

With prohibition saved—why not a law against gossip

The devil must have had a vacation during the campaign.

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Death's Call Comes To Catherine Davis; Victim of Stove Gas

Succumbs to Fumes Inhaled While Asleep Several Weeks Ago. Was Mother of Eight Sons. Leaves 69 Descendants.

Mrs. Catherine Davis, aged 89, died Friday morning at the home of her son Lew Davis at Bethany.

She was the third victim of gas escaping from a hard coal stove. On the night of October 29th to 30th, Mrs. Davis, her sister, Mrs. Emaline Davis and their brother in law Felix LeSeure retired as usual to their rooms in their small Bethany home. During the day they had put up a stove in the living room. They did not know much about a stove of that kind. They may have noticed that gas was escaping, but if they did, paid little heed to it.

None of the three awoke the following morning. Later in the day Lew Davis called on his mother. He found the door locked. Neighbors reported that they had seen no sign of life around the Davis home.

The door was broken down and the home entered. It was filled with gas and three aged occupants were found in bed, overcome by the fumes which they had inhaled during their sleep.

Mrs. Emaline Davis, aged 83 was dead. Felix LeSeure aged 79 died a few days later.

Mrs. Catherine Davis was taken to the home of her son Lew and all that was possible was done to save her. She recovered consciousness and there was hopes that she might rally from the effects of the deadly gas. Shortly before the tragedy she had returned from Indiana where she visited her son Cyrus and family. They were at her bedside Sunday, a week ago. She recognized them and rejoiced that they had come.

From Sunday on she started getting weaker and at 8 o'clock Friday morning she answered the Master's call.

She was born in Clark county, Illinois May 21, 1839. In 1859 she was united in marriage with John W. Davis, who preceded her in death.

To Mr. and Mrs. Davis were born eight sons, seven of whom survive. They are: Henry and T. G. (Tobe) Davis of Decatur, Cyrus Davis of Indiana, G. W. (Green) Davis who resides southwest of this city, Elra Davis of Chicago and Lew and Mack Davis of Bethany. One son, Eck Davis died last year.

The husbands of Mrs. Emaline Davis and Mrs. Cathrine Davis were cousins.

Besides the seven sons, Mrs. Catherine Davis leaves 30 grandchildren and 32 great grandchildren. One of the big annual events in the Davis family have been the yearly reunions where all would gather around the aged grandmother to renew acquaintances and cement closer the bonds of relationship.

Mrs. Davis was proud of her eight stalwart sons, as well might any mother be who had made such a contribution to her country. She was a devout Christian and a member of the Christian church at Bethany.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon in the Christian church at Bethany with Rev. B. F. Yancey in charge.

The remains were borne to their last resting place in Bethany cemetery by her six grandsons, Melvin, Dale, Omer, Cleo, Orrie and Ernest Davis.

LEGIONNAIRES ATTENDED DISTRICT MEETING AT CLINTON, SUNDAY

The following local people attended the Legion district meeting held Sunday at Clinton: Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hankla, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Gibbon, Ray Yeakle, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis David, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Scheer, Albert Brown, Roy Light, Roy Fitzgerald and Clarence Miller.

Sullivan's famous Dutch band was a part of the local delegation.

—WOMEN'S FANCY BOOTS, AT \$2.35 TO \$3.98. COY SHOE STORE.

LOVINGTON LAND CHANGES OWNERSHIP

Jasper Dyer, Charles J. Dyer and wife and John R. Dyer and wife last week deeded to John Winskill some farm land in Lovington township and he in turn deeded part of it to W. M. Mansfield. The consideration for the West 1/2 of the northwest 1/4 of Sec. 25, T. 15, R. 6 was \$15,000.

NEW PRESBYTERIAN PASTOR WILL START SERVICE HERE SUN.

Rev. J. C. Irvine who was recently called to the pastorate of the local Presbyterian church will be here to assume his new duties Sunday.

Sunday school will be held at the usual hour in charge of Superintendent J. L. McLaughlin.

Following Sunday school, the church services will be conducted by Rev. Irvine. The topic for his morning's sermon will be "Who's Who in Church."

At the night service he will speak on "Christ or Chaos." The Christian and M. E. congregations will join with the Presbyterians at the night service as a way of welcoming the new pastor to this community.

Red Cross Deserves Your Enrollment And Hearty Support

The Greatest Agency in Existence for Giving Aid to Suffering Humanity in Time of Disaster. Annual Roll-call Now on.

If a disaster, such as a tornado or other catastrophe should hit this community, there is one friend at hand to give aid. That is the Red Cross.

Before any other organization could arrive on the scene the local Red Cross would be in charge of affairs and assistance from the nearest divisional headquarters would respond instantly with those things needed to care for the victims in distress.

For many years this American Red Cross has been the angel of mercy, ready to minister to the wounded and the dying; bringing relief in the form of nurses, medicine, food, clothing and shelter to those who have been victims of disaster.

No other agency has done so much for humanity. None other attempts to do as much for disaster relief work as is the specialty of this organization.

Because we know not when we will need relief of this kind it behooves us to become a part of this great organization; to encourage it in its noble work and to proudly claim membership as one of its own.

The Red Cross membership campaign is now in progress in the county. The call is to enlist. The cost for a year's dues is only \$1.00.

In Moultrie county W. R. Robinson is director of this membership campaign or annual roll-call.

Supplies have been sent to the various branches of Moultrie county chapter. The solicitors are urged to get busy and do their share of the task.

They go forth seeking memberships knowing that the cause is worthy and none can be more so.

In Sullivan the American Legion will solicit the business section of the city and the Household Science Club will do the house to house solicitation.

Moultrie county has within recent years received aid from the Red Cross. More money was sent in here to aid the hail-stricken farmers than has ever been sent out in peace times.

Let us show our gratitude for what has been done. Let us lend encouragement to this great organization.

When the solicitors ask you for your \$1.00 enrollment fee give it gladly, give it willingly. You can't possibly spend a dollar in a better way.

Enroll now in the American Red Cross.

COMMITTEE TO INVESTIGATE PROPOSED CREAM POOL

The proposed plan whereby the cream producers would see their product co-operatively will be investigated by a committee consisting of Ralph Emel, Guy Kellar and J. E. Righter. The outline of the plan provides that the farmers pool their cream and sell by yearly contract, at higher prices than realized at present, as it would eliminate several middlemen.

FOOTBALL BOYS ELECT OFFICERS AT S. T. H. S.

The football association of the High school has elected William Hostetter president and William Elder vice president. Wayne Smith was elected to the student council.

Clyde Freeman has been elected captain of the basketball team and Vern Righter was chosen as property manager.

Just Waiting for the Door To Open

By Albert T. Reid



HERBERT BRENON'S "SORRELL AND SON" COMES TO THE GRAND

"Sorrell and Son" a picturization of the current novel by Warwick Deeping, comes to the Grand Theatre Thursday and Friday, November 22-23. It is a story of father love and son devotion, a story of England during the post-war period when heroes came home only to find their peace-time jobs appropriated by stay-at-homes. "Capt. Stephen Sorrell" was one of these heroes. His subsequent struggles against countless obstacles to provide an education for his boy make the picture extremely dramatic and deserving of its classification as one of the outstanding films of recent years. H. B. Warner, who plays the part of Capt Sorrell, is well known for his portrayal of Christ in "King of Kings."

TWO SULLIVAN TEAMS GOT TRIMMING IN OPENING OF BASKETBALL SEASON

Despite Harry Neville's wild scoring and Dennis' usually good playing, the Sullivan Independent basketball team went down to defeat before the Morans of Decatur at the Armory Wednesday night. At the half the score was 13 to 13, but the final showed 27 to 24 in favor of the visitors. Of Sullivan's score 16 points are credited to Harry Neville, the STHS ag teacher.

Preceding the big game a bunch of Decatur confectionery boys swamped the Armory team in a curtain raiser by a 24 to 9 score.

The big game tally sheet shows the following:

	FG	FT	TP
Decatur			
Millikin, f	5	1	11
Bowman, f	0	0	0
Madden, f	1	0	2
Lowery, c	0	0	4
Bishop, g	2	0	4
Long, g	3	0	6
Milligan, g	0	0	0
W. Neville, g	0	0	0
Total	13	1	27
Sullivan			
H. Neville, f	7	2	16
Gould, f	0	0	0
Nedden, f	1	0	2
Dennis, c	1	4	6
Heinsch, g	0	0	0
Edman, g	0	0	0
Total	9	6	24

Referee, Klem, Wisconsin. Umpire, Woods.

T. A. SCOTT ADMR. OF J. B. YOUNGER ESTATE

After Mrs. Younger relinquished her right to act as administrator of the estate of the late J. B. Younger of Bethany, T. A. Scott was named in that capacity and gave bond in the sum of \$25,000.

BOX SUPPER AT CUSHMAN

Ernest Martin, teacher, announces a box supper at the Cushman school on the night of Friday, November 23rd. This school is on Route 32 and very easy to get to. Everybody is cordially invited.

Wife of W. L. Rhodes Called to Her Final Rest Saturday Night

Was Ideal Wife and Mother and Leaves Large Concourse of Sorrowing Friends.

Mary Frances Rhodes, wife of W. L. Rhodes passed away at her home 1902 West Jefferson St., at 10:30 p. m. Nov. 10. Her death was due to paralysis having had her last stroke some eight days ago.

Mrs. Rhodes was 79 years of age and was a member of one of the early pioneer families of this part of Illinois.

Mary Frances Sharp fourth daughter of Robert and Milbra Sharp was born and lived for a number of years in what was known as the Sharp community, seven miles northwest of Sullivan. She was a member of a large family, eight brothers and sisters all of whom have preceded her in death except one brother, Joseph E. Sharp of Omaha, Neb., and two sisters, Mrs. Jack Sampson and Mrs. Wm. Cole of Bethany.

She was married to W. L. Rhodes Nov. 3, 1870. To this union four children were given, M. H. Rhodes and Mrs. Earl Freeland of Bethany, Lute Rhodes of Berkeley, California and Verge Rhodes of Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

Mrs. Rhodes was probably best known in and around Bethany, having spent the greater part of her life there. Mr. and Mrs. Rhodes moved to Sullivan some eight years ago. Mrs. Rhodes was known by her friends as a Christian woman, modest and kind.

