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## Prominent Couple United In Marriage Sunday Evening

**Helen Parks and Ivan Myers Surprise Friends. Ceremony Performed at Home of Bride's Grandmother. Will Live on Farm.**

Miss Helen O. Parks and Ivan Myers were united in marriage Sunday evening at 6 o'clock at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Amanda Purvis on Harrison street. Rev. W. B. Hopper performed the double ring ceremony. Mrs. Ernest Martin played the wedding march.

While the couple had been sweethearts since school days, their wedding was rather unexpected, as relatives knew nothing about their plans until Saturday.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Parks, residents of this city who have been living in Champaign for the past 5 years. Miss Parks and Mr. Myers graduated from the local STHS in the class of '22. The Parks family then went to Champaign and Miss Helen attended the U. of I. graduating last year. She then began studying for her Master's degree, but discontinued her studies in January of this year when she was engaged to teach in the Charleston High school.

The groom is the only son of Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Myers and since his graduation has been engaged in farming. He and his grandmother, Mrs. Potter have been living at the Selock farm at the southwest corner of this city which his father purchased last year.

After the wedding ceremony refreshments were served. Those who were present besides the contracting parties were: Mrs. Amanda Purvis and daughter Miss Ora, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Parks and son Henry, Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Myers, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Martin and children, Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Purvis and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Leeds and daughter Mary Elizabeth.

On Monday, Mrs. Myers returned to Charleston where she had four more days of teaching before the close of her school. She was accompanied by Mary Elizabeth Leeds.

The newly married couple will start farming on the Hardy Myers home place North of this city. The parents of the groom will move to the Selock place.

The Progress joins with the many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Myers in wishing them a happy and prosperous married life.

## TWO DECATUR MEN INJURED WHEN THEIR AUTO WENT INTO DITCH

Ben Cassell and Richard Darling, two young men of Decatur were seriously injured Wednesday evening about 7 o'clock when their automobile went into a ditch on the Masonic Home road just west of the T. J. McIntire home. Miss Bettie Moore, also of Decatur, who was in the car with them was slightly injured.

The car was going at a moderate speed when a tire came off one of the front wheels and the car swerved toward the north roadside ditch and upset.

Neighbors nearby went to their aid. Both men were unconscious. A telephone call was sent to Decatur for an ambulance. Darling had recovered consciousness before the ambulance arrived but Cassell was still unconscious and appeared to have suffered serious injuries about the head.

Miss Moore who is employed in Decatur had been visiting at the Roy Newberry home and the two young men had driven over from Decatur to get her. They were on their way home when the mishap occurred. The injured men were taken to the McIntire home, while waiting for the arrival of the ambulance.

## TEACHERS LEAVE FOR SUMMER AS SULLIVAN TOWNSHIP HIGH CLOSES

With the close of the school year at the Sullivan Township High School the teachers who do not reside here have gone to their homes as follows: Gladys Lewis to New Richmond, Ind.; Zelda Pape to Mattoon; Wanda Rice to New Sharon, Iowa; Wilma Delasus to Martinsville, Ill.; Ruth Baskin to Parma, Ill.; Clara Powell to Mendota, Ill.; Inez Matthews to Normal, Ill.; and Ruth Blythe to Gays.

Prof. Moore and Miss Pauline Thompson will attend the U. of I. during part of the vacation period.

C. E. Dennis, G. H. Iftner, Ruth Todd, Mrs. George Roney and Miss Emma Edmiston are Sullivan residents.

## SCHOOL BEGINNERS

In answer to numerous inquiries the Board of Education has announced that all children who will reach the age of 6 on or before December 31st, will be permitted to start school at the beginning of the next term this fall.

## MEN'S CHORUS MET AT BETHANY TUESDAY NIGHT

The Moultrie County Men's Chorus met Tuesday night at Bethany for rehearsal. The attendance was good and it was decided to have the next meeting at the Christian church in Gays on Tuesday night, June 7th. Important matters of business will be taken up at that time.

## ILLIOPOLIS PASTOR AT MID-WEEK SERVICES

Rev. C. E. Barnett of Illiopolis preached Wednesday night to the congregation of the Christian church at special mid-week services. A good number attended. Rev. Barnett was accompanied by Mrs. Barnett.

## Pythians Sisters Had Successful District Convention Here Fri.

Visiting Delegations Not as Big as Had Been Expected Due to Inclemency of the Weather.

Lilly Temple No. 19 entertained the Thirtieth annual district convention of district No. 19 at the K. of P. Hall, Friday, May 27.

Despite the terrible rain the attendance was very good and it proved to be a very pleasant and profitable session on both afternoon and evening. There were four guests from Champaign, three from Springfield, one from Chicago and one from Bloomington which cities are not in this district. A delegation of 12 came from Lakewood, five from Robinson, Mattoon had about 25, Charleston as well as Mattoon's number was much less than planned on account of the terrible downpour of rain and hail.

Mrs. Lulu Newbould gave a splendid address of welcome which was greatly enjoyed.

The community club left nothing undone in their effort to make it pleasant for the guests while in our little city. The florist did his part with the beautiful flowers in decorating the hall, which was made very attractive with potted plants, cut flowers and Old Glory.

At 4:30 cars were in readiness at the hall to carry the guests over the parts of town possible to go, having to give up the trip to the Masonic Home and through Wyman Park.

The first stop was at the M. E. church where a delicious chicken dinner was served by the Fourth division of the Aid.

Several impromptu talks were given during the dinner hour, the district deputy acting as toastmaster.

The mayor welcomed the guests, Our G. C. responded in her usual pleasing manner.

Homer Shirey representing the Community club made an interesting talk on what the community was doing. It is needless to say Mr. Brandenburg's remarks added much to the enjoyment of the evening. Mr. Weeks of Champaign, the grand vice Chancellor Commander gave every one a good laugh from the beginning to the end of his remarks.

His wife who is the G. M. of F. added words of love and good cheer to the organization. The last to be heard from was Sophia S. Marsh of Springfield a P. G. C. and one of the most pleasing speakers of the evening at the church.

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## COURT SATURDAY; THOMAS A. REEDY RELEASED ON BOND

Judge Sentel will have a session of the circuit court here Saturday. Arguments in the Hines insurance case will be heard and other chancery cases may be passed on.

It is expected that the grand jury will be recalled to pass on the arson charge against Thomas A. Reedy and also to indict Skiff and Chapman the Moweaqua men who are charged with having robbed the Simpson filling station in Lovington.

Mr. Reedy was released on bond Tuesday. The bond was signed by his two sons, who arrived here from the west and by James Shasteen and Henry Frederick. Confinement had been telling on the aged man and his health was failing.

## EXPECT CLARENCE MILLER HOME FROM HOSPITAL SUNDAY

Clarence Miller who had been a patient in the Memorial hospital at Mattoon four weeks, following an operation for appendicitis is expected to have recovered sufficiently to be returned home Sunday.

## ANSEL BUSHART MARRIED

Ansel Bushart, son of Dr. and Mrs. E. E. Bushart was united in marriage May 7th at San Francisco, Calif., to Miss Bessie McNeil of that city. Ansel left this city about three years ago.

## Community Club Won Partial Victory In Telephone Fight

State Commission Rules That All Free Service, Except Between Sullivan and Bethany, Will Continue As Heretofore.

The Sullivan Community club has won a victory in the fight against a change in telephone rates.

The free service between Sullivan and Bruce; Sullivan and Kirksville and Sullivan and Arthur will continue. The free service between Sullivan and Bethany will cease and a toll service will be substituted therefor.

Copies of the decision in this case reached the members of the Community club committee Thursday morning.

After reviewing the cast in all its details the commission takes up the various lines involved and it is stated that discontinuance of the present free service between Sullivan and Bruce, Kirksville and Arthur would work a hardship on the telephone patrons and on the merchants of Sullivan and that no good purpose could be served by discontinuing the free service and substituting toll service therefor.

In the case of Bethany it was held that there was no good reason why free service should be given and a ruling was made that toll service shall be instituted between the two cities.

In summing up the decision Commissioner Johnson has the following to say:

"Unlimited interchange service will be furnished without extra charge between Sullivan subscribers and subscribers of Bruce, Kirksville exchange lines maintained for that purpose. Messages routed over toll lines at the request of subscribers or from public pay stations will be charged for at the regular toll rates."

This victory is a big one for the community club. The matter was taken up after the commission had practically acceded to the request of the Illinois Central Telephone Company to discontinue all free service between these exchanges. Upon proper representation being made by the committee having the matter in charge, the commission very accommodatingly re-opened the matter and heard what the subscribers had to offer in way of protest.

Meetings were held here which heard Manager Cheadle's side of the case. Farmers especially were bitterly against the proposed change as it would seriously have interfered with their telephone service and added to their telephone expense.

The decision of the committee is very gratifying in so far as it goes. The community is very sorry that the commission did not see fit to continue the free service between Sullivan and Bethany.

## OUR BALL TEAM GOT LICKED AT NOKOMIS; BLAME HIZZONER, THE UMP

After having put three runs across on a fluke play by the pitcher of the Nokomis team Sunday, the umpire ruled out these three runs and made the Sullivan boys go back to their bases. Disgusted at such a ruling Sullivan finally lost the game 8 to 7.

With three men on bases, Chipps coaching at third, started razzing the pitcher and claimed the ball was "doctored". The pitcher fell for this sort of talk and when Pete said "throw that ball over here" he accommodatedly did so. Pete side stepped the ball which rolled into the outfield while the three Sullivan men on bases romped home.

Although plenty of precedent was cited to show that the pitcher had pulled a raw "boner", the ump felt that his home team was being "slickered" and ruled the Sullivan runners all back to bases.

Sunday a strong Legion team from Champaign will play here. The game will be one of the big features of the Legion entertainment.

## BATSON SHOWED 'EM

Sergt. Harmon Batson and Sergt. Fred Panches of the local Headquarters company went to Springfield Saturday to attend a regimental rifle shoot as representatives of the local N. G. company. Ten men were shooting. Of these seven were from Carbondale. Sergt. Batson scored 142 out of a possible 150 and was high man, his nearest competitor having but 135. Sergt. Panches did not do so well and only scored 114.

## TO TOLEDO

Prof. and Mrs. C. L. Brewer left Tuesday evening for Toledo, Illinois where they will reside. Prof. Brewer has for the past two years been superintendent of the local grade schools and many of his friends regret that he will not return for next term.

## Mildred Chapin Has Highest Grades In High School Finals

Eileen Hagerman Leads Senior Class At End of Four Year's Work. Grades For Last Semester.

The following is a list of those students of the class of 1927 ranking highest in the class.

These averages are for four years of High school work and indicate the high scholastic standing of this class:

Eileen Hagerman—95.8.  
Eloise Harshman—95.1.  
Ferne Sickafus—94.7.  
Ruth Pifer—94.  
Lenna Price—93.6.  
Mabeline Lilly—93.3.  
Ruth Condon—92.9.  
Jennie M. Cummins—90.7.  
Gerold Elder—88.3.  
Harold Hoskins—88.3.  
Herman Martin—87.6.

## Second Semester Report

General Science 17 in class—Darrell Yarnell—94; Earl Rhodes—93.

Agriculture I 19 in class—Darrell Yarnell—96; Johnson Kelly—95.

Agriculture II 10 in class—Wm. Elder—93; Granville Cochran 87.

Algebra I 99 in class—Mildred Chapin—98; Lewie Sharpe 96; Robert Sullivan 96.

Plane Geom. 71 in class—Doris Graven—95; Carrie Greene—93.

Solid Geom. 1 in class—Elta Collins—93.

Physics 7 in class—Ferne Sickafus 93; Meda Harris 90.

Latin IV, 4 in class—Eileen Hagerman, 96; Lucia Harshman 94; Mary E. Leeds 94.

Cooking 9 in class—Jennie M. Cummins—94; Eloise Harshman 94; Ruth Pifer—93; Meda Harris 93.

French I, 8 in class—Letha Ledbetter—90; Lucia Harshman—88; Grace Cody—90; Evalyn Finley 88.

French II, 7 in class—Ferne Sickafus—93; Lenna Price—93; Mabeline Lilly—93; Eloise Harshman—92; Ruth Condon—92.

Latin II, 21 in class—Vonnice Leavitt—96; Jean Whitfield—94; Bonadell Mallinson—94.

Latin I, 33 in class—Mildred Chapin—97; Rose Eden Martin—94; Velta Wallace—94.

American History 47 in class—Agnes Wright—94; Carmen Harris—94; Lucia Harshman—93.

General History 27 in class—Anna Mary Bayne—94; Freda Doner—93; Carrie Greene—93.

English I, 97 in class—Mildred Chapin—98; Lyle Robertson—97.

Ancient History 7 in class—Jean Whitfield—95; Agnes Pyatt—93; Elta Collins—93.

Com. Law 19 in class—Harold Hoskins—91; Glenn Clark—90.

Com. Arith. 38 in class—Zelma Mathias—94; Elda Wallace—93.

Bookkeeping 24 in class—Freda Doner—91; Paul Harshman—91; Lelia Smith—90; Dorothy Mitchell, 90; Mabel Leeds—90; Fern Brown—90; Lloyd Brown—90.

English IV, 30 in class—Eileen Hagerman—93; Eloise Harshman—92.

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## INSURANCE PAID IN FULL DIAMOND BROS. DISTRICT AGENTS FIDELITY-PHENIX FARM INSURANCE CO.

On Tuesday afternoon, May 10th half of the roof was blown off the large barn belonging to John Easton on his farm about 10 miles southwest of Arcola, Ill. On Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock the barn was totally destroyed by fire together with the entire contents that belonged to Harry Easton, the loss was adjusted through Diamond Bros. District Agency at Arcola, Ill., and Mr. Easton received \$1500.00 the full amount of Insurance on his barn and Harry Easton received \$767.25 in full for his loss on grain, hay, harness, tools and farming implements. All losses under the Phenix Special farm policies are adjusted from Diamond Bros. office at Arcola, Ill., and paid in full without discount, no two-thirds or three-fourth clause in the special farm policy of the old Phenix.

