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Four Farm Fires Arouse Suspicion of Incendiarism

**Unexplained Origin of Destructive
Blazes Seems to Indicate That Fire-
Bug May Be Roaming at Large.**

There have been four big fires near Sullivan since last Friday. Jonathan Creek township had two big fires Tuesday evening. The barn on the Tom Kinsel place, North of Sullivan, burned Sunday morning and the Ernie Galbreath residence, North of Allenville burned Friday afternoon.

The cause of all of the fire is a mystery in practically each case and leads to the belief that a fire-bug is at large who is applying a torch.

The first of these four fires, that on the Galbreath place occurred about three o'clock Friday afternoon while the family was away from home picking blackberries. This place is located on the East road to Allenville and was the last place passed going South before crossing the Okaw bridge.

There had been no fire in the cook-stove for more than two weeks and the members of the family are positive that the oil stove was not burning at the time they left home. Mr. Galbreath had bought this place a few months ago. None of the contents of the building were saved.

The Tom Kinsel fire occurred early Sunday morning. A story of this fire appears on page 3 of this issue.

Baker House Burns.
Tuesday evening while all of the members of the Cliff Baker family were absent from home their residence, known as the Old Jim Davidson house, northeast of the Masonic Home, in Jonathan Creek township, caught fire. Neighbors saw the flames. Mr. Baker, at the time, was in this city getting the children who had been visiting here during the day. Mrs. Baker was busily helping at the chicken supper of the Jonathan Creek church which was being served at the W. K. Bolin home.

Nothing was saved out of the building but one rug and four rockers. A barn burned on this place about a year ago. The house was an old structure, the first part of which had been erected about 55 years ago. Additions were built to it later. A Summer kitchen adjoining the house was also burned.

There had been no fire in the stove during the day. Mr. Baker used the oil stove in the evening to heat some water before he came to this city, but is almost certain that he turned it out before leaving. Even if not turned out, there is no reason why the stove should have gone on a rampage and caused a fire or explosion.

Ryan Barn Destroyed.
Only a few hours later the big barn on the J. J. Ryan place a few miles Northeast of the Baker place was discovered on fire. Nothing was saved out of it but two sets of harness. In this barn were about 175 bushels of wheat, 700 bushels of oats and some corn and hay. Three other outbuildings near the barn were also burned.

As in the other three cases no reason can be assigned for a fire starting in the barn.

Loren Monroe of this city attended the state convention of rural mail carriers at Bloomington, Friday. Others from this county who attended were E. Bliss Schwartz and Ira Lietch of Bethany. Mr. Schwartz was elected as a delegate from this state to attend the national convention at Philadelphia, Aug. 31, Sept. 1, 2 and 3rd.

Misses Gertrude McClure, Marie Hoke and Mary Emily Lewis and Mrs. Gertrude Fortner are spending a week in Detroit.

Miss Marjorie Bupp is taking the place of Mrs. Inez Gaddis, who is on her vacation from her duties in the offices of McLaughlin & Billman.

Mrs. Rose McCarthy, telephone operator is having a week's vacation. Her brother Bennet Hengst, wife and family of Chicago, are enjoying the week at the McCarthy home.

A. G. Cochran of Tulsa, Okla. but who at present is vacationing in Northern Iowa, will come to this city August 17th for a visit with his daughter Miss Maurine Cochran and other relatives.

Mrs. John Gauger was called to Kenton, Ohio, Thursday on account of the illness of her parents.

The contract for the plumbing and heating of the new addition of the high school at Sydney, has been awarded to L. T. Hagerman & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Powell entertained a number of friends to dinner Sunday. Those present were Miss Ella Richardson, Mrs. Cannon, Mrs. Ethel Newbould, son Harold, daughter Enid.

Miles Mattox spent the week end in Pana with relatives.

Miss Grace Grider, operator at the local telephone exchange, is enjoying a week's vacation.

ALL OF COUNTY ASKED TO PICNIC WITH FARMERS HERE ON AUGUST 25TH

A request has been made to all commercial clubs of the county to ask the business men of their respective communities to close shop on Wednesday, August 25th and attend the big annual Farm Bureau picnic.

Some of the features of the picnic will be baseball, band concert, speaking, horseshoe pitching, male quartette, bathing and dancing.

Earl C. Smith, the president of the Illinois Agricultural Association will be here to deliver an address which will be of interest to all who want prosperity on the farm.

The program in detail is as follows:

- Program.**
10:00 Horseshoe pitching starts. Contestants to be on hand promptly. Prizes \$10.00 and \$5.00.
10:30 Demonstration. Treating wheat for covered smut by copper dust method.
11:00 T. B. demonstration on Poultry—Dr. Taylor, county veterinarian.
11:00 Band concert—Sullivan band
11:30 Tug of War. Township teams, 10 men on each team. Prize 40 tons limestone. Spreader on exhibition.
12:00 Picnic Dinner. Table accommodations.
1:00 Band concert—Sullivan band
1:30 Speaking—Earl C. Smith, President I. A. A.
2:30 Baseball game. Moultrie county has challenged Coles county.
3:00 Musical program. Local talent.
8:00 Dance. Alternating, square and round dances.
Bathing all day.

DR. W. S. WILLIAMSON OPENS OFFICE HERE

Dr. W. S. Williamson this week moved to this city and has furnished an office in the residence building owned by his brother Dr. O. M. Williamson, formerly of this city but now living in Decatur.

The new doctor and his wife, formerly Miss Faye Mann of near Allenville, will live on the second floor while the rooms on the first floor have been furnished with a modern medical surgical and laboratory equipment.

Dr. Williamson's education was secured in the Eastern Illinois Teachers College, after which he went to Champaign and there secured his doctor's degree in Arts and Science. He took his medical course in Chicago and for the past year served as an interne in the University hospital.

MRS. MILLER SOLD MILLINERY STORE

Mrs. Jessie Miller has sold her millinery store on Harrison street to Homer W. Wright. Mrs. Mayme Palmer has been placed in charge.

—Monarch Food Products are better. East Side Grocery. Phone 56. tf.

LANDERS REUNION AUGUST 26

The Landers reunion will be held at Wyman Park, Sullivan, Thursday, August 26. Relatives and friends have a special invitation to attend. An interesting program will be given during the afternoon.

Mrs. Ross Thomas, President.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Winchester and family and Miss Fanny Smith were entertained to dinner at the Devore home, Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Elmer McIlwain and son Billie and Miss Mary Patterson of this city attended a supper given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McIlwain at Bethany Thursday evening of last week in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Hervey Smith and daughter of Lincoln, Nebraska.

—Nineteen ladies were entertained at a food demonstration by a representative of an aluminum concern, at the home of Miss Ora Purvis, Monday.

—Miss Louetta Ray, who enjoyed a week's vacation from the offices of L. T. Hagerman & Co., resumed her duties Monday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wits and family of Decatur will spend the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wits and family.

—Mr. and Mrs. Don Harris and Finley Batson of Springfield spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Harris.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ritter and children of Lincoln, left Wednesday after visiting for several days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Jordan.

—Mrs. Irtys Peadro went to Ina Saturday to visit relatives.

—O. C. Weger has purchased a large Buick sedan from R. D. Meeker, who conducts the Fireproof garage.

—Mrs. Ida Spence of Decatur was a caller in this city Monday morning. She visited with Dr. and Mrs. Johnson and Mrs. Tella Pearce.

—Mrs. G. S. Thompson and son George left Friday for a week's visit with the former's daughter Mrs. S. R. Magill, at Auburn.

Battalion Reunion Brought Together 73 Aged Veterans

Many Gathered in Freeland Grove to Help Observe the 26th Annual Reunion of Moultrie Battalion. Many Present From Decatur.

Seventy-three veterans of the War of the Rebellion met here at Sullivan Wednesday. The occasion was the 26th annual reunion of Moultrie County Battalion, G. A. R.

A good program had been prepared for the day and at the request of Mayor Patterson, business places were closed from 1 to 4:30 so as to give the people of this community an opportunity to attend the reunion.

At 10 o'clock in the morning the veterans met in the court house and were registered by Mrs. Nettie L. Roughton, who was in charge of that part of the day's activities. Badges and meal tickets were distributed at this time and the annual election of officers was held with the following result:

Commander—Rev. J. H. Crowder, Bethany.
Senior Vice—J. A. Gregory, Lovington.

Junior vice—T. B. Fultz, Sullivan
Adjutant—Emma Edmiston.

Quartermaster—M. K. Birch.
Chaplain—Judge W. G. Cochran.

At 11:30 the veterans, Women's Relief Corps and Daughters of Veterans marched to Freeland Grove and at 12 o'clock dinner was served by the Daughters in the auditorium.

At 1:30 there was a concert by the Sullivan band.

Mayor Patterson delivered the address of welcome and W. F. Calhoun, commander of the Ballaloun, responded.

There were two patriotic addresses, the first by Mrs. Inez Bender of Decatur, past National President of the W. R. C. and the other by Rev. W. B. Hopper. There were also short addresses by some of the assembled veterans.

A male quartette consisting of O. F. Cochran, C. R. Patterson, Elliott Billman and J. B. Martin sang several selections. W. E. Riggan sang a solo, "The Golden Years."

Among the many out of town visitors present were Congressman Charley Adkins, Joel T. Davis of Tuscola, ex-Mayor Borchers of Decatur and Rev. Osborn, pastor of the First Christian church of Decatur.

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HAMMOND DEFEATED SUNDAY; MATTOON'S BEST COMING NEXT SUNDAY

Hammond came to this city Sunday with a battery which if supported, would have won their game. Horton and Borne knew their stuff but the balance of the team were not up to their standard and Sullivan won 6 to 2.

The following tells the story:

THE BOX SCORE

HAMMOND	AB	R	H	E
Morey, 3b	5	0	1	0
Meece, 2b	4	0	1	0
Borne, c	4	0	0	0
South, 1b	4	0	0	2
Stovall, lf	4	0	0	0
Horton, p	4	0	1	0
Bandy, ss	4	1	0	1
Cane, cf	4	0	0	1
Landgrebe, rf	4	1	1	0
Totals	37	2	4	4
SULLIVAN	AB	R	H	E
Reed, 2b	5	0	1	1
Reeder, ss	4	0	2	0
Poland, 3b	4	0	0	1
Tabor, c	4	0	0	0
Waymire, 1b	4	2	3	1
Combs, cf	4	2	1	0
Knobloch, lf	4	2	1	0
Ford, rf	4	0	0	0
Harsh, p	4	0	3	0
Totals	37	6	11	3

Summary
Struck out—by Harsh 7; Horton 1. Base on balls—off Harsh 2; Horton 1.
2-base hits—Harsh, Knobloch, Waymire (2).
3-base hits—Combs, Landgrebe. Time of game 1:45.
Umpire—Belt.

For Sunday Manager Todd has booked a strong Mattoon team. This is the first Mattoon team to play here in many moons and it is expected that it will be accompanied by a big bunch of rooters.

Sunday's lineup of the two teams will be as follows:

The Mattoon Lineup:
Rags Gullion, 3b, Brandenburg, 1b, Hennings, ss, Tomlin, 2b, Red Gullion, p, Ray, lf, Miller, cf, Ganley, rf, Patterson, c.
The Sullivan Lineup:
Waymire 1b, Reed 2b, Reeder ss, Poland 3b, Harsh p, Tabor c, Knobloch lf, Pribble cf, Combs rf.

—Mrs. Omer Lowe, Mrs. Luther Lowe and Mrs. Emily Moutray spent Wednesday in Decatur.

—Mrs. J. L. Harris of Detroit, is visiting with her mother Mrs. Lem Warner this week.

ELECTRICAL STORM AND HEAVY RAIN VISITED THIS COUNTY WEDNESDAY

Wednesday was about the hottest day of the season. The temperature hovered around the 100 mark all afternoon and the heat was sweltering. Toward evening thunderstorms started brewing in the South and about 7 o'clock they struck Sullivan. The thunder and lightning was terrific. There was but little wind.