She was generous to a fault and charitable to the views of others. The "Golden Rule" was her motto—Harmony and justice the foundation of her religion. She stood high in her own community the best index to character.

Her life was truly a bright example for all who knew her. Earnest, square and true to every obligation.

Mrs. Rhodes was a member of the First Presbyterian church of Sullivan.

Short funeral services were held Monday afternoon at the family home in this city, conducted by Rev. Kelley of the Bethany Presbyterian church. The remains were then taken to the church in Bethany where concluding services were held. Burial was in Bethany cemetery. Casket bearers were Will Wilkinson, K. Starr and Steve Dillinger of Bethany, Sam Hall, Arlo Chapin and Dave Cummins of this city.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Leslie Sharp and wife have filed a deed placing title in Elsie Sharp to lots 3, 4, 5 of block 2 of R. M. Magill's 2nd addition to Sullivan.

The consideration was \$300.

D. G. Warren has for \$1100 sold property in Bethany to Dale Warren.

LEGION AUXILIARY ELECTED OFFICERS AND CHOSE DELEGATES

At a meeting Saturday night the American Legion Auxiliary elected the following officers for the ensuing year:

President—Mrs. Theo. Sona. First Vice pres.—Mrs. Ruth Larson.

Second Vice Pres.—Mrs. Jessie Gibbon. Treasurer—Mrs. Ruth Campbell.

Secretary—Mrs. Leone Miller. Chaplain—Mrs. Rose Lewis. Historian—Mrs. Ruth Billman. Sergeant at Arms—Mrs. Lois McIlwain.

Publicity—Mrs. Eather Martin. Musician—Mrs. Susan Roney. Delegates to the district convention at Mattoon November 22 are Mrs. Theo. Sona, Mrs. Ruth Larson, Mrs. Jessie Gibbon, Mrs. Lois McIlwain, Mrs. Eather Martin and Mrs. Leone Miller.

COMMANDERY WILL CONFER DEGREES ON NINE, NOVEMBER 19

At a special conclave called by Gil W. Barnard Commandery No. 74 for Monday night November 19th the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross will be conferred on the following candidates: Kenneth S. Roughton, Alva L. Wilt, John E. Harmon, L. W. McMullin, Fred B. Wood, Carl A. G. Heerd, Leroy Taylor, George I. Elder and Ollie R. Gaddis.

JUDGE COCHRAN 84 YEARS OLD WORKS ON BIRTHDAY

Tuesday was the 84th birthday anniversary of Judge W. G. Cochran. The Judge observed the event by going to Tuscola in the morning and representing a client in a law suit there. After his return he spent the rest of the day in his office. His son Archie of Springfield came to spend the day with his father.

The judge is a busy man, looking after the legal affairs of his old friends to many of whom he has been a counselor in many lines of activity for a period of more than a half century.

HOME-COMING FESTIVITIES OF MASONS A BIG SUCCESS

More than 180 plates were laid Wednesday night at the annual home-coming festivities of the Sullivan Masons. Many of those in attendance were from out of town.

The banquet was served by the Loyal Daughters class of the Christian church.

TABOR BACK HOME

J. B. Tabor who was taken to the hospital in Decatur last week had sufficiently recovered to be removed to his home here Wednesday.

—Miss Retta Webb of Decatur spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Magill.

—H. R. Fields of Chicago was a Sunday guest at the L. C. Lovelless home.

SEW-A-BIT CLUB MAKES DONATION TO LIBRARY BOOK FUND

The Sew-a-Bit club of this city has shown a most generous and public-spirited attitude by voting to give \$20 of its funds to the public library to be used for the purchase of new books.

Mrs. Carmen Patterson, the treasurer presented a check for this amount to city clerk George A. Roney Tuesday. This money is being placed in a special fund for use in purchasing books.

The regular funds of the library do not permit of such expenditure as only about \$200 is left at the present time which must suffice to run the library until tax money is available next Spring.

Unmasked Robber Makes Profitable Oil Station Touch

Young Man Gets Prompt Financial Service from Olaf McIntire. Robber Left Afoot and No Trace of Him Has Been Found.

The Standard Oil Station on Harrison street was robbed Sunday night about 9:45. The robber secured about \$53 in cash and a handful of checks. Some of these checks were later found in the yard of W. H. Chase, where they were doubtless thrown by the fleeing man.

Olaf McIntire is in charge of the station. He and Billy Crist who was visiting with him were getting ready to close the station when a man walked into the door.

In his right hand on his hip there was a revolver.

He commanded McIntire to open the cash drawer and put the money on the table. Service being the watchword of all Standard Oil employees, Mr. McIntire complied. "Now open the safe and get what's in there" said the man. Again his request was given prompt attention. After pocketing all of this cash and the checks the man took Mr. McIntire's money belt. "Now may I have a quart of oil, please" he asked in a pleasant way. Meeting with no response to this request, he backed out, at the same time telling the two men to lie down on the floor for five minutes.

They did not do this, but Mr. McIntire went to the phone and called central to turn in the police ring. As he did so he saw the man running near the Wadley Company building. If he had a car, it was parked in some other part of the city.

The man is described as being of stocky build, about 25 to 30 years of age. He did not wear a mask and appeared to be very confident of all of his actions. He knew what he wanted and how to get it and the procedure seemed not to excite him at all.

Early this week the money belt was found alongside the road southwest of this city near the I. C. tracks.

No trace of the robber has been found.

SHUCKED 170 BUSHELS CORN IN NINE HOURS

Jeff Outhouse who is tenant on the Henry Kingrey farm north of this city has hung up a corn shucking record that is something to shoot at. After averaging 130 bushels for a number of days in corn that is yielding about 65 bushels per acre. Mr. Outhouse Tuesday decided to see just what he could do if he really tried. He shucked nine hours and weighing in showed that in nine hours he had shucked 170 bushels. Can anybody report a record that will beat this.

CHRISTMAS SEALS HAVE BEEN RECEIVED

Mrs. Clyde Harris, in charge of the welfare office in the court house this week received this county's allotment of Christmas seals and is now engaged in addressing envelopes and doing other preliminary work, preparatory to starting the annual seal sale. The proceeds of the sale of these Christmas seals are used in the fight on tuberculosis.

THE LINEUP FOLLOWS:

Sullivan Adams, le -----le, Pearson Love, it -----lt, Hogue Robinson, lg -----lg, Alumbaugh Rabold, c -----c, Hanrahan Stiarwalt, rg -----rg, Elder Herten, rt -----rt, Bolin Twiss, re -----re, Taylor Lantz, rh -----rh, Sullivan Klausner, qb -----qb, Hostetter Henson, lh -----lh, Smith Kull, fb -----fb, Lundy

—FANCY BOOTS, 1 BUCKLE 2 BUCKLE AND 4 BUCKLE OVER SHOES FOR THE LITTLE FOLKS. COY SHOE STORE.

George Longwill Killed by Falling Beam at Decatur

Local Carpenter Victim of Accident While Engaged on High School Job in Decatur. Funeral Here Thursday.

George E. Longwill was fatally injured Tuesday afternoon while at work on the Johns Hill Junior high school building in Decatur. He died two hours later at the Decatur and Macon county hospital.

The fatal injuries were inflicted when a two-ton girder fell and one end of it struck his skull and crushed it. The girder was being hoisted into place on the third floor, while Mr. Longwill was working on the second. The derrick with which the hoisting was being done was not adequately anchored and some of the timbers at its base gave way, permitting the beam to drop. One end struck Longwill on the head.

Fellow workmen hurried the man to the hospital but he never regained consciousness. The accident occurred about 4 o'clock and he died at 6:05.

The accident victim was one of the best known carpenters of this city. He has been in the employ of various contractors and for a long time was a foreman for Hagerman & Harshman. Some months ago he entered the employ of contractor Roy Christy of Decatur, who had the contract for this high school building.

In order to make things more convenient, he and Mrs. Longwill moved their household furniture from this city to Decatur Saturday into a house at 246 north 13 street.

George E. Longwill, a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Longwill, was born in Dalton city, January 6, 1885. He came to this city later with his parents and except for his absences on employment made this his home. In 1907 he was united in marriage with Miss Beasley Higgins, who survives him. He also leaves his aged father, three brothers, Walter and Troy of Decatur and W. E. Longwill of Detroit. Mrs. Minnie Heacock of this city is his sister.

The remains were brought to the Heacock home Wednesday afternoon and funeral services were held at the Christian church on Thursday afternoon at 2:30 in charge of Rev. C. E. Barnett assisted by Rev. W. B. Hopper. Interment was in Greenhill cemetery. The casket bearers were Len C. Loveless, Mel Gifford, Mr. Fox, A. E. Foster, Les Atchison and Appolis Hagerman.

Mr. Longwill was a member of the Christian church, of the Odd Fellows and of the Order of Red Men.

SHELBYVILLE ELEVEN VICTOR OVER SULLIVAN IN SATURDAY'S GAME

Once again and for the last time this season the Sullivan football team brought home defeat on their return from Shelbyville Saturday afternoon.

The Shelbyville Union in reporting the game had the following to say:

"After three victories and three defeats in as many years Shelby again proved its supremacy on the gridiron Saturday by defeating its old rival, Sullivan 6 to 0. The first half of the game was played on even terms with neither team being able to advance the ball past the twenty yard line, although Lundy of Sullivan made good gains through Shelby's line.

At the start of the second half the local team seemed to have Sullivan's defense solved and were able to gain on almost every play. Klausner after two long runs reached the two yard line, and with three more attempts carried the ball over the line for a touchdown. His drop kick went wild. Sullivan came back strong but their comeback was short lived. Lantz intercepted a pass and ran to the two yard line as the game ended.

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Editorial

ONE single shaft of light,
One suggestion,
Can transform a man's whole life!
The most startling thing in the
whole universe is the change one
idea can make when it reaches
the inside of a man's head!

—ELBERT HUBBARD

LOOKING FORWARD

14,575,808
That was the vote for Al Smith
Complete tabulation will increase this figure
They say the Democratic party is dead.
Stuff and nonsense
It's about the liveliest thing in this country today.
A party that polls two-fifths of the vote of this nation
is not dead.

