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Sullivan Expects Thousands Friday For Farmers Picnic

All of 19th Congressional District Farmers Combine for a Day's Outing in Wyman Park. Good Speakers and Entertainment.

Friday of next week will be the Bill" Settle of Indiana discuss for services: their instruction what is generally referred to as "The Farm Prob-

The Moultrie County committee gaged in formulating a good wellbalanced program.

Wyman Park and Freeland Grove where the picnic will be held have never been in more beautiful condition. There is plenty of shade and water and all of the other conveniences necessary to make of it an ideal picnic

'Traffic regulations have been devised which assure that there will be no tie-ups or other disagreeable features connected with coming and leaving the picnic

The Sullivan Community Club is co-operating with the farmers in every way possible to make of this picnic an affair that will leave pleasant memories for many days

Preparations are being made to entertain the biggest crowd that Sullivan has ever had and that is going some, for Sullivan is famous now for its big 4th of

July gatherings. The program for this picnic which will be August 10th (Friday of next week) is as follows: Club; a selection of pro- near Monticello.

ducing Jersey cows from the Moultrie County Jersey Improvement Association. This work will be charge of C. S. Rhode of the U. of I. Dairy Extension Department.

10:00-Horse Shoe Pitching contest in charge of E. A. Mc-Kenzie. 1st prize \$7.50; 2nd, \$2.50. \$5.00 and third

11:00-4-H club program in Freeties in the district. This program is in charge of Miss Bonnell Fullmer, Home Adviser of Macon county.

11:00-Concert, Sullivan Community band, in Wyman Park.

11:00—Demonstrations by 4-H judging team from the Dairy Caif club of Moultrie county.

11:00-Milk Maid contest, in charge of Harry Neville, ag instructor STHS. 1st job. Prize \$5; 2nd, \$2.50 and

third \$1. 12:00-Picnic Dinner.

-Band concert, Sullivan Community band. 1:30-Moultrie County Male

2:00-Address, "The Farm Problem" by "Fighting Bill" Settle, president of the eration.

Address, "The Farmer has a voice in Affairs" by Congressman Charles Adkins of the 19th Congressinoal District.

3:00-Baseball game. DeWitt vs. the Champaign county

in charge. 3:30-Water Carnival. Boy Scouts swimming and life saving events. Open competition in swimming and diving events. \$50 in prizes will be distributed. Competent director will be in charge.

HAVE A DAUGHTER A daughter was born to Mr. Turner is the Moultrie county farm adviser.

-Misses Ruth Baughman and Genna Redman of Mattoon who spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Cint Coy returned home. on

MRS. J. G. SPENCER DIED SATURDAY AT HOME IN WINDSOR

Mrs. J. G. Spencer passed away early Saturday morning at the held in Decatur Saturday night family home north of Windsor, was a great boost for the hopes after a long illness. Funeral ser- of Illinois Democracy. vices were held at Windsor Christian church Monday afternoon, to help the party organizations in with Rev. R. A. Illk officiating the counties represented to orbig day for the farmers of the and Rev. William Icenogle assist- ganize for a strenuous battle on counties that comprise the 19th ing. Miss Katherine Garvin, Mrs. November 6th to clean out the Illinois Congressional district for W. H. Gaddis, George E. Duns-present regime at the state house they will meet at Sullivan to have comb, and T. C. Wallace, Sr., and elect Judge Floyd Thompson a big picnic, visit and get ac- were the singers with Mrs. C. E. governor. quainted with each other, see and Hill as accompanist. Burial was participate in the prize contests in Windsor cemetery. The fol-and games and hear "Fighting lowing obituary was read at the

and Phebe McKee was born in the evening, although State Chaircommittee has been busily en- union were born three sons and wanee also spoke. Sen. Court- boosting this affair. one daughter: Omer, Roy, Ever- ney is the democratic candidate ett and Mrs. Florence Davis, all for attorney general in opposition lived near Windsor for 26 years incumbent who seeks re-election. Chicago residents to respond with and poked the gun in his right and after a long illness departed Mr. Waller is the democratic canthis life at 4:30 o'clock Saturday didate for lieutenant governor. morning July 28, 1928. She had been a faithful wife, a kind lov- county were Steven Grant and ing mother, and ever ready to son and Prof. Albert Walker of lend a helping hand to the needy. Lowe township, Mrs. Nettie L. PIERSON YOUNG LADY She leaves to mourn their loss a Roughton, Mrs. Lena Forrest, husband, four children, 17 grand- Mrs. Hattie Foster, Miss Fannie children; also one brother, John Purvis, Mr. and Mrs. Omer Lowe, McKee of Edinburg, Ind., and one Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hawkins, Mr. sister, Mrs. Mary Royse of Jack- and Mrs. Clarence Miller, Mr. and sonville, Ul., with many more distant relatives and friends."

S. T. H. S. CLUB WILL MEET IN URBANA AUG. 7

The Sullivan Township Household Science club will meet with all of Sullivan. Mrs. Hattie Pifer at her home in Urbana Tuesday, August 7th. Those who expect to make the trip are requested to meet on the northside of the square at 7:00

A potluck dinner will be partaken of at the noon hour. On 10:00—Jersey Exhibit by Moul- the return trip it is planned to trie County Jersey Calf stop at the duck and fox farm

HAS INJURED FOOT

States Attorney R. B. Foster flamed and the inflamation started plied. medical attention.

DEDMANS ARE BACK

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Dedman returned Tuesday evening from a five-weeks trip through Michigan, Wisconsin and Minnesota. They stopped off in Chicago on the return trip and brought with them their nieces Catherine and Henrietta Dedman who are now visiting

Mr. Dedman has re-opened his harness shop and is back on the

INHERITANCE TAX

In the county court J. R. Drake of Lovington has been named as appraiser to fix the amount of inheritance tax due the state from grow rank during the summer Indiana Farm Bureau fed- guardian ad litem for minor and the opening of the fall term of ery for several years. ncompetent heirs.

> Mr. Howell was rated as one of the richest men in this county.

BACK FROM WASHINGTON

The Brandenburger family returned from its eastern trip Sun-County farm bureau team day night. They were gone ten days of which time two and a team. A. J. Scott will be half days were spent in Washington, D. C. The trip east was made over the old National Trials highway and the return over the agency for Chrysler's new De So- pointed for a six year term in Southern route, known as the Lee Highway. A more detailed relater issue.

AT FREELAND GROVE

Dates booked for Freeland Grove for the month of August are as follows: Crowder reunion and Mrs. C. C. Turner Sunday the 5th; Decatur District Methonight. This is the second daugh- dist meeting the 6th; Battalion ter and fifth child, there being reunion the 8th; District farm buthree sons. The new daughter reau meeting the 10th; Roney has been named Dolores. Mr. family reunion the 12th; Chautauo'clock. Everybody invited. qua 17-18-19-20-21. There will be dances on the nights of Aug. 8th. 16th. 23rd. and 30th. .

LEGION AUXILIARY

The American Legion Augiliary will meet tonight (Friday) at 7:00 p. m. with Mrs. O. L. Todd. inadvertantly omitted.

MOULTRIE COUNTY WELL REPRESENTED AT DEMOCRAT MEETING

The district democratic meeting

The object of the meeting was

Judge Thompson, who but retime to his gubernatorial cam-"Caroline, daughter of Ephriam paign was the main speaker of

> Mrs. Cadell West, Mayor C. R. Patterson, States Attorney R. B. Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. John Tray-used. lor and mother, Mrs. Blanche Farlow and Mrs. Rachel Schoonover,

All those attending were imfor victory, which predominated student in the Illinois State nor every utterance Judge Thompson has made in this campaign.

them that if elected, state officials schools of Piatt county. will no longer be permitted to but at the very outset of the cam- school and at present is a mer- tendance. paign has hurled his charges of chant in Bruce. has been laid up most of this week with an infected right foot. If the couple left for Chicago and shoe rubbed the top part of the the campaign progresses he will will be at home to their friends seemed but a minor affair and money has been stolen, giving Bruce where the groom has the little attention was paid to it un- dates, amounts taken, by whom house already furnished. til the foot became very much in- taken and to what purpose ap-

land Grove. Music and up the limb. It was found that The present district meetings stunts will be furnished an infection has set in and since by at least six of the counties in the library has been given the six of the counties in the library has been given that will be waged unties in the library has been given that will be waged unties in the library has been given that will be waged unties in the library has been given that will be waged unties in the library has been given that will be waged unties in the library has been given that will be waged unties in the library has been given that will be waged unties in the library has been given the library has been given that will be waged unties in the library has been given the library has bee the ticket.

NORTH SIDE SCHOOL **GROUNDS BEAUTY SPOT**

Those responsible for the beautification of the Powers or North Side school grounds are deserving of hearty commendation.

The shrubbery planted on the grounds is making good growth and an excellent stand of grass

is being kept mowed. In past years the weeds on the gomery after October.—Mont-school grounds were permitted to gomery, Ala., Advertiser. school.

of its very best expenditures if it is paying for the work of keeping these grounds in the condition they are now in.

IRELAND HAS AGENCY

to line and will open a salesroom the Chrysler line and will not office of county clerk. compete with any established serviced by Chrysler dealers.

The Christian Endeavor of Smysor church will give an ice cream supper at the Smysor

ICE CREAM AT SMYSOR

ALSO BEN BLACKWELL In naming the list of Civil War veterans who reside in this community in last week's Progress, the name of Ben Blackwell was

MOULTRIE FOLKS IN CHICAGO PLANNING PICNIC OF THEIR OWN

There are numerous former Sullivan residents now living in Chicago and its suburbs. Many of these are Progress subscribers.

An appeal has come to The Progress to ask these subscribers to assist in organizing the Sulliresidents so that they can have o'clock within a half block of his an annual picnic and get-together home in that city.

What is wanted is all the pos-Moultrie residents in Chicago so nearing home he saw a car being St. Louis Choral and Pageant Sothat they can be notified as to driven west past his residence and ciety of St. Louis last fall. held and to assist in the details the car stopped and a man got of arranging same.

If such lists, or even individual west to Hamilton street. Brown county, Indiana, June 11, man Thomas Donovan of Joliet names and addresses, are sent to 1864. She was married to J. G. and State Senator Courtney of The Progress office we will for- entry, who was carrying somein co-operation with the district Spencer Oct. 7, 1884. To this Chicago and Peter Waller of Ke- ward them to the parties who are thing in either hand. He told

ing to extend its co-operation in up, what for"? In the meantime living near Windsor, Ill. She had to Oscar Carlstrom, the present this matter, but it is up to the the man had gotten around him the necessary information so a ribs from the rear and cursing Training school and graduated goner of Walla, Walla, Wash. big enough crowd can be gotten demanded that Mr. Coventry com-

PIERSON YOUNG LADY WERE MARRIED SATURDAY

Miss Olive Margaret Buxton and Percy Byron Ledbetter both followed, but to an unsuccessful Saturday morning and were married at eleven o'clock by the Foster, Mrs. Genevieve Lowe, Methodist pastor at the parsonage Miss Ida Collins, Mrs. Mary the single ring ceremony being

The bride is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. day. The robber wore no mask Miss Clara visited in Macomb read and greatly enjoyed as also Buxton of Pierson. She is a and Mr. Coventry is certain that graduate of the Atwood Town- he can identify him if brought pressed with the spirit of fighting ship High School, and has been a face to face. mal university and has spent one year in the Eastern Illinois State Judge Thompson is promising Teachers College. The past year relief for the farmers, by assuring she was a teacher in the public

While playing golf recently his He has further promised that as other points of interest. They Dalton City. foot. The resulting irritation cite specific instances where state on and after August 12th at Bethany.

STEVENS-TAYLOR MARRIAGE Gays. QUIETLY SOLEMNIZED

The marriage of Miss Faye Wiltil the polls close on the night of son Stevens to Donald Lee Tay-November 6th. Judge Thompson lor was solemnized at the home plans to speak to the voters in of the bride's mother on South Bethany. every county of the state and will Decatur street which was effecbe assisted by other candidates on tively decorated with shasta daisies and ferns.

Appropriate music was render ed by Mrs. Frank H. Perry, who BATTALION REUNION played the wedding march from Lohengrin for the entrance of the bridal party.

traveling suit with accessories to next Wednesday. Many are exmatch.

Following the ceremony the young couple left for a trin to

The groom is a son of Mr. and the estate of the late Willis time and it became necessary to Mrs. Lee Taylor of this city and Howell. The widow, Mrs. Emma hew them down some time during was familiarly known to his Howell is executor of the will and the month of August in order to friends here as "Stubby". He R. B. Foster has been named find the school house in time for has been employed in Montgom-

The school board is making one COUNTY SUPT. HIGHWAYS

T. C. Fleming, county superintendent of Highways has tender- and Mrs. Leslie Sharp and famed his resignation to J. L. Mayes, chairman of the county board of other place of interest that they FOR CHRYSLER DE SOTOS supervisors and the board will visited was Starved Rock, where meet in special meeting Saturday they ate their noon day lunch. J. H. Ireland, a former resident of this week to pass on the matof this city has taken the Decatur ter. Mr. Fleming had been ap-November 1926, shortly followin that city August 4th. This ing the election at which he was port of the trip will appear in a new line of cars is distinct from an unsuccessful candidate for the

a statement relative to his action cost. or his plans for the future.

MILTON C. FOSTER Milton C. Foster, formerly of

Decatur and Lovington, died in school house this evening (Fri- Chicago Thursday morning. The day) Aug. 3rd beginning at 7:00 body was brought to Lovington for funeral services and burial Thursday afternoon. Rev. Harry Cochran was in charge. Mr. Fos-ter was the only brother of Mrs. Elizabeth Dawson of Lovington.

were visitors in Olney Tuesday.

Armed Robber Took J. Coventry's Roll Tuesday Night

Restaurant Man Relieved of His Cash When Within Half Block of Home. Crook Makes Successful Get-away.

Jesse Coventry was robbed of

out. The car then proceeded

The man approached Mr. Covhim to "put 'em up". Mr. Cov-The Progress is more than will- entry responded with "put them Those attending from Moultrie together for a successful picnic. ply with his orders. He did so. The man reached into his pocket took it. He made no further search but ran over toward Hamilton street.

cials and several clews have been conclusion.

It is presumed that the man had spent some time in the restaurant in the afternoon and had doubtless watched from a parked cashed out and closed up for the

COUNTY SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION HAD BUT

The County Sunday School con-The groom is the youngest son vention held Wednesday in the ly of heart failure several days steal millions of state funds and of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Ledbet- Presbyterian church in this city convert them to their own use. ter of Pierson. He is a graduate had an excellent program but a after the visitors arrived. He does not do any pussy-footing of the Sullivan Township High rather disappointingly small at-

Officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: President-Mrs. Edith Mayes,

Vice-Pres .- Mrs. Cora Hudson, Sec.-Treas.—Mrs. Dora

Bruler, Bethany. Budget officer-John Ellington, Children's Supt .- Miss Mattox,

ys. Y. P. Supt.—Miss Edson, Gays. Adult Supt. Mrs. Ordea Ekiss.

Leadership Training and Vacation and Week-Day-Rev. C. E. Barnett, Sullivan.

HERE NEXT WEDNESDAY

The 28th annual reunion of Moultrie County Battalion G. A. The bride wore a navy blue R. will be held in Freeland Grove pected to attend from Decatur and surrounding cities.