## ABSENTEE VOTERS HAVE ALREADY VOTED FOR JUDGES

The following voters who will be absent from this city Monday have secured their ballots and marked them. This is an excellent showing of interest in a judicial election:

C. J. Booze, Edna Davis, Guy Jordan, Clint Bazzell, J. A. Sabin, Henry Smith, Helen Parks, Gladys Graven, Freda Elder, F. J. Thompson, D. A. MacLeod and Effie Wright.

## LET'S DECORATE

Merchants are requested to decorate Sunday in honor of the American Legion convention for the 19th district which will meet here. The local boys want to the city to put on its most patriotic dress while they are hosts to their buddies.

## MRS SWISHER ENTERTAINED AT DINNER PARTY SUNDAY

Mrs. Clara Swisher entertained the following guests at a dinner party in her home Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Homer Harris, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Gaddis, Mrs. O. E. Poland and Mrs. Orville Stricklan of Decatur and Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Stricklan of this city. The Decatur folks remained here for Decoration services Monday.

## GUY LITTLE BUSY ON NUMBER OF CONTRACTS

Guy S. Little is building a concrete bridge near Moweaqua and was also recently awarded a contract to do some work on the court house square in Petersburg, Illinois.

## Three Judicial Candidates Once Were Teachers

McLaughlin, Gulick and Williams Are Typical Products of Illinois Cornbelt and for Twenty-five Years Past Taken Active Part in Community Affairs.

The voters of the Sixth Judicial district, which consists of Macon, Champaign, DeWitt, Moultrie, Piatt, and Douglas counties, will elect three circuit judges on Monday, June 6th. These judges will serve six years.

Six years ago no Democratic candidates were on the ticket. This year three prominent members of the bar were nominated and they have made as thorough a campaign as time would permit.

On page 2 of this issue appears an advertisement in which appear the pictures of these candidates. In their own communities they are well known. They enjoy a large practice in law and stand high among the legal fraternity.

## Louis O. Williams

Mr. Williams is a native of DeWitt county, having been born at Kenney February 22, 1874. After receiving the common and high school education he entered the Northern Indiana Law School and graduated from that institution in 1900. Following this he had two years post graduate work in Science and Literature at Valparaiso University.

Like many other professional men, Mr. Williams started life's work teaching school. He engaged in that work 5 years, in 1903 being principal of the Weldon high school. He also served three years as bank cashier.

In 1905 he was admitted to the Illinois bar and the following year started in the practice of law at Clinton. He has at all times taken an active part in all civic enterprises that had for their aim the betterment of his community.

## Joseph P. Gulick

Joe Gulick too started his life's work as a school teacher and was so engaged until the lure of the legal profession attracted him and made him its devotee for life.

He is of old Illinois pioneer stock and was born December 20th, 1870 at Vandalia, Illinois. His family later moved to Champaign county and he there received his education in the public schools and the University of Illinois from which institution he graduated in 1892. Then came his days as a teacher. In 1895 he was admitted to the Illinois bar. For seven years he was associated in practice with his father. For the last 25 years he has practiced by himself. He takes a very prominent part in all matters pertaining to his profession and is a member of the Champaign County, Illinois State and American Bar Association.

## Joseph L. McLaughlin

Joseph L. McLaughlin was born on a farm in Marion county, near Salem 43 years ago. After the usual preliminary education in the common schools he attended the Southern Illinois Normal University at Carbondale and then taught school two years.

He secured his legal education at the University of Illinois and graduated with the degree of L. L. B. in June 1909. In the same year he was admitted to the bar in Chicago and became associated in the practice of his profession with Fred D. Hamill at Champaign for nearly a year. He went to Decatur in 1910 and in 1912 became the junior member of the law firm of Whitley, Fitzgerald & McLaughlin. He retained these connections until March 1915 when he moved to Sullivan and has been continuously engaged in the practice of law here until the present time.

## MEMORIAL SERVICES

Memorial services will be held Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the French cemetery chapel. Rev. J. E. Baker of Bayle City will speak.

## —The University scholarship

examination takes place in the office of County Superintendent, Mrs. Roughton Saturday.

## 19th District Legion Meeting to be Held Here All Day Sunday

Moultrie County Legionnaires to Entertain Their Buddies in Royal Style. State Officials to be Present.

The District meeting of the American Legion will be held in Sullivan, Sunday June 5th. The 19th district of the Legion corresponds to the Congressional district.

The afternoon session will be in charge of William E. Gilmore of Champaign who is District Commander.

Mervin Reed, County Commander for Moultrie county will be in charge of arrangements for the meeting.

The meeting will convene at 10:00 a. m. in the Masonic club room for a get together meeting. If there is not room there available for the morning session, arrangements will be made to use the court house.

At noon there will be a parade of the visiting posts led by the Sullivan band. At 12:30, a dinner consisting of baked chicken and dressing, noodles, mashed potatoes and several other items ending up with angel food cake and ice cream will be served in the Masonic dining room. The food will be taken care of by the Ladies Auxiliary. This part of the program ought to go over big.

Immediately after dinner the business session will be held beginning with short addresses of welcome by Mayor Patterson and J. J. Gauger, president of the Community club.

Commander Gilmore will then take charge of the meeting. Several officers from state headquarters will be present to make talks. They are Floyd J. Heckel, dept. adj.; Erwin Alber, service officer and Ed Haffey, chief clerk.

Three prizes of ten dollars each will be given to posts bringing the best quartette, drum corps or band. George Titus is in charge of music for the dinner and he has secured a good orchestra.

Immediately following the dinner the Sullivan Greys will meet a Legion Ball team from Champaign at the City athletic park.

Drum corps are expected from Champaign and Decatur and quartettes from Clinton, Tuscola and Monticello, and possibly a band from Clinton.

## MRS. FRANK PEDIGO DIED FRIDAY; FUNERAL HELD SUNDAY AFTERNOON

(Obituary)

Minnie Reed was born in Johnson County, Illinois May 9, 1886 and died at her home near Sullivan, May 27, 1927 at the age of 41 years, and 18 days.

She spent her school days and was reared to young womanhood in Southern Illinois and there was married to Frank Pedigo on September 5, 1903. To this union were born six children, Dewey, Gonia, Gentry, May, Don, and a baby eight months of age, all of Sullivan. She also leaves four brothers and three sisters, Ira, Noah, and John Reed of Sullivan, the others living near Marion, Ill.

Mrs. Pedigo moved to near Sullivan in 1918 and has since resided in this community.

She was an affectionate mother, a true companion, and a good neighbor always working for the good things in life. Not only in her own family was her tenderness shown, but to the motherless children of her brother, she showed untiring interest for their welfare.

In her last sickness she often expressed her willingness to leave all that was dear in this world for a home where there was no more suffering, trusting in her Saviour's tender mercy. She leaves besides her family many friends who are indeed saddened by her untimely departure, and who will ever cherish her memory.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at the Christian church in charge of Rev. W. B. Hopper. Burial was in Greenhill cemetery.

## SPECIAL SERVICES AT CHRISTIAN CHURCH SUNDAY FOLLOWING SUNDAY SCHOOL

There will be no preaching services at the Christian church Sunday morning, but there will be communion service following the regular Sunday School hour.

A matter of important business, pertaining to extending a call to a new man to fill the pulpit will then be presented to the congregation for their consideration. All members are urged to be present.

## HOME FROM WEST

Ted Miller of San Pedro, Cal., son of Dr. and Mrs. A. D. Miller of Sullivan came the latter part of last week for a two weeks visit with relatives and friends in Sullivan. Ted left Sullivan in May 1922, and this is his first visit home since.

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Election Monday, June 6, 1927

## EDITORIAL

### Monday, June 6th

Monday is election day.

Three circuit judges will be elected.

They will serve a term of six years. The next such election will be in June 1933.

The office of circuit judge is one of the most important in the gift of the people.

The man who fills it must not only know the

law, but he must have that love of his fellow-men so that he can administer the law with fairness, honesty and justice.

There are six candidates for these offices on the ticket at Monday's election.

One of these men is from Sullivan.

He is not a politician; not a professional office seeker.

He is serving this community now as head of the board of education; he has served the community in its various activities, not always on call, but more often as a leader.

His honesty, integrity and ability as an attorney-at-law is unquestioned. His record is clean.

If you or I should have a case in court any time within the next six years, we would want a man like Joe McLaughlin in the judge's chair while the case was being tried.

In these days of rapid transportation, it takes but a few minutes to go to the polls and vote. No matter how busy you are, that is the only way in which you can help.

Your good wishes will help Joe McLaughlin nothing. Excuses as to why you could not vote will avail nothing.

The ballot in the box is the only thing that counts.

If you want Joe McLaughlin elected circuit judge, vote for him and see that your family and your neighbors do the same.

You surely can spare a few minutes once in six years to assist in electing a circuit judge.

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Mr. Mellon shows good judgment, putting the advertising in thousands of country weeklies and small dailies. In proportion to their circulation, they are THE best mediums.

Before General Mitchell was put out of Army flying, for telling unpleasant truths, he had under way plans for a giant flier, with wheels twenty feet high, that could take a running start over fences and tree trunks.

And this week Professor Rumpel, head of a German airplane company, announced plans for a plane, many times the size of any ever built, to carry many engines, and cross the Atlantic in sixteen hours, carrying 170 passengers.

Transatlantic flight will soon be commonplace, but the little machine must show the way, as did Columbus' little boats.

Miss Spencer, seventy years old, rode to work at the Treasury Department and back on a bicycle, and saved and made more than \$100,000. She leaves small sums to relatives and the balance of \$100,000 for a tombstone. Relatives object, the court is asked to decide.

The foolish waste should be forbidden. But it is interesting to think of that old Treasury clerk pushing her bicycle back and forth, meditating on the grand figure that she would cut in death with her \$100,000 tomb, she, who in life had been only a \$1,200 year spinster clerk. Happiness is largely imagination.

It is suggested unofficially that Mr. Hughes, formerly Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, will be chosen by Governor Fuller of Massachusetts as head of a commission to investigate the Sacco-Vanzetti case.

Such a choice would be satisfactory to the country, and the decision conclusive. It is more important, by far than executing any two men, to make sure that there was no mistake or prejudice in conviction.

The views of clergymen each Sunday present interesting contrasts, such as would have been unsafe for the clergymen one hundred years ago.

The Rev. Dr. Walter Duncan Buchanan says we are ignorant about heaven and our uncertainty is a blessed thing. It gives us something to hope and work for.

The Rev. Dr. Minot Simons, Unitarian, says we must look for our "compensations" in this life. Old ideas of heaven and hell "are now inadequate and futile."

The Rev. Dr. Straton says Mrs. Snyder, convicted of helping to murder her husband, is an atheist. She couldn't have committed the crime had she believed in God.

If that is so, there have been atheists in high places throughout history.

Republicans and Democrats are planning a 1928 campaign in which the wet and dry question will be shelved, forgotten.

Some wets say, "If you do, we shall start a third party, dripping wet."

That would not hurt the feelings of Republicans, who have decided the Democrats may have the wet issue.

If, as seems likely, a wet Democrat is nominated, the wets will know his wetness and vote for him. A separate wet party would get a few votes now as a separate prohibition party used to get, in the old wet days.

Congressman William W. Cohen says the Government's treatment of letter carriers and mail clerks is a disgrace, which is accurate. Mail workers are under-paid as regulars, and shamefully treated as substitutes. For the Government to compel men, perhaps with children, to waste an entire day waiting for one or two hours' work, and for the richest country in the world to pay its post office force as miserably as ours are paid, is unworthy.

### REV. Mac LEOD VOTED BY AIR MAIL ROUTE

Rev. D. A. MacLeod, pastor of the Presbyterian church has been attending a conference of his denomination at San Francisco. He was anxious, however, to register a vote for his friend, J. L. McLaughlin. Before leaving on his trip he gave instructions to the county clerk to forward his ballot by air mail. His instructions were followed and the ballot, duly voted, was returned the same way and reached here Monday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Bragg are the parents of a daughter, Norma Jean, born Saturday, May 28th.

—Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Wood returned to their home in Sycamore after spending several days here with relatives.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Magill of Mattoon visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Magill, Saturday.

## NOTICE

I will not make my monthly June visit to Sullivan.

MY NEXT DATE WILL BE SATURDAY JULY 16th.

**Frank Wallace**  
INCORPORATED  
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256 N. MAIN ST.,  
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### DEATH IN WHITLEY OF

MRS. ADA WAGGONER

Mrs. Ada Aprilla Waggoner, aged 58 years, widow of George D. Waggoner, passed away at her home, in Whitley township Wednesday night of last week. Death was due to dropsy and heart trouble, from which she had suffered for the last year. She was seriously ill three weeks.

Mrs. Waggoner was born in Mt. Vernon, O., on June 11, 1858, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Ferree. At the age of eleven years she was brought by her parents to Moultrie county where she had lived ever since. At the age of eighteen years, in 1876, she was married to George D. Waggoner. Four children were born to this union, two of whom survive, Alvin Waggoner of Phillip, S. D., and Mrs. O. E. See of Monmouth. There are four grandchildren and a sister, Mrs. Kate Thomas of Hammond, Ind.

### FAMILY GATHERING AT

MRS. S. W. WRIGHT HOME

The following guests arrived at the home of Mrs. S. W. Wright Saturday and remained here until Monday: Judge and Mrs. W. K. Whitfield and son William; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wright and son Linder, all of St. Louis, and Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Potter and son William of Decatur.

### GONE TO EUROPE

Mrs. W. B. Hopper this week received a cablegram announcing the safe arrival in London of her two sisters, the Misses Blanche and Jennie Collier of Boston. They expect to spend a year traveling and sight-seeing in Europe.

### TAKEN TO JACKSONVILLE

Jack McElfresh who before being admitted to the I. O. O. F. old folks home at Mattoon last year, resided North of this city was found to be mentally ailing and Saturday was taken to the State asylum at Jacksonville.

—Mrs. Anna Sears is ill with the mumps.