20,923,584
That's Hoover's vote
It's not all Republican either
Democrats voted for Hoover by the millions this year.
Why? Let's look at the reasons.
The holy war
What was that?

It was the movement participated in by 75 per cent of
Protestant preachers, who hated Al Smith mainly because
he was a Catholic.

Was that an American attitude? Was it Christian?
It was not according to the American constitution for
that specifically states that religion shall not be a test for
holding office.

As to the Christianity of one part of the Body of Christ
fighting another part—that is according to the past history
of the church but NOT according to the teaching of Christ.

You say that millions of Catholics voted for Smith be-
cause of his religion. That is not borne out by the facts.

The writer is not a Catholic but is intolerant of all re-
ligious intolerance and bigotry.

The Catholic church did NOT take a part in the politi-
cal campaign just closed. While protestant preachers raved
and ranted, while the vilest kind of accusations were dis-
seminated through the mails in such publications as the
Fellowship Forum, while Klan orators and dollar-evangel-
ists like Billy Sunday spilled their billingsgate through
every available channel, the Catholic church went its way,
dignified and unruffled, preaching and practicing its kind
of religion and letting the political religion strictly alone.

Honor to whom honor is due.
You say this is unfair and that the protestant church's
fight on Smith was because of his wet stand.

Perhaps this was partly so.
Are you satisfied with their country's present liquor
status? If you are you certainly are not for temperance,
you do not know what is going on or you are easily satis-
fied.

Prohibition as now practiced will not make this coun-
try dry—it will not make it temperate. It is breeding hy-
pocrisy and evasion of all laws. The effort at enforcement
is a joke.

That's a broad statement.
Consider for a moment those Federal prohibition en-
forcement officers whom you know personally. That's part
of the answer.

But you say a change would nullify the constitution.
Poppycock.

These same voters who were so solicitous for the 18th
amendment, voted to nullify that part of the constitution
that provides for religious freedom; down South in Texas
and Florida, in Virginia and in North Carolina where the
vote was against Smith on account of his prohibition stand
and his religion they nullify the 13th, 14th and 15th amend-
ments giving equality to negroes constantly and with im-
punity.

Getting back to the main question.
To the fourteen and one half millions that did vote for
Smith you can add a few more millions of Hoovercrats, who
will be found back in the Democratic party two years hence
And there are always a few more million of strictly in-
dependent voters who claim no party allegiance. This year
the majority of them flocked to Hoover. Some of these
voted their honest conviction and some just wanted to be
with the winner.

The Southern Democrats who kicked over the bucket
this time say they want to reorganize the party. They want
old Bill McAdoo as leader. God forbid.

The McAdoo sore-heads this year got even with Smith.
If such a calamity as McAdoo leadership should be inflicted
on Democracy the Smith adherents would gladly stick the
knife into the McAdoo leadership, and rightly so.

Those having the best interests of Democracy at heart
hope that the party is rid of both Smith and McAdoo.

There are able leaders in Democracy's ranks around
which true Jeffersonians can rally, without shame and
without excuse.

Such men are Newton D. Baker, Floyd E. Thompson,
Gov. Dan Moody of Texas, Senator Carter Glass and Gov.
Byrd of Virginia; Senator Walter George of Georgia, Gov-

ernor Ritchie of Maryland and last but not least, for he is
the greatest of them all—Franklin Roosevelt, governor-
elect of the Empire state.

We Democrats in Illinois, although we did get a real
beating this time have no reason to lose heart. Alfred E.
Smith polled 1,282,565 votes in Illinois this year. Four
years ago John W. Davis polled but 576,975. These figures
show a gain for Illinois Democracy of more than 122 per
cent. At the same time the Republicans gain over four
years ago was but 12½ per cent.

If Illinois Democrats would have stood staunchly back
of their ticket this year, Illinois would have gone Demo-
cratic, for it is a certainty borne out by the returns that
more than 350,000 Democrats this year voted for Hoover.
Right here in Moultrie county there must have been about
600 of that kind.

Summing it all up, Democracy may have been beaten,
but it was not annihilated. The beating may do it good.
From the wreckage of defeat will rise a stronger party
batting for the rights of all humanity as opposed to grant-
ing of special privilege to a favored few.

This year it went up against forces that have a great
grip on the people. Against propaganda that was dissemi-
nated through the churches, the schools, through 75 per
cent of the press, through practically all magazines, aided
and abetted by a million or more of payrollers, backed by
unlimited finances—the odds were too great for Democracy
to triumph this time.

There shall come another day.

THE UTTERMOST HEIGHTS OF CONCEIT

"Having heard of your glorious and unprecedented
victory I can now retire in contentment. The country will
be safe under your regime as it is under my reign. Accept
my sincere congratulations. Calvin Coolidge."

The above telegram was sent by President Coolidge to
Herbert Hoover on the night of the election.

ILLINOIS SENDS NEGRO TO CONGRESS FROM ITS RICHEST DISTRICT

The 1st Congressional district
of Illinois will be represented in
the next Congress by a negro.
This district was formerly rep-
resented by Martin B. Madden who
died last year.

The district is in Chicago and
includes the Loop business area
with its large hotels, banks and
department stores. There is a
large negro population in the out-
lying parts of the district and it
has always in the past returned
big Republican majorities.

DePriest beat his Democratic
opponent by about 3000 votes
this year.

This negro congressman is 57
years of age. He came to Chica-
go from Alabama and after work-
ing for a time as painter got mixed
up in politics.

While an alderman in the Chi-
cago city council he was indicted,
tried and acquitted on charges of
being a member of a graft syndi-
cate. In 1918 he was indicted for
conducting a disorderly house
and at present is under indict-
ment in connection with election
irregularities practiced prior to
the primary last April.

DePriest will be the only negro
in the next Congress and the first
of his color to have served as such
since the days immediately follow-
ing the civil war.

WHAT KILLS PEOPLE

Contagious diseases cause a
death or two now and then the
year round and occasionally break
out in epidemic waves that sweep
everything before them. Mental
disorders likewise manifest them-
selves by fatalities now and then
in suicide or murder and once in
a while by great wars that corre-
spond with epidemics of physical
disease. Last year there were
1,122 suicides and 744 murders, a
total of 1,866 in Illinois while ty-
phoid fever, malaria, smallpox,
measles, scarlet fever, whooping
cough, diphtheria and cerebro-
spinal fever combined killed only
1,777 people. That would sug-
gest that mental illness other than
down-right insanity is consider-
ably more fatal than many com-
mon contagious diseases.

He had choked her; he had killed
her. There could be no doubt
about it. He listened to her dy-
ing gasp; she was still and cold—
cold as the hands of death. Yet,
in his fury, he was not convinced.
He stepped on her—stepped on
her again, with his big heavy foot.
A faint gasp—was she groaning?
No, she was still dead. "Damn that
engine!" he muttered.—Exchange

¶ Eggs shipped to market should
always be packed in the fillers
small end down, as they carry bet-
ter in transit and storage when in
this position.

¶ Potatoes for table use should
be stored where it is dark. Ex-
posure to light quickly injures
their food quality.

¶ Lemon and olive oil may be
used to season spinach. Pass sec-
tions of the lemon as you would
fish, and a cruet of oil.

"You say you served in France?
asked the restaurant proprietor,
as he sampled the new cook's first
soup.

"Yes, sir; officers' cook for two
years and wounded twice."
"You're a lucky man. It's a
wonder they didn't kill you."

WINNER OF SHUCKING TITLE FINISHES FAR BELOW LAST YEAR'S RECORD

Walter Olson of Knox county
won the annual state corn husk-
ing championship recently from a
field of fifteen, taking the title
from Harold Holmes, the 1927
champion, who finished in fifth
place. Mr. Olson husked an aver-
age of 27.8 bushels.

Wet corn and a wet field pre-
vented the contestants from
breaking any records. In win-
ning the state title, Olson failed
by nearly four bushels of equal-
ling the 32.63 mark he establish-
ed in winning the county tourna-
ment.

Second place in the contest was
won by Elmer Williams of Stark
county with 26.14 bushels; third
place went to Orville Welsh of
Piatt county with 26.09 bushels,
and fourth place to Claude
Brown of Macon county, who
husked 26 bushels even. Holmes
was fifth with 25.76 bushels.

A crowd of five thousand
watched the contest, which was
held at Galva.
Tuesday of this week Mr. Ol-
son, competing in the National
contest at Fowler, Ind. won again.
He picked 26.62 bu in 80 minutes.
Elmer Williams of Stark County,
who was last year's Illinois state
champion finished second with
25.31 bu. Seven states were rep-
resented in this national contest.

SHALL THEY NOT SLEEP IN FLANDERS FIELD?

Here lies in dust a Romanist,
And there is marked a Jew's
rude grave:
Their names are writ in memory's
list
And chiseled with the country's
brave.

We asked no test of faith or creed
When sacrifice supreme they
gave,
But gloried in each dauntless deed
Beneath our flag's impartial
wave.

A torch from failing hands they
threw.

With call to us to hold it high:
They fought for Country's weal,
for you

Of many creeds they dared to die.
Shall we break faith with those
who sleep

And let some dogma now o'er-
set

The oath our fathers swore to
keep?

May God forbid, lest we forget.

¶ The five food groups recog-
nized as necessary in the day's
meal, though all five need not be
represented at every meal, are:
Vegetables and fruits, meat, milk
and other foods depended on for
efficient protein, cereal grains
and their products, sugar and
sugar foods, fats and fat foods.

¶ A profit of \$50 from a "side-
line" always seems larger than a
\$500 profit made in the course of
one's regular business.

¶ After a man decided he needs
a new pair of garters it takes
about six weeks before he gets
around to buying them.

¶ King George enjoyed Ford
car jokes, so Henry Ford has sent
him a Lizzie. That's what we call
revenge.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Ricketts of
Chicago and Mrs. John Trotter and
daughter Eunice of Mattoon were
Sunday guests of the Misses Nan-
nie and Kathryn Patterson.

BIBLE THOUGHT
—FOR TODAY—

Bible Thoughts memorized will prove a
priceless heritage in after years.