The public can secure dinner Atlanta and North Carolina. They tickets at 50c and all are invited will make their home in Mont- to attend for the program at the

BACK FROM WISCONSIN Mr. and Mrs. Lark Collins and daughter Udine and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Collins returned home Tuesday afternoon from visiting Mrs. Lark Collins' folks and

friends at Tigerton, Wisconsin.

They left Tigerton Monday; T. C. FLEMING RESIGNS visited Zion City, Ill.; stopped at Sycamore that evening where as a candidate of the camp. they stayed all night with Mr. ily, formerly of this city. An-

THE TUNNEY-HEENY FIGHT The recent great fight between Tunney and Heeney will be shown on the screen at the Grand Theatre Aug. 16 and 17. Everybody in this vicinity will have an op-Mr. Fleming is absent from the portunity to see this greatest Chrysler model nor be handled or city and could not be reached for prize fight film at a very small

WANTS DIVORCE

who lives in this city.

-Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lavin home after spending last week a 37 and 38, or a total of 75 for -Mr. and Mrs. John F. Miller visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Clark 18 holes, which comes near to be-Read and family.

SPECIAL MUSICAL FEATURES AT GRAND THEATRE WEDNESDAY

Wednesday night, Aug. 8 Mary Browne Beckemeyer of Hillsboro, a pupil of Schuman Heink will sing at the Grand theatre.

The feature song will be When you and I were young Maggie" dedicated to the oldest van or Moultrie county Chicago \$77. 65 Tuesday night about 9:30 couple present. All persons over 65 will be admitted free.

Mrs. Beckemeyer was the only Before starting home he had singer outside of New York, Chi- anniversary of the coming of the closed his restaurant and placed cago and St. Louis selected to Waggoners to Moultrie county sible names and address of the the money in his pockets. When sing in the Pageant given by the from North Carolina.

boro will render some special instrumental music.

ART PALMER NOW A LICENSED UNDERTAKER

Art Palmer on Monday received his state license to practice un- family seated at the table were dertaking and embalming. He Mrs. Elizabeth Waggoner of Sulspent the winter months in Chi-livan, 93, John Garland Waggoncago attending the Worsham er 84, and William Edward Wagfrom that institution June 28th. 83. He took the examination before the State Board June 29th and ed of music and readings by a where the roll of money was and 30th and passed same with number of the relatives and a grades that entitled him to his li-splendid history of the Waggoncense. He is in the employ of er family by Clem Boling of Chi-W. R. Robinson, having served cago, an address by Prof. H. D. Mr. Coventry notified the offi- his apprenticeship with the Rob- Sparks of Shelbyville. firm before attending inson

RELATIVE ROBINSONS VISITED DIED SUDDENLY Waggoner of California

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Robinson car outside while Mr. Coventry, and daughter Clara returned Sunday night from a vacation trip. Phillips of Jacksonville, Ill., was while Mr. and Ers. Robinson were accompanied from there to Rising City Nebraska by Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Pace. At Rising City they visited Mrs. Pace's brother, SMALL ATTENDANCE James Jennings. Mr. Jennings who was 76 years of age greatly enjoyed the visit, but it had a ly of heart failure several days

MISS GILMER ENTERTAINED SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS

The Busy Bees Class of the Mt. Zion church east of this city, was entertained on Thursday afternoon of last week at the home of their teacher, Miss Margaret Gil-

The diversion of the afternoon which refreshments of ice cream citizen respect an authority that and cookies were served.

The members present Noel, John and Robert Odle, Or-Opal and Joseph Crane, Joyce Blackburn, Joseph Kreis, Marie and Louise Butler, Harold and Joe England and Robert Duncan.

CAMP FIRE GIRLS HIKED TO ASHWORTH FARM

On Friday July 27th the Wastedeka Camp Fire Girls met at the home of Beatrice Hill at 6 a. m. to take an all-day hike.

The girls grouped in 4 ranks out to Miss Ashworth's farm, 6 miles west of Sullivan.

They enjoyed the famous overstream.

The girls took their lunch and trees in the open. They had a short business meet-

ing following their lunch. Marie Alumbaugh was elected second vice president. Miss Elmina Scheer was a guest and accepted Miss Ashworth invited the girls

into her home and they enjoyed the antique furniture. All of the girls were present except Evelyn Dunscomb who was They returned home about

4 o'clock, tried, and footsore, but A HOLE IN ONE

John Eads, Arthur banker Sun- think? day joined the hole-in-one club of the local country club when his drive off the 4th tee rolled into the hole or cup on the 4th green. Mr. Eads is the fourth member Williard Buxton has filed suit of the hole-in-one club. Judge for divorce from his wife May B. Sentel started it, followed by O. Buyton, nee Dolan to whom he F. Cochran and Donald Butler. was married Nov. 8, 1908, and None of the four men has been also New Orleans, La., and Hawho deserted him in 1924. The able to repeat, all modestly dis- vana, Cuba at about 50 per cent couple has one son, Charles, 19, claiming any intention of doing of the regular fares, selling on so and thus embarrassing players August 4th, August 25th and Sepwho show less skill.

J. J. Gauger "went wild" Sunof St. Louis returned to their day and turned in a card showing ing a record for the course.

Hundreds Attended Waggoner Centennial Reunion Here Sun.

Descendants of Pioneers Gathered in Freeland Grove to Celebrate Family's 100th Anniversary in Moultrie County.

A crowd estimated at about five hundred relatives and friends gathered at Freeland Grove Sunday to celebrate one hundredth

After several songs and prayer Rev. John Garland Waggoner of Mrs. E. B. Strange of Hills- Canton, Ill., delivered a sermon on "The Kingdom", in a very impressive manner, which was greatly appreciated by all pres-

> A very sumptuous dinner was served on the lawn, at the noon hour, the oldest members of the

The afternoon program consist-Other items of interest were

relatives read by Miss Mary Daugherty of this city, Beverly Harry Wright of Chicago. A poem entitled "The Waggon-

letters of greetings from absent

er Band" composed of Miss Bea Continued on page 5

Forum

'Sullivan Progress: "Well, I've made somebody sore by my City Improvement Campaign letter, and I'm mighty sorry. I don't blame them for being sore, either, for it was a blunt and tactless letter, but it wasn't written with the intention of making anybody sore. I was merely trying to show the inconsistency of reminding citizens of their duty to cut their weeds and clean up their premises until the city sets the example. From the city we get our closest conception were games and music after of law and order. How can a mere

does not respect that authority in the conduct of its own affairs "My former letter sounded as School Officers—Ira Leitch of wen Buser, Eddy Martin, Warren if I placed all the blame on the Gene Hall, Charles and Billy Nash workmen, and that is neither true nor fair. I don't want to see anybody lose his job. But I believe city streets and lots could be kept in better order with the equipment we have in men, tools, and money, with just a little more system and cooperation, and a little more respect for the Boss. Almost any man will do his best for a boss he respects, and when his Boss is the City, it ought to be in-

a position to command respect. with Eileen Myers as leader, hiked to remonstrate with two widows "An officer was recently sent in our neighborhood because they had placed some brush on a city flowing well, the hills, and flowing have continuously used that same lot .. Yet the Telephone Company lot for a dump heap over a perienjoyed it very much under the enjoyed it very much under the Probably they have had similar remonstrances, but if so they have not respected them. Now in all fairness, it seems to me we should either make that remonstrance effective or invite the public to join them.

"Maybe this will make somebody else sore, but I hope not. I am well aware that those who serve the public get many an undeserved cussin' and criticism, but that is one of the rewards of being a public servant. It is still an honor to serve. And I still think that the city should set an example of cleanliness and order for its citizens. What do you

"Jessie Tichenor." C & E I EXCURSIONS

The Chicago & Eastern Illinois Railway announces low fare excursions from its stations to destinations in Florida, Gulf Coast Resorts in Mississippi, Alabama, tember 15th, with liberal return limits and stopover privileges.

-Mrs. Rose Bolin spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Misenheimer of Mattoon.

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EDITORIAL

BIG CROPS—THE SURPLUS MENACE

Crop prospects are good. Why should the farmer continue to kick?

This is the present attitude taken by many people toward the so-called farm problem.

There will be big crops of corn, of oats and other of the staple crops. Mother Nature seems inclined to treat the tional sons of the soil liberally this year.

But the matter of production is not the farm problem, by any means. The farm problem is to DISPOSE OF WHAT THE FARMER PRODUCES AT A PROFIT.

Is other industry so situated that it can do this?

There is a radical difference between farm production and the production of the factories and mines.

Owing to the uncertainty of farm crop production, the farmer plans for utmost production. He never realizes a full crop. When the factories and mines have produced nize things as they are. what they consider a sufficiency, they slow down or cease operation entirely for a time. They do not over-produce and then cut prices to get rid of the surplus. They control Queen Wilhelmina, of Holland, their output and stabilize prices.

The protective tariff shuts out competition from abroad. It reserves to American manufacturers the home preachers call "a carnival of the market at a price to consumer which is assured of yielding flesh." them a profit.

Do American manufacturers never accumulate a surplus? Yes they do, occasionally. They do not permit this surplus to flood the market in ruinous competition and price-cutting.

How do they dispose of it?

American industry besides being well protected by provocation, believing that the good Lord wants people to enjoy tariff privilege is also well organized.

It disposes of its surplus, when any accumulates, by shipping it out of this country to foreign lands and selling it there for whatever can be gotten for it. It is a known reach almost everywhere. One club that electrify the atmosphere fact that American manufactured goods can be bought Sunday morning two dangerous There are many "live ones" abroad for less money, in many cases, than that same goods Sing Sing Prison. can be bought for in this country in the city where it is manufactured. So you see the manufacturer knows how to dispose of his surplus.

How about the farmer and any surplus he may produce?

This gets us back to the beginning of this article and the mistaken idea that big crops mean prosperity for the

Big crops for several years in succession means that the American farmer is growing more than this country can consume. The surplus fills bins and storage houses. Speculators, dealing in farmers' products, base prices, not on cost of production, but on supply and demand. A surplus of millions of bushels of wheat or corn still available from one year's crop when the following year's harvest time comes, means that prices go down, below the cost of production and instead of making money on a big crop the farmer loses.

If, for instance, it costs the farmer 40c to produce a bushel of corn and he sells that corn at 35c a bushel, it stands to reason that the more bushels he has produced, the bigger his loss will be.

These are parts of the farmers' problems that city people cannot understand. They think it is absolutely all right for the law of supply and demand to operate for the farmer and thus keep down the price of foodstuffs for the city man, but this same city man insists on fixing the price not only of what the farmer has to sell but also on what the farmer has to buy.

We can easily see that the farmers cannot limit production as can the manufacturer, for weather conditions enter into the problem here. We also know that the farmer is not organized as is the manufacturer.

As a result we find that the big crops the farmer raises do not presage prosperity. They do pile up a surplus and this surplus constitutes the menace to the prosperity and happiness of agriculture.

It was to dispose of this surplus that the McNary-Haugen legislative program was formulated. It was so planned that the farmers themselves would bear the bur-

den of disposing of the surplus through the assessment of an equalization fee. It was designed to regulate agriculture in such manner that the producer would always reture in such manner that the producer would always re-ceive his cost of production, plus a reasonable profit. That the Progress attracted much at-quantity more of these pictures cal or reminiscent sketches which legislation President Coolidge vetoed. He did not regard it tention and comment. Several in our morgue and expect to print are submitted from week to week. as a solution of agriculture's problem.

these years. It leaves the farmers in the perilous position of being always at the mercy of an accumulated stock of foodstuffs, keeping down the price of what they produce, often to a ruinous level.

Diversified farming is helping the situation some. The time is coming however when farmers will produce too much dairy products, too much poultry products and too much along other so-called diversified lines and a surplus will pile up in cold storage that will knock these prices down to below cost of production.

What is the remedy if any remedy is needed? Can farming as an industry continue to exist as a prosperous part of our national activities under existing conditions?

The panaceas so far advocated by the administration of the past eight years seem to revolve around one idea, promulgated and advanced by eastern capitalists-make it easier for the farmer to borrow money to finance his operations. Will that solve the problem? It might if borrowing the money were all that the transaction involved. When you get your feet down on the hard ground and look at this theoretical solution of a serious problem it not only looks comic, but it looks tragic. Borrowed money means notes backed by mortgages. It means payments and eventually it means foreclosure, unless farming conditions undergo a radical change and the farmers can see a profit in the sales of what they produce.

The future of farming is a great uncertainty.

Brisbane

A VANISHED BUGABOO SOME REAL CALVINISTS JAILERS AND CRIMINALS THE TALKING MOVIES

Dread of big business fades. Raskob, financial head of the four billion dollar General Motors Company, is Democratic Na-Chairman. Owen Young, chairman of the Board of the General Electric Company, one of the biggest corporations in America, is asked to run for Governor by Democratis in New

William Jennings Bryan, where he dwells in bliss, doubtless shudders at all this. But these are practical days; big business is fifty per cent greater than 1870. practical, and it is well to recog-

Some Calvinists, it seems, are still calvinists like old John will not attend the Olympic games Calvinists in Holland are urged to stay away from what stern

Dutch Calvinists say the Olympic games turn men away from Gosta Moerner, but she gave that Golgotha to Greco-Roman pagan-

theory, which included the burn- Miss Jessica Brown, is now diing alive of Dr. Servetus on slight vorcing him. themselves occasionally.

man-killing gunmen escaped from night clubs.

accused of blackmailing motorists they wanted a receipt for it.

on the highway.

No wonder prisoners escape when the jailers by night are highway blackmailers by day. fine example to the prisoners, in "reforming" prison atmosphere.

Jeritza will talk and sing in a "talking movie." "These Talkies" make a good start with this artist. The singer will get \$10,000 a week or more. And while she rests the fiim will go on singing, millions hearing it. Wonderful invention, time and labor saving.

Dr. Ira S. Wile says the population is "growing older." It lives longer, the birth rate is lower. But old people, he says, are no longer proud of their age and little reverence is paid it. Today the number of those past fifty is

Age is nothing to be proud of since we grow old in spite of ourselves. But to be hard at work when you are old, and EFFI-CIENTLY at work, is something.

Young ladies that "don't seem to get any proposals" will marvel on hearing that our Peggy Joyce is about to be married again.

This will be her fifth husband

and her second nobleman. Once Miss Joyce was the Countess up. The Commoners had "Good money." Happy No. 5, if every-A majority of human beings thing goes smoothly, will be Lord have abandoned the John Calvin Northesk, whose wife, formerly

'How does she do it?" ladies ask. How did Helen of Troy do it, or Cleopatra?

