

BLACK SHEEP

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man to all intents and purposes, but really an old crook who got tired of dodging sheriffs and bloodhounds and bought this farm. A sober, industrious family man, you will find him, with a wife and one daughter. This is one of the best stations of the underground railroad; safe as a mother's arms, and you will never believe you're not the favored guest of a week end party.

A grav-bearded man with a pronounced stoop, clad in faded blue overalls, was waiting for them at the barn.

The car disposed of, the Governor introduced Archie as one of his dearest friends, and the hand Archie clasped was undeniably roughened by toil.

There was nothing in his speech or manner to suggest that he had ever been a road agent. He assisted them in carrying their traps to the house, talking farmer fashion of the weather, crops and the state of the roads.

The girl appeared at a window, rested her bare arms on the sill and smilingly saluted them with a cheery "Hello there!"

"Look upon that picture!" exclaimed the Governor, seizing Archie's arm. "In old times upon Olympus she was cup-bearer to the gods, but here she is Sally Walker, and never so charming as when she sits enthroned upon the milking stool.

A very pretty picture Miss Walker made in the kitchen window, a vivid portrait that immediately enhanced Archie's pleasurable sensations in finding a haven that promised rest and security. Her black hair was swept back smoothly from her forehead and there was the glow of perfect health in her rounded cheeks.

"Well, Mr. Saulsbury, I've read all those books you sent me, and the candy was the finest I ever tasted." "She remembers! Amid all her domestic cares, she remembers! My dear lad, the girl is one in a million!"

"You'd think Mr. Saulsbury was crazy about me!" she laughed. "But he makes the same speeches to every girl he sees, doesn't he, Mr. Comly?"

"Indeed not," protested Archie, rallying bravely to the Governor's support.

"Of your charm, your ineffable beauty!" the Governor supplied. "You'd better chase yourselves into the house now or pop'll be peeved at having to wait for you."

On the veranda a tall elderly man rose from a hammock in which he had been reading a newspaper and stretched himself. His tanned face was deeply lined but he gave the impression of health and vigor.

"Leary," whispered the Governor in an aside and immediately introduced him.

"The road has been smooth and the sky is high," said the Governor in response to a quick anxious questioning of Leary's small restless eyes.

"Did you find peace in the churches by the way?" asked Leary. "In one of the temples we found peace and plenty," answered the Governor as though reciting from a ritual.

Leary nodded and gave a hitch to his trousers. "You found the waters of Champlain tranquil, and no hawks followed the landward passage?"

"The robin and the bluebird sang over all the road," he answered; then with a glance at Archie: "You gave no warning of the second pilgrim."

"The brother is young and innocent, but I find him an apt pupil," the Governor explained.

"The brother will learn first the wisdom of silence, remarked Leary, and then as though by an afterthought he shook Archie warmly by the hand.

They went into the house where Mrs. Walker, a stout middle-aged woman, greeted them effusively.

"We've got to put you both in one room, if you don't mind," she explained, "but there's two beds in it. I guess you can make out."

The second floor room to which Walker led them was plainly but neatly furnished and the windows looked out upon rolling pastures.

The Governor abandoned his high flown talk and asked blunt questions as to recent visitors, apparently referring to criminals who had lodged at the farm. They talked quite openly while Archie unpacked his bag.

The restlessness of the folk of the underworld, their methods of communication and points of rendezvous seemed part of a vast system and he was ashamed of his enormous interest in all he saw and heard.

The Governor's cool fashion of talking of the world of crime and its denizens almost legitimized it, made it appear a recognized part of the accepted scheme of things.

Walker aroused the Governor's deepest interest by telling of the visit of Pete Barney, a diamond thief, who had lately made a big haul in Chicago, and had been passed along from one point of refuge to another.

Leary appeared a moment later and Archie was about to leave the room, but the Governor insisted stoutly that he remain.

"I'm anxious for you and Red to know that I trust both of you fully." "What's the young brother, a con?" asked Leary with a glance at Archie.

To be referred to as a confidence man by a gentleman of Leary's professional eminence gave Archie a thrill. The Governor answered by drawing up his sleeves and going through the motions of washing his hands.

The brushing of the hands together Archie interpreted as a code sign signifying murder and the subsequent interchange of words he took to be inquiry and answer as to the danger of apprehension.

He felt that Leary's attitude toward him became friendlier from that moment. There was something ghastly in the thought that as the slayer of a human being he attained a certain dignity in the eyes of men like Leary.

But he became interested in the transaction that was now taking place between the thief and the Governor. The Governor extracted the sixty one-thousand dollar bills from his bag, and laid them out on the bed.

He rapidly explained just how Leary's hidden booty had been recovered, and the manner in which the smaller denominations had been converted into bills that could be passed without arousing suspicion.

Leary philosophically stowed the bills in his clothing. "You're done, are you?" asked the Governor; "out of the game?"

"I sure have quit the road," Leary answered. "The old girl has got a few thousand tucked away and I'm going to pick her up and buy a motion picture joint or a candy and soda shop somewhere in the big lakes."

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WEINER ROAST TUESDAY NIGHT

There will be a weiner roast at the Lilly school Tuesday night, October 25, at 7:30. Everyone is invited to come. Bring all the weiners and marshmallows you can eat.

—Mr. and Mrs. R. I. Parks and son Henry left Saturday for Columbia, Mo., where they visited Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hoke for a few days before going to Oklahoma City where they expect to spend the winter.