WARNING TO MEDDLERS:—
He that passeth by, and meddleth
with strife belonging not to him,
is like one that taketh a dog by
the ears.—Proverbs 26:17.

PRAYER:—Help us, Lord, to
be true peacemakers even al-
though suffering may follow
thereby, for they shall be called
the children of God.

INCOMPLETE RETURNS SHOW VOTE OF OVER 35,000,000 CAST FOR PRESIDENT

With tabulations from only
eight states complete in Tuesday's
national election the popular vote
for president totaled 35,499,390,
according to United Press figures.
Of that number Herbert Hoover
had 20,923,582 and Alfred E.
Smith 14,575,808. Hoover's plu-
rality was 6,347,774.

The tabulations:		
	Hoover	Smith
Alabama	114,759	127,256
Arizona	53,710	40,165
Arkansas	60,871	99,793
California	1,333,340	593,755
Colorado	246,112	127,840
Connecticut	324,128	285,409
Delaware	69,026	35,661
Florida	124,095	89,892
Georgia	98,550	128,007
Idaho	90,320	49,910
Illinois	1,695,865	1,282,565
Indiana	844,976	561,914
Iowa	594,253	358,416
Kansas	483,969	182,601
Kentucky	549,731	371,491
Louisiana	43,375	138,673
Maine	177,821	80,667
Maryland	299,309	224,397
Massa.	772,298	792,806
Michigan	932,313	378,901
Minnesota	519,293	373,992
Mississippi	20,643	66,788
Missouri	819,268	652,848
Montana	112,419	76,613
Nebraska	355,468	209,757
Nevada	17,869	14,565
New Hamp.	115,210	80,235
New Jersey	923,827	617,194
New Mexico	64,103	44,993
New York	2,176,292	2,078,301
N. Carolina	276,487	247,264
N. Dakota	125,329	99,606
Ohio	1,602,795	856,117
Oklahoma	390,685	219,901
Oregon	194,519	107,047
Penn.	1,968,931	1,020,793
Rhode Isl.	117,453	118,951
S. Carolina	5,330	50,845
S. Dakota	169,363	115,237
Tennessee	182,886	149,102
Texas	349,980	333,268
Utah	92,756	80,314
Vermont	90,360	44,776
Virginia	154,065	132,097
Washington	226,206	106,974
West Va.	357,696	255,219
Wisconsin	535,598	445,425
Wyoming	52,324	28,902
Totals	20,923,582	14,575,808

WHAT DO YOU KNOW ABOUT THIS?

According to the Champaign-
News Gazette last Saturday's
homecoming game was the vet-
test in history and most of them
have been plenty damp The police
court collected \$357 in fines for
drunks last Saturday night.

If any of our prohibition broth-
ers think the young folks are
drinking hot chocolate these days
they ought to attend one of these
big games up at the stadium, take
a walk down under the stand be-
tween the halves and get a look
at what the flower of our youth
are inhaling.

Ed Lyons tells one that he saw
Saturday evening while at the
Police court getting a client out
of the toils.

The police had brought in a
young student who was complet-
ely lit up. He was assessed the
regulation \$17.50.

He was broke but that didn't
bother.

"Just call up the Eta Beta Pie
frat house and tell 'em a brothers
is in the toils over here. They'll
be right down and get me out" he
told the night sergeant.

The sergeant called up the frat
house and told one of the broth-
ers who answered the phone about
the predicament their brother was
in.

"All right, we'll be right down
and pay his fine."

"Fine" answered the police of-
ficer. "But be sure and send some
one after him that's sober."
"Hell, there ain't none" was
the rejoinder.—Coles County Led-
ger.

Two Negroes were arguing.
"You ain't got no sense," said
one.

"No sense? Den what's dis head
o'mine for?"

"Head? Dat's jest a button on
top of yo body to keep yo' back-
bone from unravelin'."—Tele-
phone topics.

"There's a lot of boloney," said
the butcher as he wrapped up an
order of fifty pounds of the com-
modity.—Exchange.

¶ The test of a radio: Has yours
survived the presidential cam-
paign?

¶ How many of you still remem-
ber the name of the elected Vice
President?

THE INTELLECTUAL LIFE

By Dr. Frank Crane.

It is refreshing to note that a
memorandum from the Student
Council has been addressed to the
university authorities at Yale
formulating a series of reforms
upholding the proposition that a
college is primarily a place for
study, and only incidentally for
social and athletic recreation.

This will be refreshing to a
number of fathers who are dig-
ging in to pay the expenses of
their sons at school and hereto-
fore have been worried because
those sons seem to be more in-
terested in sports and in social ad-
vantages than in intellectual im-
provement.

Of course every healthy boy is
interested in athletics and is an-
xious to form proper social con-
nections. But the general impres-
sion prevails among fathers that
boys ought to go to school to im-
prove themselves from the chin
up and not from the chin down.

It has been too often the case
that boys have attached a social
stigma to those who get class
marks higher than C. Those who
go in for study have been char-
acterized as "sharks" or "grinds."
Reference to one's studies in so-
cial life has been looked upon
with disdain and the only thing to
be boasted is a place on the foot-
ball team or the rowing crew.

Of course a boy is a healthy ani-
mal and he doesn't care to be sub-
jected to intellectual snobbery,
but at the same time, this New
Haven memorandum asserts, a
college finds its reason for being
and its prestige in the achieve-
ments of the intellectual minority
among students.

It has been generally presumed
that the youth of the country is
somewhat wild and is out for a
good time only. Those who en-
phatize the things that are intel-
lectual in any group of people
must necessarily be in the minor-
ity, but it is refreshing to see that
this minority has been coming in
to better repute during the last
fifteen years. There are probably
quite as many serious-minded
youths in the country as there
ever were. Youth is not at all
out for a wastrel life. There still
remain quite a number of elect
And on the whole the prospect for
a better world in the future is
bright.

This memorandum suggests
that after the first two years the
men who are assiduous in their
studies are to be separated from
those who are going in for a good
time and barely enough study to
get by. The honor men's instruc-
tors should be largely tutorial and
they should have the best men on
the faculty.

It is needless to say that this
proposal of the undergraduates
has the entire sympathy of the
faculty.

INSTEAD OF HIBERNATING

Politics lacks the efficiency of
business in various respects, says
John J. Raskob in an interview
with the New York Telegram,
"but the most glaring example of
our lack of efficiency is that we
allow a political organization to
lie practically dormant over such
a long period in which so much
valuable work might be done."
Mr. Raskob thinks this habit is un-
necessary as well as harmful. "I
see no reason why we can't func-
tion right through the whole four
years."

The common sense of this sug-
gestion can scarcely be disputed.
What happens after an election,
especially in the case of the de-
feated party, is that the party or-
ganization crawls into a hole,
like a bear, for its winter's sleep
and hibernates for nearly two
years until the approach of another
election. Presidential or Con-
gressional, rouses it out of its
lethargy and stirs it into action.
Thereupon, in the short period of
three or four months of intensive
ballyhoo, it attempts to explain
new policies and win new loyalties
in a frantic hurry. The result is
often disappointing. It was clear-
ly disappointing to the managers
of the Democratic campaign in
this year's election. And certainly
the fact cannot be doubted that
if the groundwork for this cam-
paign had been begun in July,
1927, instead of in July 1928, and
if the Democratic Party had had
more time to hammer home the
logic of its policies, it would have
come into the last stage of the
campaign with far more senti-
ment behind it.

No party, to be sure, can know
two years ahead of time or even
a year ahead of time who its can-
didate will be or precisely what its
attitude will be on various major
issues. But there is an unmis-
takable drift of events from month
to month. Issues keep arising.
Policies are in the making. It
would bring more realism into
politics if party organization fol-
lowed Mr. Raskob's plan of "func-
tioning" instead of lying dormant
between the end of one campaign
and the beginning of the next
one.—New York World.

¶ Judging by the way they act
most middle-aged people must
feel younger than they look.

¶ Nobody's quite so independ-
ent in his dealings with his boss
as the fellow whose wife has a
good job.

Brisbane

THE GREATEST NEWS FIFTEEN BILLIONS OVER RELIGIOUS IDEALISM ENGLISH JESTER

The most important news in the
world has nothing to do with the
election, or the intelligence of the
modern "flapper" highly prized
by educational authorities. The
year's important news tells of a
giant telescope with a 200-inch
mirror that will reveal to the
eyes of men hundreds of millions
of new stars and distant "uni-
verses."

Appalling to a man's feeble in-
tellect is a thin instrument that
will bring within reach of our
eyes the light of nebulae in a far
off universe, light that has been
traveling through space one bil-
lion years, at a speed of 186,000
miles a second.

Mr. Raskob, a brilliantly able
business man, said, probably out
of politeness to please political
associates, that our prosperity is
not genuine. The General Motors
Company, for which he has
done good work, seems not to
share his opinion, judging by the
price of its stock and the size of
its earnings.

Mr. Mellon, Secretary of the
Treasury, thinks our prosperity is
sound enough and so do others of
financial ability.

Mr. Frederick Ecker, Vice-Pres-
ident of the Metropolitan Life In-
surance Company, says the main
element in prosperity is the wage
earner's "back log."

Workers in this country earn
about ONE HUNDRED BILLION
dollars a year.

There is a good deal of extrava-
gance and waste, but in spite of
that, not more than 85 per cent of
the earnings is spent. This means
that the people earn each year
FIFTEEN BILLIONS more than
they spend.

Every year, after paying their
living expenses, the people have
left over fifteen thousand million
dollars, 50 per cent more than the
gigantic sum sent to Europe in
the war by this country.

This "social surplus" comes in
EVERY YEAR.

That is a substantial "back
log" to keep the prosperity fires
burning.

John D. Rockefeller, Jr., in
memory of his mother gives to the
University of Chicago \$1,000,000
"to promote the religious idealism
of students of the university."

Those, unfortunately numer-
ous, that do exist WITHOUT re-
ligious idealism, never lifting their
eyes from the ground to con-
template and question the heavens
and the glory that they declare,
are like the men living in Plato's
cave, their backs to the light,
knowing only shadows on the
walls.

Young Mr. Chung Ji-miao,
Chinese law student, married Wai
Jung Sui, daughter of a rich mer-
chant, took her to England and
there murdered her.