Following the electrical display there was a heavy fall of very welcome rain.

The biggest damage reported is the burning of a big barn on the farm of Elder Beachy South of Arthur. It was struck by lightning.

Lightning also struck the William Bland residence west of this city. It followed the telephone and radio wires into the house. Mr. Bland acted promptly and put out a fire after lace curtains had burned, and some minor damage had been done.

CLYDE YATES INJURED

Clyde Yates, one of Henry McKim's C. & E. I. section hands, was painfully injured while assisting in making repairs at the Harrison street crossing. A heavy rail came down on the ball of his left foot with great force. No bones were broken but the member was badly bruised.

SHELBYVILLE COUPLE WED

Noble Paul McKittrick 31, and Clara Thelma Miller 22, both of Shelbyville secured a marriage license here Monday.

LIGHTNING 'EM UP

Leslie Atchison the tire and battery man, is a busy merchant these days. He has the agency for a light plant and he makes a specialty of demonstrating this plant at chicken suppers and similar festivals. The ladies of Jonathan Creek church were very much pleased with the lighting service given them Tuesday night at the Bolin home.

—Mr. and Mrs. Grant Dazey and family, Mr. and Mrs. Art Dazey and family, Mr. and Mrs. Newt Wood and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wood of Decatur spent Sunday at the Rocks east of Charleston, as guests of Mrs. Ocie Wood. Olive Dazey remained for a few days' visit.

—Miss Valeria Hodge is planning to enter nurse training in Chicago this Fall.

—O. J. Gauger and C. E. McPheeters have purchased new Chrysler 70's from the C. H. Tabor Motor Sales.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Riggan returned on Thursday of last week from Rochester, Minn. where Mrs. Riggan underwent an examination at a Mayo hospital clinic.

—Mr. and Mrs. Will Grant spent Saturday and Sunday in Bement.

—Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Monroe and Gloyd Rose attended the Monroe reunion Sunday in Monticello Park in Monticello.

Too, Too, Too or Bang, Bang, Bang?

Which Would You Rather Hear—
A Band or a Riveting Gang?

It's not a matter of record, if it ever happened at all, that a group of carpenters nailing boards onto a house ever attracted as big a crowd, or held their interest as long, as a group of musicians comprising a band or orchestra.

Even the blacksmith gets tired of pounding his anvil all day long. And so do the neighbors, we are sure. Maybe the musician gets tired, too, but he gets a certain amount of pleasure and inspiration from knowing that others are enjoying his music.

If there are any "knockers" in Sullivan we want them to be the first to read this week's business editorial on page six. It will do them good, for it will show them just where they stand with the rest of us. And the "rest of us" who read it will know that our local business interests appreciate our sole efforts in boosting Sullivan.

People tell us, since these business editorials have been appearing, there is a better spirit prevailing throughout the city. That's fine, and encourages us the good work. How do you feel about it?

GAS STOVE EXPLODED

A gasoline stove in the kitchen of the E. O. Dunscomb home exploded about 11 o'clock Thursday morning. The department responded promptly to a call and the flames were brought under control in a few minutes. Quite a bit of damage was done to the kitchen.

THE BOLIN REUNION

The annual Bolin family reunion will be held in Wyman Park, Sunday, August 29th. All members of the Bolin relationship, as well as old friends of the families, are cordially invited.

Philip Wiard, Secretary.

Sullivan's Annual Chautauqua Now At Freeland Grove

Lectures, Plays and Musical Entertainment Feature the Program of the Five Day Session. Two Lectures Sunday.

Sullivan's big annual chautauqua starts today and continues for five days.

It will be staged in the big auditorium in Freeland Grove. No city in Central Illinois has a better place for such an entertainment.

There is plenty of seating capacity. The Freeland Grove Association has its own chairs and all who attend the chautauqua are assured of a comfortable seat. There is plenty of parking space in the shade for all cars.

Every convenience and comfort has been provided for by the local management.

This year's program has plenty of variety.

The first number on the program today is listed under the title of "High Lights and Shadows" the performer being John Bockewitz. The Wells Duo will furnish the musical program both afternoon and evening. At 8:30 tonight Dr. Elmer Williams, director of law enforcement in Chicago, will deliver his lecture "The Handwriting on the Wall."

On Saturday there will be a concert in the afternoon by the "Little American Opera Company", following which Alice Louise Shrode will entertain with whistling and reading.

Miss Shrode will give the prelude program at night and the Opera company will then present the play "Fuss and Feathers".

At 2:30 p. m. Sunday afternoon the Roberts Concert company will give an instrumental program. Hon. Thomas McGregor will then lecture on "You and the Law".

At the night session the concert company will open the program and will be followed by a lecture "A Reappraisal of Patriotism" by Dr. Lloyd Douglas.

Both programs on Monday will be given by Harold Bachman's Million Dollar band. This organization was here several years ago and elicited much favorable comment at that time.

Tuesday, the last day of the session has two dandy programs. The Boyd Dramatic company will present two plays "Daddy Long Legs" in the afternoon and "Pollyanna", a Broadway success at night.

CARD OF THANKS

We thank all friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted us and extended their sympathy in the hour of our sad bereavement when our father and brother, Alvin Freeman, died. Especially do we thank all who sent flowers and the members of the I. O. O. F.

Respectfully,
The Children
Brothers and Sister.

REPRESENTS COUNTRY CLUB AT SHELBYVILLE MEET

An important golfers meeting was held Thursday at Shelbyville.

Country clubs of Paris, Charleston, Mattoon, Effingham, Sullivan, Pana, Moweaqua, Hillsboro, Taylorville and Shelbyville, were represented. The object of the business session was to organize a "Big Four" golf association.

Besides the business session Thursday there was an 18 hole play for a low medal score. "Wild Bill" Gardner and Judge O. F. Cochran represented Sullivan in this play.

Returns were not in at time of going to press.

There was also a trap shooting contest on 50 birds. Sullivan was represented in this by Carl Wolf.

President J. L. McLaughlin of the local club participated in the business meeting.

MODERN HOUSE FOR RENT—

Close to square. Call 150. 33-tf

NO UNION CHURCH SERVICES SUNDAY NIGHT

On account of the chautauqua there will be no union church services Sunday night at the auditorium.

The services last Sunday night were well attended and the forceful sermon preached by Rev. Harry Cochran, made quite an impression on his audience, judging by the favorable comment heard.

The first number on the program was a selection by the orchestra. This musical organization is composed of the best talent in the city and the programs it gives at the union services are a delight to many.

—Mrs. Flossie Yarnell, who spent a week in Olney, returned Saturday.

—Mrs. Vivian Bullard of Los Angeles who is spending the Summer at the J. O. Seitz home, visited Wednesday with Mrs. Jennie Freeman of this city.

—B. C. Monroe went to Atwood Monday where he spent several days looking after his farm interests.

TWO SUSPECTS IN BRYANT ROBBERY ARE IN JAIL

Francis Uttinger and James D. Allison were picked up in Decatur the latter part of last week on suspicion of having had a hand in robbing the Bryant garage at Lovington the early part of the week.

Uttinger was jailed last year as a suspect in the Lake City bank robbery but was later released. Both men are now in jail here.

They are being held under \$1,000 bond each. They will have a preliminary hearing in Judge Lambrecht's court, August 20th.

COURT CONFIRMED WATER ASSESSMENT; INTEREST STARTS AUG 2

In the County Court Wednesday the assessment for the Sullivan water supply system was confirmed. It was stipulated that interest at the rate of 6 percent shall start on the assessments on August 2nd of this year.

The first yearly installment on the assessment shall be due and payable on January 2, 1927.

It is expected that some of the property owners will pay the entire amount of their assessment at once and thus save paying any interest on deferred payments.

WHITLEY COUPLE LICENSED

Miss Nora Davis, 19, who lives near Coles, and Alva N. Edwards 26, Whitley township farmer, were licensed to wed Thursday. The bride has for the past five years been The Progress correspondent in the Coles neighborhood.

—McCUSKER GROCERY—Home

grown honey, 1 lb. section 25c. Fine Margarine 25c lb. Melons, cantaloupes. Peaches, fruits, vegetables. Fine cakes; feeds; work clothes.

FOSTER FAMILY IN AUTOMOBILE WRECK IN DECATUR, WEDNESDAY

Mrs. Edw. Poisel and Mrs. Margaret Foster were both injured Wednesday, afternoon when the automobile in which they were riding was struck in Decatur by another car being driven by Chan Baylis.

In the Foster car were Mr. and Mrs. Ollie A. Foster, Mrs. Margaret Foster and Mrs. Poisel.

The Decatur car hit the Foster car with such impact that Mrs. Poisel was thrown from the car over onto the curb. Mrs. Ollie Foster was also thrown out of the car. Mrs. Poisel was unconscious for some time and was taken to St. Mary's hospital. Mrs. Margaret Foster was also taken there. Mrs. Poisel was badly shaken up and bruised and cut about the head. Mrs. Foster, who is past 30 years of age, sustained cuts on her hand and head and her side was injured. Internal injuries are feared in her case. She was still in the car after the wreck and evidently sustained her injuries by being thrown against something in the car.

FORMER BETHANY BOY TO WED

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Eden, 696 East Stoughton street, Champaign, announces the engagement of their daughter, Josephine Ione Eden, '26, to W. Frederick Crowder '26, Findlay.

While in the University Miss Eden was a member of Illioli Literary Society, Wesley Players and Woman's Glee club. She is the composer of the music for the University High School song "Illini High".

Crowder is the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Crowder, Findlay. He is a member of Scabbard and Blade

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EDITORIAL

THE BIG ONES GET AWAY

A fellow named Doheny a few years ago, bribed a man named Albert Fall, with the contents of a little black satchel, said contents being about \$100,000 to betray his country and give away the nation's oil reserves. Several others were involved in this little deal.

Where are they now?

All seem to be enjoying good health and their freedom as of old. If they ever returned any of the boodle, the press agents missed the transaction.

A fellow named Abraham Lennington Small was state treasurer in Illinois some years ago. He manipulated the funds that came into his possession so as to enrich himself by the amount of about \$1,000,000 of the interest money collected. The Supreme Court says that money belongs to Illinois.

Len's still got the million. What's more, he is Governor of Illinois.

A fellow named Frank L. Smith is head of the Illinois Commerce Commission. He wants to be United States Senator. In his official position his board passes on the matter of rates that utilities companies may charge the people of Illinois. Sam Insull head of a big combination of Illinois Utilities paid him about \$150,000, Clement Studebaker, another utility baron paid him \$25,000 and a fellow named Ira Copley, also interested in utilities paid around \$50,000, all of which went into Smith's campaign fund.

And after accepting all of this boodle and using it, where is Smith? He's got the guts to ask the people of Illinois, whom he has betrayed to the utilities companies (why else did they pay him?) to send him to the United States Senate as their representative.

Nerve? Why even to think of such brazen gall makes an ordinary fellow nervous.

Some weeks ago a grand jury in a Northern Illinois county unearthed a lot of rottenness relative to the manner in which the State Board of Pardons and Paroles was transacting business. It recommended to the Governor that one, Will Colvin by name, the head of the

board, be dropped. When the Governor was rather slow in meeting the recommendation, it called him on it. He squirmed and wiggled for a time, but the spotlight was too glaring and he dismissed Colvin, or rather Mr. Colvin "resigned". That doubtless was for the good of Illinois.

But a slippery politician is a peculiar duck. When he once gets used to feeding at the public trough, you can't keep him away from it. Neither does he want his buddies to be deprived. Governor Len thought it such a shame that Colvin be pried off the payroll that he found him another soft snap paying a measly \$7,000 a year on the Illinois-Commerce Commission, where he can be a cronie of "Utilities" Smith.