Miss Joyce, it is said, has a cer-Crime organization seems to tain dash and swing in a night

The Ime morning two Sing I When some people pay a Sing Prison guards were arrested, compliment they act as though

WHICH ONE WILL GET YOUR VOTE ALFRED E. SMITH

PRESIDENTIAL POLL My CHOICE for PRESIDENT

HERBERT HOOVER ALFRED E. SMITH

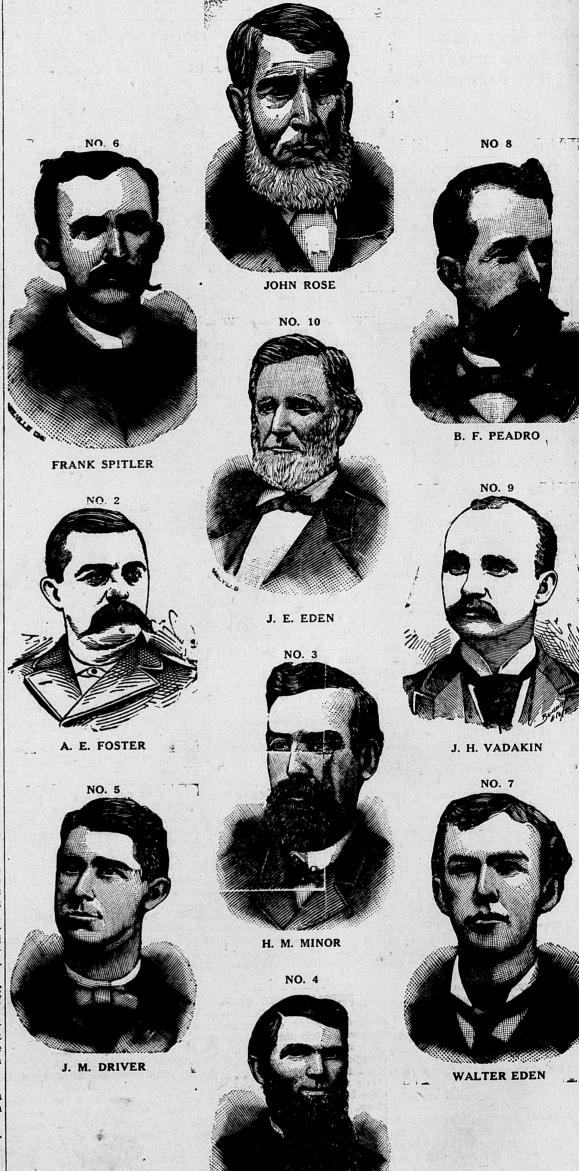
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What TICKET Did You Vote Last Presidential

travelers of his time.

The Solution of WHOZIT

very nicely diplayed answers No. 11 next week. Hereafter we were received, honorable mention will print the name the week fol-This leaves the matter just where it has been for all of for which goes to Judge Grider lowing the appearance of the pic- find this more interesting.



B. F. McMENNAMY

many years. He took pride

censed when the shade trees

From California

letters on the WHOZIT feature

The most interesting series of

-J. T. GRIDER.

the hand of ruthless time.

A personal acquaintance with; the ten persons whose pictures ent M. E. minister of Sullivan above inserted in the Progress are as follows: 1-John Rose, my grandfather

who prior to his death in 1887, John Merritt Driver, S. T. B. was voted at the old settlers re- LLD., Boston Mass." In appear-2-A. E. (Did) Foster, ex-

sheriff of county and living down on Jackson street and daily seen up town is a real estate man.

3-Judge H. M. Minor, former ly county judge of Moultrie county, later moving to Colorado where he was elected to state legislature. I visited him at his home in Rocky Ford.

4-Dr. B. F. McMennamy was a prominent doctor and prominent citizen of Bethany.

5-Frank Spitler, a prominent attorney of Sullivan and member of legislature a score of years He was author of a book entitled "Stories of New Egypt, a has been received at this office memento of Southern Illinois." has been received at this office from Walt Eden who lives in Los

6-Walter Eden, former attor- Angeles, California. Mr. Eden's ney and abstractor here, moving first letter was relative to Mr. to California where he was elect- Rose and was printed at time of ed to the state senate, has rela- receipt. Two of his guesses were tives here.

wrong, viz. No. 2 and No. 9. The rest of the letters make 7-Prof. B. F. Peadro, ex superintendent of schools in this very interesting reading and we county for several terms and one are sure that our WHOZIT fans of best known educators and will find them so. They are as follows:

Bethany.

8-Rev. J. M. Driver, promin- NO. 2 This was A. E. Foster. Mr. and later at the Peoples church in Eden's guess was Frank Craig. Chicago—a prominent lecturer NO. 3

"June 4th, 1928. and registering at hotels as "Dr "The enclosed is a picture of Dr. B. F. McMennamy, union at Mt. Pulaski, oldest in the ance he was very prepossessing prominent resident of Bethany. "I knew him well, but as he and wore his collar buttoned bedid not live at Sullivan, I did not see so much of him, or know him

inent doctor and druggist of as well as I did the two former persons whose pictures you have shown. 10-Judge Joseph Eden builder "However, he frequently came

of Eden Hotel and landlord for to Sullivan and I always enjoyed meeting him. beauties of nature and was in-"It looks very much like Dr.

Pilkington, but it is Dr. McMencourt house yard went down with namy.

"Yours respectfully, "Walter Eden."

NO. 4

"June 12th, 1928

This is Judge Henry M. Minor,

formerly known by all his friends as Mote Minor. He was a veteran of the Civil War and was a long time County Judge of Moultrie County "My first recollection of him

was about 1880 as a practicing attorney residing at Lovington. My recollection is too, that like his colleague in the practice at Lovington, Judge Cochran, he also

(Continued on page 3)

NO. 8

Donald.

"All common school are State,

people of the whole State are con-

cerned in everything that affects

any one of them either for good

"The matter of public educa-

concerns all the people of the

state, and is therefore subject to

The primary and patriotic pur-

pose of the State Teachers As-

sociation is to get the State to as-

chool system, and to get the Leg-

islature to remove the great in-

equalities of school revenue and

school facilities that now exist

among our numerous districts.

Certainly a state institution ought

to render equal service to all it

LANDERS REUNION SEPT. 2

The seventh annual reunion of

the Landers relatives and friends

will be held at Wyman park, Sep-

tember 2, 1928. A cordial invi-

tation is extended to all of the

relatives and friends. Mrs. Ross

\$2.75 Excursion to

St. Louis and return Via

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Going Trip: Tickets good only

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a. m. (Stops on signal) dates

of sale.

Return Trip: Leaving St. Louis

Union Station 9:45 p. m. same

dates. Central Standard Time.

Municipal Opera presents the

"Countess Maritza" Aug. 5.

"The Love Song" Aug. 12.

See Lindbergh Trophies at

s established to serve.

Thomas, president.

the control of the Legislature."

THE SOLUTION OF WHOZIT

(Continued from page 2) preached. He was a Republican, and it is apparent that at that "Judge Minor left Moultrie that have passed.

"Judge Minor left Moultrie that have passed.

"Yours truly, County some 35 years ago and

settled at first in Denver. Of later years he lived at Rocky Ford Colorado.

"He married Zack Clore's widow of Lovington, and only a few notwithstanding I had a stroke years ago he and his wife visited about four years ago, from which with me here in California. One I have completely recovered; and iving here meets more people om "back home" than he would tured hip and laid on my back, in ving anywhere else. Every once in a while I meet some one I have not seen for thirty or forty years. fortune and since March 1, 1928. "Judge Minor was honored in I have been working as hard as I

Colorado in politics, as he was in ever did-I think it almost a mirthe Legislature. He lived until acle that I am as well as I am. a short time ago.

Yours truly "Walter Eden."

"June 19th, 1928. "Once more I have examined tendent of Schools of Moultrie

the Progress, being the issue of County. Frank was what was June 15th, 1928 and your picture supposed to be a "confirmed Old lodging. No. 5 of "Whozit", is one that I Bachelor," when the community imagine will be some what diffi- was surprised to learn of his apcult for many of the people to proaching nuptials with the name as he was not in Sullivan daughter of the prosperous Jona- customers would like to read what but a short time, probably one than Creek farmer, Frank Mc-

"It is John Merritt Driver, a Methodist Episcopal preacher. He long before his marriage, he made could make as fine a sermon as I a trip to Europe and upon his re most ever heard but he did not turn showed his appreciation of remain long at Sullivan.

'Yours truly, "Walter Eden."

"This picture (No. 6) is that many guesses as to who would be of Frank Spitler, who, at the time the happy bride; but there was no the picture was taken was a young bride for many years thereafter. Sullivan lawyer. He practiced law at Sullivan for many years. to us that in some way stand out The Spitler family was one, of in our minds as being very unthe best respected families in Sul- usual and about which, though livan. L. Spitler, the grocer, an they may be of small import, our uncle of the subject of this mind frequently recurs. Frank sketch, was one of the best men I Peadro once told such a thing ever knew and his son, Jeff, was and I often think of it yet. One a fine young man.

"All of the Spitlers were Re- pains in his shoulders, which he publicans, except Frank. He was thought was due to some sort of a very earnest Democrat. His rheumatism or neuritis, and wife was May McCaig, before she finally he consulted a doctor and ation. was married.

"I always thought a great deal just fallen out of place without of Frank Spitler, because of his any good reason at all. The dochigh character, even after the in- tor gave his arms a good pull and cident I am about to relate.

When McKinley was Presi- into place and lived forever happy dent there was a great demand after that. among the people to declare war on Spain, on account of the sink- lar pain in one of my shoulders ing of the Battle Ship Maine. Mc- and what Frank told me immedi-Kinley realizing our state of unpreparedness for war, was stalling consulted a doctor to know whethto gain time to make preparation. Some of the people of Sullivan but no such luck, it was neuritis called a public meeting at the and took many manipulations to Court House to express their rati- bring it back to normal. fication of the actions of the President. Mr. Spitler, an opponent of the Mckinley policy, attended the meeting. He was sitting in NO. 9 the back of the room, and when he had stood it all as long as he could stand it, he stood up in his NO. 10 place and heaped upon the head of our President, all of the vile epithets that a erudite gentleman No. 10, is that of my Uncle, Jo- on any clear day. could use. I was also present at seph Edgar Eden, I should say the meeting and I took exception very little about him. to his remarks and used some Frank. We were both very mad hotel known as the Eden House. and thus the sudden outburst, for we had always been the best of he was the proprietor of that hos- on top of those mountains. Immediately Frank telry. I cannot refrain, however, started toward me climbing over from mentioning his good wife, the seats, and not even going who assisted him in so many ways down the aisle. He was beside in the management of said hotel. himself with anger and I fully expected I would be compelled to when the lawyers and judges, fight. But fully one hundred men who used to attend court at Sulrushed about me and kept him livan, stopped at the Eden House.

"The next day I was engaged er Bunn, who used to attend in some business in the Recorder's court at every session and aloffice when Frank came in. I ways stopped at this hotel. He fully expected he would want to is the only man that I remember fight, but having cooled off, I who wore a swallow tail coat in was very much surprised when his daily business, the sort that we are coffe merchants. he came in, in his usual good, he used to wear doubtless when humor and said "Hello Walt", as he was a younger man. though nothing had ever occurred between us and I returned the salutation with the same friendly House, such as Anthony Thornfeeling, and we lived forever ton, S. W. Moulton, O. B. Fickhappy after that.

"Yours truly, "Walter Eden."

NO. 7

"July 2nd, 1928 "The enclosed picture No. 7, is that of your humble servant taken at the age of about 19 years, and about that time I was from New York. deputy circuit clerk and recorder.

"I was Deputy Circuit Clerk and Recorder from Dec. 1880 to December 1886, at which time I was County Treasurer for four as a boy more particularly and

At the end of my term as County Treasurer, I came to California, and while I had been out two winters previous, I brought my family here and lived here during

the winter and returned home the almost blind he would still make miniature grocery store, with a May following.

practiced law with my father, undertook to help him. As a re- diction and polite phraseology, the John R. Eden, for ten years and sult he often got skinned in a then moved to Springfield, Ill., trade. He was an expert with a lessons which will make Hays the before the lure of California caused me to leave Illinois for tilde Eden, was one of the best later years. good and I have lived in Cali- horse women I ever saw. She

fornia for nineteen years. "Notwithstanding I love my present place of residence, I still she would have been in this day mother-in-law? have a warm place in my heart of the automobile. I amagine Rusty—"Oh, he died for Sullivan and I always look she would have kept traffic cops tight-rope performance.

upon Sullivan as my home and albusy. But she would never have hurt any one, for she would have ways will. I take my home papers and read them every week with much interest.

last September I suffered a frac-

a hospital four months. I am

about recovered from the last mis-

This picture (No. 8) is that of

"Quite a long time ago and

Swiss Architecture by building a

very pretty Swiss Residence

building. It was a lovely little

place, and it aroused the curios-

ity of all of his friends and caused

"We all have some things told

time he had for several years

found that both shoulders had

his shoulder joints snapped back

"A few years ago I had a simi

ately occured to my mind and I

er my shoulder was dislocated,

"Respectfully,

"July 23rd, 1928.

Mr. Eden guessed this to be

"As a boy I can remember

held court at Sullivan

came to Illinois and as a little

boy as I was then, I understood

that they had but recently come

"Of course, there were other

great men of that time who

stopped there but these men I

lover and horse trader. When

could drive any team and usually

"Walter Eden."

B. F. Peadro, former Superin-

"Eden."

I realize that I cannot be figured among the contestants in "I am enclosing a picture of time he was very popular as he myself as I appear at the present this "Whozit" contest as I could was elected Judge when Moultrie time that you may notice the not get the past paper in time to county was strongly Democratic. change brought on by the years make a report in the time limited by you. But I have been very much interested in the pictures that you have shown and I could "Walter Eden."

not refrain from making some "P. S .- I note that my picture remarks about them as I enclosed is the first one where the subject is alive. I am very much alive, "Yours truly, "Walter Eden."

known how to drive.

FORMER LOCAL JEWEL SALESMAN WRITES FROM ROCKY FORD

Jewel Tea man W. H. Drennan who for a num-

ber of years visited this city regularly on his route with a Jewel Tea Co. wagon, moved to Rocky Ford, Colorauo

Rocky Ford, While making this
two months ago. city he used to stop every two weeks at the W. H. Sherburn home for two days' meals and

He has written Mr. and Mrs. Sherburn an interesting letter. Feeling that his other friends and he has to say, they have given the Progress the leter for publication. It is as follows: "Rocky Ford, Colo.

"July 22, 1928. 'Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Sherburn Dear Friends:

"I have neglected to write to you people since we came west, but I think of you often.

"We had a nice trip out here and the weather was fine and the roads were good only the last two days and we had mud enough to make us use chains for about 20 miles. After we left western Kansas and drove into Colorado the roads were good again.

"I have much better health here and all the family are feeling fine. I work as hard here as back east. The sun is hot during the day but the nights are cool, you have to sleep under cover every night, but I have never had a collar to wilt down from perspir-

"I have a lot of driving in my work out here, had a hub meter which showed 414 miles that I drive every two weeks. I am nome every night. We think nothing out here of driving 40 to 30 miles and deliver a days work.

"I sell in Rock Ford, Ja Junta, Ordway, Sugar City, Manajanula and Fowler, Colo.

"We live in what is known as the Arkansas Valley, the Arkansas river being 5 miles north of

The valley is all farmed by irrigation. Sugar beets and melons are the principal crops. Here we have sugar factories in most of these towns, also grow all kinds of garden truck and flowers by the field. Most of the flowers are

Silas Stocks. It was Dr. Vadakin. grown for seed. "We live 100 miles from Pikes Peak. We can step outside of "The enclosed picture, being the town and see the mountains

"We drove over to Bullah and seph Edgar Eden, I should say very little about him.

"We drove over to Bullah and Rye Colo., the 4th of July and and reveal the hidden things to us. In Daniel's prayer he does had dinner at Bullah. I took the had dinner at Bullah. I took the had dinner at Bullah and reveal the hidden things to us. In Daniel's prayer he does not plead his righteousness, but equally vile epithets in regard to that he was proprietor of the two girls and climbed up on top of one of those high "Every since I can remember peaks. Sure is wonderful to get

'We drove to Rye, Colo., and ate supper, then home. 200 miles in one day—a long drive for back east but people think nothing of it here. You can see so far that distance is deceiving. You can see it rain 25 to 50 miles away.