MASTER'S SALE State of Illinois) Moultrie County,) Moultrie County Circuit Court. Robert A. Collins vs. Bessie Bolin, et al NO. 9743

IN CHANCERY PARTITION PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in the said Court at the September Term, A. D. 1927, I, Oscar F. Cochran Master in Chancery for said court, on the 14th day of November A. D. 1927, at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder at the west door of Court House in Sullivan, in said County, the following described real estate, situate in the County of Moultrie, and State of Illinois, to-wit:

The northeast quarter of the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section 33, tp. 14, North Range Six East of the 3rd P. M.

Upon the following terms to-wit: Cash in hand on day of sale. Said premises will be sold together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging. Dated this 14th day of October A. D. 1927.

Oscar F. Cochran, Master in Chancery. Thompson & Wright, Solicitors of Complainant. 41-4t.

DAVIDSON PROPERTY SOLD M. V. Weaver last week bought the property owned by Dr. and Mrs. Davidson and located at the corner of Van Buren and Jackson streets. The consideration was \$3,000. The legal description of the property is Pt. of Block 5, Freeland's First Addition to Sullivan.

—Mrs. Josephine Roney delegate of Rhoda Rebekah Lodge to Grand Lodge in Springfield, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday left for that city Monday. Mrs. Flora Creech and Mrs. Hattie Foster accompanied her.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Sixty relatives and friends went to the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Landers Sunday to celebrate their thirty-sixth wedding anniversary.

When Mr. and Mrs. Landers came home from church the house was crowded with guests who had the table loaded with good things to eat. After the noon hour the time was spent in a social way.

Everyone departed late in the evening wishing Mr. and Mrs. Landers many more happy anniversaries. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. James Landers and family, J. E. Landers, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Thomas and son, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Landers and children, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Shasteen and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Landers and sons, Mr. and Mrs. John Floyd and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Davis and daughter, Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Barnett, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Harris and family of Decatur, J. B. Martin, Miss Dora Meade, Mrs. Manual Sipes, Mrs. Tella Pearce, Mrs. J. D. Bell, Miss Wanda Mayberry, Miss Janette Wallace, Mrs. J. H. Roberts, Mrs. Mary Schoonover.

—Mrs. Clyde Harris went to Peoria Friday to visit her daughter Meda Harris. On Sunday Clyde Harris and daughter Carmen and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Witts and sons Bob and Junior motored to Peoria to visit Meda who is a student nurse at the state hospital. They report that she likes the work fine.

—Mr. and Mrs. McConnell, Dr. and Mrs. E. E. Bushart, Mrs. Tella Pearce, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bushart, Miss Kledus Harris, Mrs. Charlotte Murphy, Miss Marie Stalsworth, and Misses Etha and Lena Bushart, all of this city were among those who attended the radio contest held in Shelbyville Friday evening.

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CHURCH NOTES

ALLENVILLE CHRISTIAN

Our special meetings are being well attended and the interest is splendid. You are invited to attend these services as we are sure you will find them helpful.

The subjects for the remaining services are as follows:
 Friday—"No Other Name."
 Saturday—"What Must I Do To Be Lost."
 Sunday morning—"The Face of Jesus."
 Sunday evening—"Be Sure Your Sin Will Find You Out."

The week night services begin at 7:30; Sunday night at 7 o'clock.

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 services.
 Cottage prayer meeting on Tuesday evening, and regular service at the hall on Thursday evening.

One of the first things Paul said to the Corinthians in his first letter to them was "I determined not to know anything among you, save Jesus Christ, and him crucified."

Paul's was not so much a message of Christ the healer, or Christ the feeder of the multitude, but a message of Christ the Saviour and Coming King. We believe that the Lord does heal, the prophet of old, said, that when He came he would bear our sickness. We believe that the good Shepherd careth for His own, but we believe the more important message, is that of the crucified Lord, who died that we might live, and that He is coming again, that where He is there we may be also.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

C. E. Barnett, Pastor.
 The prayer service was resumed last week, and will be held each Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. We are off with a good start. Now for a continuance of interest and good attendance.

Help yourself and encourage others by attending Sunday school next Sunday at 9:30 a. m. One of our young men is being sent as a delegate to the Young Peoples' conference at Ottawa the last of the month. Others are planning to attend also. These will get and bring instruction

and inspiration to our school.
 "Men As" will be the pastor's sermon subject at 10:45 next Sunday morning. "God's Finger in the Soul" the theme at 7:30 p. m. "Come thou with us and we will do thee good." Num. 10:29. Be a Hobab and come to church for the good you may receive and give.

Christian Endeavor Society meeting at 6:30 p. m. studying the topic, "Christian Endeavor in All Lands". Interest and attention is increasing with the girls leading in the contest. The race is close, however, and the boys may win yet. The young people of the church are urged to attend these services.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

D. A. MacLeod, pastor
 The summer's heat has now passed and the autumnal breeze is here. We are enjoying these beautiful days when it is neither too hot or to cold to move out to see and know what is doing. A ride along the highway, or a walk out in the fields, these days may help us to enjoy life the more. So too a little while spent with those who assemble to worship the Giver of all good, may help us all to think and see the great realities of life in their true relation. If we have joy in our hearts we can well meet to give our expression in praise, if there be sorrow, or grief, we may find comfort. Let us not, in the sunshine of life forget Him, who is the source of all light. If we wait upon Him in the strength of our being, He will be a source of strength to us in the hour of our weakness. If we value life and our daily blessings, gratitude should be manifest in our humble service, and we can shew it in no better way than the building up of His church and kingdom. We invite you kindly to His worship next Lord's day.
 Sunday school at ten o'clock and we trust you can be with us at that time. Subject for morning service, "Growth of the Christian Mind."
 Subject for evening, "The Life That Lifts."
 Young peoples meeting at 6:30. You are invited to all services.