And so the song goes all down the line. You can't nail the big crooks and misfits. Once they fasten their lecherous claws into the public maw of easy money they hang on until death does them part.

Money is the lubricant that keeps the machine going. They feather their political nests at public expense. They betray the public for filthy lucre. They laugh at public sentiment and the poor public stands duped and acts doped. When election time rolls around, like as not, a majority of the voters will go to the polls and endorse what Smith has done and what Insull has done and the whole stinking and rotten mess of an Illinois April primary by electing Smith to the United States Senate.

The facts of the matter are that there are in Illinois and in other states a group of politicians who feel that the people are too darned ignorant or shiftless to look out for their privileges and rights and consequently they fleece and mis-represent them to a fare-thee-well.

These politicians take money from any source whatever. Why even some of the high and mighty reformers like Senator Willis of Ohio, who is presumably representing the people of Ohio, is in reality a hired man of the Anti-Saloon League. This organization which has endorsed Col. Smith for Senator in Illinois has collected and expended \$180,000 in political buccaneering in this state alone during the past year. Perhaps they feel that the end justifies the means, but if such is the case, shall money rule all?

Which reminds us of a good story to close:

In an Ohio town a hot wet and dry election was in progress. An estimable preacher, leader of the dries rushed into his headquarters in a state of rage and dejection. "The accursed wets are going to beat us today. The dirty crooks are paying \$5.00 a vote" he told his followers.

He again went out and a few minutes later rushed in with a smile smeared all over his

face. "God be praised", he shouted, "we'll surely defeat the enemy today for the dries have raised the money and are now paying \$10.00 a vote."

OUR PRESIDENT PROMISED IT

Observance of Col. Carmi Thompson's trip to the Philippines indicates that the United States soon must take a definite step, one way or the other, so far as independence for the Filipino is concerned.

Much as Col. Thompson is trying to evade it, the political discussions, the pleas for independence have hedged his every turn. Col. Thompson was hoping to confine his attentions to business and investments. But the Filipino demands to know whether the United States is going forward in the grant of autonomy and independence, or is going to curtail the rights already granted?

This question has to be answered, and the answer cannot be postponed much longer.

Both sides are finding the present situation more and more difficult. Manuel Cuezon, in an interview recently, said: "Things have come to a standstill. A deadlock exists between General Wood and the Legislature."

American business interests in Manila insist that progress is impossible until nationalist agitation is squelched.

What has brought out the pressing question of independence for the Filipino? First, the world-wide tendency in the last six years has been to increase the freedom and responsibility of subject peoples; Ireland, Egypt, India, Iraq, Tunis, Palestine, have all received some new degree of self government. Second, the United States pledged ultimate independence to the Philippines. Roosevelt in 1908 spoke of independence within a generation; Root, Schurman and Taft all promised it. Third, the Filipino is explicit in his demand. "We find everywhere among the Christian Filipinos the desire for independence," says the recent Wood-Forbes report.

One principal point of contention is the present government machinery in the Philippines. Established ten years ago, it gives the Filipinos a parliament which has "general legislative powers," though it cannot pass laws contravening the Bill of Rights or creating a bonded debt beyond a certain limit. It gives the United States a Governor General, appointed by the President, who has control of all departments and bureaus and can veto any legislative act. As a result, the legislature has policies which it cannot carry out because the Governor General refuses to sign the bills; the Governor General has policies which he cannot carry out because the Legislature will not work with him.

This system will have to make way for one which permits the Executive and Legislature to work together. Until this anomalous system is changed, there can be no real progress with the Filipino question. —A. N. S.

DR. FRANK CRANE SAYS

Many Aims For Success Are Astray

Mr. John E. Andrus, Yorker millionaire, recently said that ninety percent of the graduates of Columbia, which was graduating an enormous class, would not be successful in the various professions.

He said that these people ought to be educated rather for some hard work. Most of the people who engage in the various professions are failures and they had better be sign painters or farmers.

This is an old criticism which has often been leveled at the colleges.

There is some truth in it.

Unfortunately almost all institutions of learning are engaged in the business of turning out professional men, that is, men for white collar jobs.

Too many mothers regard the school as useful for their children in enabling them to escape from the necessity of manual labor.

There is nothing inconsistent in earning one's own living by one's own labor and at the same time being an educated man. To have an education or a broad outlook upon life does not necessarily mean that we are to make a living by it. St. Paul mended sails and Jesus was a carpenter. It was the custom among the ancient Jews to teach all their children some handicraft so that all would be equipped to support themselves in an emergency.

Among a vast number of people only a certain proportion are equipped to make their living by their brainwork. Just how this proportion is to be determined no one knows. It is ultimately done by nature, just as nature determines the relative number of the two sexes.

Doubtless many people are following a professional life and gaining a meager livelihood who would be better off working with their hands. And perhaps some manual laborers could make a success as professionals.

As a rule, however, these things take care of themselves. Every man finds his own level. Some are equipped by nature for manual work and some are properly endowed for intellectual work.

The college should be able to train both classes. It should not aim to make every man a teacher or professor, or even a doctor or lawyer. It should aim to give him that education which would be the most satisfactory groundwork for any kind of life, whether that of a farmer, a storekeeper or a doctor.

TWO GOLF TOURNAMENTS BOOKED FOR LOCAL LINKS

On Thursday of next week the Effingham golf players will visit Sullivan to play the locals a return match. Sullivan some weeks ago defeated Effingham on their home grounds.

On the following Thursday, August 26th, the Farmer City players will be here for a tournament play. Very few of the local players have been on the Farmer City course and the ability of the visitors will be an unknown quantity until they tee off.

On Thursday of this week a big all day picnic was held by members of the club and their families. A big basket supper was served in the evening.

INTERIOR OF COURT HOUSE HAS NEW DRESS

The task of painting the interior of the court house is practically completed. The work was done by a Chicago contractor, although most of the help employed was local.

Moultrie's temple of justice now presents a rather attractive interior. The paint is lighter in shade than that applied when the court house was built and makes things look much more cheerful and bright than did the old smoked up walls which had long been an eye-sore.

B. N. Luke the battery man was confined to his home several days last week by a slight attack of ptomaine poisoning.

WHAT WOULD YOU CALL NEW POPCORN VARIETY

Some people experience difficulty nowadays in naming the new baby. Especially is this true since it has become the style to burden the kid with two names instead of one which was considered sufficient some years back. But naming a baby is a simple matter when compared to selecting names for some of the new variety of grain, sunflowers, etc. which J. E. Crowder, the seed man of this city, brings into existence.

Right now he has on a rack in his store about a dozen ears of a new variety of popcorn. The grains of these ears are about twice the size of any previous popcorn grains. It pops to big size and in quality is of the very best. Mr. Crowder has been working on this variety for some years and this year has grown it in quantity.

What shall he name it? He's rather puzzling and is appealing to friends to suggest something. What would you call it?

WHOSE BUMPERS?

Sherff Ashbrook has in his possession a first class set of automobile bumpers that the owner can have by proving ownership. They were found Sunday by Thurman Campbell while picking blackberries in the Titus timber, Northwest of Locke bridge. The party who left them there evidently expected to return for them some day.

LEE TAYLOR PLANS TO ERECT NEW GREENHOUSES

Lee Taylor who has a greenhouse on South Main Street where he specializes in growing plants in the Spring will erect three more greenhouse units this Fall. He will start this work as soon as he completes the construction of a basement under his residence.

The greenhouses will be in three units, each 16 by 66 feet in size. One of these units will attach to the present greenhouse and will enlarge his growing space. The other two will be devoted to producing flowers.

The estimated cost of the new structures is about \$2,000.

Mr. Taylor has been in the plant business for many years and during the planting season in the Spring of the year he ships to many nearby cities as well as selling hundreds of thousands of plants at the greenhouse.

He does his own contracting and construction work.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Scott Myers and wife to Jesse F. Monroe et al for \$1200, lots 9 and 12, blk. 4, Anderson's second add. to Sullivan.

Minnie Morris and husband to Jesse F. Monroe et al for \$1200, same property described above.

Lon Grigsby and others to Mrs. Gertrude Fortner and Miss Marie Hoke \$1200, the southwest quarter of block 10, of T. Y. Lewis Add. to Sullivan, except strip 7 feet, 2 inches off of the East side.

MRS. J. B. MAYES AGAIN HEADS ORGANIZATION OF COUNTY SUNDAY SCHOOL

The Moultrie County Sunday School convention held at Dalton City on Thursday and Friday of last week was a success in every way. The registration was 139 and besides the registered delegates many others attended.

The state speakers who had been engaged were all present and their messages were helpful and inspiring.

Mrs. J. B. Mayes who has been an efficient president for the past two years, was re-elected for a third term. Under her administration the work of the organization has flourished as can be noted by the greater interest shown in the yearly conventions.

Other officers elected are:

Vice-president—Ira Leitch of Bethany.

Secretary-treasurer—Mrs. Dora DeBruler, Bethany.

Supt. Children's Div.—Miss Florence Mattox of Gays.

Supt. Young People's Div.—Arthur Fathauer, Dalton City.

Supt. Adult Div.—Mrs. Ordea Ekiss, Dalton City.

Administration—Coy Brown, Bethany.

Educational Supt.—Miss Helen Kern, Gays.

Business Supt.—G. C. Carnine, Allenville.

—Miss Viva Graham has accepted a position at Normal, Ill.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Geo. M. Anderson, Minister.

A church membership family survey will be made during the month of August and will continue until completed. Each family who has one or more as members of the church will be called on. The whole plan of survey will be explained, the information desired will be secured and the facts will be tabulated by the surveyor. The surveyors ask for whole hearted cooperation from each family.

During the invitation last Sunday morning Bro. and Sister Farley Young united with the church by letter. Bro. and Sister Young, who have recently moved into their new home on east Jackson street, came from Whitley township and carried letters from the Whitley Creek Christian church. Bro. Young held the office of an elder in that church. The church heartily welcomes them into their fellowship and service.

Moultrie County Rally of the Disciples of Christ will be held Sunday, August 29th. An all day meeting is being planned for all the Christian churches of the county. Notices are being sent out this week and announcements of the rally will be made at all churches next Sunday. Plans are being made to make this rally an outstanding aid to all the churches and a real booster meeting for all the Bible Schools. The meeting will be held at Freeland Grove Auditorium and the basket dinner in Freeland

Grove. Plan now to be on the grounds early and stay until the final benediction. More complete announcements of this rally will be made later.

Bible School each Sunday at 9:30 o'clock. Carl R. Hill, superintendent. Lord's Supper observed each Lord's Day morning at 10:40.

EUREKA COLLEGE TO GET \$50,000 FROM GRADUATE

George Snively, Lewistown, has notified the president of Eureka college, Bert Wilson, that he has decided to turn over to that institution a fund of \$50,000 toward the \$1,000,000 endowment that is being sought in order to place the school upon a substantial foundation financially. Last May, Snively turned over to the institution \$10,000 and his second donation will bring his total up to \$60,000 the largest sum ever received by the local college. Snively is a former Eureka student and his daughter recently was graduated from the institution.

—L. A. Osborne, editor of the Nega News was a Sullivan visitor Monday and paid The Progress office a pleasant visit.

—Roy Fitzgerald spent Sunday at Tuscola where he visited his cousin Clyde W. Dunbar, who lost a leg in an accident on the railroad here recently. Mr. Dunbar is still in a very nervous condition but is able to sit up part of the time.

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**ALVIN FREEMON DIED
FRIDAY IN DECATUR AT
HOME OF DAUGHTER**

Alvin Freemon, well known Sullivan resident who had been in ill health for the past year, died Friday morning at the home of his daughter Mrs. Clara Edgecomb in Decatur. He had been in Decatur for a few days. For more than a year he has suffered the effects of a slight paralytic stroke. Wednesday night of last week he was again stricken and the end was not long delayed.

