficiently.

If nominated and elected I expect to distribute the funds of the county impartially among the banks of the county that serve the people of the different townships from which the money is collected.

In marking your ballot I will appreciate your vote and promise to give the office the best service I can possibly render.

D. G. CARNINE

PRIMARY NEXT TUESDAY APRIL 13. VOTE FOR CARNINE

FIVE DEMOCRATIC SUPERVISORS RE-ELECTED. SULLIVAN REMAINS IN THE DEMOCRATIC COLUMN

(Continued from page one)

Oral Dolan, R.----- 57
For Constable:
C. H. Bolton, D.----- 77

Whitley Republican.
The Republicans elected all their candidates in Whitley township, the vote being as follows:

Precincts No. 1 No. 2
For Town Clerk:
T. H. Boyd, R.----- 80 36
M. H. Cullen, D.----- 48 46
Boyd's majority ----- 22
For assessor:
Sam D. Davis, R.----- 104 51
Rex Garrett, D.----- 24 33
Davis' majority ----- 98
For Justice of Peace:
U. G. Armantrout, R.--- 74 37
Royal Stone, R.----- 80 32
H. S. Wallace, D.----- 50 47
C. S. Sharp, D.----- 33 46
For Constable:
Everett Butler, R.---- 84 38
Otha Farmer, D.----- 42 45
Butler's majority ----- 35

Small Vote in Lowe.
A small vote was cast in Lowe township Tuesday. The entire Democratic ticket was elected by substantial majorities.

For Supervisor:
F. F. Fleming, D.----- 113
William Schuetz, R.----- 67

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Fleming's majority ----- 46
For Town Clerk:
J. S. Pribble, D.----- 107
Charles A. Gibson, R.----- 61
Pribble's majority ----- 46
For assessor:
W. E. Winings, D.----- 81
Eb Howell, R.----- 83
Winings' majority ----- 8
For School Trustee:
Q. Richardson, D.----- 103
A. E. Riggs, R.----- 56
Richardson's majority ----- 47
Justice of the Peace:
Roy Reeves, D.----- 105
John Dyer, R.----- 54
Reeves' majority ----- 51
For Constable:
Charles P. Dick, D.----- 110
E. D. Creek, R.----- 49
Dick's majority ----- 61

—MARK FOR HARK

MARRIED IN KENTUCKY
Miss Maude Rhodes of this place and Green Davis of Sullivan went to Henderson, Kentucky one day last week and were united in marriage by Rev. R. F. Crafton. They went to housekeeping on a farm of the groom southwest of Sullivan. They are cousins. —Bethany Echo

NEW LIBRARY BOOKS
New books recently placed at the city library are:

- "Youth of famous Americans"
- "Life of Kit Carson"
- "Memoirs of Napoleon Banapart"
- "A walk across South America"
- "The Book Derrne"
- "Green's History of the English People"
- "Andrew's History of the U. S."
- "Scribners Magazine for 1890"
- "Scribners Magazine for 1891"

HAS 60 GRANDCHILDREN

Mrs. Barbara Helmuth, who lives with her son, Samuel J. Helmuth, north of Arthur, claims the distinctions of having 60 grand children and 100 great-grandchildren. Mrs. Helmuth who was the wife of Uncle Joe Helmuth, one of the early Amish settlers in the Arthur district, was 84 years old October 14 last. She is in good health and is proud of her "big family" as she certainly has right to be. Mrs. Helmuth was the mother of twelve children.—Arthur Graphic-Clarion.

LARGEST HOG IS DELIVERED HERE

On Saturday last, Eugene Freese, a well known farmer residing southwest of here, delivered in the Arthur market the largest hog that ever came to town. It was a Big Type Poland China stag and weighed exactly 1070 pounds. The animal was three years old. Stephens Bros. were the buyers, and they report that Mr. Freese's porker was 110 pounds heavier than the one they recently shipped. Mr. Freese is a successful breeder of the Big Type Poland Chinas.—Arthur Graphic-Clarion.

FLEMING FOR COUNTY CLERK

—Mr. and Mrs. John Rhodes of Bethany spent Sunday with A. L. Crockett and family.

—The W. F. M. S. of the M. E. church will meet Thursday, April 15, at the church.

—Miss Mayme Alexander received a message Thursday morning informing her of the death of her aunt, Mrs. Rena Neff at Flora, Illinois. Mrs. Neff was a sister of Miss Alexander's mother. Miss Alexander went to Flora Friday morning to attend the funeral.

—Tabor reports the following sales: new Chrysler coach to Charles Burwell of Mattoon; used Ford coupe to Virgil Mowry and used Studebaker to Carl Summitt.

FLEMING FOR COUNTY CLERK

—Clark Lowe, a student at Illinois College at Jacksonville, spent the Easter vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Lowe. He returned to Jacksonville, Wednesday.

BIG PRIMARY CAMPAIGN ENDS TUESDAY; PARTIES TO SELECT CANDIDATES

(Continued from page one.)

It is generally understood that if Col. Smith is successful Mr. Moore will come into the open as a candidate for the Republican nomination for Governor in 1928.

In the campaign now coming to a close Col. Smith has belabored Senator McKinley for his vote in favor of the World Court. The Senator has defended his action on the ground that it was sound Republican doctrine, backed by the Republican national platform of 1924 and the wishes of President Coolidge.

In this county the Smith candidacy has been sponsored by Rev. W. B. Hopper and his friends. The regular Republican party machine in control of Postmaster McPheeters, Judge W. G. Cochran and some of the county officials is friendly to Senator McKinley.

Stratton For Treasurer.

The Republican race for the nomination for State Treasurer is also interesting. Four men are in the race. Garrett D. Kinney of Peoria is said to have the backing of Secretary of State Lou Emmerson and his friends. His strongest contender is William J. Stratton of Lake county, at present head of the State Fish and Game department. Mr. Stratton's friends are very active in his behalf and predict that they will put their man over a winner.

The balance of the Republican line-up for nominations is about the usual type of Yates, Miller, Blair, Vail, Rathbone, etc.

Adkins Not Active.

Congressman Charley Adkins did not come home from Washington to make a campaign for renomination. He stayed at the Capitol and kept out of the McKinley-Smith fight. He is being opposed by G. W. Byers, well known hotel man of Champaign and Mattoon who is the final days of the campaign has made a very active canvass for votes. This is Mr. Byers' third attempt to secure this nomination. As he has usually not been the choice of the machine, he has failed to land. There is but little enthusiasm about Charley Adkins and his statesmanship and friends of Mr. Byers predict that he may this year get the coveted nomination.

Carnine vs. Dolan.

In Moultrie county there is but one contest among the Republicans and that is for the nomination for County Treasurer. D. G. Carnine of Allenville, cashier of the People's bank in that village, is a candidate and has been campaigning since last Fall. Oliver F. Dolan, former treasurer is again in the race. Both seem confident of winning.

For county judge the Republicans have placed on their ticket W. G. Cochran the aged jurist and acknowledged leader of the Republican party in this county for more than a half century past.

J. B. Martin is a candidate for renomination for county clerk, unopposed; States Attorney A. A. Brown is a candidate for election to the office he now holds by appointment.

Former Sheriff Charles Lansden, who for the past four years has been farming near Bethany again seeks his old job.

The Republican candidate for superintendent of schools is a former Bethanyite, Chester L. McKim by name, who for some years, has been teaching school at Braidwood, in the Northern part of the state.

The official line-up as it will appear on the primary ballots Tuesday is as follows:

Democratic Ticket:
For United States Senator: (Vote For One)
James O. Monroe.
George E. Brennan
James T. McDermott.

For State Treasurer: (Vote For One)
Samuel L. Nelson
John S. Hickey

For Supt. of Public Instructions: (Vote For One)
Joseph W. Kotwas
Alexander W. Jamieson

For Clerk of the Supreme Court: (Vote For One)
John A. Logan, Sr.