BRETHREN ASSEMBLY

Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Bible study and breaking of bread at 11:00 a. m., Christian Endeavor at 6:00 p. m., subject "Some Bible Notes". For God sent not His son into the world to condemn the world, but that the world through Him might be saved."

"Not by works of righteousness which we have done, but according to His mercy He saved us."

If the people of this world could buy their salvation some would be saved and, some would be lost, but salvation is a free gift to all, who will receive. Neither did God predestinate any to eternal life or eternal death. This predestination is a dangerous doctrine and thousands who have been under deep conviction are lost through it.

Prayer meeting as usual on Tuesday night at the home. Bible class on Friday night.

METHODIST CHURCH

C. D. Robertson, Pastor
 Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Hugh Murray superintendent. Come and bring all the family; there is a place for each one.

Morning worship at 10:45 a. m. The pastor will conduct the service and deliver the sermon.

Epworth League devotional and study meeting at 6:30 p. m. A splendid devotional period followed by a period of fascinating study of the text, "New Paths for Old Purposes." Mrs. Richardson is making this study an interesting and inspiring experience, and no young person should miss it.

Evening Special Feature Service at 7:30 p. m. The Sunday evening services during the fall and winter are all "Special Services." There will be something different in each one. Next Sunday the theme is "The Gospel Exchange," and is illustrated by a little drama which presents the theme in action and dialogue instead of through a set sermon. What we see is much more impressive than what we hear, and in this action-sermon we see the truth.

Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening at 7:30.
 This is the church where there are no strangers.

MERRITT DISTRICT

Mr. and Mrs. Will Poland spent Monday at the home of Victor Landers.

Mrs. John Warren, Mrs. Albert Mann of Decatur, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ray, and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wilson spent Monday at the home of Herman Ray.

Mr. and Mrs. Ora Wiley spent Saturday and Sunday in Tower Hill visiting relatives.
 Mr. and Mrs. James Landers and

family were in Mattoon Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Davis spent Tuesday in Decatur.

Mrs. Ross Thomas, Mrs. Clifford Davis and Mrs. Frank Stillians spent Thursday with Mrs. Orval Taylor in Arthur.

COLES.

Mr. and Mrs. Hutch Davis and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clay Davis and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Willfield and family of Indiana spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Esau Feller and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Ritter spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. James Foster and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Edwards spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bud Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ellis and family of Decatur spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. James Claxon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Brewster and Mr. and Mrs. Orval Stone and son Roy and Mr. Young called on Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davis and son Joe Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Fulton spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Todd Davis and family.

Mrs. Coral Wilbur and family spent Thursday with Mrs. John Henderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Layton spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Bud Davis and daughter Fern.

Mrs. Gobel Tilford spent Thursday

afternoon with Miss Fern Davis.

Mrs. Nora Bouck and son Richard spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Bouck and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bouck and family and Orman Perry spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Hutch Davis and family.

Mrs. Coral Wilbur and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cheeley and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Gobel Tilford spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Rhea Tilford and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gearheart and family spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gearheart of Taylorville.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Prestine and son Carl Jr., spent Sunday with Grit Pearce and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Johnson and family spent Sunday at Neoga.

There will be preaching at Coles,

Sunday by the pastor, Rev. Mahoney. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

—Mrs. Betty Cooper, Mrs. Libby Drish and Mrs. Ruth Larson spent Sunday in Shumway.

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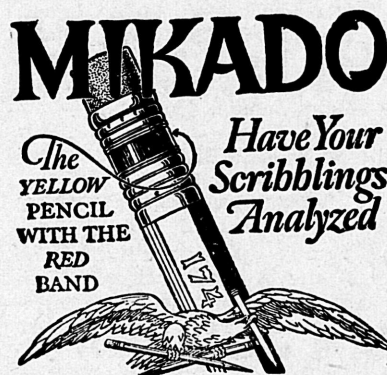
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**18,339 Stockholders
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In order that the public generally in the territory served by the Company may have an opportunity to learn of the current activities of the Company in rendering service to its present and new customers, there is reproduced below the Quarterly News Items which are sent to stockholders with each quarterly dividend.

Quarterly News Items
 of the
**Central
 Illinois Public Service
 Company**



SPRINGFIELD

QUARTERLY NEWS ITEMS OF THE

TO THE STOCKHOLDERS:

During the last quarter your company had a net increase of 1,098 electric customers, adding to its lines 4,839 kilowatts in lighting and 971 kilowatts in power. In addition power contracts were secured aggregating 1,264 kilowatts.

New electric franchises and/or street lighting contracts have been granted your company at Chesterfield, Hull, Medora, Rockbridge, Effingham and Forrest City. Power contracts were also secured covering electric service for the pumping requirements of Lima Lake and the Hunt Drainage Districts on the Mississippi River north from Quincy, with an aggregate connected load for these two districts of 1,150 horse power.

During the last quarter your company completed new transmission lines extending to Savoy from Tolono, to Thebes from Tammis, and to Nokomis from Pana. Work has been started on the 66,000 volt transmission line extending from a line of similar capacity at Wolf Lake to Anna and from there south through Ullin, Mounds and to a point near Mound City, where an interconnection will be made with a similar line belonging to the Kentucky Utilities Company.

When electricity was first applied as a motive power in industry its economical distribution was limited to short distances. This confined the power business to a territory in close proximity to the generating station and as a rule to the larger cities only. Electric service in the smaller communities was generally dusk-to-dawn service for illumination only, with plants inadequate both physically and financially to handle power business if offered. The resultant lack of power facilities was a serious restriction to the efficiency and expansion of small town industry.