He was born in Moultrie county, March 31, 1860 and was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Freemon, pioneer residents. He followed the occupation of farmer for some years and later became an engineer. He worked at the trade in Oklahoma, Nebraska and for several years at the Masonic Home. In recent years his health was such as not to permit him to follow his trade.

He is survived by four sons and three daughters as follows: Cloyd, William, Robert and Verna, Mrs. Rose Nottingham of this city, Mrs. Clara Edgecomb and Mrs. Lillie Hudson of Decatur. He also leaves one sister Mrs. Johanna Welch of Adrian, Missouri and three brothers, Calvin Freemon of Meeker, Oklahoma; Albert Freemon north of Lovington and H. J. Freemon of Nora, Nebraska. One of his sons, Carl Freemon, was but recently killed in an automobile accident, South of this city.

His brothers Albert and H. J. Freemon were here for the funeral. Calvin, the oldest brother and the sister are in ill health and were unable to come.

Funeral services were conducted at the Lloyd Nottingham home Sunday afternoon and were in charge of Rev. G. M. Anderson. The remains were taken to the Pea cemetery, Northwest of this city for burial. The I. O. O. F. Lodge of this city was in charge of the services at the grave. W. B. Fortner and John J. Dolan giving the lodge ceremony. The pall bearers were J. H. Alumbaugh, Orman Newbould, Leslie Atchison, Sam Palmer, Walter Birch and D. D. Kingery.

—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dixon and family left in their auto Saturday for a vacation trip through the East. Their first stop was to be Columbus, Ohio. They intend to be gone about a week. Mr. Dixon is the Wabash agent in this city.

—Matilda Bathe of this city has signed to enter the Decatur and Macon County hospital next month for the purpose of taking a course in nurse training.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Estate of Thomas Rymer, deceased. The undersigned having been appointed executor of the estate of Thomas Rymer late of the county of Moultrie and the State of Illinois, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Moultrie county, at the Court House in Sullivan, at the October term on the first Monday in October next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 2nd day of August A. D. 1926.

T. J. McIntire,
Executor.

F. J. Thompson, Attorney.
(First publ. Aug. 6, 1926. 32-3)

**SHARP FAMILY REUNION
IN WYMAN PARK, SUNDAY
WAS WELL ATTENDED**

The seventh annual reunion of the Sharp families was held in Wyman Park, Sunday. There were about 110 members present. A bounteous dinner was served at the noon hour. At the business meeting the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President—A. W. Sharp of Bethany.
Vice pres.—John Bragg, Sullivan.
Sec'y-treas.—Milbra Freeland of Dalton City.

Relatives who came from a distance for the reunion were: Mrs. Arthur Rhodes, Mrs. Emmett Haulman and children Harlan and Esther Mae of Omaha, Nebraska. Others present were from Loxa, Lovington, Bethany, Decatur, Shelbyville, Tower Hill, Dalton City and Sullivan.

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(Official Publication)

Pursuant to law in such case made and provided, public notice is hereby given that the following Joint Resolution of the Fifty-fourth General Assembly, proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Illinois, which proposed amendment will be submitted to the people for adoption or rejection at the general election to be held on November 2, 1926.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 4

RESOLVED, By the Senate of the State of Illinois, the House of Representatives concurring therein: That there shall be submitted to the electors of this State for adoption or rejection at the next election of members of the General Assembly of the State of Illinois, in the manner provided by law, a proposition to amend Article IX of the Constitution by adding thereto an additional section to be known as section 14 of Article IX, as follows:

ARTICLE IX.

Sec. 14. From and after the date when this section shall be in force, the General Assembly shall have authority to provide by general law for the levy and collection of taxes for public purposes upon persons, property and income, free from the limitations contained in sections one (1), three (3), nine (9) and ten (10) of this article. Taxes levied under the authority of this section shall be uniform upon all persons, property or income of the same class. All real estate shall be in one class, except that mineral land and land devoted to reforestation may be in different classes. Exemptions from taxation may be established only by general law. This section shall not affect existing exemptions established by law under the authority of section 3 of this article. Taxes by valuation under the authority of this section shall be based upon a value to be ascertained by some person or persons to be elected or appointed in such a manner as the General Assembly shall direct, and not otherwise. No act for the imposition, increase, continuance or revival of a tax under the authority of this section, or for the establishment of exemptions under the authority of this section, shall become a law without the concurrence of two-thirds of the members elected to each house.

Adopted by Senate May 27, 1925, and House Amendment concurred in on June 16, 1925.

J. H. Paddock,
Secretary of the Senate.
Fred E. Sterling,
President of the Senate.
Amended and adopted by the House of Representatives June 9, 1925.
B. H. McCann,
Robert Scholes,
Speaker of the House.
Clerk of the House.
The form in which the proposed amendment to the Constitution of Illinois is to appear upon the official ballot at the general election on November 2, 1926, is as follows:

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT BALLOT

Proposed Amendment Adding Section 14 to Article IX of the Constitution of the State of Illinois.

This proposed amendment imposes no new taxes. It affects no existing exemptions from taxation. The provision concerning the "two-thirds" vote (contained in the proposed Section 14) applies only to such future tax and exemption legislation as may be pursuant to, that is "under the authority of this section." It does not apply to past legislation, nor to such future legislation as may be under the general powers of the General Assembly nor as may be only under one or more of the old thirteen sections. The rates under the new methods of taxation authorized by the amendment will require a two-third vote. The proposed amendment permits two-thirds of the members of the two houses to adopt methods of taxation, free from limitations in the present Constitution, adopted fifty-five years ago, which now prevent an equitable adjustment of the burdens of taxation. For this reason the two houses of the General Assembly propose this amendment to the people.

For the proposed amendment adding section 14 to Article IX of the Constitution.	
Against the proposed amendment adding Section 14 to Article IX of the Constitution.	

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OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

I, LOUIS L. EMMERSON, Secretary of State of the State of Illinois, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and complete copy of Senate Joint Resolution No. 4, being a proposed amendment adding Section 14 to Article IX of the Constitution of the State of Illinois, and the form of the official ballot to be used in submitting the same to the electors of this State at the general election to be held on the second day of November, A. D. 1926, the originals of which are now on file in this office.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and affix the Great Seal of the State of Illinois. Done at my office in the capitol building, at the city of Springfield, this 9th day of July, A. D. 1926 and of the Independence of the United States the one hundred fifty-first.

(Seal)

Louis L. Emmerson,
Secretary of State.
(First publication July 23rd, 1926. 30-4)

AMOS O. SHUMARD

Amos O. Shumard died in his home 956 East North street, Decatur, Friday morning at 7:15 o'clock after an acute illness of two days. His death was due to heart trouble of which he had been ailing for months. He was for a number of years Illinois Central watchman at East Eldorado street in Decatur, and last January quit that place because of the condition of his health.

He was a former resident of Sullivan.

He was born July 21, 1850, in Clermont county, O. and was married to Alice Harper in Effingham in 1879. His wife died several years ago. He leaves his daughters, Mrs. Della Pritts of Decatur and Mrs. Blanche Mills of Trowbridge; his sisters Mrs. Harriet B. Roley, Decatur, with whom he made his home; Miss Emma Shumard of Enid, Okla., his brothers, George Shumard of Cherryvale, Kans., and Walter Shumard, Enid, Okla.

The remains were brought to Sullivan, Saturday afternoon and burial in Greenhill cemetery. Short services here were in charge of Rev. Robertson.

ADMINISTRATORS'S NOTICE

Estate of E. H. Van Allen, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed administrator, with will annexed, of the estate of E. H. Van Allen 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 October term on the first Monday in October next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 2nd day of August A. D. 1926.

T. M. Zook,
Administrator with will annexed.
McLaughlin & Billman,
Attorneys.
(First publ. Aug. 6, 1926. 32-3)

—Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Hengst and family of Chicago arrived here Saturday for a few days' visit with his mother Mrs. Barbara Hengst and sister Mrs. Rose McCarthy. Mr. Hengst who is in the contracting business, completed the construction of the Roger Sullivan school in the Chicago North Side and is taking a week's vacation before resuming work.

—T. F. Ralston of Clinton, who is employed in the mechanical department of the Journal of that city, was a Sullivan visitor Monday morning.

**FIRE DESTROYED BARN
AND CONTENTS SUNDAY
MORNING ON KINSEL FARM**

The barn on the Tom Kinsel farm North of this city near Cushman, was destroyed by fire which was discovered about 3 o'clock Sunday morning. The tenant on the farm is Dewey Butler. The cracking and popping of the flames awoke a child of Mr. and Mrs. Butler's and it awoke the parents. At that time the roof of the barn was about to collapse. Mr. Butler hurried to the barn and tried to rescue an auto truck but was unable to get near the blazing structure. Mrs. Butler summoned help over the phone. The Sullivan fire truck made a run to the scene and helped save buildings near the barn.

The barn was located Southeast of the house and a northwest breeze kept the flames and flying sparks from it. A garage near the barn, was burned. The terrific heat left its mark on the cornfields East and South of the barn which are badly scorched.

What caused the fire is a mystery. While there was a considerable quantity of baled hay in the barn, none of it was put in this year. Mr. Kinsel recently bought a quantity of oats and stored it in one of the bins. This grain was still burning late Sunday afternoon. No live stock was in the barn although a number of hens roosting in it met a fiery fate.

The most valuable machinery in the barn was the truck. Mr. Kinsel had no insurance on it. A new wagon recently bought, the harness and many other things of value were totally destroyed. All of these were partially covered by insurance.

**MOULTRIE COUNTY TO
HAVE HOME-COMING FOR
TEACHERS AND EX-TEACHERS**

A home-coming and reunion of all of the people who ever taught in Moultrie county schools is being planned for the last Saturday in this month. It will take place here in Sullivan.

The plan originated with Prof. B. F. Peadro, a former county superintendent who with Mrs. Peadro is visiting here. It at once enlisted enthusiastic support of the county superintendent and all the teachers to whom he presented it.

Invitations will be sent out to all who live away from here. Normal instructors and state superintendent Blair will also be invited. Present day teachers are of course included in the general invitation.

Committees will be named and a suitable program will be formulated to make the reunion one long to be remembered by those who attend. If the affair is the success anticipated, it will doubtless be held annually.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Guss came Friday from Peoria and visited with Mrs. Frank's sister Mrs. A. H. Miller and family, over the week end.

—Mr. and Mrs. Dick McCarthy of Rochelle came Thursday for a visit at the home of Mr. McCarthy's mother, Mrs. Bridget McCarthy. They will go to Savannah where Mr. McCarthy will enter upon his second year as Manual Training instructor and athletic coach in the high school of that city.

—Appolis Hagerman, the contractor, last week injured a tendon in the calf of his right leg while assisting in doing some heavy lifting at the Frank McPheeters new residence job. He is able to get around with a cane.

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ENTERTAINED FOR COUSIN

Miss Naomia Lee entertained a few of her friends to a slumber party at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Bert Lee, North Main, Wednesday night of last week. The guests were: Misses Olive Taylor, Colleen Conard, Dorothy Wood, Ruth and Alberta Monroe, Mildred Miller and Naomia Lee.

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to express our heartfelt thanks and appreciation for the kindness and assistance of neighbors and friends during the sickness and in the hour when death claimed our beloved grandmother, Mrs. Jennie Miller.

Respectfully,
Maxine Wright
Henry Wright

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—Mrs. J. H. Daniels and children of Whitley township were Sullivan callers, Monday.

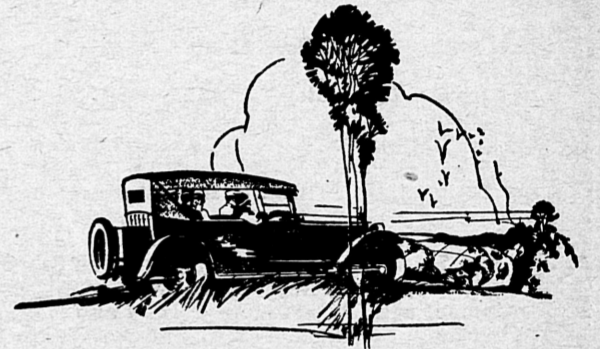
—Mrs. L. D. Miller and son Frederick of St. Louis, spent last week here with her sister Mrs. Bert Lee and family.