I do not have as much business here as in Illinois now, but hope I can remember especially Browto before long. People do not drink the coffee out here that they do back east and it makes it harder to have as large a volume here as back east especially when

"Will look for you to spend your vacation out west and will be disappointed if you fail to stop I can remember a few of the in Rocky Ford. men who stopped at the Eden

"Give all my old customers and friends our best wishes. They say you can go no where and not lin. Judge A. J. Gallagher, said see some one you know. I have to be one of the best judges who seen a lot of people from back in our county but as yet I have not "I can remember very well seen any one I ever saw before. when Howland J. Hamblin and Judge Ames of Shelbyville first

"Sincerely yours, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Drennan, "506 South 12 St."

KINDERGARTEN PUPILS LEARN TO USE TELEPHONE

An imaginative teacher of Hays Kansas, with the aid of the telewas elected County Treasurer and have mentioned, impressed me phone company, has worked out a plan whereby a tiny telephone for that reason I mention them system has been installed in the kindergarten for instructing pu-"Judge Eden, as he was gener- pils in the correct use of the inally known, was a great horse strument.

One telephone has been placed he was over eighty years old and in a doll house and another in a a horse trade and resented it if central office between. I lived then in Sullivan and any of his friends or relatives well-modulated voices, perfect children order groceries and learn horse and his wife, my Aunt Ma- Mecca of telephone operators in

> Dusty-"What happened to the went fast. I often wonder what circus performer who killed his

> > Rusty-"Oh, he died during a

Church Notes

FRIDAY, AUGUST 3, 1928

METHODIST CHURCH

C. D. Robertson, Pastor

Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Hugh Murray, superintendent. how quickly God works when we The attendance holds up well are in earnest and set our face to- mal University. He proves that through the summer, but would ward the Lord. Read from the the public school is a State instibe better if everyone who comes twenty fourth verse on through tution by quoting court decisions would come every Sunday. And the chapter. Set your face to- from several States, including Ilhow much better that would be for those who come, too.

Morning worship at 10:45 a. m union evening service will be covenant spoken of in the 27th held at the Christian church at verse, many will sign it. God does 7:30 p. m. Let every member of not will that any should, it is a this church make a point of at-tending these union services dur-doubt if once signed it can be ing the summer.

Prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m every Wednesday.

The church where there are no strangers welcomes everyone who Colorado some does not worship regularly elsewhere.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

C. E. Barnett, Pastor Sunday school at 9:30 a. The superintendent C. R. Hill will turn, have led in a splendid way, through the five Sundays in July but all will rejoice that Mr. Hill assumes leadership next Sunday. Attend Sunday school the first service of the Lord's day at 9:30 o'clock.

Immediately following this service, the morning worship will be held. All the elements of the church service work together to inspire happiness. Go to church Hinton. on Sundays and the month will be more pleasant in every way. The First Christian church invites you Mr. and Mrs. George Mathias to worship at 10:40 a. m.

During the month of August the Christian Endeavor Society will emphasize responsibility in its studies. "Personal Conviction versus Following the Crowd" will! be the subject Sunday evening at 6:45 o'clock.

Union church service will be held in the First Christian church at 7:30 p. m. Rev. Robertson will deliver the sermon. The church presents the noblest ideals of life and points the way to their realization.

Go to church Sunday.

THE GOSPEL MISSION 9:30 a. m. Sunday school in

6:45 p. m. Young People's ser-

vice in tent. 7:45 p. m. Preaching each evening in tent.

Dan. 9:3 "And I set my face unto the Lord God, to seek by prayer and supplication."

Daniel's heart, a desire that sur- disease in the state. passed all other desires, and that was to know and understand pro- four cases; scarlet fever, 110 phecies which he had read concerning the times of the Gentiles, 22 cases. (in which times we are living)] think God loves to reveal His word to the earnest seeker, and if there is that earnest desire in our hearts today as there was in our brother Daniel. I believe that God is just as ready to answer

the Lord's great mercies, and we ILLINOIS STATE must do that. At the beginning of Daniel's supplication God heard and started the angel Gabriel from heaven with the anfrom time Daniel had prayed verse four to nineteen. We see ward the Lord and seek to know, that which God wants to show you. And let God prepare and with sermon by the pastor. The fortify you against signing the broken.

COLES

Mrs. Doval Husapple and Fern Hulsapple of Wisconsin and Opal and our posterity.' Mathias of Allenville spent Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Anna of schools by school directors, Davis and daughter Fern.

the home of Mrs. Florence Buner fare of the citizens of the State Wednesday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Bud Davis and ment."

be in charge. The classes in daughter Fern spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Alva Edwards. Mrs. Amanda Davis has the typhoid fever.

Mr. and Mrs. Geary Armantrout and family spent Sunday with Russel Armantrout and famly of Charleston.

Mr. and Mrs. Job Johnson and family spent Sunday in Neoga. Cheever spent Sunday with Doris

Mr. and Mrs. Waverly Mathias and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Omer Messmore and Miss Fannie Hinton spent Sunday with Ebb Goddard. Doris Fleming and family

spent Sunday with relatives in Sullivan. Mr. and Mrs. John Calhoun and family spent Sunday with

George Crawlley and family Mr. and Mrs. John Brewster and Mrs. John Fleshner all of Mattoon spent Sunday with Mr.

and Mrs. Bud Davis and family. George Bouck and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Graham and family.

Quite a few from Coles attended church at Allenville Sunday

CONTAGIOUS DISEASES IN STATE STILL ON DECREASE

Springfield, Ill. July 31-Weeky report of Dr. Isaac D. Rawlings state director of public health, shows continued decrease in the There was a real desire in number of cases of contagious

Diphtheria numbers seventysmallpox 20, and typhoid fever,

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Dennis Landers

was the Katz pajamas.'

THESE MODERN JANES

A little tulle, a yard of silk;

A little skin as white as milk;

A little strap-how dare she

A little cough—"Good evening

Preachers make the best

husbands," claims one of them.

We claim wives make the best

End the drudgery of time-

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will work for you at a mini-

Come and see it, run it and

compare it with any other en-

mum cost in operation.

circumstances.

breathe?

husbands.

Bolin's Corner

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AUGUST 3, 1928

NO. 25

Published in the interest of the People of Sullivan and the Farms and Farmers of Moultrie County.

TENNIE BOLIN Editor.

EDITORIAL .

Carl Hill says if you want to make Sullivan look better to you than it ever did before, just take a long vacation trip this summer and see a lot of other towns.

The early settler we admire; Our heart with love he fills, For on the first of every month He promptly pays his bills.

To know WHAT to do is wisdom; to know HOW to do it is skill; to DO the thing as it

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There's just four 8 lb. balls left out of five tons of twine we handled this spring. 'NOTHING Better for Farm or "The trouble with the Amer-

gine you ever saw or owned. It is built for service and it will deliver the goods. S. T. BOLIN

Home." Phone No. 94 ican home" says the lady over the way "is too many babies SULLIVAN,

TEACHERS ASSOCIATION not local, institutions, and the

Is the public school a local or a State instituion? An authoritaor evil." swer, who reached earth by the tive answer to this question has just been made in a thesis writ ten and published by Professor H. tion is one of public interest that H. Schroeder, Illinois State Norlinois of course.

sume its full responsibility for Some of these decisions express good schools in all parts of its the Courts' ideas of the purposes greatest institution, the public of the public schools, as follows:

"Education is the cornerstone of the political fabric, especially where the fabric rests on the basis of popular suffrage."

"Education insures domestic tranquility, provides for the common defense, promotes the gener al welfare, and it secures the blessings of liberty to ourselves "The conduct and maintenance

school trustees and boards is for The 4-H sewing clug met at the protection, safety and welin the interests of good govern-

"A self-governing people must be enlightened in order to be capable of self-government, and the public school is the most potent means by which to prepare the people to solve the problems of government."

Since these are State-wide or general social purposes, Courts logically conclude that the Misses Marie Feller and Nora public school is a State institution as stated in the following quotations from decisions.

"Education belongs to the state and family spent Sunday with It is no part of the local self-government, inherent in the township or municipality, except so far as the Legislature may choose make it such."

"Under our system, every common school in the State, whether located in the city or in the country, is a State institution, protected, controlled and regulated by

O. F. Foster, Dentist X-RAY WORK -EXTRACTION of TEETH

PYORRHEA

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R. D. MEEKER SULLIVAN, ILLINOIS

tries to which Secretary Kellogg political movement—would come test in the circuit court room of Richard. submitted his proposed multi- into control if an election were the court house, Thursday of last lateral treaty for the renunciation held. Great Britain is keeping week. Five of the thirteen clubs Helen Smith, Mrs. O. F. Foster of war has signified its accept-ance. Czecho-Slovakia completed assassination of Gen. Obregon in with teams who competed in this the roll call, and there has not Mexico tends to implicate the ex- contest. been a dissenting vote.

Now the interest centers in the manner in which these fourteen countries will attach their signatures to the epoch-making pact. A week ago we hazarded the guess that there would be a conference at Washington for the purpose, but, with a fine consideration, Washington suggests the conference be held in Paris. This is a fitting recognition of the part that France ,thru M. Briand, played in projecting the idea of outlawry into the field of international diplomacy, and also an unof other signatories than the U. S. to whom, with the exception of Japan and the British dominions, Paris is more accessible than our own national capital.

Before many years are past such questions of distance will be of minor importance in this neighborhood world. The progress of aviation is rapidly bringing about the day when a week-end in Paris will be a perfectly possible thing for Americans who can afford it-if we allow, say, a Friday and a Tuesday to be included in the week end.

Were the assurance of security in trans-oceanic travel by plane somewhat greater than we have yet achieved, it would be a striking and a significant thing to send the American delegation to the proposed Paris outlawry conference by this means of transit. The development of flight has had much to do with creating the world situation and sentiment which make possible the adoption of the Kellogg treaty.

Now that the signing of the treaty by fifteen countries is assured there are indications that the groups in the United States which are chronically opposed to any sort of international agreement that makes war more difficult will attempt to arouse prejudice against it.

Obviously the effective way to block its consummation is to stir antagonism in the Senate, where a two-thirds vote will be required to ratify it. The old cry will be raised—it is already being heard -that this treaty will in some way entangle us with Europe. Secretary Kellogg declares it is no more entangling than any treaty or arbitration.

The word "entangling" is, of course, designed to arouse apprehension. It suggests an embarrassing and uncomfortable relationship from which all of us are eager to keep free. But we would point out to those who affect to hat we could do to avoid it. We may flatter our amputate it at the first joint. sense of independence by saying that we entered the war of our own free will. As a matter of fact we entered it because we could not keep out of it. And in for wheat, 92c for corn, 31c for a neighborhood world we will oats and 60c for barley.

is a situation in which the real old roosters 10c, ducks 12c and peaceful wishes and aims of the geese 8c. country are violently brushed aside, and it is forced into a course of action which it would sort of world we prefer, a world in which we can pursue our indeWilliam Mattox and Mrs. Wesley Patterson,
James Harsh and family, Gene pendence, within the limits which Laura Barton spent Sunday in the requirements of international this city with their father, M. A. order and equity set, immune of Mattox.

who believe in the principle which Gauger, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Conkunderlies the Kellogg treaty, and lin, Dr. and Mrs. S. W. Johnson, who have the faith and the cour- Mrs. Marie Lowe and Mrs. H. E. age to seek the making of a war, Hough and son Howard motored less world, to come strongly to Lithia Springs Tuesday night and enjoyed a picnic party. Mr. Hough is expected to arrive here take to assume that the success from Collinsville the latter part of this week. ful negotiations of the treats as of this week.

letic grounds—a neighborly act,
which will create goodwill for
America in the hearts of thousthe formula to sell Christmas trees ands of students thru years to for the A. J. Thomas Co. of Macome. Holland has extended to son City, Iowa. His territory is the world court indicipary the lillinois and Indiana and this is come. Holland has extended to son City, Iowa. His territory is the world court judiciary the Illinois and Indiana and this is recognition and privileges accord- his fourth season in this line. ed foreign envoys—a new evidence of the prestige which this institution has gained in the eyes of the nations. Parliament has been suspended for three years Nighswander.

THIS NEIGHBORHOOD WORLD in Egypt by decree of the king.

STRICKLAN-PALMYRA 4-H family, Ray Woodruff and family,
This dictatorial action was taken

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This dictatorial action was taken This dictatorial action was taken when it became apparent that the tremists of the labor movement, rather than the Catholic church. Obregon was a leader of the agarians, and between them and made buttonholes. the organized urban wage-earnsuspicion. This is an unfortunate clevage in any country, and it presents a problem which will need the careful thought and reconciling effort of Mexico's ablest men.

THE SULLIVAN PROGRESS

BAKER

Archie Pascoe and family of Iowa are visiting his mother, Mrs.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. George Allen Sunday morning a son. He perienced team. Twenty-five peohas been named James Albert.

Mrs. Mary Duncan visited F. Harden and family in Decatur was there.

Mrs. Blanche Rauch and Mildred Pressy assisted Mrs. Claude ship of one hundred and seventy- and Mrs. Scott Waggoner spent FIRST FOOTBALL GAME Lane with threshers Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Merl Welsh from near Litchfield spent the week end with Elmer Selock and wife. night and Sunday with Edna

tained J. W. Rauch and wife, Al- for Los Angeles, Calif., and on bert Selock and wife and Mrs. August 11th will sail for her William Selock and daughters home in Honolulu. and Miss Leota Cain to ice cream Sunday evening.

William and Roscoe Selock attended the Rodeo in Chicago Sun-

Mrs. Edgar Hoke was a business caller in Sullivan Monday. Normal Pressey and family spent Sunday with Otto Kinsel They spent Sunday Sunday. evening with George Allen and family.

The O. H. T. club met with Mrs. Rosa Sharp last Wednesday afternoon. Refreshments of Ice cream and cake were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Lslie Pressey returned to Decatur last Friday after a visit with relatives here. Several from here attended the funeral of Mrs. Green Spencer

nar Windsor Monday. Miss Mabel Wright of Findlay spent the week end with D. E.

Cotner and wife. Mrs. Noah Smith is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Otto Frederick

ARTHUR MAN'S THUMB

BADLY MASHED TUESDAY Wednesday is confined to her justice in due time. While attempting to pull a bed stranded automobile out of the association with Europe that a young farmer living on the catur Tuesday, where he was to on Tuhrsday of last week to Wirt there are two ways in which this Knoblock place three miles north undergo an examination for ap- Jones 40 of Todds Point and the caturation of country can be "entangled." One of Arthur, sustained a serious in- pendicitis. is by agreements making for jury. Mr. Oye was fastening a peace and order in the world, the long chain to the frame of the prices—Simpson Bros., Lovington other is by war. We have had experience of the latter sort of entanglement. It came to us withhitched, lurched forward, mashhitched, lurched forward, out seeking. It came to us in ing his right thumb so badly that Friday evening.