For Rep. in Congress: State at Large. (Vote For Two)
Frank J. Wise
Charles D. Harrison
Charles A. Karch

For Clerk of the Appellate Court Third District. (Vote For One)
For Representative in Congress: Nineteenth District (Vote For One)
Delmar P. Belden
Joel T. Davis

For State Central Committeeman: Nineteenth District. (Vote For One)
John W. Yantis
L. G. Coonrod

For Rep. in General Assembly: (Vote For One, Two, or Three)
Twenty-fourth District.
John H. Baker
H. H. Hawkins
Hugh M. Rigney
Raymond D. Meeker

For Senatorial Committeeman: Twenty-fourth District. (Vote For One)
John F. Denton.

For County Judge. (Vote For One)
John T. Gridler

For County Clerk: (Vote For One)
T. C. Fleming
James R. Pifer

FOR SHERIFF: (Vote For One)
W. O. Funston
H. V. Weatherly

For County Treasurer: (Vote For One)
S. T. Bolin
George A. Daugherty

For Co. Supt. of Schools: (Vote For One)
Nettie L. Roughton

For State's Attorney: (To Fill Vacancy) (Vote For One)
R. B. Foster
W. R. Huff

For Precinct Committeeman: (Vote For One)

REPUBLICAN TICKET
For United States Senator: (Vote For One)
Frank L. Smith
William B. McKinley

For State Treasurer: (Vote For One)
William J. Stratton
I. J. Brown

For Supt. of Public Instruction: (Vote For One)
Joseph F. Kilduff
Garrett D. Kinney

For Clerk of the Supreme Court: (Vote For One)
Charles W. Vail
Usysses G. Lee

For Rep. in Congress: State at Large. (Vote For Two)
Richard Yates
Frederick W. Beach
William H. H. Miller
Henry R. Rathbone
Harvey Sindlinger
Julian J. Sykes

For Clerk of the Appellate Court Third District. (Vote For One)
Laura B. Walmsley
A. Ray Drennan
John C. Allen

For Rep. in Congress: Nineteenth District. (Vote For One)
Charles Adkins
G. W. Byers

For State Central Committeeman: Nineteenth District. (Vote For One)
Guy R. Jones

For Rep. in General Assembly: (Vote For One, Two or Three)
Twenty-fourth District.
Rodger F. Little
James A. Reeves

For Senatorial Committeeman: Twenty-fourth District. (Vote For One)
J. F. Lawson

For County Judge: (Vote For One)
William G. Cochran

For County Clerk: (Vote For One)
J. B. Martin.

For Sheriff: (Vote For One)
Charles Lansden

For County Treasurer: (Vote For One)
D. G. Carnine
O. F. Dolan

For Co. Supt. of Schools: (Vote For One)
Chester L. McKim

For State's Attorney: (To Fill Vacancy) (Vote For One)
A. A. Brown

For Precinct Committeeman: (Vote For One)

FLEMING FOR COUNTY CLERK

GEO. B. VAUGHAN MARRIED APRIL 3RD AT BILLINGS, MONT. TO ST. LOUIS GIRL

George B. Vaughan of Hysham, Mont. and Miss Ethel May Taylor of St. Louis, were married at Billings, Mont., Saturday, April 3rd.

Mrs. Vaughan is a graduate nurse having graduated in 1924 from the St. Baptist hospital in St. Louis. She was employed at the Masonic Home before entering training.

Mr. Vaughan is a son of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Vaughan of near Sullivan and graduated from the Sullivan High School in the class of 1910. He was drafted and served in the World War from Montana, as he was living on a ranch at that time near Hysham, Mont.

The couple expect to be at home on the ranch April 5th.

MRS. CLARA EKISS
Mrs. Clara Ekiss of Bethany died in the Moweaqua hospital at 2:40 Tuesday afternoon. She had been in the hospital for several days. Death was caused by cancer.

She is survived by her husband, William Ekiss of Bethany, two sons, Dwight and Carl of Bethany and a daughter Mrs. Olive Henson of Moweaqua.

FLEMING FOR COUNTY CLERK
WILL GO TO WARRENSBURG

Miss Edyth Pearce has been employed by the Macon County Telephone Co. to have charge of the switch board at Warrensburg. She and her mother will move there in about two weeks.

Miss Pearce was employed in the telephone office here for ten years and her work has always been quite satisfactory. She was pleasant in her work at the board and her service was excellent.—Bethany Echo.

—Miss Nellie Gladville, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Haydon Gladville of this city was united in marriage with Edwin H. Koshinski in Decatur, Saturday. The newly weds will make Decatur their home. The bride has been employed in Decatur for the past year.

—Mrs. A. L. Crockett and daughter Maurine and Florence spent Saturday in Decatur visiting with Blosson Crockett and family.

—Mrs. W. E. Riggins will enter St. Mary's hospital at Decatur Sunday and will be operated on the early part of next week for abdominal troubles.

Flour Special

Reduced Prices

Our brands of flour are gaining in popularity and we want to introduce them into many more homes.

BIG VALUES AT THESE PRICES

SOOTHSAYER, 48 lb. sack, only.....\$2.55
DIAMOND BRAND 48 lb. sack, only.....\$2.35

Correspondingly low prices on smaller sacks.

EAST SIDE GROCERY

JESSE DICKENS, Prop.

PHONE 56 SULLIVAN, ILLINOIS

ILLINOIS THEATRE SULLIVAN

THIS WEEK

TONIGHT—FRIDAY
THURSDAY, APRIL 8TH
"I AM THE MAN"
Pathe Comedy
"Shanghaied Lovers"
Pathe serial "The Green Archer"

SATURDAY

"NO MAN'S LAW"
"Galloping Bungalows" Fox News.

NEXT WEEK

SUNDAY-MONDAY
MARY PICKFORD IN
"ROSITA"
Pathe Comedy, "Better Movies".
Fox News

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY

Norma Shearer and Lew Cody in
"HIS SECRETARY"
Fox Comedy, "The Ski Jumper". No. 15
"Secret Service Sanders"

THURSDAY

Tom Moore and Mae Marsh in
"THE NARROW STREET"
Pathe Comedy, "Should Sailors Marry?"

SUNDAY and MONDAY

April 18th and 19th
"Her Husband's Secret"

OUR USED CAR LIST

In this assortment are some great bargains. If you are in the market for a used car, let us show you.

- 1 FORD COUPE—Very nice.
- 1925 HUDSON COACH—Looks and runs like new
- 1925 RICKENBACKER-SIX SEDAN—A \$2500 dollar car for less than half.
- 1 HUDSON SPORT—Fine condition.
- 1 1925 FORD TOURING
- 1 1924 FORD ROADSTER
- 1 DODGE COUPE—Very nice.
- 1 DODGE ROADSTER
- 2 DODGE TOURINGS

C. H. Tabor Motor Sales

PHONE 57 SULLIVAN, ILLINOIS

SUPERVISOR'S REPORT FOR EAST NELSON TWP. FOR THE PAST YEAR

(Continued from page one.)

Table with 2 columns: Date, Amount. Includes entries for Nov. 14 H. H. Hawkins, Co. Treasurer, taxes 29.07 and Mar. 27 H. H. Hawkins, Co. Treasurer, taxes 886.87.

Total receipts for year ending March 27, 1926 \$2667.79

EXPENDITURES

Table with 3 columns: Date, From whom received, Amount. Lists various expenses from April 7 to Feb. 11, including election judges, Newton Niles, and various contractors.

Total expenditures for year ending March 27, 1926 \$2552.10

SUMMARY: Total receipts for year ending March 27, 1926 \$2667.79 Total paid out for year ending March 27, 1926 \$2552.10

Balance on hand March 27, 1926 \$115.69 I. C. R. Hill, Cashier of the First National Bank, Sullivan, Illinois, do hereby certify that T. J. McIntire, Supervisor of East Nelson Township, Moultrie County, Illinois, had on hand a balance of \$115.69, at the close of business, March 27, 1926.