—Mr. and Mrs. Homer Harris of Decatur came Sunday and visited relatives in this city. Mrs. Harris remained for a longer visit but Mr. Harris returned to his home in the afternoon.

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- 1—Prairie du Rocher, Illinois, the only town in the United States having a commons on the old French plan. Church records date back to 1720. House of first governor of Illinois where La Fayette was entertained used as post office. Near Evansville on State Highway No. 3.
- 2—Sully's Hill, an important wild animal preserve in North Dakota. State Highways No. 34 and No. 20.
- 3—Lecompton, Kansas, where the "Lecompton Constitution" was framed in 1857. View of Kansas and Delaware Rivers from the bluffs. Near Big Spring on Union Pacific Highway No. 10.
- 4—Storm Lake, Iowa, a beautiful resort region. State Highways No. 4 and No. 5.
- 5—Indian fortifications north of Fourteen Mile Creek, Indiana. Peculiar formation over 200 feet high and in one place hardly a rod wide. Near Charlestown on Wonderland Way No. 24 from Madison.
- 6—Mount Baldy, one of the largest sand dunes in the world, at Saugatuck, Michigan. State Highway No. 11.
- 7—Mille Lacs District in Minnesota, where the pine forests and oak forests meet. Fishing is very good in this district. State Highway No. 18 from Brainerd follows the shore of Mille Lac.
- 8—Sibley, Missouri, where Fort Osage was established in 1809, during Osage Indian War, one of the eastern terminals of the old Santa Fe Trail. Near Buckner on National Old Trails Road No. 6.
- 9—Trempealeau Mountain, Wisconsin, where Perrot, the French explorer, landed in 1685. Name derived from the French meaning "the hill which soaks in the water." Bold piece of scenery. State Highway No. 162 from Holmen.
- 10—Crystal Cave, near Sturgis, South Dakota, with 1,500 chambers of mystic beauty. Via Piedmont, State Highway No. 30.

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SULLIVAN, ILLINOIS

BATTALION REUNION BROUGHT TOGETHER 73 AGED VETERANS
(Continued from page one)

The veterans registered were as follows:
John N. Mattox, Co. A, Reg. 5, Ohio, res. Sullivan, age 86.
W. G. Cochran, Co. A, Reg. 126, Ill., res. Sullivan, age 81.
M. K. Kirch, Co. D, Reg. 116, Ind., res. Sullivan, age 78.
T. B. Fultz, Co. E, Reg. 12, Ind., res. Sullivan, age 89.
J. P. McDonald, Co. H, 154, Ill., res. Sullivan, age 77.
Simeon Bundy, Co. D, Reg. 41, Ill., res. Sullivan, age 82.
C. Q. Collins, Co. F, Reg. 3, Ky., res. Sullivan, age 80.
F. M. Stevens, Co. F, Reg. 40, Ind., res. Sullivan, age 82.
B. F. Blackwell, Co. D, Reg. 16, Ind., res. Sullivan, age 80.
Z. T. Deeds, Co. A, Reg. 51, Ill., res. Sullivan, age 78.
Nathan Bragg, Co. H., Reg. 18, Ill., res. Sullivan, age 81.
Randolph Miller, Co. K, Reg. 126, Ill., res. Sullivan, age 81.
Nelson Walker, Co. F, Reg. 122, Ohio, Sullivan, age 82.
Asa Johnson, Co. F, Reg. 91, Penn., res. Sullivan, age 88.
H. C. Edmiston, Co. E, Reg. 166, Ill., res. Sullivan, age 86.
William Zook, Co. I, Reg. 143, Ill., res. Bethany, age 80.
J. S. Langston, Co. A, Reg. 5, Pa., res. Bethany, age 89.
B. F. Tymms, Co. K, Reg. 43, Ohio, res. Bethany, age 81.
S. W. Clark, Co. F, Reg. 53, Ohio, res. Bethany, age 84.
W. H. Doner, Co. I, Reg. 7, Ill., res. Bethany, age 84.
J. A. Fruit, Co. A, Reg. 21, Ill., res. Bethany, age 89.
J. M. Lansden, Co. E, Reg. 21, Ill., res. Bethany, age 82.
J. H. Crowder, Co. A, Reg. 126, Ill., res. Bethany, age 74.
Hiram A. Brown, Co. G, Reg. 16, Ind., res. Bethany, age 81.
W. H. Bennett, Co. A, Reg. 5, Ill., res. Arthur, age 85.
John Jones, Co. I, Reg. 14, Ill., res. Arthur, age 78.
Jos. H. Foster, Co. H, Reg. 18, Ill., res. Lovington, age 80.
M. J. Gregory, Co. H, Reg. 62, Ill., res. Lovington, age 79.
Steve Childers, Co. I, Reg. 135, Ill., res. Allenville, age 79.
Enoch Walker, Co. B, Reg. 21, Ill., res. W. Frankfort, age 87.
Jos. H. Wood, Co. I, Reg. 7, Ill., res. Quincy, age 80.
C. A. Redman, Co. I, Reg. 9, Ill., res. LaPlace, age 82.
Hiram B. Biesicke, Co. A, Reg. 116, Ind., res. White Heath, age 83.
G. W. Adams, Co. K, Reg. 91, Pa., res. Forsythe, age 78.
H. P. Hart, Co. Reg. 95, Ill., res. Roby, age 87.
C. Enterline, Co. B, Reg. 116, Ill., res. Urbana, age 81.
W. W. Michener, Co. C, Reg. 71, Ill., res. Tuscola, age 85.
J. R. Cantrell, Co. C, Reg. 107, Ill., res. Tuscola, age 83.
Joshua Cambridge, Co. B, Reg. 1, Ind., res. Tuscola, age 78.
A. C. Bishop, Co. G, Reg. 135, Ill., res. Atwood, age 78.
Stephen Dukeman, Co. H, Reg. 79, Ill., res. Atwood, age 82.
Peter Hanline, Co. C., Reg. 107, Ill., res. Monticello, age 83.
H. P. Lewis, Co. M, Reg. 3, Va., res. Monticello, age 79.
John W. Bell, Co. A, Reg. 8, Ill., res. Decatur, age 87.
Oliver Manning, Co. F, Reg. 54, Ill., res. Decatur, age 81.
W. Larrick, Co. B, Reg. 114, Ohio, res. Decatur, age 84.
C. H. Collins, Co. F., Reg. 38, Iowa, res. Decatur, age 81.
John Saxton, Co. D, Reg. 133, Ind., res. Decatur, age 89.
Geo. Hale, Co. B, Reg. 27, Ill., res. Decatur, age 81.
J. A. Adams, Co. C, Reg. 122, Ill., res. Decatur, age 85.

Henry Robinson, Co. K, Reg. 145, Ind., res. Decatur, age 82.
J. F. Mappin, Co. G, Reg. 8, Ill., res. Decatur, age 81.
F. B. Kemp, Co. G., Reg. 83, Ohio, res. Decatur, age 83.
J. Dempster, Co. B, Reg. 45, Ohio, res. Decatur, age 81.
Billie Trowbridge, Co. F, Reg. 68, Ill., res. Decatur, age 81.
Asa Cothier, Co. A, Reg. 13, Va., res. Decatur, age 81.
H. I. Fulk, Co. A, Reg. 54, Ill., res. Decatur, age 84.
Cyrus Gossert, Co. K, Reg. 196, Ohio, res. Decatur, age 81.
Frederick Schwab, Co. I, Reg. 116, Ill., res. Decatur, age 87.
Daniel Shutter, Co. B, Reg. 116, Ill., res. Decatur, age 84.
H. C. Fruit, Co. R., Reg. 117, Ill., res. Decatur, age 82.
Robert Zink, Co. C., Reg. 18, Ohio, res. Decatur, age 77.
D. K. Pound, Co. C, Reg. 116, Ill., res. Decatur, age 82.
Rueben Coble, Co. G, Reg. 207, Pa., res. Decatur, age 78.
Wm. H. Hodge, Co. I, Reg. 153, Ind., res. Decatur, age 77.
Jas. A. Cochran, Co. C, Reg. 116, Pa., res. Decatur, age 89.
W. F. Calhoun, Co. K, Reg. 20, Pa., res. Decatur, age 81.
L. W. Graybill, Co. B, Reg. 20, Ill., res. Decatur, age 77.
Jacob Nisaiker, Co. B, Cav. Ohio, res. Shelbyville, age 81.
Henry D. Dunham, Co. B, Reg. 8, Ill., res. Decatur, age 88.
Sylvester Igo, Co. K, Reg. 155, O., res. Shelbyville, age 80.
Reuben Morehead, Co. B, Reg. 41, Ill., res. Shelbyville, age 83.

—Mr. and Mrs. Walter Longwill spent Thursday afternoon in Strasburg. Wednesday afternoon they were in Monticello.
—C. O. Moore, wife and children Violet May and Charles Wayne, of Decatur, spent Sunday with the former's grandmother Mrs. R. M. Walker.
—Mrs. John J. Moore of Decatur returned home Wednesday after spending a few days with her mother Mrs. R. M. Walker.
—Dee Giberson spent the week end with home folks in Wingate, Indiana and also stopped at the home of Mrs. Maria Walker in Urbana.
—Mr. and Mrs. George Monroe and daughter Telva, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Longwill of this city and Jas. Kilmer of Mattoon spent Sunday in Tuscola.
—Mr. and Mrs. Palo Hall and daughters of Allenville spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Hall here.
—Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Dunscomb and family returned Wednesday evening after a four days' trip through points of interest in Central and Northern Illinois.

LOCALS.
—Mrs. Henry Smith and daughter Roberta, left Saturday for Detroit, Mich. where they are spending the week with Mr. Smith; they will return, Saturday.
—Carl Wolf, Jesse Hodge and Guy Booker, left Sunday morning for Detroit where they are visiting the Ford plants.
—Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ferrell of Chicago arrived here Tuesday for a visit at the A. L. Lindsay home. Mr. Ferrell is Mrs. Lindsay's cousin. They left here Wednesday morning for a ten day's visit in Louisville and other Kentucky cities. Maxine Lindsay accompanied them.
—Rev. and Mrs. Harry Cochran and family spent Tuesday in Windsor.
—The Springfield firm recently engaged by the board of supervisors to audit the books of the county officials started work on the job Tuesday. Two men are engaged in the work.
—Rev. and Mrs. Harry Cochran and sons, who spent two weeks with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Cochran, expect to return to Cisco, Friday.
—Mr. and Mrs. Curt Weger, Misses Charity, Anna and Alice Chaney visited Sunday in Vandalia.
—Mr. and Mrs. Will Barber and daughter Mary Elizabeth, of Springfield, spent Friday at the home of Bridget McCarthy.
—George Dunscomb of Chicago came Friday and spent the week end with his grandmother Mrs. Jane Dunscomb.
—Mr. and Mrs. L. Edwards and daughter Dorris, Mrs. W. H. Jennings of Decatur spent Saturday with Misses Lucy and Ada Jennings.
—The Library will be closed during chautauqua week, starting Friday, August 13th.
—Mr. and Mrs. Albert and son Paul, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Pow, all of Mattoon spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Phillip McCusker.
—Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Ewing spent Tuesday in Mattoon.
—Miss Cleo Yarnell went to Detroit, Saturday where she is spending a week with relatives.
—Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Hodge and family attended the fair at Arcola Friday evening.
—Mrs. Belle Christy spent the beginning of the week at the home of Guy Christy at Allenville.
—Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Garrett, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sabin attended the Arcola fair, Friday.
—J. J. Gauger and daughter Helen motored to Chicago Tuesday and returned Thursday.
—Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Monroe spent Saturday in Mattoon.