Later, with the development of improved methods of electrical transmission and distribution, it was seen to be feasible to serve a large non-metropolitan area from a single economical generating station and eliminate the uneconomical and inadequate small town plants in that area. This brought to the towns and surrounding territory

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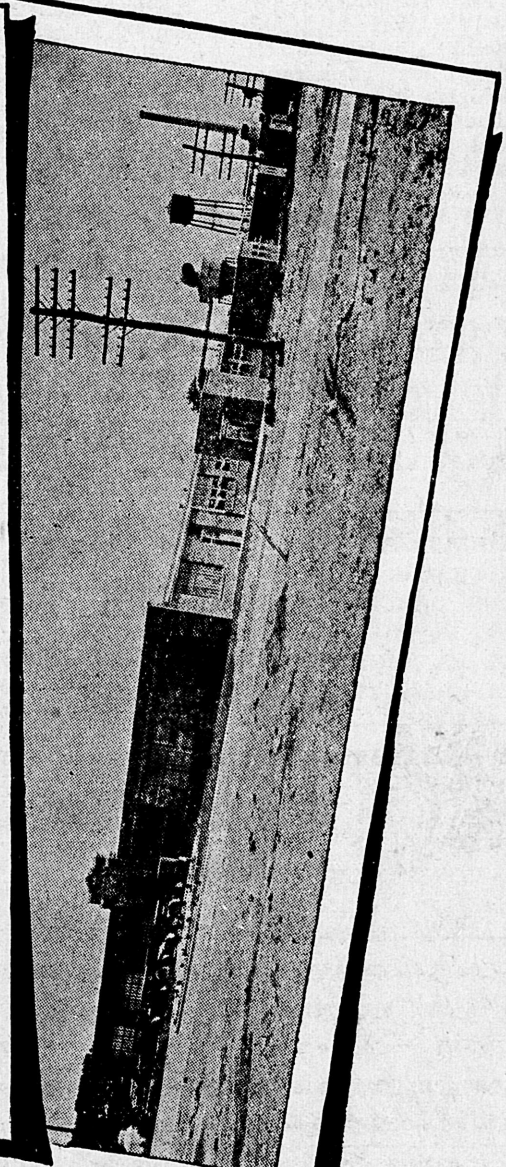
adequate power facilities supported advantageously by a diversity of demand for electric service that necessarily exists within a given area. Larger and consequently more efficient electric systems, formed as combinations of these smaller systems, were made to operate over broader areas and serve a larger number of small towns—a marked improvement from an operating standpoint.

By this means, to the considerable extent that power supply determines their course, industries are given greater freedom of location and small communities are given a better chance to obtain important industries. If an industry wishes to break away from a congested metropolitan center in order to realize the advantages of better living conditions for workers, lower living costs and consequently lower labor costs, closer proximity to raw materials or markets, cheaper land, lower taxes and more room for expansion—there is assurance that adequate electric power facilities are available. And there is growing evidence of industry's recognition of the advantages of location in the smaller towns—the new industrial frontier.

On the last page of this folder is a picture of the Effingham wood heel and last plant of the Vulcan Last Company, a new industry recently secured by the Industrial Development Committee of the Effingham Chamber of Commerce, assisted by your company's Industrial Development Department.

Production started last May on wood heels for women's shoes and at this time employment is given to approximately four hundred people. Production is rapidly increasing and additional employees are being added each week. When this unit of the Vulcan Last Company reaches full production, with a full complement of employees, Effingham's population will have shown a marked increase. Electric power supplied by your company is used to operate all of the modern machinery and for lighting this large industrial unit.

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 Springfield, Illinois. October 15, 1927.



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DEATH'S SUMMONS COMES TO VETERAN JAMES A. GREGORY

(Continued from page 1)

Lovington when about six years old. After the death of his mother in Ohio he and his brothers and his father came to Lovington where his father married Miss Martha Million and where James A. Gregory grew to manhood.

He always took an active part in public affairs, was very influential in his party as a republican and very much interested in educational matters. He served as a member of the school board of Lovington and was very anxious that all his children get a good education.

Of later years he was very much interested in political affairs and was very pleased at the success of his son Charles who served three terms in the legislature of Illinois, and was for a while director of the prohibition enforcement, making an enviable record in an honest effort to enforce the 18th Amendment to our Constitution.

His father was a captain of Co. A, 126th Reg. Ill. Inf. He died August 31, 1865, and is buried in the Hewitt Cemetery. He was a very efficient officer and a man of great ability.

Mr. Gregory has a large circle of friends connected with his family, some living here and others in distant parts. He passed away October 18th, 1927, peacefully, at 10:10 p. h. in his home in Lovington after two months' illness.

James A. Gregory was initiated into the Lovington Lodge No. 228 Ancient Free and Accepted Masons on the 2nd of May, 1868 in Lovington and he served as worshipful Master of the Lodge for three years in succession, 1874-1876.

renewed his interests and at the time of his death was a member of the lodge at Lovington, which lodge at the request of the family of the deceased, conducted the ritual ceremonies at the grave.

He was not a demonstrative person but rather avoided notoriety instead of courting it. And while he had the ability to perform all duties incident to his purposes in life he did not push himself forward but rather preferred others in his stead.

These brief statements of dates and facts are only a skeleton of the events in the life of our comrade for more than 70 years. To tell of all the activities would require a good deal of time and though and these pertain largely and almost exclusively to the material side of his life.

He was always on the right side of all moral questions. He had a keen instinct and sense of honor and duty that always developed when an important moral question was involved. While he was not a member of any church yet he had a very well developed though upon the question of religion.

He was fond of art and always interested in poetry which presented the intellectual as well as the sympathetic side of life.

After his passing away there was found in his desk in his own handwriting the following poem, either an excerpt from some poem, or of his own production I know not which, which reads as follows:

And blot the ill with tears.