State of Illinois) County of Moultrie) ss Town of East Nelson) The following is a statement of T. J. McIntire, Supervisor and Ex-Officio Treasurer of the Road and Bridge Fund for the Town of East Nelson in the County and State aforesaid, of the amount of Road and

Bridge Funds received and expended by him as Ex Officio Treasurer of the Road and Bridge Fund of said town during the fiscal year just closed ending on the 27th day of March A. D. 1926, showing the amount of Road and Bridge Funds received, from what source received, the amount of said Road and Bridge Funds expended and for what purpose expended, during the fiscal year, ending as aforesaid.

The said T. J. McIntire, being duly sworn, doth depose and say that the following statement by him subscribed, is a correct statement of the amount of said Road and Bridge Fund on hand at the commencement of the fiscal year above stated, the amount of Road and Bridge Funds received, and the source from which received, and the amount expended, and the purpose for which expended, as set forth in said statement.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of April A. D. 1926 Seal G. R. Fleming, Notary Public.

RECEIPTS

Table with 4 columns: Date, From whom received, Source, Amount. Lists receipts from Mar. 31 balance, H. H. Hawkins, Co., and various banks.

Total receipts for year ending March 27, 1926 \$7969.88

EXPENDITURES

Table with 4 columns: Date, To whom Paid, For what Purpose, Amount. Lists various expenses from July 3 to May 15, including Chas. Wheeler, Oscar Miller, and various contractors.

grading 15.00 May 15, Joel Wheeler, 5 days grading 17.50 May 15, Paul McDaniel, 5 days, grading 17.50 May 23, Paul McDaniel, labor and repairs 23.50 May 23, Joel Wheeler, labor 21.00 May 23, Chas. Wheeler, 2 days, team 10.00 May 23, E. M. Pierriott, 2 days, team 10.00 May 23, Oscar Miller, 5 1/2 days 15.75 May 23, Chas. Lucas, bridge lumber 131.06 May 29, Paul McDaniel, 4 days 14.00 May 29, Joel Wheeler, 4 days 14.00 May 29, Oscar Miller, 4 1/2 days 13.50 May 29, Chas. Wheeler, 1 day 5.00 May 29, E. M. Pierriott, 1 day team 5.00 June 1, Alexander Lumber Co., tile 1.60 June 2, Oscar Miller, 1 1/2 days 3.75 June 2, Paul McDaniel, 1 1/2 days 5.25 June 6, E. M. Pierriott, 2 1/2 days 11.00 June 6, Joel Wheeler, 5 days 17.50 June 13, Chas. Wheeler, 3 days, team 17.00 June 13, Joel Wheeler, 5 days 17.50 June 13, E. M. Pierriott, 2 days, 3 hours 11.50 June 13, Paul McDaniel, 4 days 45.90 June 13, Ed Slover, 153 hrs. 12.90 June 13, Russell Slover, 48 hours 152.59 June 13, Sullivan Oil Co., kerosene 137.55 June 15, John Nichols, 153 hours, 2 teams 20.00 June 16, R. P. Leeds, Hauling cinders and dragging 8.75 June 20, Joel Wheeler, 2 1/2 days 8.50 June 20, Paul McDaniel, 2 1/2 hours 8.00 June 20, Chas. Wheeler, 6 hours 2.50 June 20, E. M. Pierriott, 5 hours 1.00 June 24, Tire & Battery Station, 2 spark plugs 28.34 June 24, A. H. Miller & Co. insurance 379.50 June 25 F. C. Graham, bridge lumber 1066.11 Aug. 18, Mutual Benefit Life Ins. payment on tractor 680.00 Sept. 2, Russell Harshman, driving 680 ft. piling 13.00 Sept. 4, E. M. Pierriott, labor, Spaugh bridge 25.00 Sept. 4, Chas. Wheeler, labor 25.75 Sept. 4, Joel Wheeler, labor 48.50 Sept. 7, Sullivan Oil Co., kerosene 7.45 Sept. 10, First National Bank interest 15.00 Sept. 26, E. M. Pierriott, lab. 5.00 Sept. 26, Chas. Wheeler, lab. 19.25 Sept. 26, Joel Wheeler, labor 10.00 Sept. 29, Norman Burwell, labor 20.00 Oct. 1, C. A. Lane, labor 151258 Oct. 19, W. H. Walker, spreading oil 32.00 Oct. 29, A. H. Miller & Co. insurance on men 3.00 Dec. 2, Archie Hollonbeck, labor 15.00 Dec. 4, Willis Allen, labor 17.95 Dec. 4, J. M. Cummins & Son supplies 6.25 Dec. 7, Russell Harshman, tile 9.00 Dec. 24, W. A. Stokes, dragging 17.00 1926: Jan. 18, Sam B. Hall, ether 1.00 Feb. 16, W. J. Elzy, culvert 16.00 Feb. 16, Denny Pedigo, dragging 6.00 Mar. 4, D. G. Carnine, drainage tax 6.19 Feb. 22, Joel Wheeler, labor 10.50 Feb. 22, Chas. Wheeler, labor 6.00 Mar. 9, Z. I. Standerfer, lab. 15.00

SUMMARY

Total receipts for year ending March 27, 1926 \$7,969.88 Total paid out for year ending March 27, 1926 \$5,739.83 Balance on hand March 27, 1926 \$2,230.05

I, C. R. Hill, Cashier of the First National Bank, Sullivan, Illinois, do hereby certify that T. J. McIntire, ex-officio Treasurer of the Road and Bridge Fund for the Town of East Nelson, Moultrie County, Illinois, had on deposit in this bank a balance of \$2230.05 at the close of business, March 27th, 1926.

C. R. HILL, Cashier.

State of Illinois) County of Moultrie) ss Town of East Nelson) The following is a statement of T. J. McIntire, Supervisor and Ex-Officio Treasurer of the Oil Fund for the Town of East Nelson in the county and state aforesaid, of the amount of Oil Funds received and expended by him as Ex-Officio Treasurer of the Oil Fund of said Town during the fiscal year just closed, ending on the twenty-seventh (27th) day of March A. D. 1926, showing the amount of Oil Funds on hand at the commencement of said fiscal year, the amount of Oil Funds received, from what source received, the amount of said Oil Funds expended and for what purpose expended, during the said fiscal year ending as aforesaid.

ment. T. J. McINTIRE. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of April A. D. 1926. (Seal) G. R. Fleming, Notary Public.

RECEIPTS

Table with 4 columns: Date, From whom received, Source, Amount. Lists receipts from Mar. 31 balance, H. H. Hawkins, Co., and various Masonic groups.

Total receipts for year ending March 27, 1926 \$6960.82

EXPENDITURES

Table with 4 columns: Date, To whom paid, For what purpose, Amount. Lists various expenses from July 2 to Dec. 15, including I. C. R. Co., John Nichols, and various contractors.

Total expenditures for year ending March 27, 1926 \$5068.29

SUMMARY

Total receipts for year ending March 27, 1926 \$6960.82 Total paid out for year ending March 27, 1926 \$5068.29 Balance on hand March 27, 1926 \$1892.53

I, C. R. Hill, Cashier of the First National Bank, Sullivan, Illinois, do hereby certify that T. J. McIntire, Treasurer of the Oil Fund of East Nelson Township, Moultrie county, Illinois, had on deposit in this bank, a balance of \$1892.53 at the close of business, March 27, 1926.

C. R. HILL, Cashier.

PALMYRA.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Martin spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hollonbeck. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Edwards and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Tim Edwards. Donald Lane is on the sick list. Mrs. Will Sutton is ill. D. L. Maxedon and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Williamson.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Elzy and Grace Keyes spent Saturday night with Wallace Graven and family. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Maxedon and son Jackie, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lane and son. Mr. and Mrs. Bart Tull and son Dean, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Sampson.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Edwards and Mrs. Chloe Misenheimer spent Friday in Decatur. Mrs. Margaret Waggoner of Decatur spent the week end with her daughters Mrs. Rex Garrett and Mrs. Paul Edwards. Services will be held at Lynn Creek church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Carder and daughter spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pifer.