Mr. Chung made his mistake
when he went to England. They
will hang him in a few days, in
spite of his ingenious story, about
mysterious Oriental assassins com-
mitting the crime.

In England when you kill any-
body, they hang you without loss
of time, excuses and explanations
are not accepted. It is in this
country that murderers in great
numbers go free, and even those
caught and convicted have two or
three years to think it over.

In the big war, when airplanes
raided London and Paris, the in-
habitants were warned by noise
of engines. They will not be warn-
ed in the next war, for a device
is shown making an airplane en-
gine absolutely noiseless.

¶ Bees do not hibernate in the
winter as do other insects and
therefore they must be protected
from cold. In protecting bees
from cold in winter, the hives may
be packed in chaff, leaves, or simi-
lar dry material

MARRIAGE NOT A FAILURE SAYS CHICAGO PROFESSOR AND GIVES HIS REASONS

The modern tendency to brand marriage as a failure, particularly in American life, is challenged by Dr. Arthur Todd, Northwestern University sociology professor. In an article, "Is Marriage a Failure?" in the November issue of *Welfare Magazine*, he says:

"Is marriage a failure? Well yes, in just the same sense that human nature is a failure. One marriage out of every seven in the United States is regarded as a failure but a business that had only fourteen percent labor turn-over would be regarded as a marvel of efficiency. A university that graduated a hundred percent of all the students who entered as freshmen would be a miracle of education. As a matter of fact, nearly fifty percent of college entrants drop out or transfer by the end of the second year.

"If we set three score years and ten as the ideal average for human life, we still have to go twenty percent stronger in order to reach that ideal, for the average expectancy of life in the United States now is fifty-eight years. Dun or Bradstreet records about one percent of business failures every year, but this one percent does not include liquidations, dissolution of partnerships, and various other indications of business failure.

"Is government successful? Is it even as efficient as private business? When you realize how much more intimate marriage is than any of these other human enterprises, one is quite within the bounds of conservative judgment when one claims that marriage even at its worst here in United States is as successful as if not even more successful, hazard for hazard, than religion, education, business or government."

Dr. Todd traces the history of marriage, showing that polygamy and loose forms of marriage co-exist with low states of civilization while in countries and eras wherein civilization reaches a high peak, monogamous marriage is found to be the rule. He says: "In general I think it is safe to say that growth in civilization means limitations upon absolute freedom and is, as a recent writer puts it, 'a period of compulsory sublimation' by which society controls the purely animal and purely sexual activities of man and forces him to take on new interests such as art, science or religion. Human development replaces sexual preoccupation with a richer cultural pattern.

"But there have always been and probably will continue to be marginal experiments in sex by non-conformists. Some of these have been, and perhaps will continue to be, supermen; but it is safe to say that the majority of them will be at the other end of the distribution scale and will fall into the group of those who cannot keep step with our cultural progress. They belong and will continue to belong to the company of the defectives and the defeated. We may expect, of course, to find a certain number of the young in experience always calling upon a stubborn world to listen to their call for a new order of freedom from conventionality. It is youth's business to see visions and dream dreams, to 'debunk' the family and government and convention; but I am inclined to believe that the time has almost come to 'debunk' the 'debunkers' and to advise these young prophets to study their history."

Companionate marriage, as advocated by ultra modern writers today, he described as "a covering term for sexual shopping or promiscuity—a degraded form of genuine trial marriage which has been one of the marginal forms of the family for ages past."

"This so-called companionate,"

he says, "simply seeks to apply the commercial principle of buying service or merchandise on suspicion. Unfortunately for that idea human marriage involves the very deepest feelings of human personality. Consequently the principle of easy 'money back if you do not like it' is only slightly and superficially applicable. For, while marriage is a human contract, it is not just like any ordinary contract to buy or sell or to employ. It is even much more profound and delicate than a fine business partnership. The nature of sex, child-bearing, parenthood and love overlaps the ordinary boundaries of mere contact. We land in an ocean of psychology compared with which the legal contract is little more than a geographer's chart."

As remedies for the faults now prevalent in American marriage, Dr. Todd suggests, first of all, the application of good sportsmanship in marriage similar to that which prevails on the college athletic field. He advocates a "provision for the maintenance of self-respect and the legitimate demands of human personality within the family." He believes that mutual consent should be accepted as sufficient grounds for initiating divorce and that divorce courts should be organized along the general lines now followed by the juvenile courts, with social workers doing genuine case work among discontented couples. Finally, he advocates education as the firmest hope of the family of the future. He says: "I foresee the time when we shall no longer leave this supremely important problem just to luck. I foresee that within a very few years we shall have a great Family Research institute as a definite part of some university, where it will be possible to secure adequate information on the thousand and one problems of the family, where it will be possible to secure clinical advice and domestic guidance, where the means for easing up the tensions of family life and deducing its strains and stresses could be learned with authority. Northwestern university has already moved in that direction. Here is a project which challenges public benefactors—a research institute that will give to human beings struggling more or less blindly in the clutches of sex, the benefit of money and attention now bestowed upon guinea-pigs, white rats and vivisection cats and dogs and monkey glands and poison gas and soil fertility and all other wonderful problems which engage scientific research."

DEATH OF RAY PHILPOTT

Ray Philpott of Springfield died Friday, Nov. 2 in a hospital in Springfield, following an operation for appendicitis. Funeral and burial services were held Monday at Springfield. Burial was under Masonic auspices, Mr. Philpott being a member of Miles Hart Masonic lodge of Gays. Mr. Philpott was born between Gays and Coles about 43 years ago to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Philpott. He leaves wife, formerly a Miss Foor of near Coles, two sons, and other relatives. He was a rural mail carrier out of Gays several years, transferring to Newman, Ill., a few years ago and then moving to Springfield. Several relatives of Whitley and also some of his Masonic brethren attended the funeral services Monday.—Windsor Gazette.

CARD OF THANKS

We want to very earnestly thank every one of our neighbors and friends who so kindly assisted us in our recent bereavement and all through the long sickness of our departed loved one. We cannot name all of you, but we assure you that every act of kindness and every word of sympathy shall be fondly treasured in our hearts.

Hubert W. Wright
Brothers and Sisters.

COLES

The barn on the Ettie Hinton farm was destroyed by fire Thursday evening.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Alva Edwards November 8th a daughter. The baby died at birth and Mrs. Edwards has been seriously ill. Mrs. Edwards before her marriage was Nora Davis.

Fannie Hinton who has been visiting her brother has returned to her home.

Miss Eva Peadro spent the week end with Mrs. Coral Wilbur and family.

Eloise Cheeley spent Friday night with Charlotte Glasscock. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gearheart and family and Charles Fowler spent Sunday in Decatur.

Mr. and Mrs. Waverly Mathias and family spent Sunday with Mrs. Nora Bouck and sons Richard and William.

Wort Jenkins, John Whitley and Wilbur and May Tucker spent Sunday in Decatur.

Nate Hinton and family and Emmet Hinton spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Omer Messmore.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Patches and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. D. Fleming.

Opal Lee who has had malaria fever for the past two months is in a serious condition.

Elmer Cheeley and family spent Sunday in Neoga.

Doris Hinton and Marie Feller spent the week end with home folks.

Mrs. James Cheever met with a painful accident Monday when she caught her hand in a power wringer.

Quite a number from here attended the funeral of Fannie Collier Sunday afternoon.

MASTER'S SALE

STATE OF ILLINOIS)
Moultrie County,) ss
Moultrie County Circuit Court.
E. J. MILLER, ET AL
VS.
SUSAN FREAD, ET AL
NO. 9935

IN CHANCERY PARTITION
PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in the said Court at the September Term, A. D. 1928, I, Oscar F. Cochran Master in Chancery for said court, on the 24th day of November A. D. 1928, at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder at the west door of Court House in Sullivan, in said County, the following described real estate situate in the County of Moultrie and State of Illinois, to-wit:

Lots 4 and 5 in block 2 of Camfield's railroad addition to the town now city of Sullivan, Illinois.
Upon the following terms to-wit: One-half the purchase price cash in hand on day of sale. The balance to be paid in one year from day of sale. Deferred payment to be secured by a mortgage on the premises sold, said deferred payment to draw 6 percent interest from day of sale. Option to pay all cash on day of sale.

Said premises will be sold together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging.

Dated this 26th day of October, A. D. 1928.

OSCAR F. COCHRAN,
Master in Chancery.

W. G. Cochran,
Solicitor for Complainant, 43-4

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Phone 432

MERRITT

Mr. and Mrs. John Bathe entertained a number of neighbors Thursday evening to a weiner roast in honor of their son Harold's birthday anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Powell spent Wednesday afternoon in Decatur.

Mrs. John Bolton, Mrs. Dean Pickle and Miss Edna Mundorff spent Saturday in Decatur.

Mrs. Ross Thomas, Mrs. Clifford Davis and Mrs. Herman Ray attended the J. U. club in Arthur Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Roscoe Beals.

Born Friday, twin boys to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ray.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ray and sons spent Sunday in Sullivan at the home of Henry Ray.

Dr. Glenn Ray, Mrs. Myrtle Chandler and daughter of Decatur called on Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wilson Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Mont Ballard, Mrs. Wilbur Ballard and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Bilibrey.

Clifford Davis and family visited relatives in Sullivan Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Thomas and son spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Vandever and family spent Sunday evening with James Landers and family.

Mrs. W. L. Landers spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. Raymond Shasteen.

QUIGLEY

Rev. R. P. Geyer filled his regular appointment at Fletcher Sunday. He made a good talk in behalf of the soldier boys who served in the World war.

Several in this neighborhood have been butchering hogs.

Miss Lola Elder visited her uncle, Harve Anderson Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. Bertha Walker and children of Champaign were weekend visitors with husband and father Fred Walker at the farm home near Quigley.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Goddard visited Saturday night in the home of their uncle, T. J. Rose and family.

Miss Juanita Rose and friend and Miss Lizzie Bland of Okaw visited relatives in Pana Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Goddard visited Mrs. T. J. Rose Saturday afternoon.

There will be a box supper at

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DECATUR, ILLINOIS

Harmony school, Nov. 23.

George Goddard of the U. of I. was a week end visitor with home folks.