JONATHAN CREEK.
Will Eley spent Thursday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Leeds.
Mrs. Lottie Elzy and son called on Mrs. Charley Ballinger Thursday afternoon.
Mrs. Ed Slover and daughters Lola, Elsie, and Sadie and son James spent Wednesday with Mrs. Charley Webb and family.
Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Bolin and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Martin.
Mrs. Rhuea Bolin and daughter Bernice spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Charley Ballinger.
Ruby Webb spent from Wednesday until Saturday with her aunt Mrs. Ed Slover and family.
Mr. and Mrs. John Nichols and daughter Lozellia and Misses Lola and Elsie Slover were caller in Charleston Wednesday.
Mr. and Mrs. Carl Leeds and daughter Mary Elizabeth, spent Sunday in Decatur.
Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Baker and family, Mrs. Will Powell and daughter Grace, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Hogue and son John motored to Monticello, Sunday and attended a birthday dinner given in honor of Tom Baker.
William Powell spent Sunday with Mrs. J. E. Baker and family.
Mr. and Mrs. Logan Puckett and daughter Irene and sons Collard and Donald of near Findlay spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Slover and family.
Emmett Bracken and J. R. Bracken spent Sunday evening at Skyline Springs.
John Baker spent Saturday night and Sunday with Joseph Purvis.
Mr. and Mrs. Buck Butler and children spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Slover and family.
Mrs. Gracie Purvis spent Sunday afternoon with Miss Lucy Daugherty.
James Davidson is visiting relatives near Coles, this week.
Mrs. Grace Papaies is visiting her sister Mrs. A. L. Wooley and family.
Lozellia Nichols spent Sunday with Misses Lola, Elsie and Nettie Slover.
Misses Maxine Wright and Mabel Cazier spent Sunday with Miss Helen Miller.
Jerry Buxton spent Sunday evening with Denzel, Hubert and Murel Powell.
Hubert and Denzel Powell spent Monday with L. E. Powell of Danville.
Miss Ella Richardson, Mrs. Ethel Newbould and children and Mrs. Cannon all of Sullivan spent Sunday with Mrs. Nathan Powell.
Mrs. Lula Wooley and daughter Vera, sons Bernard and Carol and Mrs. Grace Papaies motored to Mt. Zion, Sunday afternoon to visit the former's brother Henry Clair and wife.
A surprise party was given for Paul Elder at the home of Lee Elder, in honor of his birthday, recently.
Miss Mildred Powell spent the week end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Powell.

EAST HUDSON.
Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Burks spent Sunday with relatives near Shelbyville.
Mrs. J. J. Harsh and daughters Mildred and Mrs. Lyle Poland, Mrs. Grace Foster and son Richard, spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Patterson.
Mr. and Mrs. Chris Monroe and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Harsh and daughters.
Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Monroe and family visited Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Poland.
Mrs. Flora Creech and daughter Goldie and Ross Tucker of Sullivan, spent Wednesday evening with Miss Ann Elliott.
Mrs. W. D. Patterson spent Thursday in Decatur.
Mrs. George Monroe and Mrs. Walter Longwill visited Miss Ann Elliott Friday afternoon.
Miss Gynith Mayberry is spending the week with relatives at Oconee.
Ben Mills and son Luther of Trowbridge and Mrs. Laura Harper of Gays spent Saturday with Miss Ann Elliott.
Miss Eloise Mallinson spent Friday night and Saturday with Miss Gertrude Monroe.
Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Mayberry were: Mr. and Mrs. Esther Scroggins and family, Mr. and Mrs. Miles Taylor and family of Hammond, Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Simmons and family of Cowden Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Cain and family of Oconee, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Sharp and family of near Bruce, Hortense Ringo, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Ringo of Florida.
PALMYRA.
Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Maxedon and son Jackie, spent Sunday evening with Miss Belle Misenheimer.
Mr. and Mrs. Dan Robinson and family spent Sunday with Mrs. Mary E. Lane and son.
Don Huie, John Ford and Will Sutton were Decatur visitors Monday.
Miss Beulah Sutton spent from Thursday until Saturday with Miss Carlisle Allison.
Mr. and Mrs. Ray Misenheimer and daughter spent last week camping in Shelby county.
Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Cox and Marion Cox of St. Lawrence, South Dakota, are visiting relatives here.
Mr. and Mrs. Ray B. Martin and Welma Rhoades spent Sunday afternoon at Paradise Lake.
Mr. and Mrs. Orien Temple and family of Charleston spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy B. Martin.
Harold Temple is spending the week at the Roy Martin home.
Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Cox, Marion Cox, George Purvis, son Bill, Mrs. Rose Bolin and Miss Belle Misenheimer spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hollonbeck and family.
Louie French of Mattoon is visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Black and family.
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FULLER'S POINT.
Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Hall and family spent Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Carmine of Allenville.
Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Nash and family attended a birthday dinner in honor of his mother Mrs. A. J. Nash of Cooks Mills, Sunday.
Clifton Carmine spent Sunday with Louie Crane.
Cletis Cannoy returned from the hospital at Mattoon last Saturday She is improving rapidly.
Evelyn Carmine spent Sunday with Roseland Crane.
Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Phillips picnicked at Paradise Lake, Sunday.
Mrs. Neva Tuttle and children, Allen and Iris of Waterloo, Iowa, spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Chester Carmine and family.
Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Rightsell, Mrs. Lizzie Rightsell and Mrs. Ernest Cuffle and son Glen of Coles spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. John Parks of Altamont.
Mrs. Chester Carmine and daughter Evelyn were business visitors in Sullivan Tuesday afternoon.
Elmer Furness arrived at the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. John Furness Monday for a few weeks' visit.

LAKE CITY.
Mrs. Nerva Johnson and children of St. Louis, are visiting with George Vansickle and family.
H. A. Champion returned from a trip to Wisconsin where he had been for the benefit of his health.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Baker returned home Friday from Meredosia where they had spent a week fishing.
Mrs. Bessie Kendall and children of Farmer City, Mrs. Wilson and daughter Dorothy, of Elgin and Mrs. James Byrum of Decatur, were the guests of Mrs. Roy Wilt, Friday.
Will and Earl Vansickle were callers at St. Louis, Saturday.
Mrs. Ella Watts of Mattoon, visited the first of the week with Mrs. Chas. Dickson.
Mrs. H. E. Howell and children of Findlay, visited with T. F. Winnings and family Sunday.
Will Acom and family of Oreana, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Everett Ault.
Ausbund Salling of Chaute Field, Rantoul, spent the week end with S. J. Sallings and family.
Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Clark of Clinton were callers here Sunday evening.
George Vansickle was badly injured about the limbs Tuesday while trying to put a belt on an engine while threshing.

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Tom Mix in
"THE BEST BAD MAN"
Foxcomedy "The Feud"
End of "40th Door"

LOVINGTON.

Mrs. F. W. Wacaser and son Ed of Chicago, have gone on a trip, extending through the West. They expect to visit different points in Colorado and California, before returning home.

Twin sons were born to Mr. and Mrs. James Leach, Saturday, August 7.

M. W. Munch and family have gone to St. Louis, Mo. where they will spend a week on a vacation trip. Geo. Harris is working at the Munch drug store during the absence of Mr. Munch.

Misses Maysel and Mary Fread, Mary Jurick and Maude Miller have gone on a motor trip through the Eastern states. They intend to go two weeks.

Mrs. Russell Evans and little daughter Jane of Chicago, are here visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Atchison and other relatives.

Earl and Kathryn Landgrebe of Cicero, returned to their home Tuesday after a week's visit here with relatives and friends.

Mrs. John Havanko is spending the week in Chicago, visiting her daughter Mrs. Christ and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Linden Foster have gone on a motor trip to Oelrichs, So. Dakota, where they will visit relatives.

Mrs. Albert Sochler and Mrs. Robert Geisert have returned to their home at Marshall after a week's visit here with their sister Mrs. J. S. Strohm and family.

Mrs. Alice Sullivan came from Herrick and will be the guest of her sister Mrs. Lina Murphy and other relatives.

Miss Stella Smith has gone to Detroit, Mich. where she will visit with Mr. and Mrs. Luther Dixon.

Mrs. Cecil Preston and children of Allenville are here visiting with Mr. and Mrs. David Kingery.

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—Mr. and Mrs. William Barber of Springfield spent Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. Bridget McCarthy.

BETHANY.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stevens of Findlay were callers here, Friday.

Willis Moore was a caller here Friday afternoon.

Roy Roney returned from Savannah, Missouri, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Queen and sons Marvin and George, returned from a visit to South Dakota, Friday.

Miss Iva Dedman of McKenzie, Tenn. is spending her vacation in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Dedman.

A large crowd attended the services in the grove Sunday evening. Charles Blooch, colored, was the speaker.

L. C. Francisco of this place, has been employed to superintend the grade school in Arcola next year.

Aaron McReynolds and family of Flint, Mich. are visiting here with relatives and friends.

MANY ENJOYED MONDAY'S TRIP TO CHAMPAIGN

The Sullivan Township Household Science Club members went to Champaign Monday where they enjoyed a meeting and pot-luck dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bliss Shuman. They were taken to the U. of I. stadium, the Women's building and the Smith Memorial.

Those who made the trip were: Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Powell, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wood and son; Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hawkins; Mrs. Orville Hogue and son John; Mrs. Hattie Pifer and daughter Ruth; Mesdames T. B. Ewing, Florence Myers, Ollie Woodruff, Helen Davis and daughter Gertrude, Maude Wood, Lizzie Walker, Mrs. Charles Pifer, Hildreth Walker, Reta Wilson and son Wayne, Mrs. George Oliver and daughter Ruth, Agnes Kellar, Mrs. Della Garrett, Mrs. Leone Stone, Miss Grace Powell, Mrs. Hattie Briesler, Miss Lizzie Wood, Mrs. Tella Pearce, Mrs. Nettie Wiard, Miss Addie Wood, Mrs. Nanie Birch, Mrs. Elizabeth Shirey.

—Joseph C. Murphy has accepted a position at Bardolph, Illinois, where he will teach agriculture in the High School. The salary is \$2200. Mr. Murphy leaves Champaign where he has been attending summer school, to begin his work August 16.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McNalley of Decatur visited relatives near Sullivan, Sunday.

ALLENVILLE.

Mrs. Tella Graham and children returned to Decatur, Tuesday after spending several days with Frank Glover and wife.

Mrs. Tom Hoskins was a business caller in Sullivan, Wednesday.

Mrs. Julia Humphrey visited last week with Will Black and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. French returned to their home in Staples, Minn. Wednesday after a week's visit here with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. French and Mr. and Mrs. John Black.

Mrs. Hiram Judd and Mrs. D. V. Miller called on Mrs. E. Ethington Wednesday afternoon.

Doris Hoskins visited with Olive Leffler Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Harley Jenkins spent Thursday with Mrs. Elmer Stiff.

Miss Oma Stopher and Mr. and Mrs. Elsa Flesher and children of Charleston spent Thursday here visiting at the home of Hiram and J. C. Judd and D. G. Carmine.

Miss Olive Hoskins visited Miss Juanita Spough Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. H. E. Wernsing and Mrs. John Turner called on Mrs. C. Robinson Thursday. Mrs. Robinson who has been very low is reported as about the same.

Freda Shirey spent Thursday with Olive Leffler.

Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Carmine attended a Sunday School convention at Dalton City, Thursday evening.

Meri Lee and Earnestena Cheney spent Friday at the home of Harry Pettit.

Mrs. Z. I. Standerfer left Friday for a few weeks' visit with Mr. and Mrs. Harley Works at Armstrong, Ia.

Mrs. Harley Jenkins spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. Pearl Denham and sons.