CADWELL

Mr. and Mrs. John Davis, former residents of Cadwell are planning to move back to Cadwell into the J. W. Osborn house. Cadwell friends welcome them back. John Jones and family, Russell Sanders and family attended the funeral of Bennie Crutsinger at Arthur, Tuesday.

Mrs. Reuben Bilbrey and daughter Mrs. Flora Ballard, visited John Dillion and family in Arthur Tuesday and Wednesday. Mrs. Laura Taylor visited with Mrs. Mabel Craig Tuesday.

I. V. Hill returned home Saturday from a month's visit in Newton. John Bolton returned home from Pana Tuesday where he has been helping care for his brother, Lang Bolton, who was seriously burned about two weeks ago. There is very little hopes entertained for his recovery.

Bessie Ballard returned to Decatur Monday after spending Sunday with home folks. Clovis Milans and family spent Sunday with Walter Wisner and family.

A number of the children of Cadwell school have the whooping cough. —Ed Queary took his father W. B. Queary to his home in Renwick, Iowa, leaving here Tuesday. Mr. W. B. Queary has been staying at the home of his daughter Mrs. Everett for several months and has been ill.

BIRTHDAY DINNER

Mrs. Mont Ballard celebrated her 60th birthday anniversary at her home in Cadwell Sunday, April 4th. Quite a number of her friends and relatives gathered at the noon hour with well filled baskets and by the aid of Mrs. Ballard's help in preparing the dinner, a most wonderful dinner was served. A beautiful birthday cake prepared by her daughter Mrs. Charles Payne with 60 candles was lit and blown out by Mrs. Ballard.

A most enjoyable time was had by everyone. Most every one remaining for supper and leaving at a late hour wishing Mrs. Ballard many more happy birthdays. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bracken and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Osborn, Mr. and Mrs. James Craig and family, Mr. and Mrs. Faye Taylor and son, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Bilbrey, Mr. and Mrs. Oll Harding and son of Bethany, Mrs. Charles Bolton and two granddaughters, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Payne and children of George Town; Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Beals and son Eddit, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Ballard and family, Miss Bess Ballard of Decatur, Mr. and Mrs. Mont Ballard and son and I. N. Hill.

LAKE CITY.

Miss Gertie Ratjah, of Decatur spent Sunday with Miss Elsie Stackhouse. Frank Noel and T. A. Dickson attended the speaking of Wm. McKinley at Sullivan, Saturday. Roy Wilt and family of near Lovington were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Rankins. Everett Ault was a Decatur caller Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Will Bailey of Decatur were visitors here Monday.

Ausband and Bernard Sellings have returned home after spending several months in Detroit, Michigan. Edna Redfern, who attends school in Chicago, spent the Easter vacation with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Redfern. Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Baker and Mrs. T. F. Winings and daughter Grace, were called to East Moline Tuesday by the illness of Mrs. S. B. Stocks. Frank Noel was a Lovington caller Wednesday.

THE GOSPEL MISSION

H. H. Smith, Supt. 9:30 a. m. Sunday School. 11:00 a. m. Morning worship. 6:30 p. m. Young Peoples services. 7:30 p. m. Evangelistic services. On account of sickness, the prayer meeting this week was changed from Frank Shipman's to M. A. Foster's. On next Tuesday we will have our cottage prayer meeting at Mr. Shipman's. Regular prayer service at the hall on Thursday evening.

Easter Sunday was a real day to us, not because we could wear our new Easter bonnet, but because we could worship a real living Lord. We praise God today that we live on this side of the cross, and we praise Him for the four views we have as we look upon the cross.

The downward point, pointing to the grave where our Lord went down to conquer death and the grave; the upward point, pointing to a risen Lord, who is now setting before the throne interceding for us; one arm pointing backward to Calvary, where flows the cleansing stream and the other arm (oh blessed hope) pointing forward to a coming King.

—A. L. Crockett was a business visitor in Mattoon Saturday.

Vote For JOHN H. BAKER Of SULLIVAN, ILLINOIS Democratic candidate for the Legislature in the 24th Senatorial District. He has had three terms in the Legislature and has the experience that a member should have. Democrats should vote for him. He should win. A cross in the square counts three votes. Primary Tuesday, Apr. 13

R. B. FOSTER FOR STATES ATTORNEY [Portrait of R. B. Foster] Democrats of Moultrie County will select their candidate for States Attorney at the Primary election Tuesday. I am a candidate for that nomination. For the past five years I have been practicing law in Sullivan and my associates and those with whom I have come in contact in the practice of my profession know that I am fully qualified to fill the office which I seek to the best interests of the voters of Moultrie county. Politically I have always been a Democrat. I have never held elective office. The County Committee of my party will bear witness that I have always been ready and willing to cooperate when called upon to aid my party. The office of states attorney is an important one. If you nominate and elect me to fill it, I promise to do it to the very best of my ability. The primary election is Tuesday of next week. Go to the polls and ask for a Democratic ballot. Place a square in front of my name and I will certainly appreciate it. R. B. FOSTER

CHURCH NOTES

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Special days come and go bringing to us blessing and new aspiration, but we move on with thoughts of even brighter days, and richer blessings.

Last Lord's day our hearts were moved with thoughts of the marvelous sacrifice and glorious triumph of our Lord and Master, together with the new and risen life. We were made further to rejoice in seeing a goodly number unite with us, in one body, to exalt His name, and seek the building up of the kingdom of truth, righteousness and love in human hearts. We rejoiced that was done not only in our own little church, but in other churches in the community, state and nation, and that in this nation was blessed as never before in the great army of men and women who have taken their stand as humble followers of the Christ, with faith in Almighty God. We have all cause for rejoicing that the church universal is mightier in power today than in any previous day in the world's history.

Next Sunday it is necessary that the pastor be out of town. We will have with us Rev. John Wolever, a classmate in Auburn Theological Seminary, New York. Mr. Wolever has spoken here before. He is a man of rare ability, and if possible we trust you will have the privilege to hear his message for the day.

Kindly remember the Sunday school and Bible study. The thought is the story of the creation and brings to mind the thought of your own being. What is the status of our being today?

Come out, if possible, and enjoy the services of the day.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Geo. M. Anderson, Minister.

Easter Sunday was a glorious day in every way. The weather was ideal and favorable for the special program of the day. There were at least 316 present at Bible School to enjoy the special program and to have part in the study of the Easter lesson. An invitation was given at the close of the Bible School hour during which time the following came forward and made their public confession of their faith in the Christ and to become members of the church: Edna May Frantz, Sylvia Lock, Valeria Lundy.

The cantata which was given by the choir during the evening hour was also a success in every way. The church was filled to capacity for this annual song festival.

The pageant, "The Royal Way" which will be given by the young people of the church will be postponed until Sunday evening, April 18th.

Friday evening of this week, April 9th, the Christian church of Mattoon will put on a play entitled "Basis of Christian Unity". It will be given at the Grand theatre in Mattoon. Any body wishing tickets (which are 50c) see your local pastor.

The church and its activities are a fundamental part of any and all Christian life. The church and Christian life are essentially one. The sermon subject for next Sunday morning will be "The Church a Divine Institution".

Mrs. Clara M. Brandenburger was elected last Wednesday evening as superintendent of the midweek services for the coming quarter. Mrs. Wm. Bennett has served this office faithfully and well during the last quarter and we commend her good works. We are looking forward to find fellowship and constructive and helpful prayer meetings during the present quarter under the leadership of our new superintendent.

Fathers' and sons' banquet is the next biggest event on our calendar.