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### RESIGNED POSITION

Miss Marie Frantz who has been manager and bookkeeper of the Moultrie County Hatchery for the past few months resigned Thursday of last week. She returned to her home for the summer.

—Travis Hume, who makes his home at the I. O. O. F. old folks home at Mattoon arrived here Saturday and spent the week end visiting with friends. He had the misfortune of injuring his right hand shortly after he arrived and surgical attention was necessary.

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## Democratic Voters

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## MONDAY, JUNE 6TH

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## Grade Schools Close Commencement Tuesday; Final Semester Reports

On Tuesday of this week at 2:30 o'clock the Eighth Grade graduating exercises were held at which time there were forty one students received diplomas. The address was given by Mrs. Cora Ryman of Decatur and was very inspiring and very suggestive to the graduates. She pointed out in a very plain manner the way to success and certainly made it plain that if success came to any one it came through struggle and achievement.

The entire program was well rendered and much appreciated. We believe there are many in the class who will continue their education through high school and college.

Below you will see the final report of the year.

All pupils who have been neither absent nor tardy for the entire year:

First Grade—Jane Gibbons, Junior Siron, Virginia Briscoe, Ralph Freeman.

Second Grade—Doris Reynolds, Gertrude Perry, Leslie Myers, Amanda Tichenor.

Third Grade—Rita Collins, Zula Collins, Lida Dixon, Herman Lilly, Veda Loy, Dean McPheeters, Robert Whitfield, James McLaughlin.

Fourth Grade—Everett Arterburn, Lorn Dixon, Rhoda Belle Duncan, Marguerite Fulk, Elsie Holzmueller, Dale Smith, John Tichenor, Mildred Winchester.

Fifth Grade—Paul Gregg, Vera Loy, Lone Reedy, Lucille Alumbaugh, Louise Cochran, Ilo Collins, Leo Dixon, Rachel Kinsel.

Sixth Grade—Charlotte Baker, Billie Fleming, Helen McCarthy, Ruth Harlow, Melvin Nedden, May Bathe, Eileen Myers, Christine Tarter, Elmer Dunscomb, Jack Poland, Norma Gene Clark, Genevieve Perry, Louis Arterburn, Harold Conard, Howard Poland, Evelyn Dunscomb, Mildred Standerfer, Jack Condon, Paul McDavid.

Seventh Grade—Carlisle Allison, Bernice Baugher, Bernice Dixon, Wayne Carnine, Albert Doner, Byron Brandenburger, Charles Cummings, Richard Poland, Marie Alumbaugh, Freda McKim, Paul Dixon, Margaret Chapin, Reo Collins, Cecil Fultz.

Eighth Grade—Dorothy Wood, Ora Cummings, Dale Elder, Ruth Doughty, Ruby Lewton, Hattie Belle Bilbrey, Albert Price, Mark Kenny.

### Honor Roll

Third Grade—Dorothy Chapin, Johanna Sams, Wilma Shaw, Francis Newbould, Jack Matheson, Clara Colclasure, Virile Dixon, Veda Loy, Dean McPheeters, Robert Whitfield, Helen Sona, James McLaughlin, Billie Briscoe, Royal Freeman, Junior Cool, Maxine Dixon, Richard Dunscomb, Marcia Rose Martin, Clayton Tartar, Noel Rhodes.

Fourth Grade—Vivian Loy, Amanda Harsh, Harris Wood, Rhoda Belle Duncan, Elsie Holzmueller, Dale Smith, Mildred Winchester, Finley Pifer, Jane Foster, Geraldine Pearson, Jesse Bathe, William Harlow, Richard Perry, John Tichenor, Marion Pifer.

Fifth Grade—Charles Barnes, Dean Brackney, Guy Carnine, Louise Cochran, Mabel Colclasure, Letha Bushart, Vera Loy, Clyde Misenheimer, Lloyd Selby, Martha Wright, Helen Smith, Eleanor Cummings, Bernice Fultz, Marguerite Grigsby, Philip Hagerman, Herbert Schneider, Mary Fleming, Doris Matheson, June Myers, Wendell Turner, George Poland, Joseph Purvis.

Sixth Grade—Charlotte Baker, Maurine Elder, Helen McCarthy, Billie Fleming, Dean Harshman, John McDonald, Evelyn Dunscomb, Ferne Reedy, Dean Foster, Jack McLaughlin, Norma Gene Clark, Genevieve Perry, Mildred Colclasure, Olive Ruth Martin, Christine Tartar, Paul McDavid.

Seventh Grade—Merle Fisher, Inez Loy, Virgil Childers, Marvin Perry, Margaret Chapin, Goldie Linville, Byron Brandenburger, Jack Robinson, Katherine Burville, Roberta Smith, Albert Doner, Marie Brackney, Alta Elder, Ruth Finley, Charles

Cummins. Eighth Grade—Helen Cummins, Joseph McLaughlin, Helen Gauger, Etha Jordan, Valeria Lundy, Donabelle Pifer, Genevieve Mallinson, Cleo Garrett, Dale Elder, Dorothy Blackwell, John McKinney, Ruth Doughty, Albert Price, Mildred Smith and Alberta Harsh.

Highest Ranking students for the last six weeks:

Third Grade—Miss Hart  
Dorothy Chapin .....95.2  
James McLaughlin .....94.4  
Francis Newbould .....93.5

Third Grade—Mrs. Carroll  
Marcia Rose Martin .....94.75  
Verile Dixon .....94.3  
Clayton Tartar .....93.6

Fourth Grade—Miss Cazier  
Vivian Loy .....95.7  
Geraldine Pearson .....95.6  
Ruth Witts .....95

Fifth Grade—Miss Hoke  
Vera Loy .....94.8  
Letha Bushart .....94.3  
Lloyd Selby .....93.9  
Helen Smith .....93.9

Fifth Grade—Miss Wood  
Eleanor Cummings .....96.1  
Louise Colclasure .....95.1  
Bernice Fultz .....92.4  
Charles Barnes .....92.4

Departmental  
Six One  
Hugh Grote .....96  
Helen McCarthy .....95.8  
Charlotte Baker .....95.1

Six Two  
Olive Ruth Martin .....96.5  
Mildred Colclasure .....95.4  
Paul McDavid .....94.3  
Evelyn Dunscomb .....94.3

Seven One  
Merle Fisher .....96.2  
Katherine Burville .....95.2  
Inez Loy .....94.2

Seven Two  
Margaret Chapin .....97.8  
Byron Brandenburger .....97  
Ruth Finley .....96.3

Eight One  
Albert Price .....96  
Donabelle Pifer .....95.2  
Mildred Smith .....95.1

Eight Two  
Helen Cummings .....96.8  
Helen Gauger .....95  
Valeria Lundy .....94.2

The highest percentage of attend-

ance for the month of May was Miss Ann McCarthy's room with 99.9%.  
C. L. Brewer, Supt.

### ALLENVILLE.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Howard and children of Chicago spent the week end here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Leffler and daughter Olive of Decatur visited relatives here Monday.

Mrs. Gloe Rardin and daughter Madge of Lerna visited here Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Wernsing visited over Decoration with relatives near Dietrich.

Mrs. Alice Miller of Oak Park spent Monday with her son, Earl Miller and wife.

Mrs. Maude Martin and children of Decatur were called here Friday to the funeral of Mrs. Ada Waggoner.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Black spent Saturday evening and Sunday with Austin Wilcox and family of Cooks Mills.

Several from here attended the commencement exercises at Sullivan Saturday for the Eighth grade graduates.

Mrs. Laura Sutton, Mrs. Mary Pettit and Catherine Anderson were callers in Sullivan Monday.

D. G. Carnine and wife of Sullivan were callers here Monday.

Sam Standerfer returned to Armstrong, Iowa Monday after several weeks visit here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Z. I. Standerfer.

Mrs. J. C. Judd and daughter Ruth and John Turner were business callers in Sullivan Saturday.

Frank Moore is suffering with blood poisoning in his hand.

Artie and Verne Pettit of Newton spent Sunday with A. J. Pettit and family.

Mrs. Sam Woods and sons of Sycamore spent Decoration day with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kellar and Mrs. Iva Kellar.

Misses Berdina and Marie Black spent Sunday with Mrs. Julia Humphrey.

Miss Ruth Judd spent the first of the week with D. G. Carnine and wife of Sullivan.

Miss Ola England has returned from her employment in Sullivan.

Mrs. Callie Burnett is visiting in Sycamore.

Mrs. Alice Miller and Earl Miller were business callers in Sullivan and Mattoon Monday.

Otis Burcham of Sullivan spent the week end with his parents.

Misses Opal Mathias and Fern Holapple and Frank Spaugh attended the races in Indianapolis Monday.

Miss Freda Miller is working in

Sullivan this week.

Alvin Waggoner and June Martin returned to Decatur Monday after a few days visit here with their grandfather, F. C. Graham.

Mrs. Ralph Shirey visitor her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hendricks in Charleston the first of the week.

Mrs. Oscar Miller was a business caller in Sullivan Tuesday.

### WHITFIELD.

In spite of the awful rain Saturday night and muddy roads Sunday the Sunday school convention at Whitfield school was well attended. Delegates were present from most of the schools. Five of the schools were represented with programs, the church was filled to overflowing for the afternoon service. Many could not attend because of being water-bound. Next year's convention will be with Hurricane church in Cumberland county the fifth Sunday in May.

Next Sunday will be Rev. B. M. Webb's regular appointment at Whitfield. Services as follows: Sunday school at 10:00; preaching at 11:00 and 7:00. Memorial services will be held at 2:30. O. F. Cochran of Sullivan will make the address.

Whitley W. C. T. U. met with Mrs. John Rozene last Wednesday. Mrs. Pearl Illk had charge of the program which was as follows: song service, scripture reading by Mrs. Illk, prayer Rev. L. Z. Smith, reading, "My Mother's Diary" by Vira Gilbreath, talk on the needs of the day by Rev. Smith; also a talk on Answering Wet Propaganda by Rev. Illk. Mrs. Smith also made a short talk along the same line, song, "Bless Be the Tie." Benediction—Rev. Illk.

Montelle Cox and wife of Chicago visited with his mother, Mrs. Rebecca Cox and other relatives and friends from Saturday until Monday.

Farmers in this vicinity are beginning to feel somewhat blue over the continued wet weather.

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J. J. Edwards and sons, Clyde Shaw and family, Glen and Howard Garrett, Joe Arthur, Otis Arthur, Mrs. T. I. Leggett and sons and Sheldon Davis and family attended the eighth grade commencement at Sullivan Saturday.

### COLES.

Rev. George Wilbur, Donald Pierce and John Henderson spent Tuesday night in Springfield.

Miss Marie Feller spent last week in Mattoon.

Orman Perry, who has been in the Navy for the past three years spent Thursday night with his sister, Mrs. Lillian Davis and family.

Rufus Pierce spent Saturday night with Mrs. Coral Wilbur and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Blyford Foster and family of Terre Haute are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Foster and family.

Burl Mitchell spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. James Cheever and family.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pierce May 26, a son, name Rufus Franklin.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cooley and family spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Cooley of St. Elmo.

John Gearheart is visiting at the

home of Roy Gearheart.  
Mrs. James Ellis and family of Decatur are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Claxon.

Carroll Fellers spent the week end with his parents, near Edgewood.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Pierce and family of Peoria returned to their home Monday after spending two weeks at the home of Rev. and Mrs. George Wilbur and family.

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## What Traffic Will Bear

The rates charged by the railroads for transportation of freight are influenced by many considerations. One of the most important to business generally is the principle embodied in the familiar expression, "what the traffic will bear"; yet few railway principles are so widely misunderstood.

The adjustment of freight rates to what the traffic will bear is not, as many persons assume, a matter of increasing those rates wherever possible. The purpose is not to force the last penny out of each item of traffic handled. Rates are tempered to what the traffic will bear in order to develop the maximum volume of all kinds of traffic by a fair and equitable distribution of charges. Both in theory and in application, the principle is not one of extortion, but one of moderation. Perhaps a clearer statement of it would be "what will attract or develop traffic."

The simplest method of determining freight rates would be to have them all conform strictly to one pattern, such as the length of haul, the value of the commodity and the character of service. These elements are considered, of course, but they are subject to many exceptions. If no exception were allowed, a good many commodities now in general use would be barred from commerce because of disadvantages of location or other reasons. The largest possible volume of commerce is obtained only by adjusting rates so they will develop every kind of potential traffic.

A variation in rates for comparable services is not always the injustice that it may sometimes seem to be. For example, by handling some commodities at relatively low rates the railroads obtain a great deal of traffic which otherwise would not move. The volume of business thus obtained obviously benefits the railroads and those who produce, distribute and use the commodities concerned. Not so obviously, but no less truly, it also benefits those concerned in the movement of commodities which can and do pay the higher rates. This is because the revenue provided by the low-rate traffic helps to bear the general overhead cost of railway service, which otherwise the high-rate traffic would have to bear unaided. Moreover, the increased volume of traffic resulting from this practice is of benefit to railway patrons generally through the improved efficiency of railway operation made possible by a heavier loading of trains, a greater percentage of car movement under load, and so on.

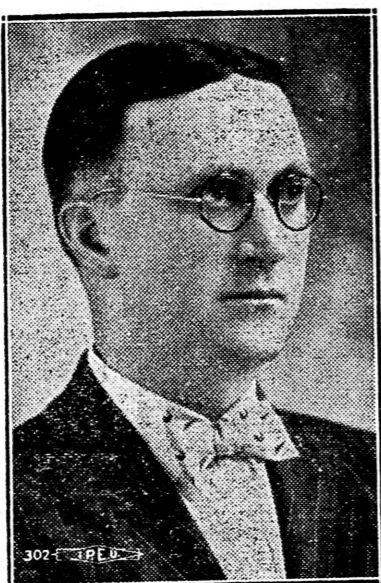
The present structure of railway freight rates is the result of many years of study and experience. That it is effective is indicated by the widespread and unhampered flow of commerce. Whenever rates fail to stimulate commerce to the maximum extent possible, railway managers themselves are among the first to urge their readjustment.