Mrs. J. C. French and children of Mattoon, Mrs. Elmer Stiff, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. French and Rosa Mae Maxedon spent Friday with John Black and family.

Several from here attended the show in Sullivan Friday evening.

Aaron Shaffer and family of Gays spent Saturday with Logan Cheney and family. Miss Earnestena Cheney returned home with them for a few days' visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wheeler of Findlay spent Saturday evening and Sunday with Frank Turner and family.

While helping repair the Tabor elevator last week, John Spough had the misfortune of getting a piece of steel in one of his eyes. It is some better now.

Mrs. Callie Burnett of Sycamore spent Saturday and Sunday with William Kellar and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Burtcheard, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Buxton and son Oral spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Turner and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Moran, Misses Edith King and Ruth Judd spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Len Conwell.

Misses Mary and Edythe Preston and Elizabeth Wickiser are visiting this week with Huie Wickiser and family of Decatur.

Miss Mildred Buxton and Glen Pierce spent Sunday with Otis Goddard and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Black and daughters Berdina and Marie, spent Sunday with Mrs. Julia Humphrey and daughter Marie Black.

Miss Edythe King spent Saturday evening and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Len Conwell.

Mrs. J. C. French and children returned to Mattoon Sunday after several days' visit here with John Black and family and A. J. French and wife.

Ben Nichols and family of Arthur and Huie Wickiser and family of Decatur spent Sunday with Mrs. Sarah Wheeler.

Mrs. Laura Fry of Findlay visited over Sunday with A. J. French and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Fuqua spent Sunday with Frank Johnson and wife Clarence Crawford and family of Decatur spent the week end with F. P. Denham and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Forest Misenheimer and daughter Evelyn Joyce spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Wernsing. They all attended a show at the Empress, Decatur, in the afternoon.

Don't forget our regular church services for Wednesday evening and Sunday.

Mrs. Alma Spough spent the week end here with her children, Wanda, Juanita and James.

Mrs. Nina Butler and son of Sullivan were business callers here Tuesday.

"UNCLE JOE" STOCKS MAKES NEAT PROFIT ON GIFFORD LAND

In settling up the estate of the late Charles Gifford of Lovington township, a tract of 80 acres of land was recently sold by the administrator, Otis Gifford. The land brought but \$175 per acre and was bought by "Uncle Joe" Stocks of Lovington. It adjoins a tract he now owns.

The creditors of the deceased and the heirs and administrator of the estate were not satisfied with the sale. They considered the land worth at least \$200 per acre. According to law the purchaser had to pay a part of the purchase price within ten days after the date of sale. The administrator went on a "visit" and "Uncle Joe" was unable to comply with this provision.

The case was brought into the county court the early part of the week. "Uncle Joe" was right here with about \$6,000 in currency which he tendered as payment. The administrator on a technical point refused to accept.

After argument and discussion in which several attorneys took a hand

a compromise was finally reached. The terms of this compromise are that the administrator make a deed to Mr. Stocks for the land, but that he immediately deed it back to some party that the heirs and creditors may agree on. For doing this "Uncle Joe" will be given \$9.00 per acre, or a little better than \$700 as his rake-off in the deal. He is past 80 years of age and looks like Santa Claus' twin brother but is right on the job when it comes to adding a little more to the accumulations of a life time.

IN COUNTY COURT

W. L. Kennedy, John Moody and John Nolan have been named as appraisers of the estate of the late E. H. VanAllen of Dalton City.

Fred H. Wright, who has been a patient in the Elgin hospital presented to the court his discharge from that institution as cured from mental ailments. On petition J. F. Gibbon who had served as conservator for Mr. Wright was discharged and bondsmen released.

—Mrs. Elvira Stricklan suffered from a cut in her finger Tuesday, when she ran a needle into it. The needle broke and had to be cut out by a physician.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Leeds and family will leave this week for Downing in the Northern part of Missouri, where they live. They will be accompanied on their trip home by Mrs. Leeds' father Z. T. Deeds who will make his home with the Leeds family. Mrs. Deeds died several weeks ago.

—H. H. Hawkins spent Tuesday in Springfield.

—Carl C. Wolf, who spent the early part of the week at Detroit, drove home a new Lincoln sedan.

WEBB REUNION SUNDAY HELD IN WYMAN PARK

Sunday members of the Webb family gathered at Wyman Park for a reunion and at noon a sumptuous dinner was spread. Judging by the looks of the table no one went home hungry.

The afternoon was spent in visiting and living over old times. It was decided to have a reunion each year.

Uncle John Hillard was the oldest member present. His age being 85 years. Esther May Webb of Kokomo, Indiana was the youngest, age ten weeks.

Those attending were, Mr. and Mrs. John Hillard of Kirksville, Mr. and Mrs. William Webb of Kirksville, Mr. and Mrs. James Pritts and two children of Findlay, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Webb and daughter Mary Olive of Bethany, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Webb, Bethany, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Webb, Russiaville, Indiana, Mr. and Mrs. Verne Webb and children of Kokomo, Ind., Mr. and Mrs. Sam Reedy and children, Sullivan, Mr. and Mrs. James Pearce and family, Kirksville, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Rector, Bethany, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Butler and family, Bethany, Mrs. W. L. West and children, Bethany, Miss Retta Webb, Sullivan, Mrs. Laura daughter, Nelle, Roy Pritts and wife, Warner, Milmine, A. L. Pritts and G. W. Moreland and son Farrel, Mr. and Mrs. Alva Darby and son John, Mrs. Ida Shaw and daughter Edna, all of Bement, Mrs. Belle Marshall of Bethany and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Stamps and family were present as visitors.

—Archie and Maudia Daugherty and Josephine Murphy were Decatur visitors, Saturday.

MRS. HORN HOSTESS

The Young Women's Missionary circle met at the home of Mrs. Freda Horn, Monday night. About twenty members being present. After the business session the following program was rendered:

Devotional—Miss Anna McCarthy

Prayer—Mrs. Ona Anderson.

Piano Solo—Amanda Harsh

Encore—Duett: Amanda Harsh and her mother Mrs. Lucile Harsh.

Paper—Mrs. Lucile Harsh.

Vocal solo—Mrs. Cora Fleming.

Benediction.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Corbin, Miss Ada Swisher and Miss Mae Austin went to Paris, Saturday evening where they visited relatives and returned Sunday.

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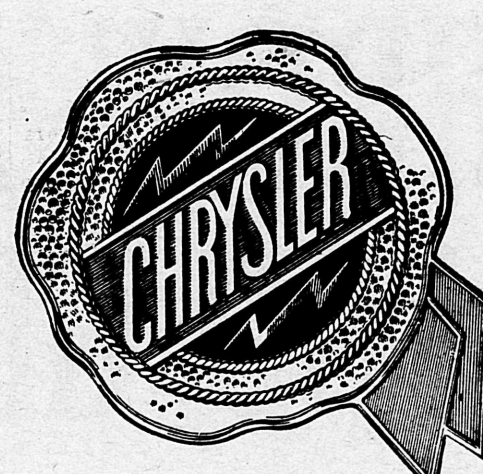
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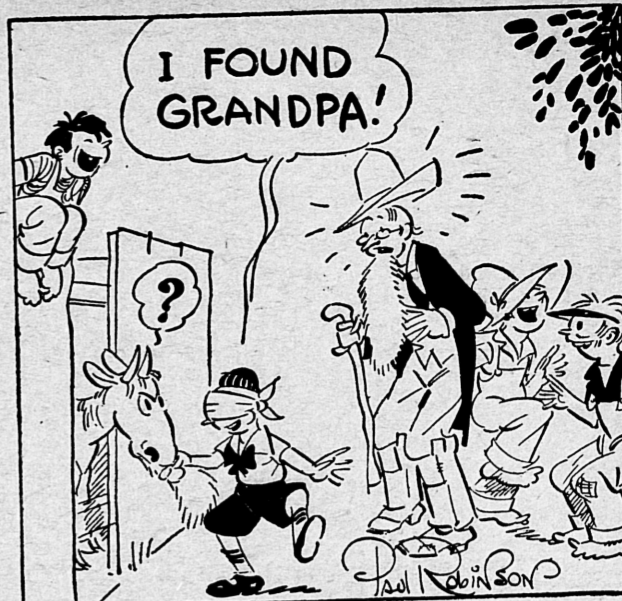
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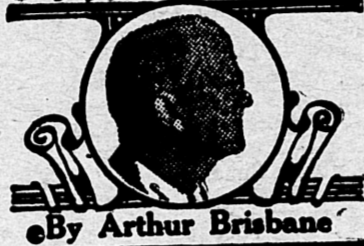
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But the Indians are now devout Christians, often more earnest in their faith than people of European extraction.

The price of cotton goes up—good news for cotton GAMBLERS, not such good news for cotton GROWERS. The price goes up because rain means harm to the growers' crop. The cotton gambler makes his money whether it rains or scorches.

Why men GROW cotton, when they might GAMBLE in cotton, would be hard to understand, but for the fact that men enjoy producing something, apart from profit. Agassiz was "too busy to make money."

The Rev. Laura B. Gaylor of Mont Pleasant, Iowa, tells the Universalist Sunday School Association that some Bible tales are out of date and horrible. That story about Elijah calling she bears to eat the children that had made fun of his baldness she could not bear.

Many things in the Bible shock you, but that is the fault of people whom the Bible describes truthfully.

That story about the angels that came down with important news, and the manner in which some of the natives would have received them, shocks any normal mind. But the duty of the Bible, like that of a newspaper is to tell what happens.

H. G. Fokker, brilliant flying man from Holland, manufacturing planes here, has insured his life for \$2,000,000 and pays a high premium because of the risk. This particular flier is worth many times \$2,000,000. He built the machine in which Commander Byrd, fine young American

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Mr. Fokker ought to be working for the United States Government and it ought to insure his life for \$20,000,000—if money made any difference.

The President's statement on prosperity was confirmed by great corporations. The big steel company in the last six months earned more than \$92,000,000. General Motors more than \$93,000,000. Thus in net profits one single automobile concern eclipses the great steel company, biggest industrial unit in the world.

Lord Beaverbrook doubts the gold standard's value, calls it a financial medicine often fatal to the patient. Europe turns against the gold standard, for the reason that this country HAS the gold.

They forget that we also have THE GOODS for which gold is spent.

All the gold in creation wouldn't help us or keep us where we are if we didn't have mills, factories, farms, mines, oil wells, and especially inventive and industrial genius.

Mrs. Clemmington Carson, of New York, swam from Dover to Ramsgate, in the rough Channel water, twenty-two miles in 6 hours and 20 minutes. It was a fine performance, but a \$75.00 put-put boat would do better.

Nancy Hanks, a powerful woman, might have beaten Mrs. Carson's swimming record. Instead, she contributed Abraham Lincoln to write the Proclamation, and that was more useful than it would have been for her to swim from Paris down the Seine, past Gibraltar into the Mediterranean, through the Suez Canal and on to China.

—Miss Bonnie Conard returned home Sunday after a two weeks' visit with her brother Wayne Conard and wife, of Terre Haute, Ind.

—Orval Clayton of Riverton who underwent an operation for appendicitis has returned to his home.

—Mrs. Verl Roush and children of Muskegon, Michigan, are visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Aldridge.

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LOCALS

—Tom Buxton of Montana, Mrs. Frank Buxton of Sapulpa, Oklahoma, Mrs. A. J. Buxton, Mrs. Cynthia Newbould and Mrs. Sarah Freeman were dinner guests Sunday at the home of Mrs. Isabel Webb and son John A. Webb.

—Marion Cox and son Stanley and wife of Minnesota, arrived here Sunday for a visit with Mrs. Rose Bolin and other relatives and friends.

—Mrs. Anna Rhodes, Mrs. Arthur Rhodes and Mrs. Emmett Haulman and son Harlan of Nebraska, arrived here Sunday to attend the Sharp reunion. They are spending some time visiting friends and relatives.