It contains a beautiful sentiment with reference to life. Like most good men he regarded life as a great problem, or a series of problems that could be solved and within the last year he had spoken to me of death as a great mystery.

I am sure he would not want me nor any other person to unduly eulogize the activities of his life and their real merits. In our conversation of the question of evolution he said "I have no sympathy with that theory."

Comrades of the Grand Army of the Republic he suffered and experienced the hardships of war with you, was faithful to his duties as a soldier, always bearing in his breast the profound loyalty due his country and to the flag.

LAKE CITY

Mr. and Mrs. Tucker and daughter Jean of Long Creek spent Sunday with Orville Beck and family.

Miss Rose Sallings who was operated on at the St. Mary's hospital in Decatur has been brought home.

Dr. S. R. May of Mt. Zion was a professional caller here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Springer and Jack Finley visited Sunday evening with Joe Brohard and family.

T. F. Winings and family were visitors in Decatur Saturday. Miss Martha Harkless attended the Macon County teachers' institute in Decatur last week.

J. H. Rankins is seriously ill at his home. Harry Hill spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. George Ault.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Baker of Decatur spent Sunday with L. M. Baker and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Collins of Sullivan spent Sunday with S. J. Sallings and family.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Dickson and daughter Marguerite and Mr. and Mrs. Brutus Hamm were visitors at Mattoon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ferris, and Clarence Dixon and family of Lovington spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Otis Dawson.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Burge of near Lovington spent Saturday with Bud Redfern and family.

E. L. Beall of Decatur was a caller here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Dickson attended the funeral of James Gregor at Lovington Monday.

Miss Sylvia Dickson was a Lovington caller Tuesday.

The N. N. N. club met at the home of Mrs. E. J. Gilham Tuesday.

HONOR LIST S. T. H. S. FIRST SIX WEEKS 1927-28

The following is the standing of the pupils of the S. T. H. S. at the close of the first six weeks' work:

- 97%—Mildred Chapin.
95%—Helen Cummins, Mabel Henderson, Rose Eden Martin, Lyle Robertson.
94%—Emogene Mathias, Albert Price, Jennie Seitz, Robert Sullivan.
93%—Opal Burcham, Freda Doner, Lloyd Hawbaker, Vonnie Leavitt, Genevieve Mallinson, Wilma Rhodes, Jean Whitfield.
92%—Olive Dazey, Lucia Harshman, John Hogue, Homer Johnson, Valeria Lundy, Zelma Mathias, Enid Newbould, Kathryn Nighswander, Adrian Sears, Velva Wallace.
91%—Stanley Bragg, Vernon Elder, Louise English, Helen Everett, Carrie Green, Carmen Harris, Ruberta Luke, Donabell Pifer, Mildred Smith, Wilma Wilson.
90%—Anna Mary Bayne, Loveta Carson, Helen Gauger, Fern Goodwin, Doris Graven, Donald Lane, Mabel Leeds, John McKinney, Ora Purvis, Ina Stone, Elda Wallace, Agnes Wright.
89%—Lois Anderson, Bernard Brumfield, Levia Elder, Beulah Elder, Ella Graven, Mac Grigsby, Mary Elizabeth Leeds, Jeanette Loveless, Martha Misenheimer, Dorothy Mitchell, Edna Rauch, Lewie Sharpe.
88%—Edwin Bolin, Dorothy Clark, Evalyn Finley, Blanche Hall, Emily Harshman, Etha Jordan, Vern Kellar, Letha Ledbetter, Loye Leeds, Ruby Lewton, Gilham Lowe, Eloise Mallinson, Donald Pearson, Faye Queary, Herwald Smith, Ruby Webb, Lois Young, Samuel Harshman.

FOUR NEW MEMBERS FOR F. I. C. CLUB AT MEETING ON MONDAY

The F. I. C. club met in the League room of the Methodist church Monday afternoon with twenty-one members present. Four ladies were elected to membership. They are Mrs. F. L. James, Mrs. Eleanor Merriman, Mrs. Ella Harbaugh, Mrs. Carrie Dedman.

The county meeting of Federated clubs to which all local clubs are invited will take place Monday, October 24th at the Christian church. Miss Watson is to be the speaker for the afternoon; also Mrs. Grace Richardson, who is the county president.

About eight ladies motored to Champaign Tuesday to attend a convention of the 19th district held in that city.

- "Hospital for Sullivan"—Mrs. Elizabeth Shirey.
"Need of Campfire Organization"—Mrs. Eva Hill.
"Shall We Have a Junior Organization"—Mrs. Grace Clark.
"A Playground for Boys"—Mrs. Nina Grote.

Oratorical contest 3 minute talks on "Why We Boost for our Home Community". The prize was awarded to Mrs. Adilla Burns. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Bess Hankla, Nov. 7th.

CHAUTAUQUA TALENT BEING CONTRACTED BY LOAR CO. COMMITTEE TO SELECT LATER

E. C. Brandenburger, secretary of the local Chautauqua association is in receipt of a copy of the Annual Bulletin issued by The Loar Independent Chautauqua Co., of Bloomington, Illinois, announcing a list of chautauqua attractions for 1928.

The lecture list includes the names of Ruth Bryan Owen, Judge George D. Alden, Dr. Ira Landrih, Ralph Parlette, Edward Amhart Ott, Bishop E. L. Waldorf, Judge Fred G. Bale, Chancellor George Henry Bradford, Charles P. Taft 2nd., Dr. W. A. Ganfield, "Dusty" Miller and others.

Among the entertainers are Jess Pugh humorist; John E. Bockewitz, chalk talk artist; J. W. Zellner, Protean characterist; and Glenn L. Morris, electrical entertainer.