PRYMOUTH BRETHREN

A. J. Burville, Pastor.

Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m.

Sunday afternoon we will be at Masonic Home. We always enjoy our meetings with the old folks at the Home. There is always a welcome and they appreciate the services.

We have been studying "Mussolini" Italy's distator. Study this man with the predicted coming Man of Sin in

the New Testament. According to prophecy Rome and Italy comes to the front in the ending of the period. Rome certainly is coming to the front today as prophecy in the Bible has foretold. The church of England or the Episcopalian church of this country is fast going back to the Catholic church from which she came out of in the time of Henry the eighth of England. Listen to "Mussolini's" blasphemy, "I would enter into alliance at this moment with the devil himself; with the antichrist if this world give this poor country tranquility." "If the Eternal Father were to say to me, 'I am your friend', I would put up my fists to Him". The world in its unrest today is looking for a leader. We are living in a perilous times. Remember before this leader comes of which the Bible foretells God's people of the church will be taken away. We know not the day or the hour. But we do know that when this glorious time comes, it will be seven years according to Daniel till the ending of the period; till the setting up of that kingdom of a thousand years spoken of in the 20 chapter of Rev.

Prayer meeting at the home of Mrs. Noah Welch on this coming Wednesday night.

Bible class at the home on Friday night.

Christian Endeavor at 6:30 Sunday night. Subject, "What the Blood Does".

All are welcome.

ALLENVILLE CHRISTIAN CHURCH

While the weather interferred somewhat with the services during the week yet Sunday was a big day with good audiences and splendid interest at all the services.

122 attended the Bible school.

32 read the book of Acts.

Next Sunday morning our sermon subject will be: "The Gospel in Architecture", "The Man Who Sold His Soul For a Meal" will be the theme Sunday evening.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

C. D. Robertson, Pastor.

The new interior is very attractive, and the return of the congregation to the church on Easter was an occasion of rejoicing and inspiration. A full Sunday School, attendance at morning and evening service which taxed the capacity of the auditorium, and a spirit of interest and enthusiasm, were features of the day. The pageant presented by the Intermediate Department was well rendered. The program of songs and pictures given in the evening by the Sunday School chorus was interesting and beautiful.

The services being conducted each night this week are well attended and occasions of pleasant Christian fellowship and worship. We are glad to welcome the former pastors and other visitors to the pulpit.

The congregation is grateful to the county authorities for the use of the court room; it was a very comfortable place in which to hold the services.

The services for Sunday and the week following are as follows:

Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. Hugh Murray, superintendent.

Morning worship at 10:45 a. m. Mrs. T. W. Asher, superintendent of the Baby Fold at Normal, will speak.

The evening service at 7:30 p. m. will be in charge of the Epworth League. Mrs. Asher will speak again and will illustrate her evening address with stereopticon slides.

No one should miss Mrs. Asher. She has a most interesting story to tell, and she tells it in a fascinating manner. There will be no pulling for money. Mrs. Asher can and does rely upon the appeal of her work itself to secure sufficient interest to support it. But it is work which has a tremendous heart appeal.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Claude Watson, Arthur -----21
 Marie Miller, Arcola -----18
 Louie R. Humphrey, Arthur -----19
 Mabel Kart, Arthur -----21

Cecil Humphrey the father of the young man accompanied the couple and gave his consent to issuing the license.

CANDIDATE'S ANNOUNCEMENT

FOR REPRESENTATIVE
 We are authorized to announce that **H. H. HAWKINS** is a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Representative in the Legislature from the 24th Senatorial District. Primary Tuesday, April 13th 44-4f

COUNTY CLERK
 We are authorized to announce **T. C. FLEMING** as Democratic candidate for County Clerk. Primary election April 13th.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE
 We are authorized to announce that **HUGH M. RIGNEY** is a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Representative in the Legislature from the 24th Senatorial District. Primary Tuesday, April 13th 51-4f

FOR COUNTY TREASURER
 We are authorized to announce **GEORGE A. DAUGHERTY** as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for County Treasurer, primary, April 13th.

FOR SHERIFF
W. O. FUNSTON has authorized us to announce he is a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Sheriff. Primary April 13th.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE
 We are authorized to announce that **J. H. BAKER** is a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Representative in the Legislature. Primary election April 13th.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER
 We are authorized to announce that **S. T. BOLIN** is a candidate for the Democratic nomination for County Treasurer. Primary April 13th.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE
 We are authorized to announce that **R. D. MEEKER** is a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the Legislature. His name will appear fourth on the ballot

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS
 We are authorized to announce that **NETTIE L. ROUGHTON** is a candidate for the Democratic nomination for re-election to the office of Superintendent of Schools.

FOR SHERIFF
 We are authorized to announce that **H. V. WEATHERLY** is a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Sheriff. Primary election April 13. 3-4f

FOR COUNTY JUDGE
 We are authorized to announce that **JOHN T. GRIDER** is a candidate for re-nomination for the office of County Judge, subject to the wishes of the Democratic party as expressed at the primary election April 13th.

FOR COUNTY CLERK
 We are authorized to announce that **JAMES R. PIFER** is a candidate for the Democratic nomination for County Clerk. Primary election April 13th.

FOR STATES ATTORNEY
 We are authorized to announce that **W. R. HUFF** is a candidate for the Democratic nomination for States Attorney. Primary election, Tuesday, April 13th.

FOR STATES ATTORNEY
 We are authorized to announce that **R. B. FOSTER** is a candidate for the Democratic nomination for States Attorney. Primary Tuesday, April 13th.

REPUBLICAN
 We are authorized to announce that **D. G. CARNINE** Cashier Allenville People's State Bank is a candidate for the Republican nomination for **COUNTY TREASURER** subject to the primary election April 13th.

CUSHMAN.
 Walter Foster visited in Decatur Saturday evening.
 Jack Noel of Lake City spent Sunday in the O. A. Foster home.

Flossie Randol and Lillie Simpson were absent from school Monday on account of sickness.

Mrs. Orval Butts was shopping in Lovington Saturday between trains.

Walter Foster returned to Normal Tuesday after spending ten days' vacation with relatives here.

Nick Foster and family spent Sunday evening with Cliff Collins and family.

Dell Martin delivered a car of baled hay to Cushman last week.

Mrs. Katie Dedman and daughter Dollie, of Sullivan spent Monday and Tuesday with Leo Murphy and family.

Mrs. Ollie Foster was shopping in Sullivan Saturday.

Mrs. Mary Butts went to Sullivan Saturday for an extended visit with

Mrs. S. W. Wright.
 Mrs. Jesse Reedy was shopping in Sullivan Monday.

NAZERINE CHURCH
 L. C. Bennett, Pastor.
 Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
 Edith Aldridge, superintendent.
 Sunday evening service 7:30.
 Wednesday prayer service at the church, 7:30 p. m.
 Thursday prayer band will meet at the home of Mrs. L. C. Bennett at 2:30 p. m.
 Friday evening services 7:30 o'clock at the home of John Baker, McClelland Street. Every one welcome.

—Don Pearson who was in the Memorial Hospital in Mattoon last week following an operation for appendicitis was brought home Saturday by his parents Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pearson.

—R. M. Tull, who is at the home of

his daughter in Windsor is reported seriously ill.

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For
 Congress
 George
 W.
 Byers



Hon. George W. Byers, who is making the race for Congress in the 19th district and who is opposing Congressman Charles Adkins, whom he claims does not represent the district in the best interests of the farmers and the agricultural interests. Mr. Byers owns and operates a fine farm of 500 acres near Tuscola and is in close touch with the needs and requirements of the farming element, which is just now being hard hit. Mr. Byers is making a canvass of the 19th district and receiving some warm support from the newspapers, who recognize him as a man of wide vision and great natural ability and common sense.

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COUNTY TREASURER

On next Tuesday, April 13th, the Democrats will select their candidate for County Treasurer.