Mrs. Herman Spencer and Miss Nancy Selock were hostesses to several of their relatives at a birthday dinner in honor of Miss Nancy's birthday anniversary.

Howard Henderson and family of Mattoon and Mrs. Retta Reynolds were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Goddard.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Andrews of Strasburg were entertained to dinner Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Guinn.

Dale McVey who had been working in the harvest fields of Minnesota, has returned home.

MRS. MARY LANDGREBE PARALYSIS VICTIM DIED SATURDAY IN LOVINGTON

Mrs. Mary Landgrebe, a highly esteemed resident of Lovington for over thirty years passed away at her home Saturday evening. She had been in failing health for several years and a few weeks ago suffered a paralytic stroke from which she failed to recover.

Her husband preceded her in death a number of years ago. She

leaves the following children:

John Landgrebe, and Miss Anna Landgrebe of Lovington, Jake Landgrebe of Scottsburg, Ind., George Landgrebe of Chicago and Emma wife of William Myers of near Sullivan and a number of

grandchildren.

She was a member of the Methodist church. Funeral services were held at the residence Tuesday afternoon conducted by Rev. E. H. Sauer. Burial was in Kellar cemetery.

for Sleeplessness—

Nervousness, Nervous Headache, Nervous Dyspepsia, Neuralgia, Neurasthenia

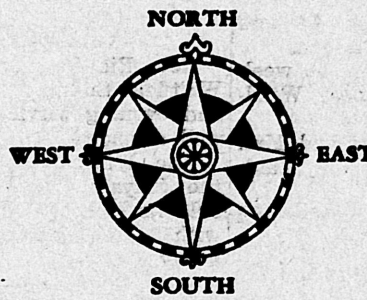
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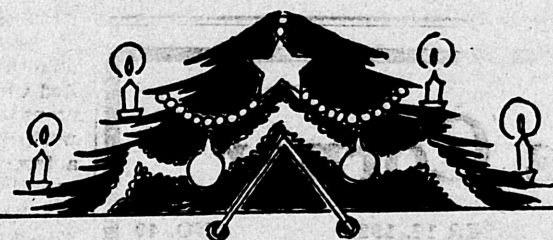
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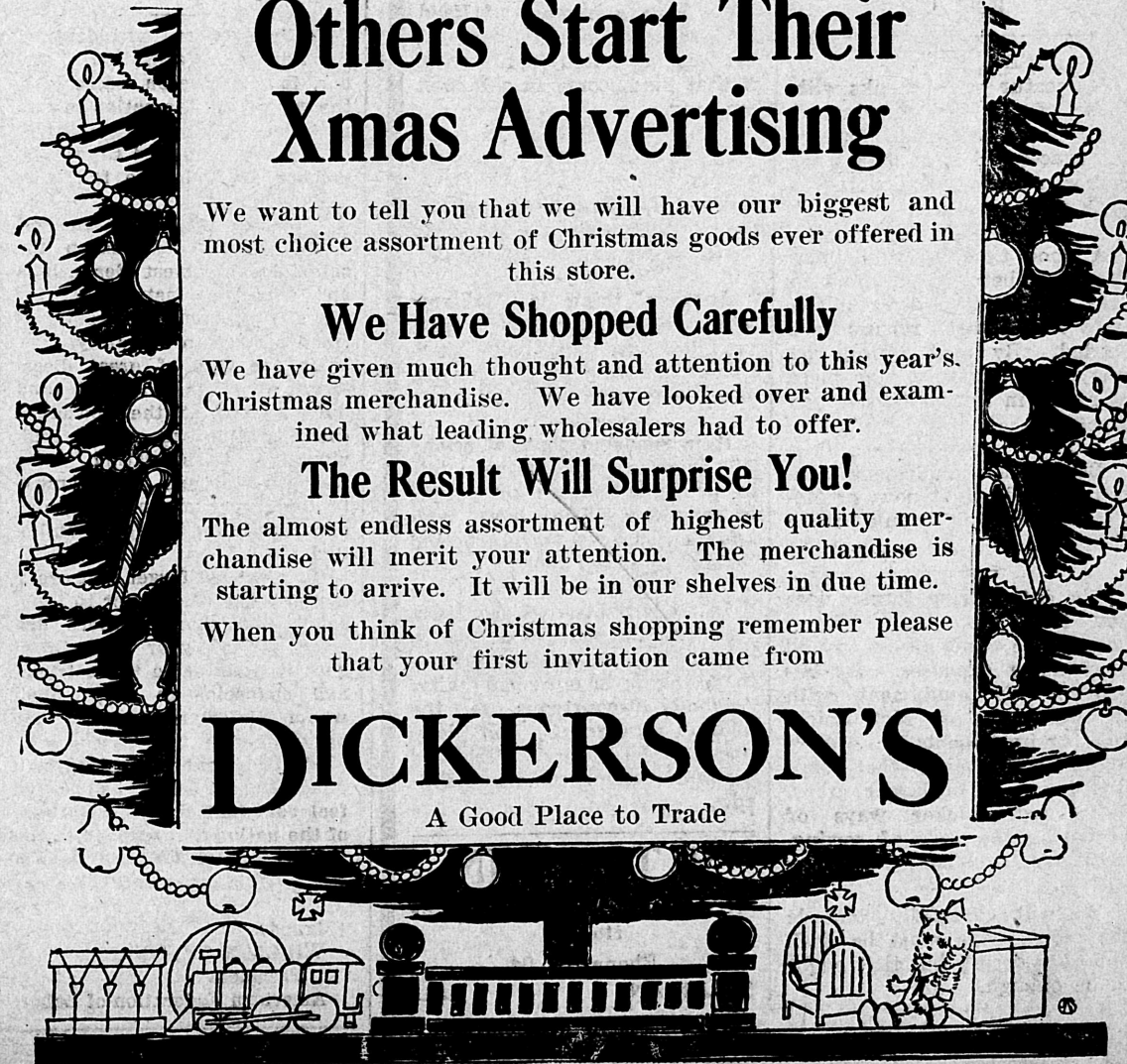
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ALLENVILLE

Saturday being the 40th birthday anniversary of Ora Leffler a few relatives came in Sunday to help him celebrate. Those present were Andrew Leffler and family of Mattoon, Mr. and Mrs. H. Robinson and daughter Opal and sons Wilbur and Joseph, C. Robinson, Mrs. M. Knott, Mrs. A. Leffler and Ora Leffler and children Maxine and Albert.

Mrs. Susie Loy and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Misenheimer and daughter Catherine and Herbert Black spent Sunday with John Turner and family and Olaf Black and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Denham and children and Mr. and Mrs. F. Misenheimer and daughter Joyce spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Sutton and son Vernon.

Betty Lou Pettit visited her grandmother, Mrs. L. Sutton in Mattoon Saturday.

Olaf Black and Beldon Turner visited Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Book in Lovington Tuesday.

Miss Marguerite Newlin spent the week end in Mattoon.

Miss Ruth Judd of Sullivan spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Judd.

Mrs. Harry Carter and children of Peoria were called here Saturday evening on account of illness of her father, F. C. Graham.

Miss Edna Neal spent the week end with her mother near Windsor.

Mrs. Chester Graham and Mrs. Olaf Black were callers in Windsor Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Turner and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wheeler and son in Findlay Sunday afternoon.

O. Galbreath of Mattoon spent Monday here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jim Galbreath.

Miss Ruth Preston spent the week end in Mattoon.

GAYS

Ted Hughes and family of Ash Grove Township spent Sunday with his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. U. G. Armantrout have moved from their country home to the residence of Mrs. George Bowman.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith, Mrs. Albert Hopper and sons spent Sunday with Mrs. Kate Huntington.

Mr. and Mrs. Russel Fuller, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Curry all of Mattoon spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Fuller.

Mrs. Stella Love, Mrs. Otto Shaffer, Mrs. Molly Farley, and Mayme Bell were Mattoon shoppers Friday.

Mrs. James Alexander is seriously ill with heart trouble. Her sister, Mrs. June Fort of Paxton is helping care for her.

Mrs. Dorothy Shaffer is ill in the Chicago hospital. She has septic poison caused from ulcers of the throat.

Mrs. Harry McCulley, Mrs. Joe Smith and Mrs. Albert Hopper and sons spent Tuesday in Mattoon.

John Ellington who is in the hospital is some improved.

The house occupied by Earl Harrison and wife was damaged by fire Saturday afternoon during

the absence of the family. Damage was estimated at \$1,200.

Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Pleasant of Indiana spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mattox.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Gammill visited relatives at Salem Sunday. Clark Mattox is ill at the home of his son Luther.

SMYSER

Mrs. P. G. Waggoner is staying a few days with Mrs. Cal Carline.

Mr. and Mrs. Munson were visitors Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Young.

Mrs. U. G. Armantrout was a Mattoon visitor Thursday.

W. E. Harpster and Mrs. Fred Elder were Mattoon visitors on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Myron Armantrout are spending a few days with his father, U. G. Armantrout. Lyle Munson spent Sunday with Clem Carline.

Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Denham were Allenville visitors Sunday.

Mrs. U. G. Armantrout was in Gays Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fratlie Harpster and son Glen were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Elder and family.

WHITFIELD

Rev. Ridgway held services at Whitfield Sunday. Both morning and evening services were fairly well attended.

The Willing Workers class of the Smyser Sunday School will hold its monthly business meeting with Miss Margaret Garrett Saturday night.

Miss Olive Hosney of Charleston visited over the week end with home folks.

Ethel Harris spent Sunday with Grace King.

Miss Vera Herron visited Sunday with Ruth and Edna Buckalew.

Miss Margaret Garrett visited Sunday with Miss Evelyn Hosney. Mr. and Mrs. Oil Rawlings are entertaining company from Montana.

PALMYRA

Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Carroll and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wilson and son spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Delana.

—Miss Rosy Graven of Charleston and Miss Gladys Graven of Shelbyville spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Graven.

Roy B. Martin and family, Harold Temple, Mrs. Ellen Temple, Wilma and Earl Rhoades spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hollonbeck.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Carson were Sullivan callers Monday.