It is to the interest of the public as well as to the interest of the railroads to keep rates at levels that will both stimulate traffic and provide revenue sufficient to pay all the costs of providing railway service. The future of this highly important service can be assured in no other way.

Constructive criticism and suggestions are invited

L. A. DOWNS,  
President, Illinois Central System.

CHICAGO, June 1, 1927.



## A Last Word to the Home Folks

ABOUT THIS ELECTION WHICH TAKES  
PLACE NEXT

# Next Monday June 6th

AT WHICH TIME I WANT YOU TO ASSIST IN  
ELECTING ME

# CIRCUIT JUDGE

## Campaigning is a new job for me

While I have always been interested in all civic movements and to a greater or less extent in all campaigns, I have never been an active candidate for any public office.

My Democratic friends in convention at Decatur on April 29th nominated me as one of their candidates for Circuit Judge. That nomination in itself was an honor, but it will lead to naught unless I am elected to that office Monday.

A circuit judge serves for six years. In other words, the decision which the voters make at the polls Monday stands for six years.

You folks here in Moultrie county among whom I've lived and worked for the past 12 years are the best judges as to my qualifications to serve you in this judicial capacity. The time of this campaign has been short. I have not been able to see you all personally and ask you for your support. In the limited time, I have done the very best I could. To those of you, neighbors and friends, voters of Moultrie county, whom I have not met during this campaign, I send this message as election day draws near:

If down in the bottom of your heart you think that I have the qualifications and the experience which you want your Circuit Judge to have, then make it your business to go to the polls Monday and give me your vote. Your good wishes will do me no good. Only votes in the ballot box will count.

And let me repeat here the only promise I have made in this campaign, and it is this—if elected I will do the very best I can to administer the affairs of this office fairly and justly.

The decision Monday rests with you.

# -- J. L. McLaughlin

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### BASEBALL

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# JACK McELFRESH DIED WEDNESDAY IN HOSPITAL AT JACKSONVILLE

J. A. (Jack) McElfresh, a well known resident of this community died Wednesday at the state asylum at Jacksonville where he was taken Saturday, when a medical commission at Mattoon found him mentally ill.

For the past year he and Mrs. McElfresh have been inmates of the I. O. O. F. Old folks home at Mattoon. He was born in Indiana and at the time of his death was past 70 years of age. He came to Illinois many years ago and worked for farmers in this community. He was united in marriage with Angie Benton, daughter of Rube Benton. They lived North of this city. A daughter born to the couple died in childhood. One brother, Joseph McElfresh of Fairmont, Virginia survives.

The remains were shipped to this city, arriving Thursday evening at the Corbin funeral parlors. Funeral services will be held today (Friday) at the Methodist church and will be in charge of Rev. C. D. Robertson. Services will be under the auspices of Moultrie Lodge 158, I. O. O. F. Interment will be in Greenhill cemetery.

The pall bearers will be Harry Fulk, Walter Birch, J. H. Smith, L. L. Dolan, Matt Dedman and L. A. Atchison.

## REV. BILLMAN ILL

Elliott Billman on Wednesday morning received a message from his home at St. Louis saying that his father Rev. Howard Billman had been taken to a St. Louis hospital. A later report stated that no operation was necessary as at first contemplated but that the illness had been diagnosed as liver trouble. Rev. Billman had just returned from a trip to Cincinnati when stricken.

## CLASSIFIED ADS.

**WANTED**—10 more head of stock to pasture one mile North of Jonathan Creek church. Wm. Crozier. 21-3.

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**FOR SALE**—5-room house on Semour street at a bargain. Hubert W. Wright, Room 5 M. & F. bank Building, Sullivan. 22tf.

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**POULTRY REMEDIES:** Lice powder Sodium Fluoride, recommended by U. S. Department of Agriculture, 35c lb. Double duty worm expellers only \$1.50 per 100. Why pay more.—Moultrie County Hatchery, Sullivan, Ill. 22-2t.

**FOR SALE**—Almost new 3-burner oil stove with oven and warming closet. Phone 73 or see A. K. Palmer. 22tf.

**STRAYED**—From my farm, 7 miles east of Sullivan, red bull calf. Finder please notify M. W. Shay, 2221 Prairie Ave., Mattoon. Reward. 22-3t.

**WALLACE TRACTOR** for sale. This tractor is in good condition and I will sell for \$150 if it is taken soon. Call on or write to D. E. Otto, Route Number 2, Arthur, Illinois. 21-2t\*

**PASTURE**—Have room for about six more at very reasonable rates. Harry Booker, Allenville. 20-tf.

**FOR SALE**—A barn in good condition, located in Sullivan. Apply to Mrs. Mary E. Buxton, Sullivan. Phone 277. 20-4t.

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**FOR SALE**—One golden oak dining room suite. Paul M. Hankla. 18-tf.

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**S. C. BROWN LEGHORNS** eggs for setting purposes for sale 3c an egg.—Mrs. Ross Thomas, Sullivan, Ill., R. F. D. No. 2. Arthur 5912. 2-tf.

# CADWELL CHURCH James T. Wilson, Pastor

The following "Children's Day" program will be given at Cadwell church, Sunday, June 5th at 7:30 p. m.

Instrumental music.  
Song—Sunday school.  
Scripture Reading.  
Prayer.  
Recitation—Harold Valentine.  
Recitation—Ruth Bragg.  
Recitation—Donald Wayne Taylor  
Song by children—"Marching, Marching, Hear the Little Feet"  
Recitation—Mary Kathryn Durr.  
Recitation—Coral Durr.  
Concerted Recitation—So Will I.  
Pantomime, "The Fairest Flowers."  
Recitation—Wilda Vee Landers.  
Solo—Josephine Pickel.  
Recitation—Doris Jean Hudson.  
Concerted Recitation—The Whole Armor.  
Recitation—Reta Ballard.  
Solo—Paul Pickel.  
Recitation—Alice Ilean Landers.  
Recitation—Charles Vandever.  
Recitation—Ada Fern Dickson.  
Duet—Fern Wilson and Pauline Ballard.  
Recitation—Sarah Bolton.  
Recitation—Freda Vandever.  
Remarks by Rev. Wilson.  
Offering.  
Cornet Solo—Edwin Craig.  
"A Fresh Bouquet For Children's Day"—Male Quartet.  
Recitation—Goodbye Dear Children's Day.  
Song—Sunday School.  
Benediction.

# MACK GAMMILL OF GAYS NAMED ON BOARD OF REVIEW

The county judge has named Mack Gammill of Gays as a member of the board of review for a two year term. The other members of the board this year will be O. E. Lowe, chairman of the board of supervisors and Elmer DeBruler of Bethany.

The board will organize and select a clerk on the first Monday in July and will then adjourn to meet later. As all real estate is being assessed this year the board will have a big job on their hands in reviewing and certifying the assessments.

## HAS APPENDICITIS

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Fleming were called to Salem on Wednesday of last week by a message stating that their son Robert was ill with appendicitis. By the time they arrived in Salem the young man had been taken to the hospital in Centralia and operated on. Latest reports say that he is getting along nicely. His parents returned to this city the latter part of last week.

# REBEKAHS TO GIVE SHOW WEDNESDAY NIGHT

The Rhoda Rebekah Lodge Rebekahs will present two plays at the I. O. O. F. Hall Wednesday night. These plays were recently given for the Rebekahs and elicited much favorable comment.

By special request they will again be presented Wednesday and for this presentation all Odd Fellows, Rebekahs and their family are invited.

—Howard Armstrong of Alberta, Canada, grandson of Mrs. Alice Boyce of this city, is reported rapidly recovering from a serious illness.

**Funny Guys**  
By CHARLES SUGAROE

**SINCE HENRY PEK DIVED OFF THE DOCK HE IS A LIAR BY THE CLOCK! TO HEAR HIM TALK, HE REALLY WISHES TO HELP HIS WIFE WITH THE DISHES**

\*GLAD FOR "GOT SPICED"

# J. A. SABIN NOW IN CHICAGO HOSPITAL

Joseph A. Sabin, whose health has not been of the best for some time is now an inmate of the Burrows Hospital in Chicago. He accompanied his daughter Miss Lora Sabin Monday when she returned to Chicago after spending Sunday and Monday here. After an examination at the hospital it was decided not to operate for the present.

# TOURNAMENT AND BRIDGE PARTY OFF

On account of the rains during the past week, Effingham golfers called Sullivan Thursday morning and stated that they would not come for the tournament scheduled that afternoon. The ladies bridge party which was to have been given for the Effingham ladies, was consequently also called off.

## A SURPRISE PARTY

A surprise party was given recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Misenheimer in honor of the thirty-ninth birthday anniversary of Mrs. Misenheimer. Refreshments were served. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. John Turner and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Wernsing, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Miller, Mr. and Mrs. John Black and family, Mrs. Elmer Maxedon and son, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hollenbeck and family, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Misenheimer and daughter, Charles and Wallace Graven, Misses Rosy and Ella Graven, Fred, Herman and Harrison Maxedon and Miss Alma Maxedon.

All departed at a late hour wishing Mrs. Misenheimer many more happy birthdays.

## LOCAL MARKETS

Market prices Thursday were as follows:

New Corn No. 4	85c
New Corn No. 5	83c
Corn No. 6	81c
Wheat	\$1.30
Oats	45c
Indications were that corn would be 3c higher Friday.	
<b>Produce Markets.</b>	
Butterfat	39c
Hens	16c
Old Cocks	.07
Eggs	15c
Broilers 1½ to 2½ lbs. 21 and	25c

—E. T. Stine of Chicago and Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Myers of Flora were guests at the J. A. Sabin home Sunday and Monday.

—Miss Alta Frederick accompanied her brother, Ray F. Frederick and wife of Carlisle, Ind., to the automobile races at Indianapolis Monday. She returned home Tuesday.

—W. E. Hicks resumed his position as operator at the local C & E I depot Tuesday after an absence of several weeks due to illness.

—Mrs. A. E. Fleming of Springfield arrived Saturday to visit for two weeks with Mrs. F. M. Craig.

# PUBLIC SALE Of Household Furniture Saturday, June 4th.

Beginning at 2 p. m.

The ill-health of one of my children (who has asthma) makes it necessary that we move West, so will sell all my household furnishings at public sale at my place of residence, corner Eden and Grant streets in the Southwest part of this city on Saturday afternoon, June 4th:

These articles are as follows:

3 beds, springs and mattresses; one dresser, chiffonette, library table, settee, davenport, 4 rockers, one arm chair, 6 dining room chairs, one 9x12 Brussels rug, one 9x12 Congoleum rug, all of the foregoing are almost new and are in good condition; 1 writing desk and bookcase combined, one commode, marble top table, Crosley Radio, kitchen cabinet, 8-foot extension dining room table, base burner, Majestic Range, 1924 Ford motor, 4-burner oil stove with oven and many other articles too numerous to mention.

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## MARRAGE LICENSES

A marriage license was issued Saturday to Helen O. Parks, legal Champaign and Ivan E. Myers, legal Sullivan.

On May 31st a license was issued to Charles F. Watkins 21 Findlay and Mary Phillis Kennedy 19 Bethany.

—O. C. Worsham will motor to

Chicago Sunday and on his return trip will be accompanied by his daughter-in-law Mrs. Everett Worsham and daughter.

## SECOND PARALYTIC STROKE

Mrs. E. J. Pearce of Warrenburg, formerly of Moultrie suffered a second paralytic stroke Sunday. At latest reports she was doing as well as could be expected.

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# VOTE EARLY MONDAY

## CUSHMAN

Miss Neva Vandever of Springfield spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Filson.

Mrs. O. A. Foster spent last Thursday in Lovington.

Mrs. Wm. Ray of Boody and Mrs. Sam Miller of Chicago are spending the week with Mrs. Margaret Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Myers are planning on moving to their farm south of Sullivan soon.

Mrs. Clarence Miller and daughter Ruth were Mattoon visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bathe and family and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Foster spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Harley Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Murphy spent Monday in Sullivan with Mrs. Kate Dedman.

Orville Butts who was quite sick last week is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Foster entertained Mr. and Mrs. Paul Poisel and son of Decatur and Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Foster to dinner Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bathe and family spent Monday in Sullivan with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Valentine and son Harold spent Sunday in Lovington with Mr. and Mrs. Charley Kenney.

Mr. and Mrs. Mel Fultz and daughter of Decatur spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Harley Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Cummings entertained Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Sallings of near Arthur to dinner Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Foster entertained several guests to dinner Wednesday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ray, Mrs. Sam Miller, Mrs. Mettie Davis and Mrs. Margaret Foster.

## GAYS.

Mrs. Harry Swank and little son of Mattoon spent Sunday evening with her brother, Charley and family.

Marjorie Moore of North Dakota is visiting her brother, Dudley and wife.

Jim Cullen and son Raymond of Danville spent Saturday and Sunday with his son Frank and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Farrell of Mattoon spent Saturday evening with his mother, Mrs. Lillie Farrell.

Camella Rose, baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Shaffer is ill with ptomaine poisoning.

Mrs. Marian Hobbs who had been visiting her daughter in Champaign returned home Saturday, the daughter accompanying her home for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Drummond and family of Mattoon visited her parents, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Alexander and son Lloyd spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. John Fort.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry McCulley and little son visited her parents in Mattoon Sunday evening.

Clark Mattox is visiting at the home of his son, Luther and family at Paradise.

John Henson and wife and granddaughter Bessie May Henson of Mattoon spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Charles Mattox.

Will Butler and family have moved to the Sallie Edwards property.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Edson and family of Decatur spent Sunday with his folks.

The baby of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hortensine, who has been ill with pneumonia is some better.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ballard of Mattoon spent Tuesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Winnings.

## COTTON CHARMEUSE AND ITS COUSIN SATEEN

One of the most attractive new materials shown this spring is cotton charmeuse. It is not actually a new material but an improved quality of a very old and familiar fabric—sateen. According to the Bureau of Home Economics charmeuse usually is lighter in weight than sateen, more highly mercerized, and the warp forms the surface instead of the filling, as in sateen.