I am a candidate for that nomination.

I have made an active campaign of the county, but owing to bad roads and weather conditions, I will not be able to see all the voters, therefore I take this method of reaching you.

I served the people of Moultrie County as County Treasurer, for one term, 1910 to 1914. The experience gained at that time, would be of value to me, in case I am selected to serve you again.

I shall endeavor to merit your support, which I earnestly solicit.

George A. Daughtery

FLEMING

FOR

COUNTY CLERK

The office of the County Clerk has the same relative position to the county that the office of Secretary of State occupies in the state, and in many respects the most important office in the county.

All probate matters are handled through this office. Wills must be recorded, administrators, executors, guardians and conservators are appointed to handle estates. All jury lists are handled through this office.

The County Clerk is clerk of the County Court and as such clerk makes all the records for the County Court. He is also clerk of the County Board and records all proceedings of that body.

All county warrants are drawn by the clerk, mothers relief and blind pension warrants are issued and recorded, hunting and fishing licenses issued, marriage, birth and death certificates are placed on record.

All tax extension work is done in this office and all the work of handling state and county elections for Moultrie County is done by the County Clerk.

All these and numerous other duties are constantly coming before the County Clerk for his official attention. This is just a brief mention of the more important things that are taken care of in the office of the County Clerk. It is, therefore, extremely important to you that you have a competent man in charge of this office.

Fleming has had five years training and experience in the work in this office and he is thoroughly competent and efficient.

Think these things over, give them your serious consideration and take a little time to go to the primary Tuesday, April 13, and vote for

FLEMING For COUNTY CLERK

Vote For

JOHN H. BAKER

Of

SULLIVAN, ILLINOIS

Democratic candidate for the Legislature in the 24th Senatorial District. He has had three terms in the Legislature and has the experience that a member should have. Democrats should vote for him. He should win. A cross in the square counts three votes.

Primary Tuesday, Apr. 13

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COLES.

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Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davis spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Todd Davis and family.

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SULLIVAN, ILLINOIS

Rev. E. F. Grizzell spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cheeley and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Shirey and family, Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Hinton and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hunt and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cooley and daughter Anna Mary, called on Mr. and Mrs. Ray Gearhart and daughter Mary, Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Esau Feller and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bud Davis and daughters, Nora and Fern.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Jeffries and family, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Claxon and son spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Henderson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Waverley Mathias and baby and Mrs. Nora Bouck spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Mathias and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman French and family, Mr. and Mrs. Don Hopper spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Omer Messmore.

Mrs. Viola Scoby spent Easter with Mr. and Mrs. Will Scoby in Neoga.

—MARK FOR HARK.

GAYS.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlow Bowman and baby of Champaign, spent Sunday with his parents Mr. and Mrs. George Bowman.

The funeral services for Albert Norman Mattox, baby boy of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Mattox, were held Monday at the Gays Methodist church, Rev. Blythe officiating.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Smith and family from Mattoon and Mr. and Mrs. Hopper and baby spent Easter with Mr. and Mrs. James Shaffer.

Minnie Shadows and Billy Humbel spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Cullen.

Mrs. Ed Finch passed away Easter morning. Her body was taken to Peers' undertaking parlors and prepared for burial. Services were conducted Tuesday morning at Humboldt and interment in the nearby cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. John Smith and daughter Betty, from Mattoon and Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Smith and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Smith.

Kate Huntington spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. Anna Castevens.

Mr. and Mrs. Omer Webb have returned to their home after making a two weeks' visit here with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Herschel Harrison and Mrs. Dan Farrell spent Saturday evening visiting with Mrs. James Shaffer.

Mrs. Grier, from Lincoln, visited her sister Mrs. King, last week.

WEDDINGS

Louie R. Humphrey and Mabel Korte of Arthur were married Saturday afternoon at the Christian church parsonage. Rev. Geo. M. Anderson officiated at the ceremony.

Claude E. Watson of Arthur and Marie Miller of Arcola, were married Monday afternoon about 5 o'clock at the Christian parsonage. Delmar Elder and Ada Brown accompanied the couple as witnesses. Mr. and Mrs. Watson are planning to make their home on a farm south of Arthur.

FLEMING FOR COUNTY CLERK

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ALLENVILLE.

Mr. and Mrs. George Leffler spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dale Holsapple and children.

Rev. and Mrs. W. B. Hopper of Sullivan, spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Carnine.

Oral Ridgway of Bloomington, Indiana, spent the week end with his parents Rev. and Mrs. G. R. Ridgway Fred Winchester, Jesse Moran, Vernon Pettit, Ray Burchard and Art Pettit, who are employed at Warrensburg, spent the week end with home folks.

Mrs. John Turner was seriously ill the first of the week with LaGrippe.

Bill Black and family spent Sunday with Mrs. J. H. Humphrey.

Olaf Miller was unable to return to work in Mattoon Monday on account of illness.

Mrs. H. E. Wernsing visited her daughter in Mattoon, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Ridgway and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Wiley and Olaf Ridgway visited with Rev. and Mrs. G. R. Ridgway, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Misenheimer, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Misenheimer and Misses Ella Gravens and Catherine Misenheimer spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Wernsing.

Olaph Black spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Turner and family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Sutton and son of near Sullivan spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Denham.

Mrs. Oma Crow of Bloomington spent the week end with her mother Mrs. M. Potter.

The M. E. church will have an Easter program Sunday evening.

Miss Marie Black is visiting in Mattoon.

Mrs. H. E. Wernsing, teacher of the primary class at the M. E. church, entertained the little folks Saturday afternoon to an egg rolling contest. By the roads being so bad, not very many were present but all those that were there reported a fine time.

Olaph Black of Sullivan was a visitor here Tuesday.

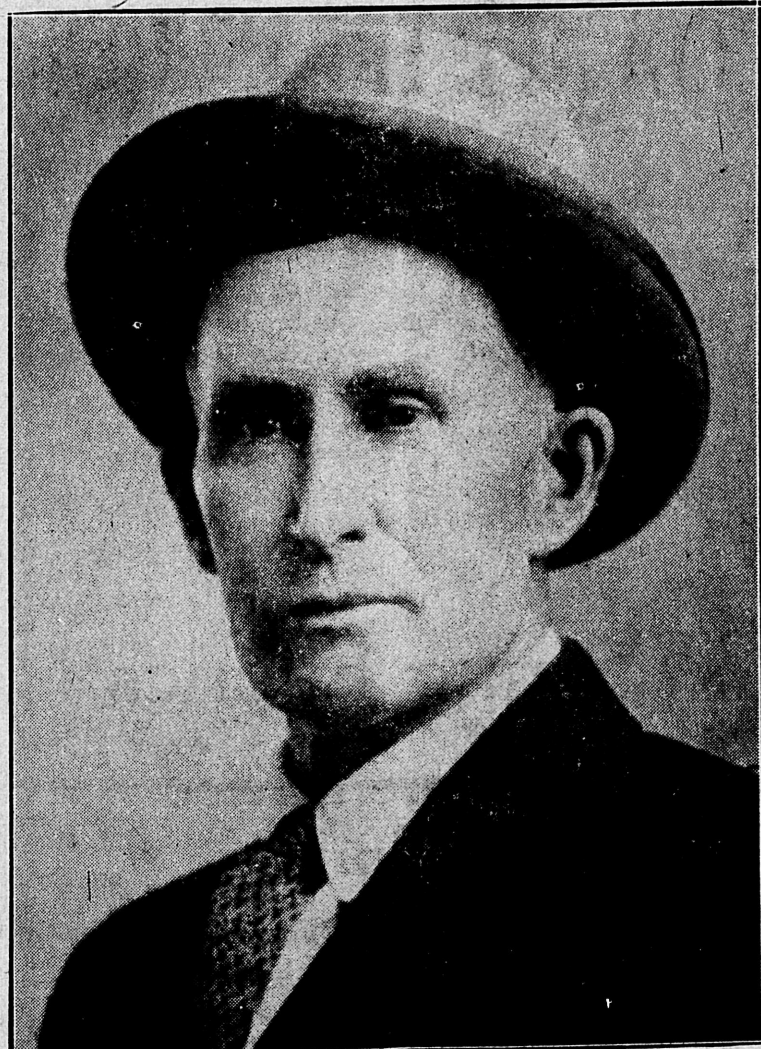
Mrs. Maude Martin and children of Decatur are visiting here.