Among the plays being given by the various companies are "The Fool", "The Family Upstairs", "Lightnin'", "To the Ladies", "The Taming of the Shrew", "Mr. Pim Passes By" and "Smilin' Through".

The local Chautauqua officers are: D. G. Carnine president; Ed C. Brandenburger secretary and G. R. Fleming Treasurer. The following members constitute the Board of directors: Mrs. Ada Chapin, C. R. Patterson, J. H. Smith, J. H. Pearson, Ella Stedman, C. R. Hill, Jessie Edwards, O. J. Gauger, H. C. Shirey, W. R. Robinson, Nettie L. Roughton and Elizabeth Gifford.

O. F. COCHRAN NAMED DIRECTOR FOR ROLL CALL OF AMERICAN RED CROSS

Judge O. F. Cochran has been named director of the annual roll call of the American Red Cross, Moultrie county chapter. This roll call will start on Armistice day and continue for one week.

Moultrie county has been very materially assisted by the Red Cross this year and a goal of 650 members has been assigned. The new director and the chapter officials plan to conduct a campaign which will enroll all who believe in Red Cross work in the organization's membership.

Chapter chairman Brandenburger, wife and son and Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Barnett attended a state convention of the Red Cross held at the Orlando hotel in Decatur Friday.

Among the speakers at this meeting was Henry M. Baker, national director of district relief; William Baxter, Jr., manager of the St. Louis branch; Harry Sheldon assistant director of roll call and many others who have taken a prominent part in the work of the Red Cross.

The afternoon program was devoted to Junior Red Cross activities as they are being conducted through the schools. During the past year

this work has consisted of making contact and exchanges of interesting portfolios between schools in this country and those of Greece and Japan. This work has a fascination for the pupils and is termed a very able method of creating a feeling of understanding and friendship between the coming citizens of the nations of the world.

CADWELL PASTOR AND WIFE GIVEN RECEPTION

Rev. and Mrs. James T. Wilson were given a reception last Friday evening at the Cadwell M. E. church.

The pastor and his wife knew nothing of the plans so they were quite surprised when they returned Friday night and found a large crowd of people representing both the Cadwell and Rosedale churches. A program was given in which they portrayed nine ages in the life of James Wilson. This part of the program added a great deal of mirth to the occasion.

Rev. Wilson has served three years on the Cadwell-Rosedale charge. He was recently re-appointed at the Illinois Conference held at Springfield for the fourth year. In connection with his church work he has attended

school each year receiving his Bachelor of Arts degree from Illinois Wesleyan in 1926. He is now taking a three year course at Garrett Theological Seminary and is a member of the 1929 graduating class.

EAST NELSON FARMERS MEET HERE TONIGHT

A meeting of the Farm Bureau members of East Nelson township will be held tonight (Friday) at the Farm Bureau office. This will be the first of the township meetings at which township directors and chairmen will be chosen.

The program starts at 7:30. F. M. Higgins, organization manager for the I. A. A. will be the speaker. Steps will be taken to form a county protective association. Project results will be announced and discussed. Township officers will be elected and motion pictures will be shown. The meeting will close with a social hour.

J. F. Lilly is director and Willis Mann chairman of East Nelson township at present. —Bert Lane last week went to St. Louis and bought 28 head of feeder cattle; his brother Claude bought 56 head.

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Bath Robes

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7:00 p. m. OLIVE BORDEN in "THE JOY GIRL" ADM. 10c and 25c

FRIDAY & SATURDAY

Matinee 2:15—Evening 6:15 RENEE ADOREE in "BACK TO GOD'S COUNTRY" Admission 10c and 25c.

SUNDAY & MONDAY

7:00 p. m. AILEEN PRINGLE in "ADAM AND EVIL" Admission 25 and 50c.

TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY

Night 7:00 BEN LYON AND PAULINE STARK in "DANCE MAGIC" Admission 10c and 25c.

THURSDAY & FRIDAY

7:00 p. m. DEMPSEY-TUNNEY FIGHT Admission 25c and 50c

COMING

October 30-31 "THE QUARTERBACK"

ALLENVILLE.

Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Sutton and son Vernon and Miss Eva Sutton spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Z. I. Standorfer and children.

JONATHAN CREEK.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Spaugh and daughter spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gramblin and family.

QUIGLEY

Mr. J. V. Brady conducted preaching services at the Church of Christ at Liberty Sunday and Sunday night and he and Mrs. Brady were entertained at dinner in the home of Ed Briscoe and family.

Dad Was a Good Cupid

By DOROTHY DOUGLAS

MADGE decided she really must buy the adorable small house sandwiched comfortably in between two larger ones in the very heart of Bohemia.

But—Madge had only managed to save a thousand dollars and the greedy owners of the house demanded five thousand.

Having heard that lawyers were the people to consult in such dilemmas and especially about the prospects of a mortgage Madge forthwith consulted here telephone book rather than her friends in search of a likely lawyer.

An elderly gentleman, one of the old school, arose to greet her, and his manner was so fatherly and kind that it knocked Madge's businesslike air off her shoulders.

She found herself telling him everything just as if she had been his daughter.

"I want to buy a five thousand dollar house and only have one thousand," she said with a soft smile, "and I thought perhaps you would tell me how to do it. I know I shall make a big success of the teaming I want to start in it. I believe I could be making money inside of one month—I have so many friends to—a—drink tea."

David Gardner laughed. In his eyes was great admiration and a full-blown twinkle.

He listened for some time yet to all Madge had to say and the more he heard from her lips the better he liked her. She was the kind of girl who makes her way in the world and she had a great charm.