Printed patterns have been applied to sateens for many years. These were designed primarily for coat linings, and were large, scroll designs unsuitable for dresses. This spring cotton charmeuse has appeared in small neat patterns much like those used in English prints. Because of its lustrous surface and lovely texture it has become increasingly popular for house dresses, sports dresses, smocks and children's dresses. Many mothers like it for baby's first rompers because it is one of the smoothest and softest of the cotton fabrics.

Cotton charmeuse is also woven in striped and checked patterns in plain pastel colors. In this form it is used largely for underwear and night wear, such as bloomers, chemises, slips, pajamas, and nightgowns.

Ordinary sateen is still used a great deal because of its durability and wide range of plain colors. In blue, tan, and green sateen makes excellent play suits for the small boy or girl. Sateen has long been used as a lining for draperies, but it is now being used as a drapery fabric itself. It comes in fast colors and is an economical and serviceable fabric to use for pillow covers, bedspreads, and covers for comforters. It combines well with cretonne as valances or trimming bands. In a heavier weight, warp surface fabric known as Venetian satin, it is used for upholstery purposes.

## FORMER MOULTRIE RESIDENT HAD FAMILY PARTY ON MOTHER'S DAY

Through the courtesy of Mrs. Carrie Smyser a Progress subscriber living in Los Angeles, the following interesting birthday anniversary item was sent for publication.

Mrs. Laura Waggoner celebrated Mother's day with a dinner at her home 1934 Bonsallo St., Los Angeles. All her family—children, grand children and great grandchildren numbering twenty being present. Mrs. Waggoner is now 84 years old, has very good health for one of her years excepting that she is quite deaf. Her children now living are Josephine, Mrs. Ione Tierriari, Beverly, and Rod and Harriet (Oliver's widow). It was a day thoroughly enjoyed by all, on account of Rod being able to be home and enjoy the day with them. His home is in New York. He is now manager of a very successful musical company—"The Vagabond King" which has been playing at the Biltmore L. A. All the other children reside in and near Los Angeles.

## HORSE AND MULE SHORTAGE IN FIVE YEARS PROBABLE

Work stock—horses and mules—is the one class of animals in which practically every farmer is concerned whether he is a stock farmer, cotton planter, wheat grower, or cane raiser. The approaching shortage of good work stock is therefore of vital concern to all farmers, says John O. Williams, in charge of horse and mule investigations for the United States Department of Agriculture.

Estimates of all the horses and mules on farms the first of this year showed a total of 21,013,000 head, a decline in work stock population of 17 per cent since 1920. It is practically certain that the next five years will show a reduction of the present numbers by 30 or 40 per cent unless breeding is resumed. This rapid reduction is expected to develop into an acute shortage in those States where the animals on farms are the oldest and where fewest colts are coming on as replacements. There are more horses over 10 years of age in the Northeastern and Southeastern States than elsewhere. The Southeastern States have the largest percentage of mules over 10 years of age.

Although the average age of horses has increased considerably the average value during the past three years has not changed much. The present low prices may not be expected to continue indefinitely. In fact, there is a definite market demand at present for high-class draft geldings and saddle horses of merit at good prices. Inferior horses of all types will undoubtedly continue to be a drag on the market.

Farmers in the Corn Belt where surplus work stock has previously been raised should consider the possibility of increasing the production of the types of horses and mules that are suitable to meet the expected demand from the Eastern and Southeastern States. Furthermore, says Mr. Williams, it is important that farmers thoroughly study the relative advantage of animal and mechanical power for their own conditions in order to convince themselves of the necessity of planning to raise colts for replacement purposes before the inevitable shortage in desirable work stock occurs.

## BETHANY BOY ELECTED TO U. OF I. HONORARY AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY

Urbana, Ill., May 31—George H. Reuss, son of George Reuss, a retired farmer of Bethany, and a junior in the College of Agriculture, University of Illinois, has so distinguished himself in scholarship at the state university as to merit election to Alpha Zeta, national honorary agricultural society.

Six seniors, four juniors and two graduate students were elected to membership. Young Reuss is a graduate of Bethany Township high school. Besides ranking high as a student he has continually shown an active interest in the student affairs of his college. He is a member of the University of Illinois chapter of Pi Phi Pi, national social fraternity.

Enrolled in the general agricultural course, Reuss is taking subjects which will fit him either for life work in the profession of farming, for technical positions in industries closely allied to agriculture, or for public service in all lines of investigational work or extension service relating to agriculture. The course also trains for the teaching of agriculture. Like the three other courses which the college offers, the one in agriculture aims to fit students for the practical affairs of life.

The course is so arranged that during the first year and part of the second, third and fourth years the student takes prescribed subjects which are designed to give the correct idea of the basic farm practices and an insight into the technical branches of farming, such as animal and dairy husbandry, horticulture, farm crops, soils, farm mechanics and buildings. A large part of the junior and senior years is thus left open for elective studies.

Special work in floriculture, home economics and landscape gardening are offered in other courses which the college gives.

—Zachie Monroe of Peoria spent the week with his mother, Mrs. Iza Monroe in this city.

## MOULTRIE COUNTY HATCHERY HAS MADE CHANGES

At a Hatchery meeting May 25 the Board of Directors voted to buy six shares of stock of some members wanting to sell. There was a difference of opinion as to the efficiency and loyalty of certain employees of the Hatchery.

The Moultrie County Hatchery will continue as a corporation and will operate as before. Tom Frantz will continue his duties as incubator operator. Everybody is pleased with the excellent results of Mrs. Maye Woodruff's efforts in caring for the 3-7 day old chicks. People are now requesting Baby Chix that have been given a good start. Mrs. Leona Stone has been employed as bookkeeper and commenced work May 31. The Hatchery bids for the good will and cooperation of its patrons.

## LAKE CITY

Leverett Rich and family attended the funeral of his grandfather at Herrick last week.

Mont Brohard and family of Cincinnati, Ohio, spent Friday and Saturday with J. H. Brohard and family.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Clark of Clinton spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Rankins.

The home talent play "A Southern Cinderella" will be given again at Dawson's hall Thursday night.

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

Those attending the eighth grade commencement at Sullivan Saturday were: Barbara Winings, Marie Wood, Marie Burcham, Lucile Wilt, Dale Woodall, Alta Duff, Irene Wood and Aileen Dickson.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Noel and Mr. and Mrs. Chester Dickson were Decatur visitors Saturday night.

Will Gifford and family of Chicago spent the week end with Mrs. Ruth Gifford and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Lindsay of Decatur spent Sunday with Mrs. Ona Mitchell.

A. R. Dickson and family, of La Place is visiting with Mrs. Roy Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. George Vansickle, Mrs. T. A. Dickson and daughter Marguerite and son Clyde, spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Will Vansickle in Decatur.

Mr. and Mrs. Butler Tudor spent Sunday and Monday with Mrs. Perry Taylor, near Lovington.

Mrs. Margaret Champion and Miss Longnecker spent Monday with friends at Mt. Zion.

Bernadine Rich is visiting relatives at St. Elmo.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Collins, of Sullivan were callers here Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Winings were Lovington callers Monday afternoon.

J. H. Brohard is confined to his home by illness.

## W. E. RIGGIN HAS SOLD HIS BARBER BUSINESS

A deal was closed this week by which W. E. Riggins has sold his barber shop on Harrison street to Lawrence Schneider who has been an employee in that shop for a number of years. Mr. Riggins plans to remain with the new owner for a month after which the Riggins family will go South. They have not definitely decided where they will locate.

## GRANDMA STANKE HERE

Mrs. Barbara Stanke is visiting at the home of Mrs. Louise Titus and Judge and Mrs. Sentel. They motored to Mattoon Wednesday and got her and she will spend a month in this city. She makes her home at the I. O. O. F. Old Folks Home at Mattoon, where she is a great favorite of Supt. and Mrs. Saylor and everybody else.

## MORE GRADUATES OF THE RURAL SCHOOLS

In publishing the list of 8th grade graduates of the rural schools the names of the following were inadvertently omitted last week: Otis French and Nora Cheever of Crabapple; Nelda Worth of Two-Mile and Kenneth Edwards, Thomas Leggett and Howard Garrett of Whitfield.

## YOUNG PEOPLE'S SUNDAY SCHOOL CONFERENCE JUNE 10 AT LOVINGTON M. E. CHURCH

The annual Moultrie county young

people's conference is going to be held at the Lovington Methodist church, Friday, June 10th. This will be an all day conference with lots of good things for all. There will be speeches, music, worship, a picnic dinner at the noon hour and a banquet at 6:30 in the evening.

There will be a Registration fee to cover expenses. This conference is for all young people from the ages of 12 to 24. Every church in the county should send from four to six delegates. Don't forget that it is at Lovington in the Methodist church on Friday, June 10th from 8:00 a. m. until 9:30 p. m. Come!

The program is as follows:  
8:00—Prayer meeting.  
9:00—Registration of delegates.  
10:00—Worship service—Claudius Blue.

10:15—Greetings and Welcome.  
10:30—Getting acquainted period.  
10:45—Announcement of nominating committee.

10:50—Talk, "Class Organization", John Ellington.

11:05—Special Music—Orchestra.  
11:15—Introduction of State Worker, Mrs. Watson.

11:20—Talk, "Living the Four Fold Life"—Mrs. Watson.

12:00—Announcements and Benediction.  
Picnic dinner.

Afternoon  
1:15—Music, orchestra.  
1:30—Praise and Devotion—Rev. MacLeod.

1:45—Talk, "Leadership Training"—Mrs. Watson.

2:25—Talk, "Class Activities"—Claudia Yarnell.

2:40—Reading—Enid Newbould.  
2:50—Talk, "All Wool and a Yard Wide"—Rev. Sauer.

3:20—Special music.  
3:30—Talk, "The Young People and the Community."

4:00—Announcements and Benediction.  
6:30—Banquet. Free to all registered delegates.

Toasts, music, yells, songs, a general good time.

7:45—Praise and Devotion—Kenneth Johnson.

8:00—Talk, "Worship and Service For Young People"—Mrs. Watson.

8:15—Solo—Claudius Blue.  
8:25—Talk, "The Church's Program For Youth"—Rev. Brown.

9:25—Report of nominating committee.  
9:30—Friendship Circle—Benediction.

## ROBERT CRAIG DROWNED SATURDAY MORNING NEAR GRANITE CITY, ILLINOIS

Robert, the 13 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Eber Craig met death by drowning in a pond several miles from Granite City Saturday morning.

The lad accompanied by another boy somewhat older than he had gone swimming. While in the water the other boy got cramps and grabbed Robert, who being unable to untangle himself was pulled under and both drowned. Other boys on the bank thought the two were playing. The bodies were found in 8 foot of water about two hours after the drowning. Mrs. A. N. Craig, the boy's grandmother received the message informing her of the sad news and she went to Mitchell, where the family resides Sunday morning.

Funeral services were held Monday in the Presbyterian church. The pastor of the church is also scoutmaster and Robert was a Boy Scout. Scouts served as pall bearers. On Friday Robert had been promoted to the 8th grade in his school work. His teacher and 8 girl classmates served as flower girls at the funeral. The remains were taken to Patoka for interment.

Robert was the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Eber Craig who were Sullivan residents some years ago. He was born Jan. 1, 1912 in Decatur. He is survived by his parents and one brother Donald 10 years old. A little sister died several years ago.

He also leaves his grandparents, Mrs. A. N. Craig of this city and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Belcher of Patoka.

The Craig family has been living at Mitchell several years, Mr. Craig being in the employ of the Big Four railroad.

## CHILDREN'S DAY PROGRAM AT JONATHAN CREEK CHURCH SUNDAY NIGHT

The following program for Children's Day will be given at the Jonathan Creek church Sunday night beginning at 8 o'clock:

Song—Choir.  
Prayer—W. K. Bolin.  
Brief Speech—Francis Marion Powell.

Welcome—Kenneth Wooley.  
Greeting exercise—Primary Class.  
Duet—Grace Dolan and Alta Crane.

The Surveyor—Gerald Dolan.  
Traffic Officer—Stanley Dolan  
A Mystery—James Baker.

Duet, Ada Caroline Crane and Mary Ellen Baker.  
March of Flowers—Primary Girls.  
Quartet—Loyal Sons.

Musical Dialogue—Betty Jean Dolan and Martha Hester Baker.  
Living Verse—Jack Purvis.  
Lovliest Verse—Donald Elder.

Playlet—Dorris Bolin and Dorothy Purvis.  
Musical Reading—Margaret Baker.  
Parking Space—Roy Bolin.

Quartet—Loyal Daughters.  
Seashore—Donald Dolan.  
Now—Stanley Dolan.

Flag Drill—Junior Boys.  
Missionary Talk—Lola Slover.  
Instrumental Music.

"Father Bless Us"—Bane Wooley.  
Song—Choir.  
Benediction—John Dolan.

## LIBRARY NOTES

The following books were donated by Mrs. Angie Wright:

The World's Great Events, 5 Vol.  
The Nineteenth Century and after, 3 Vol.

Two Years Before the Mast—Dana  
Letters of a Self-Made Man to his Son—Lorimer.

The Life and Work of Jacob Kenney—Smith.

Within the last month we have had two calls for history of Moultrie County and Sullivan. One calls from a student at the U. of I. and one from a student at Normal. Sorry to say we had little to send. The little was newspaper clippings and by a quick skimpish, for time was short, we made a sketch of local items, around which they may be able to

surround with facts sufficient for their needs.

Why don't some one write about Sullivan and Moultrie county. Both well worth while. Some Chronicler of facts or a good romancer could write a book that would make Main street read like a primer by its side. We have had tragedy a-plenty, melodrama, elopements, bank failure, struggle with circumstances that tried men's souls, and we have men who have men who have put themselves into affairs in a sacrificing way to promote public interest that would make stories stranger than fiction if told. Again we say why does not some one write of the home town for things of interest are being forgotten.

—Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Bennett and daughter Rella Murrel of Fort Wayne, Ind., are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Bennett and Mr. and Mrs. John Baker of this city.