SULLIVAN MARKETS Elevators are paying \$1.05 for

never be able to keep out of any for eggs and 43c for butterfat. evitably we will be "entangled." Old hens are worth from 13 to War is a real entanglement. It 19c per lb., springs 19c to 24c;

LOCALS

never have chosen to follow. But livan were guests at supper in in camp. a peace agreement is not an en- the home of the former's sister, tanglement. It is a voluntary Mrs. Lula Price on Sunday. Mr. tanglement. It is a voluntary Mrs. Lula Price on Sunday. Mr. Bethany pleasantly entertained a ing. policy of adjustment thru which Scheer will be principal of the number of folks from this city we are endeavoring to create the Sullivan Township High School

the fear of violent interruption. —Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Gauger
It may be necessary for those and daughter Miss Cora and J. J.

sures ratification. There is much in the history of treaty-making to disprove this.

Some of the interesting things which have been happening in the world neighborhood may be grouped in this final paragraph. John

ed in this final paragraph. John
D. Rockefeller has given \$2,000,

provide student quarters and attentions to be a superscript of Paris to provide student quarters and attentions.

The Moultrie county 4-H clubs and Mrs. Clayton Poland and Mr.

The clubs and their subjects Mrs. John Wolf Saturday and demonstrated are as follows: Busy Bees of Lovington, hand-

Stricklan-Palmyra 4-H clubers there exists only jealousy and Patches-hemmed and overcasted. Whitley-East Nelson 4-H Hust-

lers-Commercial Patterns. Jolly Workers of Lowe Town-Hannehahe 4-H of Lovington-Identification of fabrics.

Rosie Graven and Kathryn of the winning team and they rep- Bros., Lovington. resented Moultrie county at the honorable mention, Cumberland Guy Conklin. county won highest for the inex-

Remarkable interest is being last week end. Her granddaugh- shown in 4-H club work of the her mother, Mrs. Scott Waggoner ter, Mildred Louise Harden had girls in the short time it has been and Willard Martin of Sedalia, her tonsils removed while she under way in Moultrie county. There are thirteen clubs now Monday in Mattoon. organized with a total member-

Edna Rauch spent Saturday Mrs. Grace Hart went to Chicago Monday to spend the week. Miss ARRESTED ALLEGED Ashworth expects to return home Otto Frederick and wife enter- today and Mrs. Hart will leave

> who have been living in Decatur sued in this county charging him moved from that city to Spring- with possessing and selling intoxfield, Tuesday.

> -Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Burton of Hoopeston former residents of this city spent several days visit- city and is alleged to having been their home Wednesday.

-Mr. and Mrs. Frank Edwards spent Sunday with Mrs. J. E. Purvis.

Mrs. J. M. David and Miss Grace Buxton were Decatur visitors Saturday. -Dr. W. P. Davidson of Deca-

tur visited with friends in this city Sunday. -Miss Ora Purvis returned to

her home Saturday after spending several days in Decatur. -Mrs. Ora Coe who spent several weeks at Rochelle, return-

ed Friday. -Foyd Roberts was taken to a Decatur hospital Tuesday, when tion as yet against the boys who he was taken ill with appendicits. fered another paralytic stroke

-Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sona acbe so alarmed at any cooperative ditch Tuesday morning, Mike Oye companied their son Hal to De-

-The Men's chorus met at the riage ceremony.

Hammond Sunday after having ing station in the west end of this WANTED-Work at reasonable spent several weeks at that place. city had been held up and robbed -Mrs. Errett Gates returned to Chicago Sunday after a visit with her mother, Mrs. Levi Seass. turned Friday from their north--Mrs. Charles Kuster and son ern vacation trip. John of Springfield visited with Wesley Kuster Sunday.

-Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Brown sumption Sunday. Fern remained to spend the week there.

Those present were Sunday. James Harsh and family, Gene Campbell, Hugh Franklin and

family, Ray Woodruff and family,

The last of the fourteen coun- so-called Wafd—a radical native held a team demonstration con- and Mrs. Harry Foster and son Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Smith,

spent Sunday at Mt. Vernon. William Peters and family of Flora visited the former's aunt,

Sunday. -Miss Gladys Lewis of New Richmond spent last week with friends in this city.

-Mr. and Mrs. Sam Palmer and Mr. and Mrs. Art Davis of Decatur motored to Chicago Sunday to take Janice and Helen ship-Seams-felled and French. Harsh to their home after having spent three weeks at the Palmer

-Eight and ten ply truck tires Misenheimer were the members at wholesale prices. Simpson 31-2t. -Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hough district contest which was held in and son of Collinsville are spendselfish regard for the convenience Edgar Hoke and other relatives Tuscola Saturday and received ing the week with Mr. and Mrs.

-Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lambrecht and son spent the week ple from this county attended the end with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Martin. Witts at Clinton. -Miss Altabelle Waggoner,

Mo., who is visiting here, spent -Mr. and Mrs. Roy Martin

Tuesday in Moweaqua. -Mr. and Mrs. Carl Martin

SULLIVAN BOOTLEGGER AT ROBINSON, ILL

Edward Owens, alias Ertelt is in the county jail. He was arrested this week at Robinson, Illinois -Mr. and Mrs. Frank Edwards where he lived, on a warrant isicating liquor.

Owens has been staying at the old Fair grounds norteast of this ing with friends and returned to doing a prosperous bootlegging business.

When officials went to the place the latter part of last week they found a crap game in operation, but Owen was not participating. But little incriminating evidence was found at that time but Owens immediately left the city and more evidence on which to hold him was found later.

Deputy Sheriff Halec Lansden accompanied by Loren Brumfield went to Robinson Thursday morning and got the man. He had not been given a preliminary hearing at time of going to press.

The Sheriff has taken no ac were rolling the dice but he has -Mrs. Fred Sona, Sr., who suf- their names and they will doubtless be summoned to the bar of

JONES-WILLIAMS

A marriage license was issued Helen Williams 16 of Arthur. The -Your size tire at wholesale bride's mother accompanied the couple and gave her consent. 31-2t Judge Grider performed the mar-

NO HOLD-UP Mrs. J. E. Baker returned from The report that the Brooks fill-

Wednesday night was untrue. -The Lewie David family re-

SUPERVISORS MEETING The Moultrie county board of

and daughter Fern visited with supervisors will have a special Mr. and Mrs. John Clark at As- meeting Saturday of this week.

-r. and Mrs. W. F. Cain and -Miss Dorothy Hall is substi- daughter Doris Jean of Quiglev tuting for Lloyd Brown at the visited Sunday at the home of -R. A. Scheer and wife of Sul- Grand theatre while the latter is r. and Mrs. Arthur Cain and got acquainted with the new daugh--Mr and Mrs. Orr Hilliard of ter who arrived Saturday morn-

> Pa (to his bright infant): What's wrong?" Son (twelve years old): "I had a terrible scene with your wife."

PALMYRA

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Henderson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ira reunion in Sullivan Sunday.

Tuesday with Miss Alma Maxe- Locust street.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy B. Martin and Mrs. Rose Waggqner spent Tuesday with Mrs. Dora Thompson of Girard. Miss Merle Carder spent Sat-

urday afternoon with Miss Helen

ere last week.

ster City, Iowa and Mrs. Roy Mar- er flowers starting from leaves on tin spent Wednesday with Mrs. the plant which is five years old commission brought out the fact-Ray Misenheimer.

Carl Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Fred three summers. Allison and daughter Carlisle,

There is nothing beautiful a ten year street lighting conabout the plant when not in flowtract and a ten year pumping conbelle Waggoner spent one day er, long ugly barren stems, with tract. last week with Mr. and Mrs. Roy long narrow green cactus leaves.

day with Jean Drum. Mr. and Mrs. Homer Doughty flowers and plants-Arcelian.

of Lewistown spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Hidden.

LOCALS

Spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs.

Spent Monday with Mr. game of football to be played on not clogged or slimy, and that the Arthur gridiron is to be with the ice chamber is clean. Keep the Sullivan eleven, Saturday, the doors shut tightly and do September 22.

> Kathryn-"These pearls were paper or cloth. given to me on my last birthday. Kitty-"Very pretty. How many years have you had them?

Classified Ads

BEE KEEPER'S SUPPLIES .-Dadant and Son's foundation a little, you know. and Lewis' Beeware, also several stands of bees. L. C. Horn, Sullivan, Ill. Phone 7519. 25-10

fires and Tubes, new and used, right prices .- W. H. Walker.

HAVE MOVED my lawn mower grinding outfit to the Breissler Tire Shop. Bring me anything you want sharpened-scissors, sickles, axes, mowing machines, knives, etc. L. R. Garrett. 20-tf

PAINTS-Call and let me give you prices on paints, varnishes, enamels, etc. I sell the famous Blackhowk paint \$2.75 a gal; also World Star brand at \$2.25 a gal. Both paints are fully Guaranteed. G. F. Allison, Phone 233-w, 1403 Camfield

FOR SALE—Choice building lot west of my residence on Water Street. Pavement all paid. S. T. Butler.

CAMPING-Pifer's Park is the ideal place for camping for those who cannot take an extended trip. Very convenient cottages and desirable surroundings. Apply to Guy Pifer Phone 861.

wages at all times of the year, with or without team. James Watkins, Allenville, Ill. 31-1*

NIGHT-BLOOMING

CEREUS ATTRACTIVE Mrs. Woodworth has a fine Carson and daughter Loveta, Mr. night-blooming cereus which blosand Mrs. Roy B. Martin and fam- somed Monday evening and put

time it was first noticed to reach duction under the present Toledo Mrs. Rose Waggoner of Web- full bloom. There are seven oth- municipal plant rates. Frank Martin, Mr. and Mrs. It has been blooming for the past ready granted the Company a

But it's one of the oddities of Miss Wilma Rhodes spent Tues- plant life and that makes it a valued treasure among lovers of

REFRIGERATOR CARE

In summer time give the refrigerator extra care, and wash it thoroughly with hot water and WITH SULLIVAN SEPT 22 soda once or twice a week. See not open them oftener than necessary. Do not wrap the ice in

> Host-"Good morning, Uncle Eli. Did you sleep well? I'm afraid your bed was rather hard and uneven, but-

Uncle Eli-Oh, it was all right, thank you. I got up now and then during the night and rested

MUNICIPAL PLANT SALE SAVES TOLEDO ELECTRIC CUSTOMERS 30 PER CENT

The Illinois Commerce Commission Tuesday, July 31 granted ily, Mr. and Mrs. N. King and forth a beautiful flower more the Central Illinois Public Service family attended the Waggoner than a foot in diameter which at- Company an order, together with tracted a great many visitors to a certificate of convenience and Miss Colleen Hollonbeck spent the Woodworth home on South necessity, to purchase and operate the municipal electric properties The night-bloomer is a peculiar formerly belonging to the village plant in several ways. It pro- of Toledo. Work on a transmisduces its bloom at night and the sion line to be constructed from flower is wilted before morning. the transmission system of the The bloom comes out from the Central Illinois Public Service edge of its large cactus leaves Company to Toledo will be started and the flower is many times larg- at once. When finished the Puber than the leaf. It took the lic Service Company's standard Miss Minnie Sutton of Girard flower which was pertert Monday rates will be established effecting risited with relatives and friends evening about two weeks from the more than a thirty per cent re-

> Further testimony before the and about seven or eight feet tall, that the officials at Toledo had alfifty year franchise together with

> > Two very pretty girls met on the street and kissed each otherrapturously. Two young men watched the meeting. "There's another of those things that are so unfair," saidone.

"What is that?" said his friend. He pointed to the scene: Wom-en doing men's work!"

New fall samples are now on display; also some nice bottomprice dresses and suits and great bargains on coats.

> MRS. G. F. ALLISON 1403 Camfield St. Phone 233-w

Seed Wheat

WE EXPECT TO RECEIVE IN THE NEXT FEW DAYS

No. 1 Turkey Red

Make your reservations now.

Selling Price \$1.50 per bu. How much of this can you use?

Sullivan Grain Co.

Would You Rather Lose A Bank Book or a



Don't carry large sums of money in your pockets!

Put them in the bank where they are safe.

Roll of Bills?

When you lose your bank book, you are reasonably certain your money is not lost.

But when you lose a roll of bills, the chances of its being returned are very slim-it IS lost.

The "Lost and Found" columns are full of ads

offering rewards for lost money.

Be safe! Put your money in this bank! Besides safeguarding your money, you make a profit in the form of compound interest.

Merchants & Farmers State Bank

Bring Us Your SOUR CREAM 43c per lb. Our business is growing and we need all the cream you can bring us.

Sullivan Dairy

Isaac Bros. Props.

HUNDREDS ATTENDED WAGGONER CENTENNIAL REUNION HERE SUNDAY

(Continued from page 1) was one of early days by F. M. Martin of this city. A hymn composed by Rev. John G. Waggoner and read by Mrs. Rusha Waggoner Tull closed the day's program.

the family in this capacity for Carnine, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis forty-eight years, tendered his Carnine and Ott Carnine of Alresignation by a letter read by his lenville, Mr. and Mrs. Frank namesake, John Garland Wag- Hogue and daughter Wilma of Mrs. Bill Burcham and grandson goner of Champaign. His place Windsor, Mrs. Bessie Phillips was filled by Miss Mary Daugher- and family of Charleston, Mr. ty, who will act as Secretary of and Mrs. Chester Carnine and the family records for the year daughter Evelyn, Miss May Hall, 1929. Other officers for the en- and Lester Weaver of Charleston. suing year are Mrs. Rusha Waggoner Tull, president and Frank ington is spending this week with Hunt, vice president, George A. Mrs. A. B. Hall and family. Daugherty was chairman for the day, and announced the reunion of Brookville, Ind., spent Tuesday would be held annually in Free- night with Chester Carnine and land Grove.

Among the relatives registering from outside of Moultrie county, Parks were callers in Mattoon on were W. E. Waggoner, Walla Monday. Walla, Wash., Mr. and Mrs. Rea-Mr. and Mrs. Beverly Waggoner, Mrs. Charles Rhoer, Webster City Clem Boling and family, W. G. Waggoner, Chicago, Mr. and cinity. Mrs. Floyd Thompson, Decatur, John Thompson and family, Macon, Ill., W. E. Waggoner, Decatur, W. D. and P. A. Waggoner of Mattoon, Mary E. Miner, Glen- Mr. and Mrs. Roy Creath. dale, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Otis See, Monmouth, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Boling, Mr. and Mrs. Eden Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Boling Windsor, Mrs. Margaret Waggoner, Decatur.

The F. M. Martin poem above referred to was as follows: The Waggoners Came to this on a vacation trip sight seeing in Waggoner reunion Sunday. Country when:

The wolves roamed o'er the prair-And the wild cats in the woods

When the Panthers did their screaming And the Indians weren't so good.

When the buffaloes were plenty And big fishes in the streams When wild turkey and prairie

Chicken Could most any where be seen.

When wild fruits of all description Oh, how lucious it did grow

Big ripe grapes and wild persimmons They came in before the snow.

Then the rabbits and the squirrels Burks Sunday.

The buck deer and the doe They supplied their meat for win-

That was fine we all would know.

Yes, that sure was fine living Would have been for you and me What could they have done with money

When all other things were free. Yes, they had the wood for chop-

And their houses built of logs

Was his rifle and his dog. When the prairie chicken The wild duck and the goose

Furnished eggs for their tables

Yes, the God of Heaven blessed them And they knew from whence it

came They offered prayer at each even-

And they praised his Holy name. Then let us all remember

That our God is always good And that if we pray and trust the week end at Hidalgo with rel-Him

He will furnish us our food.

WHITFIELD

in Sullivan Sunday. Miss Edna Buckalew spent ments were served.