BIG BIRTHDAY PARTY

SUNDAY AT SMYSER

The congregation of the Smyser church invite all friends to join with them Sunday in the celebration of the 21st birthday anniversary of the pastor, Rev. Raymond McCallister. The celebration will be in the nature of an all-day meeting with a big basket dinner at the noon hour. Included in the event will be all others who will have birthdays during the month of November.

WORK OF VOLUNTEERS RED CROSS BACKBONE

Men and Women Who Give Services Aid Greatly—Surgical Dressings, Knitting, Sewing Still Carried On.

Thousands of women, who were first enrolled as Red Cross workers during the period of the World War, have never ceased in their labors for that organization, but still carry on knitting garments for disabled soldiers, making dresses and layettes for children and infants, and giving hours of their time in the various volunteer activities of Red Cross work. Volunteer work by men also plays a large part in the organization of Red Cross.

This volunteer work is the backbone of Red Cross. Fully eighty-five per cent of the service this humanitarian organization is able to render the public, through public health, American Junior Red Cross, service to disabled veterans of the World War, and the service men of the regular establishment, and its many other activities, must fall upon the shoulder of the volunteer worker. Not only is this true of the national headquarters where such distinguished volunteers are enrolled as Judge John Barton Payne, chairman, and Miss Mabel Boardman, secretary of the Red Cross, and Col. E. P. Bicknell, vice chairman in charge of foreign operation, but also in every community where Chapter chairmen and other men and women devote hours of their time to fostering and planning the valuable and humane work of Red Cross, so that it may be ever ready to serve in time of distress, catastrophe or great national emergency.

In the year just ended, 253,000 garments were provided by Red Cross Chapters, including 1,399 layettes, with nineteen articles each, for use in disaster areas.

Women who rolled surgical dressings ten years ago, with the help of new volunteers, still carry on this work for hospitals in their communities, and for the Chapter's stock, where a supply must be maintained to answer emergency calls. In the year just ended, the women made 2,276,000 dressings.

No type of volunteer work is more interesting or meets greater appreciation from its beneficiaries than the distribution each December of Christmas bags—one of which goes to every service man in the Army and Navy stationed on a distant post. Each year the request comes for more bags, until for Christmas, 1928, Red Cross volunteers have been asked to provide 42,000. The bags, containing small necessities dear to a service man's heart, go to the Philippines, China, Guam, Nicaragua and all the distant ports where Uncle Sam's men are stationed.

Another service these volunteers perform, which has generally gripped the imagination of all who have come in touch with it, is the transcription into Braille for the blind of hundreds of books. Need of certain types of books for the blind first came to the attention of Red Cross through the blinded veterans of the World War. From work begun for the war blind, with a few devoted workers, this transcription of books now is being carried on by 1,029 Braille transcribers, who during this year have hand-copied 150,705 pages, and 348 titles have been completed.

Labor Head Asks Nation's Workers to Support Red Cross

William Green, president of the American Federation of Labor, in Washington, calls upon the workers of the nation to support the twelfth annual roll call of the American Red Cross, November 11-29, in the following statement:

"Through the American Red Cross we find expression for some of our noblest ideals. It is an effective instrument for magnifying many times our personal service to humanity.

"In the face of great disasters, when the injured and homeless run into the thousands, there is little we can do individually. Consolidating our strength through membership in this great organization, our opportunity for service is unlimited.

We must not forget that every day is a day of disaster to thousands. Into homes where disaster strikes your Red Cross goes in your name to be friend and counselor to those upon whom misfortune has laid her heavy hand.

"As President of the American Federation of Labor, I hope and feel confident that the workers of the nation will respond to the Red Cross Roll Call and have a part in this organization's great work."

(Signed)
WILLIAM GREEN,
President
American Federation of Labor.

GOAL OF RED CROSS ANNUAL ROLL CALL 5,000,000 MEMBERS

Disaster Relief and Work for Veterans Cause Heavy Drain on Resources.

In order to enable the American Red Cross to carry on its broad activities, ranging from service to the world war veteran to instant response in time of disaster, a membership of 5,000,000 should be enrolled, and in this year of 1928-1929 that is the goal set for the twelfth annual roll call, to be held from November 11 to 29, Armistice to Thanksgiving Day.

John Barton Payne, chairman of the American Red Cross at Washington, is calling upon the nation for 5,000,000 adult members, directs attention to the great expenditures required of the Red Cross for disaster and veteran relief work, and for its many other activities devoted to health preservation and improvement and to cutting down the number of accidental deaths, through life saving and first aid courses.

"The Red Cross should at all times have a large reserve fund," Judge Payne stated, "because when disaster strikes, and this organization is called into instant action, there is no time to stop and raise funds. Dollars may mean lives, so we should have at all times a good reserve. We have been forced each year to draw upon our reserves, and we find that the demands are increasing annually."

Judge Payne pointed out that in the fiscal year of 1927-28, the Red Cross had extended aid in 66 major catastrophes in the United States and its insular possessions, and in 22 nations abroad. This does not include the West Indies hurricane disaster in Porto Rico and Florida, which occurred after the close of the Red Cross fiscal year, June 30, 1928.

The Red Cross expenditures for disaster in that period were \$16,544,253.87, of which approximately \$13,000,000 was expended in the Mississippi Valley for the flood relief work, which came from a fund contributed by the public. More than \$1,000,000 was expended in the St. Louis tornado damage, and more than \$1,000,000 in New England. In both cases public relief funds were raised, although in New England the Red Cross contributed in excess of \$500,000 from its own funds for the relief work. In the majority of the other 66 disasters, and in all of the 22 foreign catastrophes in which the Red Cross extended aid, the money came from its own resources.

The largest item in the annual budget of the Red Cross is for its veteran relief and work for disabled ex-service and service men, upon which it expended in this year \$1,169,795.

Every man and woman is asked by Judge Payne to join the Red Cross during the roll call period, to aid in these humanitarian enterprises.

Ten years after the Armistice, the American Red Cross still carries on for the world war veteran, providing comfort and entertainment for him in hospital, aiding his family where necessary, preparing and following through his claims for insurance, compensation or disability.

Magisterial Wisdom

When called upon recently to settle a quarrel between two Jewish women, a London magistrate handed a copy of the Bible to the official interpreter, saying: "Take these women out of court and read them the One Hundred Thirty-third Psalm. One of the women has only a limited knowledge of English. Translate it for her into Yiddish." Later, the interpreter returned to court and reported that the magistrate's scheme had been entirely successful. The first sentence of the psalm reads: "Behold, how good and how pleasant it is for brethren to dwell together in unity."

The Cynical Flounder

Wisdom may not be in the depths, but enough things are there to keep wise men thinking deeply, and millions of men at work, preparing potash and ammonia; drying sea weeds, to use among other things for decoration, on the Japanese New Year, as an American uses holly on his. We think of paper made from kelp and of mattresses stuffed with eel grass. Of glue and of Irish moss, "used as an ingredient in kalsomines, shoe stains, shaving soaps and cosmetics," according to Dr. Donald K. Tressler, authority on such things.

American Birds

By far the most abundant birds in the United States are the robin and the English sparrow, but several others are common enough to make their total numbers run well into the millions. The counts so far show that the most abundant bird on farms in the Northeastern states is the robin. Next to this is the English sparrow, and following these are the song sparrow, clipping sparrow, meadow lark and catbird, in the order named.

Escape From Danger Makes for Pleasure

In escape from dangers of all kinds we find one of the greatest thrills in life. The small child asks to be chased and squeals with delight as she escapes; small boys skate over thin ice; grown men hazard their fortunes by gambling, and women risk their reputations by reading risqué stories—all that they may have the thrill of escaping from something.

The stories of universal appeal, from "Little Red Riding Hood" and "Jack the Giant Killer," up to the highest tragedies, are stories of escape or attempted escape. Even our spiritual struggles are dramatized stories of escape. "The Pilgrim's Progress" is the story of Christian's escape from the City of Destruction, though the interest is sustained by a number of minor escapes, beginning with the Wicket Gate whereon was written "Flee from the wrath to come!" and ending with his final escape from the river, which he found deeper or shallower according to his faith grew weaker or stronger. Thomas Nixon Carver, Harvard Professor of Political Economy, in the Magazine of Business.

Films of Rare Wood Used for Furniture

The growing scarcity of the more beautiful and valuable woods has made necessary the substitution of other and cheaper kinds. Thus hardly any furniture nowadays is made of solid mahogany, and inferior materials have very generally taken the place of the disappearing "cabinet woods." Indeed, high-grade timber of any kind is now so costly as to prohibit its common use as the solid body of furniture. Manufacturers are resorting more and more to the use of veneers. Articles of furniture, ranging from tables to phonograph and radio cases, have skeletons of cheap wood covered with a thin skin of high quality wood.

Now the skin is not usually more than one-twentieth of an inch thick. A thousand board feet of lumber will produce 10,000 square feet of veneer. Thus a great economy is obtained, and the furniture so made is as attractive as that of solid wood.

Famous Bachelors

Bachelors are the targets for many hard jolts in the world of tears. But let's give bachelors their due. Look at the batting average of the bachelor and see what he has accomplished. Single blessedness has been no barrier to success. There are John G. Whittier, Washington Irving, Phillips Brooks, Walt Whitman, John Randolph, Thaddeus Stevens, James Whitcomb Riley, James Buchanan, the only bachelor President.

But why go further? Let's leave the United States and see the names of some of Europe's illustrious bachelors. Here they are: Sir Isaac Newton, Michelangelo, Mendelssohn, Beethoven, Pitt, Raphael, Buckle, Gibbon, Macaulay, Locke, Handel, Galileo, Kant and Sir Joshua Reynolds.

Hats off to bachelors!—Chicago Daily News.

Changing Sin Styles

We people in Junction City wish the idea of sin wouldn't change so often. It gets us so that we don't know where we're at. It'd be lots more comfortable to know what sin was, so that there wouldn't be any doubt about it, and then we could get out and fight it. Sometimes, just as we get busy fighting sin and the ol' devil, we find that it isn't sin any more at all, but is what everybody is doing.

What we need is stabilized sin. It's plumb disgusting to get out and fight a thing for years and then find that it existed only in our imaginations. We in Junction City don't want sin changed on us. We're fighters. We don't care what sin we're fighting, just so we're fighting it.—Homer Croy in Plain Talk Magazine.