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32x3½ Usco Cord S. Side	\$9.50		1.50
30x3 Fabric	\$5.35	Tube	\$1.00
30x3 Cord	\$5.75		1.00
29x4.40 Balloon Cord	\$7.85		1.75
31x4	\$10.75		1.75
34x4	\$12.75		2.00
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### CHURCH NOTES

#### CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

L. C. Bennett, pastor  
Sunday school at 9:45 Edith Aldridge, superintendent.  
Morning worship at 11 o'clock.  
Evening worship at 7:30. The meetings will be continued this week. Everyone welcome.

#### ALLENVILLE CHRISTIAN CHURCH

W. B. Hopper, minister  
"The Gift of the Holy Spirit and the Christian Life" will be the subject for the morning sermon.  
In the evening our theme will be "Costly Living and Cheap Religion." No preaching services held last Sunday, but all the regular services will be held Sunday.

#### THE GOSPEL MISSION

H. H. Smith, Supt.  
9:30 a. m. Sunday school.  
11:00 a. m. Morning worship.  
6:30 p. m. Young Peoples service.  
7:30 p. m. Evangelistic service.  
Week day services: Cottage prayer meeting on Tuesday evening and regular prayer meeting at Hall on Thursday evening 8:00 p. m.  
You will be helping us considerably if you will let us know that you desire the cottage prayer meeting, and we need the help.  
Rev. Cook of Mattoon preached at the Sunday evening service. We are expecting Paul Fischer of Chicago to be with us for the Thursday evening service this week.

We read in Galatians 6:2 "Bear ye one another's burdens, and so fulfill the law of Christ." Does Paul mean to infer that to please the Lord and fulfill His law we must bear other folks burdens? We believe that Paul means just that.

It is not always the weight of our own burdens that make "Spiritual hump-backs" of us, but those burdens thrust on us by others, so often we cast aside our own burden of responsibility, because we have grown tired of its weight, and it falls on other shoulders, oft times on those already bending under the weight of heavy burdens. But this is just one of the offences of the cross of Christ, and really the Lord expects you to get joy out of the trial.

#### METHODIST CHURCH

C. D. Robertson, Pastor  
Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Hugh Murray, superintendent. There is no better way to spend the Sabbath than in contemplation of holy things; and there certainly is no more appropriate and helpful a place than in the church. The Sunday school session, which opens the day's observance gives just the right atmosphere.



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Evening evangelistic service at 7:30 p. m., in charge of the pastor.

The Third Quarterly conferences will meet Wednesday evening, June 8, at 7:30 p. m. The evening will be given over to devotions and the business session of the Quarterly Conference and will be in charge of District Superintendent Wells.

The D. V. B. S. is shaping up nicely. The plans are practically all perfected, and the three-weeks session will begin at 9 o'clock Monday morning, June 13.

The church where there are no strangers is always glad to see you.

### BRUCE

Mrs. Sarah Niles is some better.  
Mrs. Alma Spauld has been ill.  
Mrs. Alma Rose and daughter Mona spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lukemier.

Mr. and Mrs. Harve Ledbetter of Pierson and Elmer Ledbetter were visitors with relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Zerl Waters, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kinnard of Decatur, Mrs. William Kinsel of Sullivan were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Kinsel Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Edwards and daughters Rose Mary and Pauline of Gays spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bart Tull.

The heavy rains of the past week have raised the water over the creek bridge north of Bruce, as well as making the road impassable in some places.

Mrs. Andrew McDaniel and sons are visiting with relatives in Sullivan this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hunter and family of Mattoon spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Dick Martin. John Sharp was a caller in Sullivan Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bragg spent Sunday with Andy Weakley and family.

Mrs. A. D. Sharp and children are visiting in St. Louis this week with relatives.

### EAST HUDSON.

Mrs. W. D. Patterson and Mrs. Orr Hilliard spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Poland.

Mr. and Mrs. James Harsh and daughter Alberta, Miss Eloise Mallin-

son and Miss Helen Baker of Decatur spent Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Chris Monroe.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Burks and son visited Monday with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Poland.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Conlin and family of Lovington and Mr. and Mrs. George Markwell and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Conlin and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Watkins spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Poland.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Monroe and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Monroe.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Harsh, Mrs. W. D. Patterson, Mrs. Harry Foster and son Richard, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Monroe visited Miss Telva Monroe in the Mattoon hospital Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Sweitzer and family spent Monday with Miss Ann Elliott.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Robinson and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Herendeen and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Monroe spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Tobias Rhodes.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Horn and sons Frank and Junior visited in Sullivan Monday.

Mrs. Paul Robinson and family are spending the week with Miss Anna Elliott.

Miss Gertrude Monroe spent Sunday night with Miss Alberta Harsh.

### JONATHAN CREEK.

Miss Vera Wooley spent Sunday with Nettie, Elsie and Lola Slover.

Miss Hazel Fultz spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gramblin.

Hubert and Ralph Powell of Chicago spent Saturday and Sunday with their parents, Nathan Powell and William Powell and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mathias spent Sunday afternoon with Mary Mathias and Mr. and Mrs. Hurl Elzy of Sullivan spent Saturday night and Sunday with Charley Ballinger and family.

Albert Lawson called on John Nichols Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Buxton of near Lovington spent Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Mason Piper.

Mr. and Mrs. Mason Piper made a business trip to Decatur Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hall of Sullivan spent Sunday morning at George Olivers.

James Purvis spent Thursday with Mrs. John Bracken and son Emmett.

Mrs. Eudora Clark of Bethany spent the last of the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Bracken.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lawson called on Ed Slover Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Leeds spent Sunday evening with her mother, Mrs. Amanda Purvis.

Mr. and Mrs. George Oliver took their daughter Ruth to the St. Mary's hospital in Decatur last Sunday to undergo an operation.

Logan Chaney and son Eugene of Allenville spent Tuesday with John Nichols and family.

Mr. and Mrs. George Doane called on James Bracken and wife Monday evening.

John Ballinger spent Friday with John Nichols.

James Purvis took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ballinger Friday.

Mrs. Sadie Drew and daughter, Mrs. Raymond Beals of Champaign called on Mrs. Cleo Spauld Monday.

Betty Gene, Virginia and Gerald Dolan spent Tuesday night with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James Bracken.

Russell Slover spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Slover.

Bernard Wooley spent Saturday night with Denzel and Merle Powell.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bolin called on Mrs. Ella Bolin Sunday evening.

Hugh Righter spent Sunday with Carroll Wooley.

Margaret and June Cochran spent Sunday with Nettie and Sadie Slover.

### FULLER'S POINT.

Clifton Carnine played in the S. T. H. band Sunday at Danville. A delegation of Masons from Sullivan accompanied by the band attended the Ascension day exercises in Danville Sunday.

Misses Ruth, Lottie and Opal Canoy attended Decoration services at Mattoon, Monday.

Lewis Crane spent Sunday in Charleston with his sister, Miss Mary Crane.

Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Phillips attended Decoration services at Mattoon on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Rominger were callers in Charleston Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Creath spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. John Jenkins.

Clifton Carnine spent Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Rightsell.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Creath spent one night last week with Rev. and Mrs. Leroy Blackburn.

Mrs. Lizzie Rightsell and Mrs. Chester Carnine called on Mrs. Cleo Spauld near the Masonic Home on

Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. L. C. Ellison near Cooks Mills is seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Phillips were callers in Mattoon Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jenkins spent Tuesday afternoon with their daughter, Mrs. Roy Creath.

Chester Carnine and daughter Evelyn were callers in Sullivan on Tuesday.

### BRETHREN ASSEMBLY

Sunday school at 9:00 a. m. Bible study and breaking of bread at 11:00 a. m. Christian Endeavor at 6:00 p. m., subject "Sharing the Lord's Glory." We are reminded of the text "Our light afflictions which are but for a moment work out for us a far more exceeding and eternal weight of glory." A few days ago we had a visit from a blind man, Mr. Martin. He is from the Jacksonville blind school.

We have in the home 2201 West Jackson street a reading room for the blind. We have the New Testament in American Braille, and also the New Testament from Matthew to Revelations in the Line System. This reading room is especially for the blind, and is open each afternoon for them to study the Word.

Song service and preaching on Sunday night.

Prayer meeting on Tuesday nights and Bible class on Friday nights.

Dr. Trowbridge of Tulsa, Okla., spent Saturday in this city.

### WRIGHT FAMILY HERE

Mrs. Effie Wright and sons, D. M. Wright, Thomas R. Wright and Harry E. Wright of Chicago suburbs arrived here Saturday for a visit with local relatives and friends. Harry E. Wright was accompanied by his son, Harry, Jr. Mrs. Thomas R. Wright and children visited at Findlay for a day and arrived here Monday. D. M. Wright left for his home in River Forest Sunday. Mrs. Effie Wright left Monday for Mattoon, hence to Cincinnati and Chillicothe, Ohio. The rest remained for a somewhat longer visit. They made the trip from their homes in the Chicago suburbs in Harry E. Wright's car.

—Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Pals of Effingham spent Decoration Day with Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Holzmuller.

—The W. C. T. U. met at the home of Mrs. Lora Shasteen Thursday. Several new members were added at that time. They were Mrs. Ethel Kingrey, Mrs. Ward, Mrs. Ella Blair, and Mrs. E. C. Summitt.

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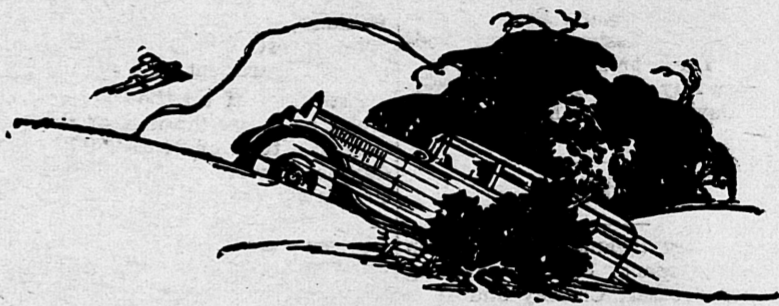
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- The Pipestone Quarries in Minnesota are well known because of the Indian lore and legend associated with the peculiarly reddish stone found here. This stone was used by the Indians for making peace pipes. Large rocks called "The Three Maidens" are the subject of a legend of fierce battles between warring tribes. These quarries are part of the setting of Longfellow's immortal poem, "Hiawatha." Near State Highways 47 and 6.
- Higgins Lake, Michigan. Remains of the old walled town of the Yemskodesh, the powerful tribe of Indians who dominated this section before Columbus discovered America. Camp Cumalia, the outing camp of the American Legion is located here. State Trunk Line M-14.
- Gay Mills, Wisconsin, in the heart of the Kickapoo Valley. Splendid view of the Kickapoo River curving its sleepy way through the narrow valley. Nine hundred acres of cherry and apple orchards. State Trunk 134.
- Rapid Canyon, one of the beautiful canyons in the Black Hills, South Dakota. Fine trout fishing in Rapid Creek. Many summer cottages and lodges. South Dakota Highways 40 and 70. U. S. 15.
- Grand Detour, a New England village transplanted to the Illinois prairie, where John Deere wrought the first steel plow. Near Dixon, State Highway 2.
- Lake Taneoyama, in the rugged region of the White River near Hollister, Missouri. One of the largest power lakes in the Middle West. Famed for its fishing and summer sports. Shaded by huge peaks and heavy timberland. U. S. Highway 55.
- Home of Nancy Hanks Lincoln, mother of Abraham Lincoln, at Lincoln City, Indiana. State Highway 13.
- The yawning hole in the bed of Big Smoky River which has caused so much conjecture among scientists. The earth fell away at this spot for apparently no reason whatever, leaving a hole several hundred feet deep and of great width. Near Sharon Springs, Kansas, on State Highway 22.
- The Little Brown Church in the Vale, made world famous by the song of Dr. W. S. Pitts. Hundreds of young couples came from far and near to be married within its appealing old walls. The number of marriages solemnized here annually is exceeded only by the "Little Church Around the Corner" in New York City. Nashville, Iowa, State Highway 40.
- Fort Yates, North Dakota, most strategic point on the Missouri in the days of Sitting Bull. Grave of Sitting Bull, historic cemetery, Bells of Yates Chimes, Standing Rock Monument, from which the reservation takes its name. Highway 6.

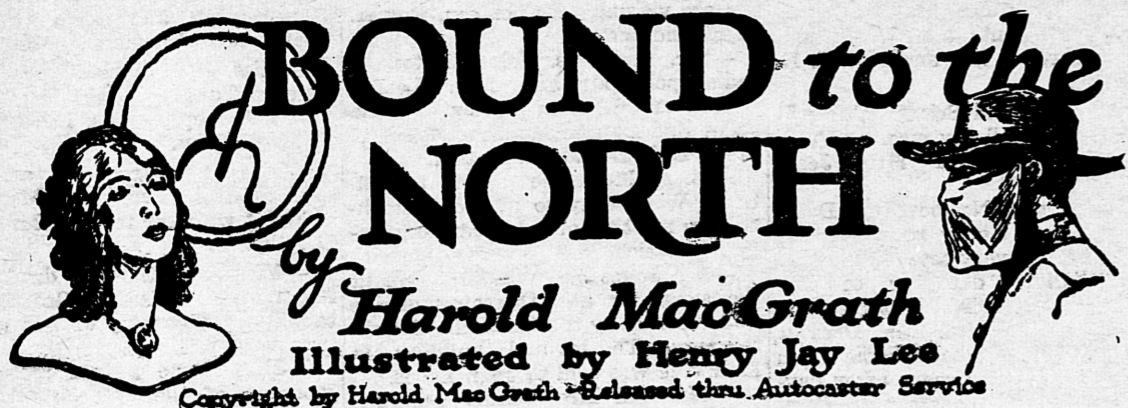


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## CHAPTER VIII

Supposing it were Armitage, thought Jeanne; to act would be to send to his death the man she loved. She could not do it, a thousand times no!

She knew no sleep that night. She spent the hours listening, listening. She imagined she saw Armitage running the gauntlet of fire; she saw him totter and fall. - What was that?