Monday night with Bessie and Ruby Henderson. been delayed a few days on ac- at Delavan.

count of rain. from a week's visit with his first of the week. grandmother, Mrs. Waggoner in Mrs. Beulah Davis and daugh-

ecatur. ter Sarah Emily are visiting in Miss Ethel Henderson is spend-Chicago this week.

Mrs. C. W. Younker. Frank Myers has been suffer. Sunday.

ENOUGH CARS TO TAKE ALL day. In 1927 we had one auto for Miss Hazel Pellum was a Decaevery 5.13 persons, or enough to tur caller Saturday. take the entire population of the George Dickson is slowly im-United States joy riding at one proving.

time. The total registration was 23,127,315 cars, an increase of Here lies body of Samuel Crane

PERFECT LOGIC

Liza, the negro cook, answered But Sam and his car were a total the telephone one morning, and a loss.

cheerful voice inquired, "What The sexton softly tolled his knell

number is this?" Liza was in no mood for trifl- If he'd only stopped to look and \ Sport: Spending \$83,000,000 ing questions, and said with some asperity, "You all ought to know. You done called it."

FULLERS POINT ;

Charles Carnine of Allenville spent Saturday night with his brother Chester Carnine and Evansville, Indiana. family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Hall entertained a number of relatives Sunday in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Loren Chambers and family of Brookville, Ind. Those present The secretary Rev. John Gar- were Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Carnine Carnine and Ott Carnine of Al-

Miss Tressa Carnine of Bloom-

Loren Chambers and family family

W. W. Rightsell and John Sylvan Rominger was a busi-

son Waggoner, Hordville, Nebr., ness caller in Mattoon Tuesday. Loren Chambers and family of Los Angeles, Calif., Mrs. Scott Indiana spent Sunday and Mon-Waggoner, Mrs. Martha Rhoer, day with A. B. Hall and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Carnine Iowa, Willard Martin, Sedalia, atended the funeral services of Mo., Rev. John G. Waggoner of Mrs. Elizabeth Blythe Tuesday was a former resident of this vi- river.

> Threshing began this week in this neighborhood. Mr. and Mrs. John Jenkins and and children.

son Lawrence spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Rominger

Arloo Rominger. Cleone Rominger spent Saturday night and Sunday with his day with Mrs. W. S. Young. sister, Mrs. Frank Hurst and fam-

ly near Greenup. Mr. and Mrs. Arloo Rominger Mattoon visitors Friday. and son Sylvan spent last week

Wisconsin. Monday night with Chester Car- church day. nine and family.

EAST HUDSON

Mr. and Mrs. Ora Wiley and W. W. Lewis spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Harris. Mr. and Mrs. Clayton and Mr.

and Mrs. Chris Monroe attended Waggoner. a pot luck dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Orr Hilliard in Gays. Bethany Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Burks and on Glen, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil State of Illinois, Niles and family of near Kirksrille, Mr. and Mrs. Alva Tolle and Moutrie County, Firdie Burks of Indianapolis vis-

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Herendeen and Jim Morgan spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Swietzer.

deen and family.

deen and family.

Were'nt that eating for their Horn cook for threshers Saturato-wit:

DALTON CITY

Charlie Nihiser of Peoria visitd relatives here recently. Mrs. Eva Manship of Decatur

has been visiting with her aunt Mrs. Oma Nihiser.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ekiss and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Grant Cole and daughter Ferne spent atives and friends.

Miss Mabelle Roney spent last week in Hillsboro.

The Christian Endeavor of the Several from this neighborhood United Brethren church gave a attended the Waggoner reunion party Monday evening at the C. R. Patterson, home of May Wiemar. Refresh-

Miss Charlotte Gilberts returned home Tuesday after spending Threshing in this vicinity has the past two weeks with her sister

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bobbitt Ivan Garrett returned Sunday and son moved to Monticello the

ing a few days with her sister, The Kendal school reunion was Mrs. C. W. Younker. held in Fairview park in Decatur

ing with a carbuncle on his arm. Mrs. S. Brown and W. W. Cowger were in Mt. Zion Wednes-

1, 125,922, or 5 per cent over Who ran a race with a speeding train

He reached the track, got near across

And maybe Sam's not doing well. listen

missing.

ALLENVILLE

Miss Marguerite Newlin spent the week end with friends in

N. S. LeGrand and son Lyle spent Saturday and Sunday with the former's brother in Lawrence-

ville. son Gordon and Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Miller of Mattoon, Miss eBr-Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Black.

Hillsboro Sunday.

dina Turner.

Maude Martin and children and ter Graham and F. C. Graham. Verna and June Martin of De-

Chester Graham this week. Mrs. John Black and daughter home last week. Miss Berdina, Mrs. Alta Whitley attended the funeral of Mrs. Wilcoxin in Cooks Mills Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Cannon and daughter Eleanor of Mattoon, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Misenheimer and daughter Catherine, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Misenheimer and daugh-Canton, Ill., Harry E. Wright, morning at Mattoon. Mrs. Blythe ter Joyce spent Sunday on the

Mr and Mrs Chris Sutton and with Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Miller

SMYSER

Miss Martha and Mary Ruth spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Elder were Monday visitors of Miss Lucile Waggoner. Mrs. Bruce Munson spent Fri-

Davis and Ruth Armantrout were who has been in that city for sev- ler.

Several from here attended the

Miss Martha Elder spent Mon-

Harpster.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. See and and Kentucky. sons of Monmouth were Sunday visitors of Mrs. Ann Jones and of Carterville spent Sunday with Francis and Lucile and Alvin Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Boyd.

Scott Young spent Monday in Sunday from a six weeks' visit

MASTER'S SALE

)ss. Moutrie County Circuit Court Green

Robert Weeks, et al. spent Sunday with Arthur Heren- decretal order of foreclosure en- street. tered in the above entitled cause -Mrs. Effic Booker and son Elmer Burks and family, Mr. in the said Court at the March Lawrence and wife and son Law-Mrs. Ray Woodruff and Mrs. real estate, situate in the County and wife.

Laura McClure helped Mrs. Earl of Moultrie, and State of Illinois, —Mr. a

An undivided two-sixths (2-6) interest in Lot 1 of the Northwest Quarter of Sec-

tion Six Township Fifteen, North, Range 5 East of the Third Principal Meridan. Subject to the Life Estate

of Laura Adkins:

Upon the following terms to wit: Cash in hand on day of sale. Said premises will be sold subject to the redemption period as provided by law. Dated this 3rd day of August

A. D. 1928. Oscar F. Cochran, Master in Chancery. Solicitor for Complainant. 31-3

LET'S TAKE ANOTHER POLL Now that Editor Brandenburg er is out of the county seat for a fer days, we suggest that the Tribune take, another poll on Hoover and Smith. We can't help but feel that Ed applied the ballot box on the Tribune reporter last week Lovington Reporter.

Tom, don't be so scared of losing your Postmaster job, for Heover may have a fighting chance. As to that Tribune poll, The Progress editor didn't vote, much less stuff the ballot box. It was mostly Republicans who voted

for Al. Smith. "It seems that the most successful marriages are those between people who are unlike." "Yes, that is why I insist on marrying a girl with money."

"You're the fifteenth man who has told me that I was the first girl he ever kissed." "That all right. You're the

sixteenth girl I've said that to." a year to kill birds that would He'd be living now instead of have saved \$1,648,000,000 worth Ex. of crops.

Local News

Mr. and Mrs. D. V. Miller and employ of the C & E I at Shelby- a visit at the C. W. Tichenor 4, 1861 he was united in marrihome.

-F. M. Stevens of Indianapoday.

attended a birthday dinner in ing with relatives in this county, with Mrs. Boyce. They came Saturday and spent a -Mr. and Mrs. Archie Cum-

Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ches- Mr. and Mrs. Orman Foster Fri- R. McArty. day and Saturday.

catur are visiting Mr .and Mrs. left arm while playing about her vacation here with his wife and in poor health for some time and

-Mrs. M. B. Whitman was of friends Wednesday in honor the county with their grandparof her birthday anniversary. A ents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Bolin. pot luck dinner was served and the afternoon spent in social con- and Mrs. Rose Waggoner spent versation. Those present were Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Al Lindsay and daughters, Mrs. J. C. Thompson of near De-Maxine and Agnes, Mrs. Fred Pol- catur. and, Mrs. Rentfrow, Mrs. Orman Miss Minnie Sutton of Virden

bould returned from Kokomo, relatives. children of Neoga spent Sunday Ind., Saturday after spending two weeks with relatives. -Miss Valera Hodge who spent Bundy Monday. several days in Pana with Miss

week with folks in Decatur. -Mr. and Mrs. W. A. New- er, Rev. Earl Clark and wife. bould and Mrs. Will Gardner will -Miss Lucy Campbell of Chi- Lawson, Arlie Lawson and wife leave for Kokomo, Ind., Sunday cago arrived Wednesday for a Mrs. Alva Edwards, Miss Fern to get Mrs. Cynthia Newbould visit with Dr. and Mrs. S. T. But-

eral weeks. Indianapolis, Ind., Saturday on ington. Sunday school at Smyser was account of the death of her sister Mr. and Mrs. John Parks spent fairly well attended. Sunday was Mrs. W. F. Myers. She returned church will meet at the home of McIntyre which occurred July Wednesday.

-Miss Evelyn Finley returned parents near Kirksville.

with her grandparents, Mr. and and W. E. Waggoner were callers Interment took pace in Mt. Hope Mrs. C. R. Ham at Opdyke. -Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Jennings, Roy Edwards and daugh-

ter of Decatur visited with the Jennings sisters Sunday. -Mrs. T. B. Ewing and Mrs. ited with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer J. R. Drake, Trustee and Cash W. Fred Fisher were Decatur visitors Wednesday.

-Mr. and Mrs. Cloyd Freeman and family moved Wednesday No. 9870 in Chancery Foreclosure from the McClure property on PUBLIC NOTICE IS HERE- Jackson street into the Squire F. O. Cunningham and family BY GIVEN that in pursuance of a Woodruff property on Jefferson

County, the following described er's brother, Rev. C. E. Barnett Doty; and Mrs. Frank Wilson .--Mr. and Mrs. Lark Collins and daughter Eudine and Mr.

> Wisconsin: -Mr. and Mrs. Ben Myers and daughter Bernice and Mrs. Joseph 32-600 Cupples tire \$17.40; Ex-Feuerborn all of Teutopolis spent ton tire \$14.15. Simpson Bro-Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Lovington. Hozmueller. Bernice remained here and is spending the week

> with Elsie Holzmueller. the Christian church Sunday day. school will meet Wednesday, Aug. 8th with Mrs. Ada Womack. who spent several days with her Mrs. Mattie Fread will be leader. parents last week, returned on -Among the out of town folks who attended the Waggon-Mrs. er reunion Sunday was Harry E. daughter, Mrs. Ruth Hunt and Wright of River Forest, a western four children who spent several suburb of Chicago.

—P. G. Wiard spent from Sullivan, Ind., and Mrs. William He came to Illinois when a small Wednesday of last week until Whittaker and Alma Stark of child and has spent most of his Wednesday of this week in the Terre Haute arrived Tuesday for life in Moultrie county. On Nov.

nice Willhelm of Dorans and Fred lis is here visiting with friends Aice Boyce, Mrs. Elizabeth Eden His wife died in 1885 and on Jan. land Waggoner who has served and family of Bloomington, Chas. Winchester spent Sunday with and will doubtless remain for the and Mrs. L. Miley of this city 1, 1888 he was united in marriage Mr. and Mrs. John Turner and Battalion reunion next Wednes- motored to Champaign Sunday to Alvira Eldridge and to this and spent the day visiting. Bettie union 4 children were born, 3 Sunday. Cadwell numbering 36 -Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barber McArty returned to this city sons and 1 daughter having pre- and the Rosedale school 28. You of Albert Lea, Minn., are visit- with them and has spent the week

Vera Loye of Sullivan is spending the week with her cousin Bering the Boyce in this city. On Thursday Webb of Dexter, Iowa, Floyd of -Mr. and Mrs. Otto Erlenbush all went to Champaign to visit Kirksville and Nervy Bloom of charge of Carl Heerdt, 10 a. m. Harry Carter of Decatur spent of Houston, Texas were guests of Mr. Cummins' other aunt, Mrs. C. Gays. He leaves 25 grandchil- is the time. Morning worship at

daughter. Mrs. John Turner and Olaf Black peasantly surprised by a number Clark are spending this week in was done.

-Mr. and Mrs. Roy Martin

Foster and Miss Nellie Whitman. visited last week with her grand--Mr. and Mrs. Orman New- father, F. M. Martin and other -W. E. Waggoner visited at

the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar -Mr. and Mrs. Wes Clark and Lorene Behen returned Sunday. daughter Lulu of Kirksville are -Jane Foster is spending the spending the week end in Long

-Guaranteed Tires at whole--Mrs. Ed Bland was called to sale prices-Simpson Bros., Lov-31-2t

-The W. F. M. S. of the M. E. Mrs. O. F. Cochran Wednesday 26th in a Springfield hospital. He -Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Crowder afternoon, August 8th with Mrs. would have reached the age of 80 day morning with Mrs. Ellis returned Tuesday after enjoying Cochran and Mrs. Lanum as lead- had he lived to September. a two weeks' vacation in Indiana ers. The Little Light Bearers and For many years Mr. McIntyre their mothers will be guests of was a resident of Sullivan and -Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Bullock the society at that time.

-Charity Belle LeCrone is

near Bruce Wednesday. -Mrs. Otto Frederick and daughter Mary Lou of Peoria are

Wes Clark near Kirksville. -Anyone losing knives, forks, spoons, glasses or plates at the Waggoner reunion last Sunday accompanied on her return by may secure the same by calling on

Mrs. Rusha Waggoner Tull. -Charles Clark and daughters Norma Jean and Betty June visited last week in Springfield with Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Sickafus and

-A group of jolly Ash Grove and Mrs. Chris Monroe and son Term, A. D. 1928, I, Oscar F. rence, Jr., and daughter Ruth of girls had a swimming party and Wayne and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cochran Master in Chancery for St. Louis, Mo., visited the latter picnic supper at Sullivan Tuesday Woodruff and daughter Lorene visited Sunday evening with Mr. and tember A. D. 1928, at two o'clock Mrs. D. D. Kingrey.

| Kingrey | Said court, on the 4th day of Seppart of last week with Mr. and tember A. D. 1928, at two o'clock Mrs. D. D. Kingrey. and Mrs. Ira Mayberry and family in the afternoon of said day, will Leslie and Harold Alumbaugh sell at public auction to the highof Terre Haute visited Sunday est bidder at the west door of Eizabeth of Carrollton spent Sat-Ramona and Elizabeth Storm, afternoon with Arthur Heren- Court House in Sullivan, in said urday and Sunday with the form- Ruth Sexson, Ellen Cole and Irma

Windsor Gazette. -Miss Ina Stone who had been visiting and helping Miss Elta and Mrs. R. A. Collins returned Collins with her housework while Wednesday from a motor trip to Mr. and Mrs. Collins were away, returned home Wednesday.

> Miss Jessie Buxton, Mrs. F. Newbould and son Gerald and Loren Kelly motored to Chicago

-For Chrysler-Extra Heavy

-The Loyal Women's class of Saturday and returned Wednes--Miss Mae Newlin of Decatur

-Mrs. Nan Maynard, and days with friends left Monday -Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Stark of for their home in Denver, Colo.

HILLIARD OBITUARY

Calhoun Kentucky, Jan. 14, 1842 died July 25, 1928 at the age of 86 years, 6 months and 11 days. ome.