"Well—I think I know the very man who will take over the mortgage, and because he's a wealthy man he will, I know, only take 3 per cent interest. But," and David Gardner raised a finger of warning, "this is to be a secret between you and me. Don't tell anyone what you are paying by way of interest because you really should be charged 6 or 7 per cent—so that will be our little secret—is it so?"

"Oh, but you are too good to me—a perfect stranger."

"Not at all," laughed the lawyer, "and I don't somehow feel like a stranger to you. And by the way—do you know anything at all about buying a house?"

"Not much," confessed Madge with a blush, "you see I never bought one before."

"Then, if that's the case and if you don't object I will ask the gentleman who is to take over your mortgage to go along with you—he knows all there is to know about the real estate market and might be of great help to you. Do you mind?" And it seemed as if the twinkle in David Gardner's eyes deepened.

"But he won't want to be bothered with me," said Madge but with decided hopefulness in her eyes. "As a matter of fact," she confessed, "I was absolutely dreading having to go alone to sign papers and documents—there is so much swindling going on." She looked straight back at her lawyer with a curious interest in her frank eyes. "But I still don't see any reason why you should be so nice to me."

The lawyer laughed. "Never mind why, my dear—but I may have a very good reason up my sleeve and—" but before he had finished his laughing comment a young man burst into the room, then quickly apologized:

"I'm sorry, dad, I didn't know you were engaged," and he would have withdrawn, hard as it was to so swiftly leave the very pleasant sight that had greeted his eyes.

"It's all right, lad, come in—I want you to meet this young lady as she needs your assistance in the matter of buying a house."

Dad Gardner made the necessary introduction and the twinkle in his eyes seemed to have justified itself. His son Dick and his client Madge seemed only to have lived for the moment when they should meet.

"As a matter of fact, Dick, I've arranged that you shall take over the mortgage for Miss Winter, on this house—"

"Dad," said Dick enthusiastically, "sometimes you do a single bit of business that's worth the whole rest of the year's work," and Dick smiled a most wonderful smile at his dad and then it slipped away to share itself with Madge.

WHITFIELD.

Whitfield church has called Rev. Melvin Carlen of Greenup as pastor of their church the ensuing year. He will fill his first appointment next Sunday.

Miss Ethel Henderson has returned home after a stay of two weeks in the Charles Erwin home.

Marie and Louise Brackney of Sullivan visited over the week end with Rex Garretts.

Mrs. Ethel Wisley and children are visiting with her sister, Mrs. Everett Butler and wife.

Sunday visitors: Rex Garrett and family in Decatur with Mrs. Margaret Waggoner and sons; Clyde Shaw and family and T. I. Leggett with Ed Evans and wife at Kirksville; Tim Edwards and family with Paul Edwards and family near Mattoon; Everett Butler and wife with Luther Woodwards near Lovington and Ray Bundy and family of near Sullivan with Paul Murrays.

LUTHER FULLER PREDICTS SUCCESSFUL TOUR FOR DAIRY TRAIN; HERE NOVEMBER 3

Danville, Ill., October 17, 1927—The Dairy Bull Train to be run over the C & E I Railway October 31 to November 12 will meet with a good reception in the twenty-four Illinois towns where it will stop, according to Luther Fuller, general agricultural agent for the railroad. All towns have active committees working on the Dairy Day program.

There will be nine cars in the train, consisting of exhibit cars, express cars loaded with fine bulls, a flat car to be used as a lecture platform and a railroad business car with living accommodations for the men with the train.

The exhibit car will show some very interesting and instructive examples on the value of using good dairy bulls in the herd. In addition to exhibits on breeding, there will also be some on feeding, management, etc.

The three express cars of Jersey, Guernsey and Holstein bulls will be a regular traveling dairy exposition. All of the bulls on the train will be registered, guaranteed breeders, ready for use and from dams of good producing records. These bulls are being placed on the train by some of the best breeders in the country and will be available for purchase from the train at farmers' prices.

The train will stop at two towns each day, from 9:00 a. m. to 1:30 p. m. and from 2:30 p. m. to 9:30 p. m. There will be lectures at 10:30 a. m. and 7:00 p. m. When the weather permits all the lectures will be given from a flat car attached to the train. The committees in each town are being asked to make arrangements for use of a hall for lectures in case the weather does not permit outdoor meetings.

A special effort is being made to get high school students to visit the train. In many towns the committee will offer prizes to students in a dairy cattle judging contest to be held at the train. Others are offering prizes for the best essay written by a student on what was seen at the train. There will be a good pure bred cow of each of the three breeds on the train for use by the students in the judging contest and the local committees in these towns are being asked to arrange for several local cows to be brought to the train for the students' use in judging.

In addition to the local people in each town, cooperating with the agricultural department of the C & E I Railway, there will be the Illinois Department of Agriculture, Illinois Dairyman's Association, American Jersey Cattle Club, American Guernsey Cattle Club, Holstein-Friesian Association of America and the Illinois Holstein-Friesian Association.

LOVINGTON WILL HAVE A FUNERAL HOME

Two important real estate transactions of the past week were the sale of the W. I. McMullin residence on South County street to E. E. Cochran and the purchase by Mr. McMullin of the Shepherd home place on North State street, which is now occupied by S. A. Poff and family.

Mr. Cochran will retire from farming and will move to Lovington within the next thirty days. His son-in-law, Alonzo Taylor, and family will move to the Cochran farm as soon as it is vacated.

Mr. McMullin bought the Shepherd property and will convert it into a funeral home. The house is a large two-story structure of brick construction and has an interior arrangement that makes it easily converted into a funeral home. There will be an undertaking, or preparation room, also a room in which to display caskets and two rooms on the east side of the building that can be converted into a chapel for funeral services. The home is located across the street from Mr. McMullin's furniture store and as he plans to move his residence to the funeral home it will mean a convenient arrangement for the handling of both place of business.