In the garret above something heavy had clattered to the floor. She waited, holding her breath. She made up her mind quickly.

If this man proved to be Armitage he should go free; her debt would be paid. If it was a man she did not recognize, well, he would have to pay the penalty.

She tiptoed to the door silently, and waited. A stair creaked. He was coming down. Fearlessly she seized the knob and flung the door open.

A man's body plunged against hers. Her revolver exploded harmlessly.

The spy dashed Jeanne aside, leaped through a window and was gone.

A shot broke the silence; then came another shot, followed by warning cries. A third shot seemed to settle things, for after that all became oppressively still.

Jeanne, a hand pressing down the thundering throbs of her heart, ran downstairs. She had not seen the man's face!

In the garden she espied a group of officers and men looking down at something which lay quietly at their feet.

"What has happened?"

"The Yankee, Miss Beaufort," said one of the officers. "We got him on the third shot." He held the lantern close to the fallen man's face.

The stab of joy drove a sigh past her lips. It was not Armitage. Yet the face was oddly familiar to her. Where had she seen it before? Yes, yes, now she remembered. It was a civilian Morgan had been forced through politeness to introduce to her one night in Richmond.

"We found this in his pocket, Miss Beaufort."

It was her own photograph, the one that had stood on the dresser. She was puzzled. They showed her a dispatch in a cipher that was as much of a mystery to her as to the others. But the four capital letters at the bottom of the dispatch—G-R-D-A!

One of the eleven!

Jeanne rolled back the sleeve of the man's left arm. There it was, the dreaded unforgettable circle with the strange device in the center.

She was free! For there, at her feet, lay the man with the devil's banter, the man she had married!

Parson Kennedy leaned against the side of the window and looked across Pennsylvania Avenue. The man at the desk asked:

"Are you keeping an eye on Armitage?"

"I am keeping two eyes on him. He doesn't keep many secrets from me."

"Could you put your hand on Morgan's shoulder?"

"You mean arrest him for a spy?"

As easily as that," said Kennedy, snapping his fingers. "But if we spring him, we lose a more valuable quarry. Armstrong could have handled them both, poor lad."

"Do you know where Armstrong died?"

"Somewhere inside the enemy's lines."

"At the home of Jeanne Beaufort, said the other gazing curiously at the broad back of his friend."

Kennedy whirled around. "Jeanne Beaufort's home? G-R-D-A died there?"

"They are paring us down. Fogarty has been hanged and Schmidt; Henderson has died of exposure; Skinner has been shot; and now comes Armstrong. And you tell me he died at Jeanne Beaufort's!"

"You say that Armitage has no secrets from you?" asked the man at the desk.

"I repeat it."

"Who is Alice Trent?"

"Alice Trent?" Kennedy blinked.

"Why, so far as I know, she is a young woman from Baltimore, at present living with the Caldwells, a family inclined to sit on the fence. The Trents are of an old stock in Baltimore, of established loyalty."

"Armitage calls there quite frequently."

"What of that?"

"Well, Morgan has called two or three times."

"Morgan goes everywhere."

"We are laying a trap for Morgan to-day, merely to open Senator X's eyes. The President is to entrust to the care of Senator X some valuable papers at four. We have spread the rumor quietly that these documents relate to the munition stores. You will escort the messenger from the White House to the Senator's. Morgan is his private secretary, as you know."

Kennedy began to rub his palms together in pleasurable anticipation.

"Morgan knows the combination to the Senator's dispatch box. But if those are bogus dispatches, we'll lose him."

"That's exactly what we wish to do. We want him out of the Senator's house, in the open. There are lots of men who'd be happy if a scandal popped up in the Senator's home. If the documents do what we hope they will, Morgan will never cross the Senator's threshold again. Parson, those documents are his indictment. That's the joke. If he purloins them and runs off into hiding; but he can't leave Wash-

ington at this time. If he doesn't go into the dispatch box, then we'll have to try some other method."

"You are taking great risks," grumbled Kennedy.

"Sooner or later, he'll hang. Go to Baltimore to-morrow. Come back as soon as you can. For Armitage's sake I hope there's nothing to my idea. If there is anything off-color, I'm sure that the boy is innocent. Ordinarily it would be water off a duck's back. But he's under a cloud. And if you warn him, there'll be trouble for you."

"I'll not warn him. But if Morgan succeeds in getting South, I'll never forgive you."

"Rest easy on that score. That's all."

Kennedy went away somewhat disturbed. What new coil had the boy sprung about his feet?

Morgan left Senator X's at ten o'clock in the evening. The Senator saw him to the door. Immediately Morgan returned through the garden window which he had left open and was at the act of lifting back the lid of the dispatch-box, when the portiers rattled on the poles and the Senator himself, with candle in hand, appeared.

Morgan sprang, bore the elder backward, toppled him to the floor, bundled the dispatches into his pocket and ran all the way to his lodgings. There he burned what papers he had, saving only his various passes, and fled to another part of the town.

The room he entered was rather bare. He lighted the candle and placed the sealed document before him. One by one he broke the seals.

He stared entranced. Suddenly he jumped to his feet, furious.

Foiled, tricked! He swore. He ripped these cynical indictments into tatters. They had played with him, Henry Morgan, as they would have played with a tyro!

He laughed shortly. Clever, devilishly clever! They had gotten rid of him without dragging the Senator through the mire of a political scandal, a thing every sympathizer would have hailed with delight.

"Devil take them all! Well, the game's up. But Parson Kennedy and you, John Armitage, watch out. I'm a masterless man from now on. I'll never leave Washington until I see you both dead! Jeanne Beaufort is mine, mine!"

He rolled up his sleeve and stared at the symbol on his forearm. He laughed again as he recalled a night he had entered Jeanne's room and stuffed the little note in the side of her mirror. If only he could get hold of the certificate, to see if she had written her name there!

Next day Morgan recounted to Jeanne the trickery which had brought about his downfall, and he was keen for reprisal. He must now remain in hiding, but he would manage to keep in communication with her. Besides, he had some news for her he could not put on paper.

He was determined to attack Parson Kennedy first. And this fell in with Jeanne's plan agreeably. Parson Kennedy knew, and torture should wrest the secret from him.

When Parson Kennedy got out of bed the next morning he found an interesting note under his doorsill. He was a wise old hawk, for he saw through the trap at once. "Call at Number Nine Black Street to-night at ten if you would learn the truth about Jeanne Beaufort."

"H'mph! This smells strongly of my old friend Morgan. We've nipped his claws, but we must draw his teeth

to be rid of him."

He found Captain Armitage reading a letter identically the same as his own.

"It's a trap, son—plain as day."

"But suppose we take a look at it?" suggested Armitage.

"All right. We'll go to Number Nine to-night. Forewarned is forearmed. If the house doesn't look right, why, we can shy off."

The block in which Number Nine was situated was practically deserted.

Kennedy mounted the steps and rang the bell. Then things began to happen. Men dashed out of the door and came pouring from the alley. By their sudden and expected volleying, they toppled Kennedy and Armitage to the sidewalk.

Neither had the slightest chance to defend himself.

They were swiftly bound and gagged, bundled roughly into an evil-smelling hack and driven away. An hour brought them to their journey's end. They were lifted out. A cabin stood back of the road.

They were carried inside, and a glance was sufficient to acquaint them with the desperation of their situation. Upon a table stood a keg of powder, attached to which was a ten-minute fuse.

Terror first, then death!

The two men were placed in chairs and rebound so securely that they could move neither hand nor foot. The men who performed this service on completing their work solemnly

fled out.

Immediately Morgan stepped inside the cabin, stared at his victims gloomily for a space—then stepped over and relieved them of their gags.

"They say a prayer is more satisfactory if spoken aloud."

Kennedy spat grimly. He had never asked mercy; he never would.

"Are you going to light that fuse, Morgan?" asked Armitage.

"I am."

There was no mockery in Morgan's eyes. He swore in his heart that this was war, that the death of these two men was a military necessity. But it was a ragged defense, and his conscience saw through the tatters and voiced the truth.

"This is not war; it is murder," said Armitage.

"Well, what is war but murder? You would have shot me, quickly enough. I win—that is all."

Kennedy ran his tongue across his battered lips.

"Will you ever be able to forget us after this night's work?" asked Armitage.

"You are in my way."

"It is an abominable crime you are about to commit. Take us out and shoot us, if you will. But not this—mutilation!"

"I do not care to have you found. I intend that you two shall vanish from the haunts of men. John Armitage, Parson Kennedy—adieu!"

He fired the fuse, placed the candle on the table, bowed and backed out of the cabin, closing the door gently.

(To be Continued)

—Mr. and Mrs. Otto Frederick and family of Peoria visited with relatives over the week end.

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# **PYTHIANS SISTERS HAD SUCCESSFUL DISTRICT CONVENTION HERE FRI.**

(Continued from page one.)

At 6:45 the cars were at the church ready to convey every one back to the Hall where the evening session was preceded with a short program given to a few invited guests and members of the organization.

Jessie Ruth Finley wore red representing a red rose and carried a beautiful bunch of red roses in each arm. Marjorie Newbould was dressed to represent the Canterbury bell and carried blue flowers. Dorothy Wood wore yellow and carried yellow lilies and Eloise Mallinson wore white and carried a white Calla lily. The girls were charming in their beautiful dresses and their drill was very pleasing.

Following these girls was the Mattoon staff, followed by members of Lily Temple forming an arch of roses leading into a triangle through which the manager escorted the Grand Chief whose pathway was strewn with rose petals by two little girls Bernice Cummings and Rosaline Schneider. The district deputy was shown the same courtesy. As the G. C. and Deputy entered the room Mae Lucas sang special numbers prepared for each.

Winfred Sentel sang two solos which were a rare treat for lovers of high class music. Marjorie Newbould was a favorite with her musical reading and gave a clever encore. Mattoon's staff put on fancy drills to the delight of every one. The part of the program the public was privileged to enjoy closed with the installation of convention officers which the G. C. highly complimented.

Installing officers were:  
G. C.—Lulu Newbould.  
G. Sr.—Stella Drew.  
G. Manager—Esther Hall.  
Pianist—Grace Grider.

Rose E. Pence, G. C. received a gift from Lily Temple in appreciation of kindly instructions. Anna Evans McKenzie received a solid gold P. C. pin from Lakewood Temple in appreciation of her service to them. Mrs. Gertrude Kinsel made this presentation. She also received a beautiful gift from her own Temple. The corrections by the G. C. were very few which speaks well for both district and instructor. The manager was congratulated by both Sister Pence and Sister Marsh.

Sophia Marsh P. G. C. praised district No. 19 and their deputy for their splendid work and asked everybody to rise and give a rousing cheer and a hearty applause for the district and their deputy for her faithful and untiring service for the past seven years.

The convention was closed by singing, "God Be With You Till We Meet Again."

Stella Drew,  
Press Correspondent.

# **MILDRED CHAPIN HAS HIGHEST GRADES IN HIGH SCHOOL FINALS**

(Continued from page one)

Typing I. 24 in class—Doris Graven, 97; Stanley Bragg—96; Annabelle Devore—96.

Typing II. 11 in class—Mabeline Lilly—97; Ruth Condon—96; Lenna Price—96.

Shorthand I. 20 in class—Opal Burcham—97; Olive Dazey—96.

Shorthand II. 11 in class—Ruth Condon—98; Mabeline Lilly—98; Lenna Price—97.

Botany 31 in class—Eileen Hagerman—94; Jack Finley—91; Zelma Mathias—91.

Mech. Drawing 14 in class—Herwald Smith—91; Glenn Lundy—91; Raymond Gregg—90; Ralph Hanrahan—90.

Shopwork 14 in class—Herwald Smith—91; Glenn Lundy—91; Ralph Hanrahan—90—Raymond Gregg—90.

English III. 50 in class—Lucia Harshman—92; Agnes Wright—92; Letha Ledbetter—91; Opal Burcham, 91.

English II. 66 in class—Jean Whitfield—94; Zelma Mathias—93; Freda Doner—93.

Sewing 30 in class—Meda Harris, 93; Jeanette Loveless—93; Gladys Sickafus—92; Letha Ledbetter—92; Vonnie Leavitt—92.

Physiology 87 in class—Mildred Chapin—97; Rose Eden Martin 97; Lyle Robertson 97; Lloyd Hawbaker, 94.

Economics 39 in class—Agnes Wright—95; Eileen Hagerman—95; Ferne Sickafus—94; Grace Cody, 94.

# **MAGILL FAMILY REUNION**

The annual Magill family reunion was held Sunday at the R. M. Magill home in this city. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Magill, Dr. and Mrs. A. O. Magill and children, Hubert, Margery and Helen Virginia, of Decatur; Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Sears and children Adrian and Celia of Champaign, Dr. and Mrs. S. R. Magill and daughter Lenore Eileen of Auburn; Attorney and Mrs. J. I. Magill and children, Robert, John Jr., and Joan Elizabeth of Springfield; Dr. and Mrs. Clark Magill and children James Clark and Mary Jane of Chicago; Mrs. Tella Pearce, Mrs. Jane Gaddis and Miss Retta Webb of this city.

—Miss Lucy Ralston who had visited friends here left for Chicago the early part of the week and from there will go to Washington, D. C., for a visit with her sister, Mrs. H. A. Roehn.

# **STOCKHOLDERS EXPLAIN WHY THEY SOLD THEIR MOULTRIE CO HATCHERY**

Wednesday night of last week the stockholders of the Moultrie County Hatchery met at the Farm bureau office. Various matters had turned up which required the attention of the stockholders.

The Farm Adviser, C. C. Turner, had taken steps to discharge Miss Marie Frantz manager and book-keeper at the hatchery. Some of the stockholders objected to that step because they felt that Miss Frantz was being relieved of duty on account of information which she had given to the stockholders concerning various transactions in connection with conducting the affairs of the hatchery.

The matters complained of were that orders received at the hatchery for blood tested and accredited chicks were not filled with chicks hatched here, but when present supplied was exhausted were filled with chicks bought from other hatcheries, the quality of which was unknown.