—F. H. Book of Mattoon, Mrs. age to Charlotte Wheeler and to this union 7 children were born. ceded him to the great beyond. -Vic Cark who is employed in and a host of relatives and friends -Florence Crockett broke her Newton, Illinois is spending his to mourn his loss. He has been

LAWSON REUNION

The Lawson family reunion ter bridge. A big basket dinner August. took pace at the noon hour.

Those present were Mr. and Ethel and John, Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Lawson, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Moore, daughters Lorene and Alice, Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Moore and Madnnna Lou of Mattoon, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Martin and Lois, Mr. and Mrs. Ansel Mar-Point visiting their son and broth- Langston of Hindsboro; J. H. of Sullivan; Virginia Sharp of Toedo.

FORMER LOCAL RESIDENT DIED IN SPRINGFIELD

Friends in this city have received word of the death of S. C.

was connected with the Moultrie County News. One daughter, visiting at the home of her grand- Mrs. Frances Miller who resides Turner a daughter, July 29. in Wichita, Kansas and another, -F. M. Martin, J. D. Martin Mrs. Margaret Pfeifer in Chicago. cemetery Chicago July 28th.

—Miss Leota Stain telephone No Hospital—No Danger—No Chloroform by MILD OFFICE TREATMENT visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. operator is enjoying a week's vacation.

-Mrs. Orman Foster spent Monday in Stewardson. She was her niece Ethel Bailey who is visiting at the the Foster home.

John W. Hilliard was born in Church Notes

ST. COLUMBA'S CHURCH

Church services will be held at St. Columba's Catholic church, Sunday at 7:30 a. m.

CADWELL-ROSEDALE J. T. Wilson, Minister

The Sunday school attendance was much smaller than usual last are cordially invited to attend the Besides his wife he leaves the Sunday school and church serfollowing sons and daughters, vice next Sunday. C. E. Durr will.

dren and 36 great grandchildren, 10:45 a.m. Evening service at 7:30 p. m.

The ladies at the Rosedale church are quite busy preparing everything that loving hearts for their annual chicken fry -Norma Jean and Betty June and kind hands could do for him which will be held August 14. Don't forget to tell your friends. Another date that we wish our friends to carry in mind is Annual Basket Dinner date. The was held Sunday on the Frank dinner will be held at the Cad-Moore farm west of the Winches- well church this year the 19th of

we are very grateful to everyone who helped make the Ice Mrs. J. C. Turney and children, Cream Supper at Cadwell a success. Forty-five dollars net profit is reported by treasurer, Mrs. Albert Kanitz.

STRICKLAN-PALMYRA 4-H The Stricklan-Palmyra

Workers met Friday July 27. The dresses were finished. At the business meeting the minutes of last meeting wre read and plans were made to take the team to Tuscola for the demonstration contest.

Orangeade and wafers were served. Mrs. William Walker was a visi-

BIRTHS Born to Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Born to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cain a daughter, July 28.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. eGorge Allen, a son, July 29. Born to Mr. and Mrs. C. C.

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THURSDAY AND FRIDAY, AUG. 2-3 BILLIE DOVE AND CLIVE BROOK in "THE YELLOW LILY" Billie Dove as the peasant girl of Hungary who chose a jail to a castle; shot the man she loved; then turned a whole nation topsy-turvy to win him back. Also the Collegians in "The

Fighting Finish" and Paramount News. Admission 10 and 25 Cents SATURDAY, AUGUST 4 KEN MAYNARD in

"CODE OF SCARLET" There is nothing more gripping than the adventures of the North West Mounted Police—nothing more thrilling than the sensational riding of Ken Maynard. Can you imagine the thrills you'll get from Ken as a Northwest Cop? It's one of the greatest out-door adventure dramas ever screened. Also "Dizzy Sights" a Paramount comedy.

Admission 10 and 25 cents.

SUNDAY, AUGUST 5 BEBE DANIELS and JAMES HALL in "THE FIFTY FIFTY GIRL"

Bury the blues. Bebe's on the surface with a bucketfull- of smiles. You won't know half of the good things this picture holds for you until you see Bebe in "The Fifty-Fifty Girl, her latest comedy romance. "Ocean Bluess" a Paramount comedy. Admission 10 and 25 cents.

MONDAY AND TUESDAY, AUGUST 6-7 LOIS WILSON in

"CONEY ISLAND" The star of a score of successes in a tense drama of the pulsing playground of New York—of seething Coney Island where romance holds sway beneath the laughs and tinsel of its holiday throngs. Universal comedy and Paramount News. Admission 10 and 25 cents.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 8 TEMPLE BAILEY'S "WALLFLOWERS" The well known novel of the same name brought to the screen. Directed by Leo. Meehan. Also a Paramount comedy— SPECIAL—Mrs. Mary Browne Beckemeyer well known con-tralto and recent student of Schuman Heink will render several vocal numbers. All couples over sixty-five years of age will be admitted free, Mrs. Beckemeyer dedicating one number to the oldest couple present. No advance in Prices.

THURSDAY AND FRIDAY, AUGUST 9-10 MILTON SILLS in "THE HAWKS NEST"

Admission 10 and 25 cents.

Scars of war forced him to hide in the underworld of Chinatown. But scars of hate brought him into the light, fighting against the woman he loved to pay a great debt to a pal! Also The Collegians in "Sampson at Calford" and Paramount News.

Admission 10 and 25 Cents

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ter radishes, Fall Lettuce, Burpee's Greenpod Stringless Bush Bean, Missouri and Kentucky Wonder Pole Bean. BIRDS' SUPPLIES Canary, Rape, Hemp, Mixed Bird Seed, Song Restorer all in bulk.

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International Sunday School Les-

son for August 5. Paul in a Pagan Country

Acts 14:8-20 Rev. Samuel D. Price, D. D., Associate General Secretary of the World's Sunday School Association.

had been at Perga. This young while in popular favor and then turn that situation to advantage trouble as Paul and Barnabas did in carrying on his mission. Rathat Iconium. Being driven out of any town did not cause these missionaries to say: "We have reason senough now to hurry back to Antioch and safety." Rather, they went forward to Lystra and risen Nazarene. Indeed the went forward to Lystra and and risen Nazarene. Indeed, the daughter Katheryn were in St. sought opportunities of telling the occasion was well used to propeople who would listen about the claim the Gospel again. long expected Messiah who had come.

The usual approach in the different cities was through the been driven out—to stir up the day afternoon.

Synagogue services but none and Lystrians against these men to Miss Mildred synagogue services but none ap-whom sacrifice had nearly been catur is spending the week with Lystra. Meetings were accordingly held in the open, wherever to stone Paul, who was then Among the listeners, there was converte stood short There has and Mrs. Tim Lacey and particular eagerness. He had other miracle rose up in full Mrs. Harold Lacey amazed to hear that by spiritual boul and Ray helped Mrs. Fay Taylor cook wound. Christ, fullness of strength could on their God-called mission. come, and he would be just like others in ability to go about on

As he heard he began to believe. That faith manifested itself day after a week's visit with in a changed countenance, which their parents, T. J. Rose and fam-when Paul noted, encouraged the ily. Mr. and Mrs. Rose accompreacher to command in His panied them as far as Mattoon. name, "Stand upright on thy feet." Instanly the cripple a week end visitor in the home of "leaped up and walked." Faith Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Tull.

found its expression in obedience. The throng standing about ed Sunday evening with Mr. and recognized that a wondrous mir- Mrs. William Guinn. ways recognized or not there is a ternoon. religious sense in each. The Lyssuch as are described in both Strasburg. Greek and Roman mythology. At once the people, aware of the E. D. Tull and daughter, Mrs. W. superhuman event that had just H. Gaddis, Mrs. G. Tull and L. W. agreement that their gods were on Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Tull Friday toon. actually and actively in their evening. midst in the persons of Paul and

either because Barnabas was the better built man, for we know that Paul was inferior in appearance, or because Paul as spokesman could not be thought of as the leading personage, so he was styled Mercury—the messenger.

THE SULLIVAN PROGRESS

Credit must be given to the local priests for their quick action in bringing garlands for decorations and oxen for a worth-while Mighty purpose to continue tions and oxen for a worth-while sacrifice to these visiting deities.

Was not a quitter as John Mark while in popular favor and then

> och in Pisidia and Iconium, places in Sullivan. from which Paul had recently dragged outside the city where he day with Mrs. John Warren. converts stood about, Paul by ansons spent Tuesday with Mr. and cutting his hand Wednesday were Sunday visitors with Mr. strength. The city was quietly en-Paul and Barnabas went forward for corn shellers Wednesday.

QUIGLEY

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Martin returned to their home in Chicago Sun-Miss Eva Tull of Windsor was

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Sitler visit-

very presence. The healed man Lenna, Mrs. Charles Goddard and Lenna, Mrs. Charles Goddard and Mrs.

was a well-known character, al- daughter Mary Rose, Mrs. S. D. ways to be seen in the market Tull and niece Eva Tull called on place as a beggar, because he was Mrs. Ed Martin who is visiting at Davis. a life-long cripple. Whether al- the T. J. Rose home, Thursday af-

Mr. and Mrs. William Guinn trians had a pantheon of Gods, spent Sunday with relatives in and Miss Dora Meade helped Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Taylor, Mrs.

Dean, little son of Mr. and Mrs.

Mrs. William Shuck still remains quite poorly.

Miss Lenna Banks was an over Sunday visitor with Mrs. Lucy Gaddis.

Willis Walker and family of Windsor spent Sunday with Mrs. Walker's sister, Mrs. Silas Ringo

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Tull were Sunday visitors with her sister, Mrs. A. W. Ringo and family of Stewardson.

Mrs. T. J. Rose and Mrs. Chas. Goddard assisted Mrs. Anderson mother. in preparing dinner for threshers

MERRITT

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Durr and

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wilson and Jealous Jews came from Anti-children spent Monday afternoon

Will Martin shelled corn Tues-Miss Mildred Chandler of De

Mrs. Herman Ray spent Tues

John Bathe and family, Mr. and Mrs. Vern Campbel and Mr. ter a few weeks visit with relaand Mrs. Earl Campbell spent tives in Minnesota. Tuesday afternoon in Decatur. Harold Lacey spent Wednes-day morning in Lovington on

business. Mr. and Mrs. Will Poland spent

Mrs. Victor Landers. Miss Mary Cutright visited last Mrs. Chester Ledbetter. veek with Mrs. Clifford Davis. Victor Landers and family

spent Wednesday evening with Bethany.

James Landers and family.

Will a

Mrs. Ross Thomas spent Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. C.

Mrs. Ed Durr, Mrs. Henry Jenne, Mrs. John Bolton, Mrs. Ross Thomas, Mrs. Herman Ray Dean Pickle cook for threshers

dren and Miss Mary Cutright family. taken place, shouted in their Tull and family of Windsor called spent Saturday afternoon in Mat-

Ray Wilson in cooking for thresh- several days with relatives.

Sunday School Lesson Barnabas. They called Barna- Silas Ringo was quite sick last ers Saturday: Mrs. Ross Thomas, Ray, Mrs. Fay Taylor, Mrs. Reuben Bilbrey, Mrs. Henry Ray, Mrs. Myrtle Chandler, Mrs. Ed Durr

and Mrs. Wilbur Ballard. ter spent Saturday with Mrs.

Tim Lacey. Mr. and Mrs. Dean Pickle and Sullivan were callers Friday af-

and son of Gordon City, Mo., has night.

been visiting Albion Mattox and

Mr. and Mrs. Will Webb sepnt

Miss Emma Isaacs spent Wednesday with Freda and Rozetta Howard Burges near Lovington.

days with Miss Elta Collins of this week with Mr. and Mrs. O. Sulivan last week.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Isaacs were Mr. and Mri. family spent Sunday in Sullivan Charles Henry of Mattoon, Mr. and Mrs. Ruel Storms of Wind-Mrs. Ruel Storms of Wind-Mrs. Harley W. sor, Jim Henry of Detroit, Michigan, Arthur Isaacs of Decatur.

were Sunday visitors while working in the elevator. It and Mrs. L. C. Horn. Ray Wilson, Mrs. Herman required 5 stitches to close the Mrs. Jeff Outhouse

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rose return-ternoon. ed to their home here Sunday af-

Several friends and neighbors attended the funeral of Mrs. J. G. Spencer at Windsor Monday.

Mrs. Harve Ledbetter of Pierson and Mrs. Caudia Worsham Tuesday evening with Mr. and and daughter Nancy Ann of Chiago spent Saturday with Mr. and

> John Sharp attended the Sharp Will and Susie Sampson spent

Pete Taylor shelled corn Wed-Sunday with Orval Bragg and Mrs. Earl Cochran and children

spent ast week with her father, David Kirkendoll.

Mr. and Mrs. Odd Niles of Mattoon spent Sunday here. Mrs. Jessie Sampson spent Sat-

urday afternoon with Mrs. Arthur Ruby and Doris Sharp are visit-Mrs. Clifford Davis and chil- ing with Mrs. Roe Sharp and

-Mrs. Louis Messmore went The following assisted Mrs. to Kirksville Sunday and spent

CUSHMAN

Mrs. Fred Foster and Mrs. Alwith Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Sheeks. of Agriculture, who will visit all former's niece, Mrs. Wm. Oye.

day evening. Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Cummins of opening of the fairs.

Foster spent Saturday evening cants on the fair grounds. Tuesday evening with Mr. and with Mr. and Mrs. Harley Wood.
Mrs. Will Martin.

With Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Cummings spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Poisel and Miss Ina Stone spent a few son of Decatur spent several days C. Monroe and other friends, then

A. Foster. Mr. and Mrs. Leo Murphy and

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Wood vis-

and Mrs. Mel Fultz. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Foster spent

Sunday in Sullivan with Mr. and Roe Sharp had misfortune of Mrs. Albert Myers. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Valentine

Mrs. Jeff Outhouse called on Mrs. Jess Cummings Monday af-

Mrs. N. H. Wood spent Monday with Mrs. John Bathe.

Mrs. Ernest Martin spent Tuesday with Mrs. John Batne.

-The Women's Missionary society of the Christian church met Thursday with Mrs. Myrtle Loveless with Mrs. Guy Kellar leader.

-Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Kuster of Decatur spent Saturday and family reunion Sunday near Sunday with relatives in this

MONEY to Loan

I would like to make some small real estate loans. Parties interested inquire.

J. A. WEBB

STATE INSPECTORS WILL VISIT ALL COUNTY FAIRS and granddaughter

The first of the state inspectors, Nichols went to Tuscola Sunday Misses Zelma and Anna Belle of the county fairs of the state,

Inspectors will guard against son and Mr. and Mrs. Ross Thom-ternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Fred gambling on fair grounds, against ness trip to Atwood Monday. objectionable shows and co-oper-

> Monday and spent the beginning of the week with Mr. and Mrs. B.

Thursday of last week in Mattoon working under the Department and are spending a week with the -Mrs. Jessie Miller left Thurs-

Mrs. Harold Lacey and daughDevore were Mattoon visitors Frihave received instructions and day for Granite City to spend will take up their duties with the about three weeks with Mr. and Mrs. George Miller.

-Mrs.