—Quite a number of Sullivan folks went to the union church services in Lovington Sunday night and heard Rev. Finis Idleman of New York, deliver the sermon. Rev. Idleman was spending a few days at Lovington visiting his father.

—John Wolf, who was brought home from Bloomington the early part of last week, is slowly recuperating at his home in this city. He was injured in an automobile accident near Bloomington several weeks ago and his injuries proved much more serious than at first expected. He was badly bruised and also injured internally.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Holzmueller and family spent Saturday evening and Sunday at the home of Mrs. Joseph Fuerborn, Effingham.

—Gus Frank of Peoria who has been visiting at the home of Mrs. A. H. Miller, went to Danville Saturday, to transact business.

—Mrs. Clede Adams and children of Mattoon visited at the home of Mrs. F. A. Brown, Tuesday.

—Miss Emma Jenkins is on the sick list.

—Mrs. Ella Stedman spent Tuesday in Decatur.

—Mrs. Lizzie Eden and Mrs. Lum Miley left for St. Joseph, Mo., Monday for a visit at the home of Will Sherman.

—Mrs. Daisy Eden and daughter Ione, of Champaign came Tuesday to spend several days with relatives.

—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Davis motored to this city Friday, bringing with them Mrs. Sam Palmer and Mrs. J. H. Smith, who had spent several days at the Davis home, in Decatur.

—Miss Viva Graham is visiting at the home of Mrs. Luther Hoke near Kirksville this week.

—Miss Katherine Batson of Decatur visited at the home of John McDonald and family, Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kinsel and Mr. and Mrs. Cy Robinson attended the chautauqua in Shelbyville, Saturday.

—Mrs. Emma Buxton of Sapulpa, Okla. who has been spending several weeks with relatives in this vicinity, is spending this week at the home of Mrs. Cynthia Newbould.

—Miss Fern Garrett returned Tuesday from Antioch, Illinois, where she had spent the Summer.

—Mrs. B. N. Luke and her four daughters returned Sunday from a visit of several weeks with Oklahoma relatives and friends. They traveled 2200 miles in their Ford on the trip and went as far south as Sentinel, Oklahoma, where they visited the Claude Wheeler family.

KIRKSVILLE.

Friday being the fifty-fifth birthday anniversary of Harlan Ritchey, his wife planned and carried out a complete surprise on Sunday, in honor of the occasion. A bountiful pot luck dinner with all the good things of the season including ice cream and cake, were served on the lawn at the noon hour. Those present were, Mrs. Margaret Byron, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac McClung, Mr. and Mrs. James McKown and daughter Maurine, Mr. and Mrs. Basil McKown and daughter June all of Sullivan; Mrs. Jessie Bland of Chicago, Irtys Alvey of Tuscola, Lennie Maxedon of Bruce, Rolland Maxedon and family of near Sullivan, Ran Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Alvey, Miss Fern Sickafus, Mrs. Mamie Jeffers and son Kenneth, O. C. Yarnell and family, Edmund Green and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wilse Gustin, Walter LeCrone and family, Mr. and Mrs. Job Evans, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Evans, Mrs. Fern Kidwell, Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Ritchey and son Wallace of Kirksville. All departed late in the evening wishing Mr. Ritchey just as enjoyable a day this time next year.

Monday evening several friends gathered in to help Mrs. Hazel Yarnell celebrate her birthday. Ice cream and cake were served. The Cornhusker's orchestra, of Kirksville community was present and furnished music which was very much enjoyed. Those present were, Mrs. Jessie Bland of Chicago, Herald Kelly of Decatur, Mrs. Fern Kidwell, Mr. and Mrs. Wilse Gustin, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Alvey, Fern Sickafus, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Jeffers and son Keith, Ran Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Jobe Evans, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Matherson, Mr. and Mrs. Meritt Frederick, Mr. and Mrs. Clem Messmore and son Ray, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Everett and daughter Helen, George Bruce and family, Leonard Hudson and family, Walter LeCrone and family, George Atterberry and family, H. E. Greene and family, James Pearce and family, Grover Graven and family, Ray Evans and family, Earl Bolin and family, Curt Callahan and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Shuck, Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Ritchey and son Wallace. The Cornhuskers' Bert Wheeler, leader, Todd Ieilly, Rex Donaker, Jim Matherson, Walter LeCrone, Leonard Hudson, Earl Everett and O. C. Yarnell with H. E. Greene, manager. All departed at a late hour wishing Mrs. Yarnell many more happy birthdays.

Kirksville Community open air meeting was held last Friday evening, there being about 500 present. The crowd was favored with selections of songs by a Sullivan male quartette, composed of Lawrence Thomas, J. B. Martin, Judge Grider, George Iftner, with Miss Grace Grider at the piano. A splendid re-

view of his trip through the East was given by county adviser C. C. Turner which was enjoyed by all. The Cornhuskers furnished the music. There will be no more meetings until Sept. 6th at which time it is planned to have an all day community picnic.

Irtys Alvey of Tuscola, formerly of this community made a short talk at the community meeting and told a good story or two.

The Cornhusker's orchestra are going to be pretty busy as they are booked with Decatur WJBL to broadcast Aug. 28, Saturday night 9:30; Tuscola, Oct. 4th and with their local engagements and a big corn crop in sight they will be busy.

ELEVEN NEW MOULTRIE COUNTY TEACHERS

Mrs. Roughton has received notice from the State Department of Education that eight of the applicants who recently wrote for second grade certificates have passed. Three Moultrie county applicants who took the examination out of the county also passed. One of those who wrote for a first grade certificate also passed. Only one, a young lady from Douglas county, who had been employed to teach in this county, failed to pass. Several in this county who had accepted schools without certificates were able to pass and are now qualified to teach.

THE GOSPEL MISSION

H. H. Smith, Supt.

9:30 a. m. Sunday School.
6:30 p. m. Young Peoples service.
7:30 p. m. Evangelistic services.
8:00 p. m. Tuesday, cottage prayer meeting.
8:00 p. m. Thursday, regular prayer meeting.

The prayer meeting this week will be at Mrs. Laura Reedy's. We are glad to get back to our Tuesday evening prayer meetings. While we enjoyed the special services held on these evenings at the hall, we miss the fellowship of the prayer meetings in the home. I believe that in the home is the first place we are called to bear a living witness. If your Christianity does not work in the home, then there is something wrong with your Christianity. We might fool the folks in the meeting house on Sunday, but you can't fool the folks at home on Monday. The overcrowded wash tub, the broken clothes line, the bad order pump and a rainy wash day these are all tests. Do we remain sweet through it all and do the unsaved members of our families continue to think, we have something which they have not.

Miss Ola Reedy will have charge of the Y. P. service next Sunday. You do your part by coming and helping. You will enjoy being there and I know she will be glad to have you.

BRUCE.

Mrs. Charles Sharp has been very ill but is reported better.

Sybil Irene, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Reed is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Kinsel spent Sunday with William Kinsel and wife of Sullivan.

Mrs. Fred Sampson entertained several relatives and friends Saturday afternoon in honor of her daughter Bessie, it being her 10th birthday anniversary. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Sampson, Mrs. John Sharp, Mr. and Mrs. Bart Tull and son Dean, Mrs. Roe Sharp and daughter Roberta, Ollie Sampson, Nonna Sampson, Evelyn Gilbreath, Lucille Noffke, Ellen Jane Bragg, Frances Daum, Hazel Keyes, William Kinsel, Gerald Bragg, Lorraine Sharp, Lela and Lois Sampson, Bertha Abbott, Carl Abbott, Everett Keyes, Dean and Charles Sampson. All present enjoyed ice cream and cake and on departing, wished Bessie many more happy birthdays.

Chester Ledbetter and family attended the Scribner and Martin reunion at Sullivan, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sharp, Mr. and Mrs. Roe Sharp and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Sharp and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sampson and family attended the Sharp family reunion at Sullivan, Sunday.

Misses Letha Ledbetter, Marjorie Rose, Edna Rauch, Merle Kinsel, Cora Woods, Inez West, Bertie Carter, Earl Rauch, Gerald Rose, John Allen, Clarence Cochran all enjoyed a picnic at Mattoon, Sunday.

Miss Fern Lane spent Sunday with Miss Ruth Kinsel. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Martin spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Oil Darst. Mr. Kennard of Decatur visited last week with Otto Kinsel.

Andrew McDaniel and family, William Miller and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. William Flesher, near Kirksville.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sampson, Ollie Sampson and Miss Bessie Ray spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sampson.

Newt Niles and wife of Allenville

spent Sunday with Mrs. Sarah Niles. Mr. and Mrs. Scott Wood of Decatur spent Sunday with L. C. Messmore and wife.

George Taylor, wife and baby of near Sullivan spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Ritchey.

Earl Righter of Decatur visited his father Q. C. Righter Sunday morning.

COLES.

Mrs. Coral Wilbur and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Henderson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hunt and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Davis and family of Neoga.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Cheever and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Davis and family.

Miss Annabell Vogel spent Sunday with Misses Nora and Fern Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Flesher and daughter spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clay Davis and family.

Mrs. Nora Bouck and son Richard spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Waverly Mathias and baby.

Mrs. Violet Elliott spent the week with her mother Mrs. Fulton.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fowler of Moweaqua spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gearhart and daughter Mary.

Mrs. Anna Davis spent Sunday with her uncle Barney Layton in Tolono, who is seriously ill.

Harold Hinton spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Hinton.

Miss Anna and Kate Ratkivich who has been spending the last two weeks with Mrs. Viola Scoby returned to their home in Chicago, Tuesday.

Carol and Morie Fetters spent the week end with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Fetters of St. Elmo.

Mr. and Mrs. Orval Vandeventer and son Howard spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cooley and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cheeley and family motored to Janesville Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Young and daughter Etta of Chicago spent Sunday at the home of John McDonald, and family.

MERRITT DISTRICT

Mrs. Henry Spanhook, Mrs. Ray Wilson, Mrs. John Warren, Mrs. Everett Spanhook and Mrs. Ross Thomas helped Mrs. Herman Ray cook for threshers, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Yaw and daughter spent Monday at the home of Ross Thomas

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Pankey and daughters spent Sunday visiting Mr. Ray's brother near Champaign.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Lewis and daughter spent Sunday afternoon visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ed Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wilson spent Sunday visiting relatives in Sullivan.

Mrs. Ross Thomas, Mrs. Herman Ray, Mrs. Ray Wilson, Mrs. Rolla Thomas, Mrs. Everett Spanhook assisted Mrs. Henry Spanhook cook for threshers, Saturday.

BRETHREN

A. J. Burville, Pastor. Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. Preaching 7:30 p. m. Sunday School at the Prairie Chapel at 2:30 p. m.

There will be preaching at the Prairie Chapel in the morning this Sunday and preaching at Sullivan Sunday night.

On Sunday week there will be preaching at Sullivan in the morning at 11 a. m. and preaching at Prairie Chapel on Sunday night.

We had quite a nice crowd out to preaching last Lord's Day night at Prairie Chapel. There were over 50 out. The crowd is increasing there.

Bible class as usual on Wednesday night and also on Friday night at the home.

We invite all of our country friends and town friends to our meetings.

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to thank all friends and neighbors for their help and their kindness and sympathy expressed in the hours of our recent fire.

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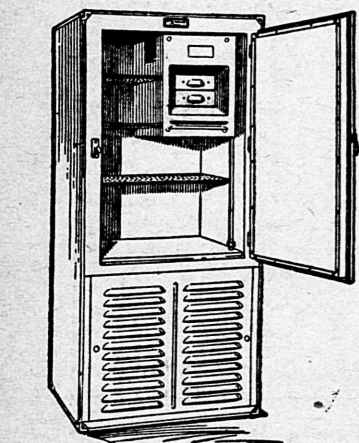
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