BETHANY.

Mrs. T. C. Walton of Shelbyville spent last week with her parents Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Ward. Mr. Ward is in poor health.

Calvin Davis, aged farmer, living south of town, fell and broke a bone in his wrist, early Friday morning.

H. V. Weatherly
For
Sheriff



Just a word to my friends, the Democratic voters of Moultrie county. I have done my best to make a clean campaign; have been fair and square with one and all; made no promises and belong to no one faction. My hands are not tied, as I have never felt that a man could give good work to all with his hands tied. I stand for what is right between man and God.

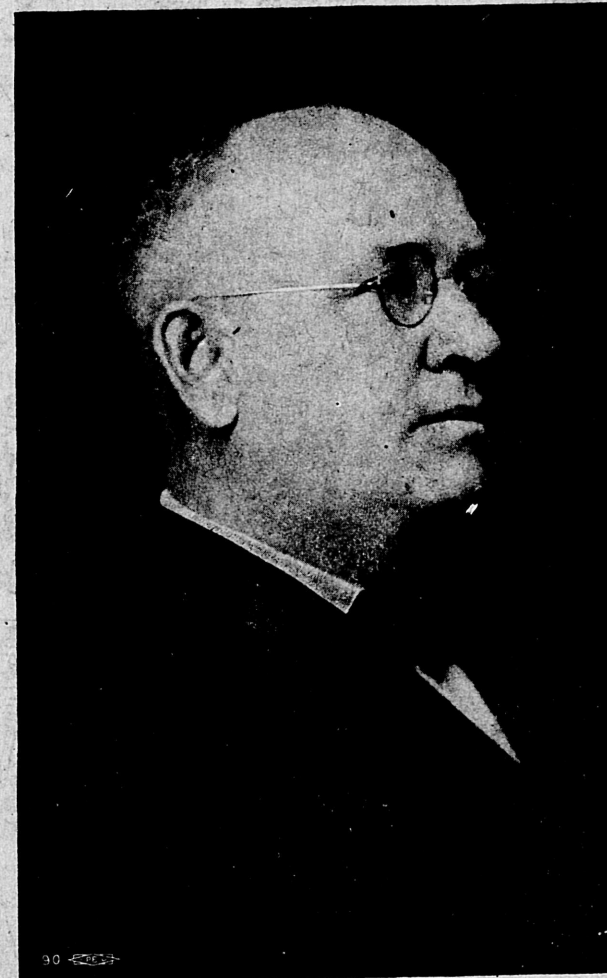
I believe in the enforcement of our laws and equal justice to all. I am willing to abide by the votes cast in Tuesday's election, with the best feeling towards my opponent.

Thanking my friends for what they have done in my behalf, I am awaiting results.

Don't stop in the middle of the stream to trade horses, lest you be swept overboard.

"Mark For Hark"

FOR THE LEGISLATURE
Raymond D. Meeker



EXPERIENCED REPRESENTATION

On Tuesday, April 13th the Democrats of this Legislative District will select the man who will represent them in the General Assembly at Springfield for the next two years.

Under the agreement in effect in this district, this is Moultrie County's time to send a representative. The next two terms will go to a Champaign County man and then Piatt County's turn will come.

A new man at Springfield would hardly get acquainted in two year's time much less be able to do much representing. The men who are really in charge of the state's affairs come from districts where the same legislators are returned term after term.

I cite this to show that experience at Springfield is necessary for a Moultrie County man, if he would do effective work.

My four-year term in the State Senate, 1912 to 1916 gave me an insight into the matters of legislation. I know the men on both sides who are in charge of the state's affairs.

I respectfully ask the voters of this district to take these matters into consideration when they select their nominee on April 13th. Your support during the campaign and your votes on election day will be greatly appreciated.

OBSERVED MRS. STEELE'S 51ST BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARY

On Easter Sunday the children of Mrs. Joe Steele planned and carried out a surprise on her at her home in honor of her 51st birthday. Mrs. Steele went to Sunday school and church and upon returning home at noon she found the table well filled with good things to eat.

A large angel food cake with 51 candles was the attraction. Little Misses Prietta and Mildred Steele, granddaughters of Mrs. Steele blew out the candles.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Steele and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Steele and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Pifer and daughter June, Mr. and Mrs. Alva Courtright and daughter Wanda, Misses Thelma and Waunetta Steele, Velma and Ina Eaton and Cecil Carter and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Steele.

EASTER SERVICES AT THE CHRISTIAN CHURCH

The church members and friends were privileged to fully enjoy and celebrate Easter Sunday this year. The changeable weather man was unusually liberal in giving us a beautiful, quiet, sunshining day. The men especially seemed to take advantage of this weather for it was estimated that they had the largest Men's Class that had ever gathered before on Easter Sunday. All classes, however, were well attended.

The Bible School program was as follows: Three selections from the Bible School orchestra. Readings by Miss Mae Newlin and Marion Pifer. Vocal solo by Onabelle Anderson and a song by the Beginners Department. The offering was \$34.50. During the invitation of the Bible School hour the following came forward to profess their faith in the risen Lord: Edna May Frantz, Sylvia Locke and Valeria Lundy.

The Lord's Supper was observed during the morning worship hour. The special music for this service was a trio by Mrs. Cora Fleming, Mrs. Edith Haydon and Mrs. Mabel George. The Easter sermon message was "The Disappointing Christ". Christ was a disappointment to the people of his day because of what the people expected from Him and second because of the things that Jesus expected from the people. But after the resurrection these same disappointed people sold all their possessions and parted them as they had need. They were now willing to suffer as martyrs.

Redemption's Song, an Easter cantata, by Fred B. Holton, was given by the choir during the evening service. This was an outstanding musical event which was appreciated by the large number of people present. The Easter cantata has for sometime, been considered as an annual event and is anticipated each year with a great deal of interest. Mrs. Mabel George was director of the choir this year.

FULLER'S POINT.

Miss Mabel Furness a teacher in the Moose Heart schools near Aurora, Ill. and Elmer Furness a student in the U. of I., spent Easter with their parents Mr. and Mrs. John Furness.

Cecil Creath spent a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Creath and family. Returning to his school work Monday at the U. of I.

Lela and Paul Knight of Mattoon and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hall spent Sunday with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Cannoy and family.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Rominger, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Carnine, Mrs. Edith Hunt, Mrs. Lizzie Rightall and John Furness were business callers in Mattoon, Monday.

A. V. Phillips and Ellison Hunt were business callers in Charleston Monday.

M. O. Rominger served as one of the judges and Chester Carnine as clerk at the township election held at Cooks Mills Tuesday.

EAST HUDSON.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Woodruff and daughter Lorraine and Mr. and Mrs. Orr Hilliard of Sullivan spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ira Mayberry and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Franklin and son Clovis, Miss Ann Elliott and Carrie Herendeen spent Monday in Decatur.

Miss Telva Monroe of Sullivan and Mr. James Killmer of Mattoon spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Chris Monroe.

Mrs. W. D. Patterson passed Friday in Sullivan with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Foster and son Richard.

Mr. and Mrs. Blane Foster of Lovington spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Mumma.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Monroe passed Friday in Sullivan with Mr. and Mrs. George Monroe and daughter Telva.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Patterson spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Mumma.

ARTHUR.