-B. C. Monroe made a busi-

Miss Marie Brackney and sister B. Martin and family in Sullivan. Misses Gertie and Ethel Randol ate in every way with the fair of- Ruth accompanied their grand-Mr and Mrs. Sherman Hale were Lovington callers Saturday ficials. Under the law fair asso- mother, Mrs. William Waggoner, ciations given state aid must not when she returned to Decatur Mr. and Mrs. Lafe Dixon of allow gambling devices, objection- Monday, after having attended Arthur and Mr. and Mrs. Fred able shows or the sale of intoxi- the Waggoner reunion Sunday, and are spending a week in that

—Mrs. Maria Walker and daughter Freda of Urbana came Decatur visitor Saturday and Sunday.

-Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Weger went to their farm near this city visited with his brother, Frank and spent the rest of the week. Weger in Vandalia Sunday.

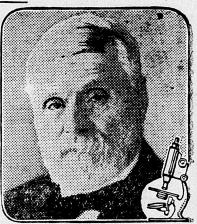
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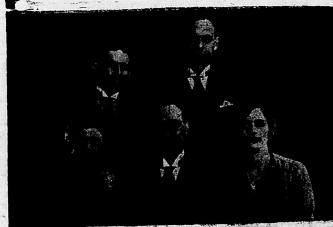
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Freeland Grove

PROGRAM

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FRIDAY, AUGUST 17

2:30 p. m.—Play, "Mr. Pim Passes By" ___ Merton Dramatic Company 7:30 p. m.—Play, "The Taming of the Shrew"._Merton Dramatic Co.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 18

2:30 p. m.—Entertainment Program....The LaBert Boggs Company 3:00 p. m.—Concert _____The Serenaders Orchestra 7:30 p. m.—Entertainment Program____The LaBert Boggs Company 8:00 p. m.—Concert _____The Serenaders Orchestra

SUNDAY, AUGUST 19

2:30 p. m.—Miscellaneous program_____Randall Entertainers 7:30 p. m.—Miscellaneous Program _____Randall Entertainers 8:00 p. m .- Lecture, "Fiddling While the World Burns" -----Dr. Ira Landrith

MONDAY, AUGUST 20

2:30 p. m.—Concert _____The Carolina Jubilee Singers 7:30 p. m.—Prelude_____The Carolina Jubilee Singers 8:30 p. m.—Lecture, "Can Science Save the World?" --- Dr. Roy Smith

TUESDAY, AUGUST 21

2:30 p. m.—Concert_____Magnus Schutz Concert Company 7:30 p. m.—Prelude_____Magnus Schutz Concert Company 8:30 p. m.—Lecture-Recital _____Sidney W. Landon

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ROY L. SMITH

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His style is unique. Action characterizes every moment he is before an audience. You get the impression that he is a man of boundless energy and enthusiasm. He speaks with unusual rapidity but with perfect enunciation.

as I was leaving was not that you

about in a mind suddenly empty

for the words I wanted to say.

could hardly feel it through my

And no mortal eyes could be-

telling their secrets. One of

After a while a great owl hooted

THE END

The condition of Police Magis-

And then I became aware of

They simply wouldn't come.



anything against Southley. Even now what the Haywards were." my father couldn't have proved his claim in a test, and he's dead. Let me go, Ahmad. Don't raise your talons against me."

The wild flow of words died away, and for an instant the form in the shadow halted. Then it moved slowly forward again.

me go!"

ander's breath against my ear. "You heard, didn't you, Long?" he whispered.

"Yes-"Then the work is done."

the chandeliers came down. Be-fore us, stripped of all delusion, Ahmad Das rested on his hands found him out. He adopted the and feet on the floor. He held his name of Roderick, and sent out body low, his legs almost straight, inquiries for this Andrew Lasson. to give the effect of length. Over him, in a rather ingenious way, paid a year after we found him, was thrown a great, tawny tiger and of course Lasson—or Southskin. The four legs were fasten- ley as we call him now-was to ed with some simple device to his pay the reward. He came here at ankles and wrists, and the great last, with his vicious son, and the head, filled out with some light work of blackmail began. They substance, rested on his.

Hayward's neck!"

ward's neck," he said. "The real again and again. And even to-murderer of Hayward slipped day he wouldn't be free if it hadthe play. I've got the real murderer of Haywaro dead down in "Ahmad the boat."

thought I could possibly learn.

mal lay therein—a creature large the rest—his propensities toward after all the other mistakes I've tipation. Aids in eliminating as the largest hound, yellow, with creeping around on his hands and sports of black. It worst of them Toxins and is highly esteemed for DECATUR, spots of black. It was a powerful spots and whiteanimal, long-lawed and whitenerhans a believer in the theory of you." fanged; and my breath stopped perhaps a believer in the theory at the sight of it.

"A tiger?" I demanded. "Tiger, nothing!" Alexander ceived an idea that I don't think answered. "You ought to be most Anglo-Saxons would have "The enough of a naturalist to know ever thought of.

we have to tell the coroner's jury tomorrow afternoon. If you reof the tiger legend.

something about it. part of the State as this. Long, jaguar into the house; but it was you see here what is probably the a simple matter to rig up that last of the Florida jaguars-a tiger skin. Every day he put a creature as heavy as a leopard, piece of meat out on a certain and one of the strongest jawed flat rock on the hillside. It was-nt and shouldered in the world.

I tell you the rest of it, I might Ahmad Das got blood stains on as well say that this big cat was his shirt carrying it down there. the base on which Ahmad and And it wasn't any time at all un-Southley worked out their plot, til they got that big cat so that They knew about this jaguar.

"I'll tell you Ahmad," he cried. England-Southley and Ahmad to pretend that the lighting plant struck Vilas. And the reason "I'll tell you all. I'm Strumburg, saw a chance to take advantage of was broken. The faint light of that you told the detective of my just as you said and a fugitive this big, tawny creature in the candles gave just the proper at- quarrel with Hayward that day from justice, too. And I haven't swamp. I suppose you know by mosphere.

answered.

Alexander gritted his teeth. "You've taken plenty long to guess it, but you're right at last.

"Their real name is Strumburg. They are crooks themselves. The elder Strumburg was a confeder-"I tell you I'll go away, and ate in crime in Southley's own Freeman would have had poor never return again. We never had youth. I use the word guardedly, any real proofs. Ahmad! Let Long, and I think it is true. I haven't any doubt but that South- for murder by now—mentally, at And at that instant I felt Alex- ley's early life wouldn't bear investigation. But that doesn't matter now. It's a joy, my boy, to to be involved in this affair at all? come to the aid of one who has come to his own aid. Southley for you?" rose above that other life.

I felt the stir as his arm reached up to an electric switch on the a particularly reckless crime. It wall. He pressed it. Unknown to me, the wrecked lighting plant financially, he says; but yet the had been repaired. All the great hue and cry that was raised scared chandeliers of the library flashed him from his criminal ways. A man was shot, and though there The first impression was blind- were extenuating circumstances. ness. But as my eyes became ad- he certainly would have gone to justed to the sudden glare, I knew prison for twenty years at least, at least part of the truth at last. according to the way men were The form of the tiger had been sentenced in those days. First he most real and convincing at the edge of the dim and ineffective made his fortune. Then he came candlelight. But it was no more to America, as Andrew Lasson. terrible than the counterfeit gir- And all the time he lived in deadly affes that the clowns parade in a fear that the long arm of the circus ring, when the glare from British law would reach out for

told old Southley-in the gray I leaped and seized Alexander's twilight of his days-what to expect in case he didn't come

"Good Heavens!" I yelled in through with their demands. They said they had proofs that "That's only part of it. That would put him back in prison. insane hoax couldn't have broken The terror of his long years came back as never before, and he did-But Alexander wriggled out of n't have the strength and judgment to fight it any longer. Old "Of course it didn't break Hay- age was upon him. He gave way,

"Ahmad Das is a mystic. Long, you're a doctor, and you don't be-"
"I found it out tonight."
"Day were a doctor, and you don't be-"
"I found it out tonight."
"Day were a doctor, and you don't be-"
"The were a docto Alexander Pierce spent most of lieve in prenatal influence. You the rest of the evening answering questions. There were more that Almad Das's mother was atthings to find out than ever I tacked by a tiger, that the crearought I could possibly learn. ture died when Ahmad Das was First he took us down to the born—and it is true that Ahmad providing means of ever seeing boat beside the water, and lifted the tarpaulin that covered the tarpaulin that covered the thing in the bottom. A dead animal lay therein—a creature lower than a creature lowe of reincarnation of souls; and the than a whisper when she answer-

enough of a naturalist to know that a tiger has stripes. This beast has spots. He weighs two hundred pounds, and a tiger twice as much. Besides, you don't find tigers in that it might draw attention to southern Florida. It's plain to me, old Doc Long, that you don't know the history of Florida very well."

"Evidently I don't. I don't romember reading about such a creature as this—"

"Please speak respectfully of the past life of Southley bought those clothes—paid for their cars. Other things were planned for this winter. So Ahmad Das contains the couldn't kill the poorer clay", I told her sadly. They exposed me—a doubting and suspicious man, and a blind man, too. One who is unable to believe in his finer instincts. Of course I see now why you brought the pistol in your vanity bag. Tell me, Josephine! It was for no other reason than to protect yourself from Vilas Hayward if worse came to worst?"

"I don't believe you are done that a couldn't kill the poorer clay", I told her sadly. They want that it might draw attention to the past life of Southley. He knew that Southley couldn't satiate their rapacious appetites. They would cling and suck till the last cent was gone. Southley bought those clothes—paid for their cars. Other things were planned for this winter. So Ahmad Das contained the poorer clay", I told her sadly. They exposed me—a doubting and suspicious man, and a blind man, too. One who is unable to believe in his finer instincts. Of course I see now why you brought the pistol in your vanity bag. Tell me, Josephine! It was for no other reason than to protect yourself from Vilas Hayward if worse came to worst?"

"I don't believe you are done

member, there was a time when Southern Florida was still the Halman it man had all the manager of the blackmail your father paid. You were part of the blackmail your father paid. You were part of the paid. You were part of the paid. Southern Florida was still the home of the jaguars—the great—the plan. This jaguar—a tawny of silence, and you submitted because you realized something of the plan. This jaguar—a tawny I remembered that I had heard streak in the jungle, and leaving the power that the Haywards held its tracks in the mud—was of over your father. What your "Most of them were extermin- course his greatest card. His own father told the detective—that ated a good many years ago. You natural feline grace and Hay-you were to be Vilas's wife—was can still find 'em in a few remote ward's naturally superstitious na-from compulsion, not from choice regions in Southern Texas. I ture were cards, too. Wicked supposed myself that they were men usually are superstitious. Of all gone here—even in such a wild course Ahmad couldn't get the couldn't come to my defense that human blood and flesh you saw

"And since you won't rest till there. It was good red beef; and he stayed around the jungle at the When Hayward and his son the base of the hill. The inside bore down upon them here—after work couldn't be done in the tracing them all the way from bright light, so it was necessary

"I'm crazy about the whole were afraid Vilas would be impli-"Blackmailers, of course," I scheme, Long. It worked out to cated, but why was it Josephine?" perfection except for one thing. Nobody had counted on the jagu- me that. You've thought ill of ty hospital. ar killing Hayward."

"What were you doing with that shirt—and the beef blood?" "Yes "Simply making the necessary tests-so as to prove my story to the jury tomorrow. If I hadn't Ahmad—the most faithful soul in the world-convicted and hung least."

"And, lastly, how did you come Did you come just because I sent along my arm, so light that I

"I'm a private detective, Long," was the quiet answer. "I don't work for the State, although the then I found myself whirling, and Ada Ault. State employs me sometimes. speaking breathless words. Southley himself wrote for me to come—to help him out. I told him I couldn't at first—that was did?" some weeks ago—but I knew a heart—" I pleaded. "Oh, sweetyoung man that would be the greatest assistance to him in the lieve the change in her that came nour of need. That young man when I spoke these words. It had been in two or three bad was one of the miracles of these messes before—the affair at Wild- latter days. At first she simply marsh, and the story of the cobra waited—as if for me to continue. curse, and the Mole. Southley had And then after a while, she made met the young man in a visit in me an answer. Part of it was Tampa, and he liked him. So the just words. Part was the look next day this young chappie—and that the moonlight showed on her what a bone-head he has been- face. But what was by a thousgot a letter from Southley asking and times the biggest part, the him down for a week's shooting, part no human being could have fishing, and rest. He was a doc- been hopeful enough to belive, r, and his name was Long."

Was a thing that her arms did.

And then tor, and his name was Long."

He packed his bag in silence, and was rowed over to the railroad between us and the marshes; and track whence he could go to the the marshes are famous for not

When midnight hung still and their secrets is a ring that Vilas mysterious over the water world, had given Josephine; and it lies Josephine and I found ourselves in the mud of their bottom today. done on the great veranda.

"Let's walk down to the water's and called from the island, hopedge," she suggested. "It's dry- ing to repeat his triumph of a few ing up so quickly. It will be gone nights before. But Josephine in a few days more." a few days more."
"And I will be gone, too," I to laugh at him.

told her. She walked in front of me,

down the narrow path. And I JUDGE KELLIGAR was struggling for words that wouldn't come. "Did you know, Miss Southley,

one over on us—improvised some of the real hero of business that wasn't written in Southley Downs—his servant Ahher at last.

"Do you see what that means? Mrs. Susan Roney of this city.

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all—the ones that hurt most—are producing copious watery evacua

"They hurt me, too." "They showed me up as the

"Please speak respectfully of this winter. So Ahmad Das conceived of the desperate scheme of have left him alive, but we'll need him for proof of that wild story the have respectfully of this winter. So Ahmad Das conceived of the desperate scheme of scaring the Strumburgs—or the haywards as they called them the state by means that I was so afraid—

from compulsion, not from choice She nodded.

"And for the same reason you night in the den-when I had

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Mrs. Loren Porter of Lovington spent Friday with Joe Dickson and family.

Florence Armstrong of Springfield is visiting her grandfather, S. R. Ward.

Mrs. Alfred Thompson is visiting in Decatur with Keith Redman and family. Mr. and Mrs. Otis Giffordand YELLON

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Estes of Decatur spent the week end with T. WITH THE A. Dickson and family. Mr. and Mrs. Butler Tudor

visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Perry Taylor near Lovington. Mrs. Emma Selders became suddenly ill Sunday afternoon "I don't think you should ask and was taken to the Macon coun-

me—so many times. The reason Miss Aileen Dickson visited several days last week with Mrs. Joe Wood at Sullivan.

"That I wanted you to stay, Dr. Mr. and Mrs. Will Winings and daughters Florence and Valeria, visited Sunday afternoon with We were silent a long time. Mrs. Lottie Watson. And all the while I was searching

Mr. and Mrs. James Ivy and children of Clairmont visited Sunday with Steve Sallings and fam-

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Boyd of something rapturous past words Kenney spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wood. to tell. Something was stealing

Mrs. Walter Lovejoy and children of Decatur are guests of coat sleeve, and finally it nestled at the hollow of my elbow. And Mrs. Charles Sherman and Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Ault, "You'll forgive me, Josephine all those things I said—and Marion Keyes and family and Vernie Winings and family attended the Tohill reunion at Mat-

toon Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. T .F. Winings visited with H. E. Howell and family near Findlay, Sunday. Oscar Dickson and family of

Decatur were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dickson. Roy Dickson and family of Decatur spent the week end with

Howard Woodall and family. Mr. and Mrs. Chester Dickson and daughter June, Mrs. Joe Dickson and daughters Sylvia and Aileen visited with Mrs. Emma Selders at the Macon county hos-

pital Monday afternoon.

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