Mr. McMullin does not get possession of the property for thirty days but work on the outside changes will take place at once.

The Shepherd residence is an old landmark of Lovington, having been built in the summer of 1885 by the late M. T. Shepherd, who for many years was a prominent banker of this

county. Older residents of the community will recall that Mr. Shepherd conducted a loan and time deposit bank in a frame building in the southwest corner of the lots where he later built his fine brick home. He resided for a time in the upstairs of his bank building and when the new brick home was built it was the finest in Lovington and perhaps nothing was finer in the entire county. A lthough both Mr. and Mrs. Shepherd have been dead for a number of years the old home place has been controlled by the Shepherd estate, until the sale of the property was made to Mr. McMullin a few days ago.—Lovington Reporter.

BLAMES OLDER GIRLS BECAUSE YOUNGER STRAY

New York—It is the older more sophisticated girls, who are responsible for the transgression of the moral code by the younger girls, declares Judge Charles O. Cherwager, of this city in a recent magazine article.

"The menace to the mental stamina of the girl today is not the boy of today," Judge Cherwager asserts, "but the more sophisticated girls. It is the other girl who paves the way for the boy. The girl first imbues sophistication from other girls, older in years or experience. Her innate modesty, her inherent sex reticences make this almost inevitable. Even in this day of free thinking and free doing, the young girl as yet unspoiled would shrink from the advances of a boy were they tinged with the slightest color of what she holds improper. And as yet the word 'improper' covers a wide field."

MOST TEACHERS ARE FARM BRED

Chicago—Farm bred students make up sixty-five per cent of the total enrollment of the five state teachers' colleges in Missouri. In Louisiana state normal school, thirty-six per cent of the students are farm raised and in Michigan state normal schools thirty-four per cent.

In industrial Pennsylvania nineteen per cent of the normal enrollment are farmers' children. Of 197 students receiving master's degrees in the department of education at the University of Chicago during 1924-27, forty-two per cent were of farm parentage.

SCHOOL HEAD SUGGESTS UNIFORMS FOR TEACHERS

Murphysboro public school teachers have been officially told to dress modestly or they may have to wear uniforms. The ultimatum was delivered by Henry Rowe, superintendent of public instruction.

WE LIVE IN DEEDS

We live in deeds, not years, in thoughts, not breaths, in feelings, not in figures on a dial. We should count time by heart throbs; he most lives who thinks most, feels the noblest, acts the best.—P. C. Bailey.

—Mr. and Mrs. Homer Richardson of Mattoon visited with relatives in this city, Sunday.

CUSHMAN.

Mr. and Mrs. Burr Wood were Decatur visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Foster and Mrs. Margaret Foster spent Saturday in Sullivan with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Foster and son.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Wood entertained several guests to a weiner roast Saturday evening. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Lafe Dixon and family of Arthur, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cook, Mrs. Charles Potter, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Murphy and family, Ernest Martin and family, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Outhouse and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Cummings and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Foster, Mr. and Mrs. John Bathe and family, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Valentine and son and Miss Mittie Blair.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Campbell and daughter called on Mr. and Mrs. John Bathe and family Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Foster entertained several guests to dinner Sunday those present being Mr. and Mrs. Harry Foster and son Richard and Miss Hortense Myers and Oscar Sheeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Cummings spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Filson south of Sullivan.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Wood spent Sunday in Decatur with Mr. and Mrs. Mel Fultz.

Mrs. W. E. Campbell of Sullivan spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. John Bathe.

Mrs. Fred Foster spent Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Vernon Campbell.

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PUBLICATION NOTICE

State of Illinois) Moultrie County) County Court of Moultrie County to the August Term A. D. 1927.

The Department of Public Works and Buildings for the use of the People of the State of Illinois.

George H. Ennis, a minor, Frank L. Evans, Margaret H. Ennis, and Shirley T. High, guardians for George H. Ennis, and Arthur Adams, Tenant.

PETITION FOR CONDEMNATION

Affidavit of the non-residence of George H. Ennis, a minor, whose residence is Middlesex College, Massachusetts, the defendant above named having been filed in the office of the Clerk of the said County court of Moultrie County, notice is hereby given to the said non-resident defendant that the complainant filed its petition, or bill of complaint, in the said court on the 23rd day of September A. D. 1927, and that a summons thereon issued out of said court against said defendant, returnable on the 7th day of November A. D. 1927, as is required by law.

Now, therefore, unless you, the said above named defendant shall personally be and appear before the said court at the court house in the City of Sullivan, County of Moultrie and State of Illinois, on the 7th day of November A. D. 1927, and plead, answer or demur to the same complainant's petition or bill of complaint, the same in the matters and things therein charged and stated will be taken as confessed and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said petition or bill of complaint.

J. B. MARTIN (Seal) County Clerk.

R. B. FOSTER (Seal) Complainant's Solicitor.

Dated the 23rd day of September, A. D. 1927.

"It is said that paper can be used effectively in keeping a person warm. 'Yes, I remember a thirty-day note once kept me in a sweat for a month.'"—Christian Evangelist.

"When I started in life," said the successful man pompously, "I resolved that my motto should be 'Get thee behind me, Satan.'"

"Excellent," murmured a listener. "There's nothing like starting with a good backing."—Montreal Daily Star.

Absent-minded Professor—"Who was that woman I saw you with last night?"

Gentleman—"That was no woman, that was my wife."

A. M. P.—"Does she neck?"—Brown Jug.

THE DOOR—THE DOOR Graduate—"Have you an opening or a college trained man?" Manager—"Yes, it's right behind you, and would you mind closing it as you go out?"