The body of Mrs. Willis Fulfer of Champaign was brought to Arthur Saturday. The funeral was conducted at the Lincoln St. church and burial in the Arthur cemetery. She was a former Arthur resident and a sister of Mrs. Ballard and Mrs. Lloyd Bingard of this city.

Imun Bartholmew of Mattoon died Saturday at his home, death being caused from appendicitis. The funeral was conducted at the Mattoon church and burial was in the Arthur cemetery. He was a former Arthur resident.

Bennie Crutsinger passed away Monday after a long illness of pneumonia. He leaves a mother, wife and one son.

The XIII club were entertained at the home of Miss Leola Bradford recently.

Tuesday club met with Mrs. Wayne Howell, Tuesday.

The seniors have chosen the class play, "The Charm School" which is to be given about April 15th and 16th.

The Arthur High School band will enter the state and national contests held at Urbana, April 20th.

The district of West Prairie or Creation, held an election Saturday afternoon. The purpose of this was to build a new school house east of the present building and divide the district. The vote carried 40 to 7.

Charley Warren and family are here for a short visit.

A course of instructions in making crystalline lamp shades was given at the Blue Bird confectionery this week.

Glen DeHart has been appointed deputy sheriff.

MARK FOR HARK.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Estate of Rachel S. Randol deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed administrator of the estate of Rachel S. Randol late of the county of Moultrie and the state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Moultrie county, at the Court House in Sullivan, at the June term on the first Monday in June 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 23rd day of March A. D. 1926.

HARRY RANDOL,
Administrator.

Thompson & Wright,
Attorneys.
(First pub'l. March 26, '26. 13-3)

CHURCH OF GOD

Pastor, A. L. Childress.
9:45—Sunday School.
11:00 preaching service.
Also preaching service in the evening at 7:30.

The Bible class will be Friday evening at Mrs. Dowers' residence, also the sewing circle will meet at her home Friday afternoon.

The pastor delivered a wonderful message last Sunday morning on the resurrection of our Lord and what it really means to us.

Bro. J. E. Day delivered the evening message on the death, burial and resurrection. Both were very much enjoyed.

LOCALS

—Mrs. Guy L. Kellar is on the sick list.

—Mrs. Winifred Titus is on the sick list.

—W. A. Newbould attended a sales meeting at the Orlando hotel, Decatur, Saturday.

—Miss Mae Austin and Lee Roughton, students at Charleston, visited home folks over Sunday.

—Mrs. Claude Harris of Decatur visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ira McIlwain over Easter.

—Mr. and Mrs. Martin of Decatur visited with the latter's sister, Mrs. Verne Siron and family, Sunday.

—Mrs. Mattie Fread went to Decatur Wednesday to say at the home of her daughter Mrs. Earl Righter, who is ill.

—Mrs. Angie Wright returned to her home in this city Friday, after spending several months with relatives in St. Louis.

—Mrs. R. C. Parks, daughter Miss Helen and son Henry, visited at the home of Mrs. Parks' mother Mrs. Amanda Purvis, Saturday and Sunday.

—Mrs. W. O. Potter and son William returned to their home in Decatur Thursday after spending several days at the home of Mrs. Potter's mother, Mrs. Angie Wright.

—Henry and Maxine Wright, Fern Garrett, Fred Hoskins and Warren Weber returned to Jacksonville Wednesday after spending the Easter vacation with relatives and friends in this city.

—Mrs. Rosa Humble was called to Mansfield to the bedside of her daughter and granddaughter Mrs. J. L. Whirrell and Lucile Rozella, who are very ill with the flu. Mr. Whirrell is also very ill.

—A pot luck dinner and bridge party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Monroe, Thursday night in honor of their guests Misses Mildred, Ruth and Grace Parkhill and Mrs. Clyde Allott, all of Champaign.

—W. G. Kessel, father of Frank Kessel of this city, observed his 80th birthday anniversary at the home of his son W. W. Kessel in Mattoon on Wednesday of last week. Before moving to Mattoon the elder Kessel was a farmer in the North Okaw township.

—MARK FOR HARK.

—C. H. Bolton of Cadwell, passed through Sullivan Monday morning on his way home from Pana where he visited his son Lang Bolton. This son, a fireman at one of the big Pana greenhouses, was badly burned a short time ago when his clothes caught fire while he was asleep. His condition is still serious and but little hope is entertained for his recovery. He has a wife and one child.

—Mrs. Etta Bishop, son William, Helen Moore Newbould and Paul Offenstine of Decatur visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Newbould Sunday.

—Gloyd Rose, who is a Senior in the S. T. H. S. has made arrangements to enter Illinois College at Jacksonville in September.

—Miss Louise Bach spent Sunday at her home in Bloomington.

—FLEMING FOR COUNTY CLERK

—Misses Gladys Lewis and Zelda Pape, instructors at the S. T. H. S. visited with Miss Pape's parents in Mattoon, Sunday.

—Mabel Hollis of Decatur is spending this week with her grandmother Mrs. Elvira Stricklan.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Ziese of Decatur visited at the home of his mother Mrs. Alice Ziese, Saturday and Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer McIlwain and son Billy and Miss Mary Patterson spent Sunday in Decatur.

—Miss Mildred Moore was a Decatur caller, Tuesday.

—Drake Sutter of Lovington spent Sunday in this city.

—Miss Mildred Lowe of Decatur arrived Thursday of last week for a visit with her grandmother Mrs. Genevieve Lowe. She returned to Decatur Monday. Miss Lowe is a student nurse and will graduate from Decatur and Macon County hospital in May.

For State Treasurer

William J. Stratton

To the Republicans of Illinois:

If I am nominated by the Republican Party and elected by the people of Illinois to the office of State Treasurer, I hereby pledge the people that I will administer that office faithfully, honestly and efficiently; strictly according to the Constitution and Laws of our State.

State funds entrusted to my charge will be deposited in responsible banking institutions of the State and all interest earned on State funds will be publicly accounted for and will accrue strictly to the benefit and profit of the State.

Under no circumstances will I accept any emoluments, either directly or indirectly, other than the salary fixed by law as the Treasurer's compensation.

I shall ask for no appropriation from the Legislature except for the legitimate and economical maintenance of the Treasurer's office.

I will exert my influence to reduce public expenditures, if possible, and to curtail appropriations and thereby seek to reduce the State tax rate for the benefit of the farmers, the laboring men and women, the manufacturers and the business people of our commonwealth generally.

I will devote my time exclusively to the duties and responsibilities of the Treasurer's office and will attend personally to the proper and efficient functioning of this important State executive department.

It is evident from the information that has come to me that a few bankers in Jefferson, Kane, Knox, Morgan, Peoria and Sangamon counties practically monopolize the deposits of State funds, whereby the 1600 or 1700 other banks in the State are discriminated against, although most of these banks would be qualified to serve the State in the capacity of depositaries.

I call upon Mr. Garrett DeF. Kinney, who is one of my opponents for the Republican nomination, to state to the Republicans of Illinois, frankly and without equivocation, if it is not true that he, himself, has been and is now a favorite of this little banking clique, and is it not true, Mr. Kinney, that you have drawn \$500 a month of public funds from the State Treasurer's office, without rendering any adequate service to the State for this money?

Mr. Kinney brags about his business qualifications. I want to ask Mr. Kinney if he believes that it is a mark of business integrity, by political maneuvering to secure pay from the State Treasurer's office without rendering any service to the State? Is this the kind of business qualification that Mr. Kinney deems adequate for State Treasurer? Does Mr. Kinney think the securing of money from the State Treasurer's office under cover a qualification to be State Treasurer?

I have had the honor to work for the people of the State of Illinois for the past 12 years. I was first appointed by Governor Lowden and honored by Governor Small as Director of Conservation. I have given all my time, all my energy, without stint to the duties of my office and the service of the people of Illinois. I ask my fellow Republicans to vote for me for State Treasurer, upon my record of honest and efficient service to the State.

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