It was charged that chicks from the Arthur Hatchery were brought to this city and brooded under local brooders, then sold to customers of the local hatchery.

Another complaint against the management was that merchandise of other kinds was ordered and placed on sale, when a supply of such or similar material was on hand from last year and had practically proven unsaleable, then.

These and various other reasons caused the directors to be greatly dissatisfied with the way the hatchery was run and for these reasons the stockholders meeting was called.

Another matter that caused difficulty was that feeds had been handled through the Hatchery and advertised for sale to farm bureau members at cost plus a small charge for cost of handling. It was found that this really was not the case but that a liberal profit was charged on such sales.

There was also some dissatisfaction in the matter of buying eggs for the hatchery and it was charged that instead of buying eggs from the stockholders of the local hatchery according to contract, eggs were bought from the Arthur Hatchery and brought here for incubation.

Rumors have for some time been circulated that through carelessness on part of some employees several hundred baby chicks had been stolen or had disappeared from the local hatchery and never been accounted for. Three of the five directors recommended that Tom Frantz, an employee, be discharged and Mr. Turner refused to take such action.

These and other complaints were aired at Wednesday night's meeting. Farm Adviser Turner, who with his father-in-law own 1/3 of the stock of the Moultrie County Hatchery then offered to sell out his interest or to buy the other stockholders. The latter proposition was accepted and all the stockholders present at the meeting except one, sold their stock to Mr. Turner.

As there have been so many rumors about this meeting, we feel that the stockholders' side of the story deserves as much publicity as that which may be given the other side of the case.

Signed,  
J. E. Righter, Pres.  
Osa L. Esry, vice pres.  
Reta Wilson, Director.  
Former Directors of the  
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# **ANOTHER EXAMPLE OF WIDELY-HERALDED COOLIDGE ECONOMY**

The United Press this week sent out a story relative to the vacation sojourn of President Coolidge in the Black Hills of South Dakota.

As one item of expense in fitting the state game lodge for the reception of the President and his suite, telephone and telegraph companies are installing equipment which will cost about \$200,000.

This is to keep the President in touch with the world so he can broadcast his talks on economy in government and advice to the mid-west farmers. While on his vacation in the Black Hills, the presidential yacht Mayflower, the upkeep of which costs this nation about \$350,000 per year, will of course not be in great demand.

Economy is a great thing to preach but to practice it—that's another matter so long as the taxpayers foot the bills.

# **MR. AND MRS. JOE STEELE ENTERTAINED IN HONOR OF ELKHART, IND. GUESTS**

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Pifer and daughter June of Elkhart, Ind., spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Pifer and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Steele. A number of relatives gathered at the Steele home Sunday. A sumptuous dinner with ice cream was served at the noon hour.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Steele and family of Arthur, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Steele and family of near Arthur, Mr. and Mrs. Alva Courtright and daughter Wanda, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Cadell West, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Pifer and daughter June, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Steele, Ed Elzy and Miss Juanita Steele.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Pifer left Monday morning for their home. Miss Fern Goodwin returned with them to spend the summer.

# **LOCALS**

—Church services at St. Columba's church at 10 a. m. Sunday.

—Miss Mayme Alexander spent Sunday and Monday with relatives in Tuscola.

—Mrs. Orville Stricklan and Mrs. Ote Poland of Decatur visited with Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Stricklan Sunday and Monday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Webber and daughter Helen of Decatur visited with Mrs. J. R. Conard and daughter Laura Monday.

—Mrs. Lena Farrell and son Duane of Chicago spent Monday at the home of Mrs. Jessie Miller.

—Mr. and Mrs. Scott Hill of Decatur spent Sunday with Mrs. J. R. Conard and daughter.

—Miss Dorothy Scoville of Chicago spent Decoration day with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Frank McPheeters.

—Mrs. Ed Martin and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. James Taylor all of Decatur attended Memorial Day services in this city.

—Mrs. Alice Malson of Decatur spent Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Powell.

—Mrs. Nettie Roughton and son Kenneth motored to Tuscola Monday.

—Miss Grace Buxton returned to Chicago Monday evening.

—Mr. and Mrs. Waverly Ashbrook of Downs will return to this city Saturday. Mr. Ashbrook has completed his year's term as teacher there. He will teach at the Sullivan Township High School next term.

—Miss Opal Ellis visited relatives in Decatur Thursday and Friday.

—Miss Hortense Myers spent Monday in Mattoon.

—Gloyd Rose who spent Sunday and Monday with home folks returned to Decatur Monday evening.

—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sona and daughter Helen drove to Cerro Gordo Friday evening to meet Hal Sona who was on his way home from Urbana.

—Clifford Williams of Chicago spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives and friends.

—Misses Etha and Lena Bushart known over the radio as the Bushart Sisters will broadcast Wednesday evening at 9 p. m. from WJBL.

—Mrs. Cynthia Newbould who spent several weeks in Decatur returned Sunday.

—Charles Wiley of Decatur spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Gardner.

—Miss Vida Murray of Decatur visited with Miss Etha Bushart Thursday evening.

—Hubert and Ralph Powell returned to Chicago Sunday after spending the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Powell.

—Mrs. W. B. Allison of Mattoon spent Monday and Tuesday at the home of Dr. and Mrs. E. E. Bushart.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Murray and son of Charleston, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Weaver of Decatur spent Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Etta Ray.

—Dr. and Mrs. A. D. Miller left Tuesday for Springfield where they spent three days with their daughter, Mrs. E. J. Campbell, and family.

—A bridge party was given by Division Number Two of the Ladies of the Country club Thursday afternoon. This party was held at the club house and was complimentary to the ladies of Effingham. The ladies of the division who served were: Mrs. A. K. Merriman, chairman, Mrs. F. C. Newbould, Mrs. O. F. Dolan, Mrs. J. W. Pifer, Mrs. Frank Wits, Mrs. S. W. Johnson, Miss Opal Ellis, Mrs. C. F. McClure, Mrs. H. W. Wright, Mrs. L. P. Dickerson, Mrs. J. R. Drake, Mrs. O. F. Cochran.

—A short program was given at the I. O. O. F. hall Friday evening by the Rebekah lodge, this being anniversary night. After the program games were played and later refreshments were served.

—Miss Freda Walker of Urbana came Sunday to visit at the home of Miss Emma Edmiston and other friends. She returned to Urbana Tuesday. William Bland who had been visiting relatives and friends in this city motored to Urbana with Miss Walker.

—Mrs. Rose Davis and Miss Agnes Corbin of Paris spent Sunday and Monday at the home of their father, C. A. Corbin.

—Miss Mae Austin, student at Charleston university will be a member of the graduating class Friday evening.

—Jack Finley, Jr., went to Decatur Monday to visit with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Springer.

—Mrs. Marie Hollis of Terre Haute spent Sunday and Monday with her mother, Mrs. S. P. Stricklan.

—Miss Telve Monroe who recently underwent an operation in the Mattoon hospital will return home Friday (today.)

—Mrs. S. P. Stricklan made a business trip to Mattoon Tuesday.

—Mrs. Leafel Longwill who spent several days in Mattoon returned Tuesday.

—Miss Susie Hunt of Indianapolis spent Sunday with Mrs. Lizzie Eden.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Smith of Mt. Vernon spent Sunday with friends.

—Miss Mabel Langston of Chicago spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Stella Everett.

—Ray Meeker who made a business trip to Florida, returned Saturday.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Jennings of Decatur visited with the Jennings sisters Sunday and Monday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Doner and daughter of Bloomington spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Doner.

—Miss Caroline Jennings of Bloomington spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Jennings.

—The Household Science club will have its annual all-day meeting Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Jesse Powell.

—Mrs. Arnold Newbould of Decatur is reported slowly regaining her strength after a very severe illness.

—Ruth Oliver, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Oliver was returned to St. Mary's hospital in Decatur Sunday. She had been home from the hospital several weeks after having had a siege of pneumonia. Complications brought on a relapse and made it advisable to return her to the hospital for treatment.

—Mrs. Sophia Marsh, Grand M. R. C. of the Pythian Sisters and Mrs. Elizabeth Brinsley both of Springfield were entertained in the home of Mrs. Thorton Drew last Friday night.

—Monday night, June 6th is the next regular meeting night of the Pythian Sisters. A good attendance is urged to be present.

—Mrs. Gerald E. States who has been visiting at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Genevieve Lowe, returned Saturday, together with her husband, who motored to this city from Elkhart, Ind., where they will make their home. They spent the week end with relatives in Taylorville and motored to their new home Monday.

—Ed Reedy and brother Louis Reedy both of Washington state came Monday for a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. Reedy.

—Mrs. Della Bromley entertained several relatives at her home over the week end. Those present were Earl and Thorton Bromley of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Bromley of Chicago Heights and Harold Bromley of Jacksonville.

—David Pifer of Chicago spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. Mary Pifer.

—Miss Clara Robinson of Knox College Galesburg spent the week end with her parents.

—Prof. and Mrs. Moore have moved from the Hagerman property into the Dunscomb property on East Jackson street.

—Mrs. Charles Hart and children moved Friday to Maroa where they will reside.

—R. D. Meeker, Brockway Stearns and Miss Grace Meeker, returned Saturday night from a visit in Coral Gables Florida with Mrs. C. B. Stearns and daughter Charlene.

—Robert Stearns, student at Butler University spent the week end with his aunt, Mrs. Estella McDonald.

—Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Kuster of Decatur spent Monday evening with his brother, Wesley Kuster and sister, Mrs. Mary Preis. Mrs. Preis accompanied them back to Decatur for a visit.

—Harry Siron and family spent

Monday with relatives in Shelbyville.

—Mr. and Mrs. Oce Miller of Benton are visiting with her son, Roy A. Light and family.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Mattox of Indianapolis, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Barton and William Mattox of Pana spent Sunday and Monday with Mrs. Stella Ellis and M. A. Mattox.

—E. A. McKenzie went to St. Louis Wednesday to attend a stockholders meeting of a lumber corporation in which he is interested.

—Joe Jones of Windsor bought the separator and threshing engine sold recently by the Kirksville thrashing ring. The lot and building in Kirksville was sold to John Leeds.

—Mr. and Mrs. Barger and Mr. and Mrs. Ward of Greenup called on Mr. and Mrs. E. A. McKenzie Tuesday evening.

—Genevieve VanDeveer of Springfield is spending her vacation at the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Filson north of this city.

—Mrs. Stacia Moore of Decatur visited at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Elliott Billman Sunday, while Mr. Moore attended the Ascension Day exercises at Danville.

—Miss Oma Baker motored to Champaign Friday and spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Bliss Shuman and family.

—The Class party of the Loyal Daughters which was to have taken place Wednesday night at the home of Mrs. Paul Wilson has been indefinitely postponed.

—Miss Emma Cooley who is taking a course in the Heller Beauty parlor, Decatur spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cooley.

—Rev. W. B. Hopper was unable to reach Allenville for services, Sunday morning due to high water which was over the floor of Nelson bridge.

—Mr. and Mrs. Campbell and daughter Helen and Mrs. Martin all of Chicago spent Decoration day with Dr. and Mrs. S. T. Butler.

—Miss Phyllis Harshman was a Decatur visitor on Tuesday.

—Mrs. Fannie Munsie of Decatur came Saturday for a week's visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. S. T. Butler.

—Dr. S. T. Butler, who attended the Missouri State Dental Meeting in St. Louis last week, returned Friday.

—Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Lewis of Long Beach, California are spending several weeks at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Herschel Reedy and family.

—Mrs. John Meek and daughter Lillian, son Richard and Dr. and Mrs. Clark Magill and family all of Chicago came Saturday for a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Magill.

—Mr. and Mrs. Sam Woods and family of Sycamore returned home Monday morning after spending a few days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Newt Wood, Mr. and Mrs. U. G. Dazey and Mrs. William Kellar in Allenville.

—Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Hengst of

Chicago arrived Saturday to spend a few days with his mother, Mrs. Barbara Hengst and other relatives. They returned home Tuesday.

—Miss Veda Hankley returned to Chicago Tuesday after a few days visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hankley.

—Mrs. D. B. Isenberg and children of Shelbyville spent Monday in this city with her mother, Mrs. Clara Grigsby.

—Miss Cleo Garrett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Garrett went to Chicago Thursday of last week to visit with relatives.

—Miss Marie Frantz resigned as manager of the Moultrie County Farm Bureau hatchery on Thursday morning of last week.

—Mrs. A. K. Palmer and Miss Pauline Thompson of this city and Frank Urban of Champaign motored to Chicago Friday and returned to this city Tuesday. Mr. Urban returned to his home in Champaign.

—Mrs. Maude Appgar and Mrs. Jennie Brown, delegates to the Pythian Sisters convention here last week were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chal Newbould during their stay in this city.

# **WHIPPING POST AT HUME**

Seventeen young men, all sophomores and juniors of the Hume high school, were given a severe beating Tuesday afternoon, immediately after school, by Professors Mitchell, Rice and Beatty, according to reports current on the streets.

The echo from the heavy paddles as they landed on the rear system of the students could be heard by neighbors across the alley from the school house, we are told. But no squealing was heard, thus indicating that the victims took their whippings like brave soldiers.

The trouble is said to have started when earlier in the day the boys initiated this year's freshmen into the secrets of the Hume high school, a feature which at the beginning of this turbulent school year, Supt. Mitchell had forbidden. The incident has caused considerable discussion in Hume and it is said that it will have an aftermath.—Hume Resrd.

# **PERHAPS SO—IN FLORIDA**

A stranger who had been in a small town in Iowa but a few days, lost a very valuable dog. He went to the newspaper office and wrote an advertisement to be run that night, offering twenty-five dollars reward for the return of the dog. Evening came, and no paper appeared. Finally, anxious to see his ad, the gentleman went down to the office of the newspaper, and found only the janitor there.

"Isn't there going to be any paper this evening?" he inquired. "No, suh," replied the floor sweeper. "No paper today. Ev'body's out huntin' fo' dat dog."—Punta Gorda, Fla., Herald.

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