Eternally Broke

The most common habit we have which makes for distress is the habit of living beyond our means—not only of monetary income but of vital and emotional energy. As a consequence we drag our feet through life, figuratively and literally speaking.

Such men and women have no time or energy to live because they exhaust both time and energy in keeping alive. They go through life eternally broke. They can't get more out of life because they don't put more into life. They can't be happy because they are crowded, pushed, pulled, swamped by countless impulses which have no biologic value, satisfy no social needs, and contribute nothing to individual life, health or happiness.—George A. Dorsey, in Cosmopolitan.

Peculiar "Insult"

A Hungarian fruit dealer having a very large melon on his hands decided to use it for advertising purposes and accordingly he had the Hungarian coat of arms carved upon it with some minor variations and thus he put it on show in his window. The town officials were thrown into a panic by its presence and saw an insult to the Hungarian nation. They arrested the poor fruit dealer and took him into court, where he was promptly found guilty and sentenced to a fine or imprisonment. He appealed his case and the second court reduced his imprisonment to six months instead of a year, but gave him no alternative of a fine. His offense in each case was insult to the Hungarian nation.

We Like What We Like

People respond neither to what is high-brow or low-brow in the drama, but simply to what is artistically perfect.—American Magazine.

HOUSEHOLD SCIENCE CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. WALKER

The Sullivan township Household Science club will meet Tuesday November 20th with Mrs. Lizzie Walker. The entertainment will consist of the annual Thanksgiving program.

The meeting will be opened by singing "America the Beautiful." Roll call will be verse from the Bible expressing thankfulness.

The leader for the day will be Mrs. Grace Dolan. There will be a pumpkin pie

demonstration by Mrs. Nettie Wiard and Miss Eva Fields.

Mrs. Agnes Keller will give a Thanksgiving reading.

A Thanksgiving menu will be discussed by Mrs. Olive Woodruff. Mrs. Clara Baker will give a cake-icing demonstration.

The hostesses for the day are Mrs. Lizzie Walker, Mrs. Maude Wood and Mrs. Rose Hawkins.

—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Miller and Miss Mary Cutright attended a convention in Springfield Friday.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

LOST—A cloth pouch with number of automobile wrenches. These were lost Tuesday in the south part of the city or on Route 32. Finder return to the Progress office. 46-1*

FOR RENT—Partly modern 7-room house, 3 blocks from square. Call Mrs. W. S. Reedy. Phone 65-y. 46-tf.

FOR RENT—8 room house with in 3 blocks of high school. Call Mrs. Tella Pearce. 40-tf.

FIRES AND TUBES, new and used, right prices.—W. H. Walker.

FOR RENT—Six room house on paved street, entirely modern. Call phone 90 or 459. 39-tf.

PEARS AND TURNIPS—By the truckload or in 5 bushel lots at bargain prices. Will also retail in smaller quantities. Call at orchard, 6 miles southeast of Sullivan, 1/2 miles west of Palmyra school. J. D. Martin. 41-tf.

FOR SALE—Seven pure bred Jersey cows and heifers. Take your choice. Five pure bred big type Poland China gilts and 2 boars. Four miles south of Sullivan on Route 32. Phone 759. Art Ashbrook. 41-tf.

—CREAM SEPARATORS—I have two or three for sale at bargain prices. P. B. Harshan. Phone 198 or 88 44-tf.

FARMERS ATTENTION—H. B. Hagerman and Son south of Sullivan have a few Poland China gilts and boars left for sale. Their sire is a grandson of New Hope the 1926 National Grand Champion; also a young Jersey bull whose sire is a son of Warder's A Brew (now owned by Allerton Farms) and whose dam is of Hood Farms breeding, glittering with gold and silver medals. Call and look them over. 45-3-t

APPLES—Nice, smooth Winter apples, good keepers. H. H. Hawkins, Phone 414, Sullivan. 45-tf.

FOR SALE—Poland China Boars, March farrow, big bone, heavy bodies, large litters, also yearling, Master Redeemer 37083 and seal breeder and immune. Sell cheap, I'm through with him—Virgil Boyd, Phone 944, Gays. 45-2*

FOR SALE—New 5 room Strictly modern house in north part of city. Term reasonable. Phone 342. 43-4t.

LONG DISTANCE MOVING at right prices.—W. H. Walker.

Closing-Out SALE

Farm Implements - Livestock
Monday, Nov. 19th

Beginning at 10 o'clock a. m.

at my place of residence 1/2 mile north and one mile east of Masonic Home. 1 mile west of Jonathan Creek Church.

Grant Cochran

O. F. Doner, Auctioneer. M. & F. State Bank, Clerk

High Class Jersey and Percheron SALE

Having discontinued my milk route and decided to cut down on farm operations, I will sell at public sale at my premises in Sullivan, 1/2 mile South of the depots on

Saturday, Nov. 24

Beginning at 11 o'clock a. m. my surplus of livestock and farm implements as follows:

Percherons

Big 8-year old Percheron Stallion; one 5-year old brood mare, a good one; one imported brood mare. All of these are registered and proven producers of prize winners.

12 Head of Jerseys

Nine cows and three bulls will be sold out of my high producing herd of Jerseys. These are from the herd that has the high average over a three year period in the Moultrie County testing association. This herd made 400 lb. or better each year since testing began in this community.

Also a lot of good farm implements.

The livestock offered in this sale offers a rare opportunity to get some excellent foundation stock. Not only is it of the best in Moultrie county, but it is some of the very best in Illinois, by its proven records.

TERMS—Usual terms of 3, 6, or nine months, purchaser to give bankable note.

J. A. Powell

FIRST NATIONAL BANK, Clerk.
O. F. DONER, Auctioneer.

Lunch Will be Served on Grounds.

Bolin's Corner

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People of Sullivan and the
Farms and Farmers of Moultrie
County.

TENNIE BOLIN
Editor.

EDITORIAL

A Decatur paper speaks with praise of a "joint showing of women's styles." Not knowing exactly what is meant we cannot refrain from doing a little quiet giggling.

A good time to repair machinery is before you put it in the shed for the winter. You know now what repairs are needed. By next spring you may have forgotten. One piece of repair in time may save you nine.

Better farm implements cannot be made right now, or McCormick-Deering would make them.

The enterprising farmer does not let his equipment run down. He can't afford to and keep down expenses. By improving his equipment with the purchase of McCormick-Deering implements, he is making an investment that pays big dividends in larger crops, better and quicker ways of preparing the soil, of sowing, cultivating and harvesting.

We will cheerfully concede that some days must be dark and very dreary but that ought to be enough.

They are building apartment hotels with rooms so small that they fold into the walls when not in use says Jim Cook who recently visited in Podunk, Ia.

We have a number of Used tractors here on the floor. If you are interested in anything of that kind, come in and look 'em over.

You can estimate the size of a town. The smaller the population, the bigger the municipal slogan sounds. By the way, has Sullivan any slogan at all?

Another thing a Sullivan father can't understand is how son manages to have just enough gasoline to get the car into the garage.

It is reported that a scientific Senator is preparing a bill to prohibit the use of poison in cosmetics. The boys who know insist we need better tasting lip-sticks too.

In modern business, courtesy smooths the way as it did in days of old, especially courtesy to strangers in our community. Anybody discourteous to the passing stranger is too low-down to be properly described by words permitted to be printed.

S. T. BOLIN

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ROXANA CHANGES NAME TO SHELL PETROLEUM CORP.

St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 12—U. de B. Daly, President of the company heretofore known as the Roxana Petroleum Corporation, has announced that his Board of Directors has today approved a change in the corporate name to Shell Petroleum Corporation.

The name "Roxana" has been in use since the organization of the company in 1917, when offices were opened in Tulsa, Oklahoma. Headquarters were removed to St. Louis in 1920 and since 1925 have occupied large space in the Shell Building owned by the corporation.

Since 1923, when the marketing of Shell Gasoline, Shell Motor Oil and other Petroleum Products under the Shell trade-mark was inaugurated the name "Shell" has become so closely identified with the corporation itself that the name "Roxana" has gradually lost its significance. A change in the firm style to correspond with the trade name of its products has therefore been made.

The Shell Petroleum Corporation operates refineries at Wood River, Ill., Arkansas City, Kan., and East Chicago, Ind., from which Petroleum products are distributed over twenty states in the middle west.

The Sullivan Home Oil Co., of Sullivan, Ill., is distributor of Shell Petroleum Products in this territory.

CUSHMAN

Mrs. W. E. Devore, Mrs. Oscar Starwalt and Mrs. C. P. Bacon were Decatur callers Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Burgess of Lovington called on Mr. and Mrs. Jess Cummings Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Foster entertained Mr. and Mrs. John Foster and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Poisel to dinner Sunday.

Miss Annabelle Devore of Decatur spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Devore.

Miss Pearl Wood spent Saturday night and Sunday with relatives in Arthur.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Foster and son Richard of Sullivan were dinner guests Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Valentine called on Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Horn Monday afternoon.

Several from here attended the funeral of Mrs. Mary Landgrebe in Lovington Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Foster called on Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Campbell Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Edith Kinsel was a Sullivan caller Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Myers were callers in Lovington Wednesday.

JONATHAN CREEK

Mrs. Grace Deckard of Decatur spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Will Powell.

Lola Slover visited Monday with Mrs. Nancy Bracken.

Mrs. Ella Bolin visited Saturday with Aunt Jane Miller in Sullivan.

Margaret and Wayne Cochran and Vern and Hugh Righter spent Sunday with Bernice and Willard Bolin.

Hubert Wright of Sullivan spent Sunday evening with Nathan Powell and family.

Bernard Wooley spent Sunday with Russel Slover.

Mrs. Garrett, Mrs. Tipton and Mrs. Stone visited Tuesday with Mrs. J. E. Righter.

Hubert Powell of Decatur spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Powell.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bracken and daughter Helen and James Bracken spent Sunday with Mrs. Nancy Bracken and helped her celebrate her 84th birthday.

Albert Lucas and family were supper guests of Ed Slover and family Monday evening.

Several from this vicinity attended the funeral of Mrs. Ella Wright at Sullivan, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Spough spent Sunday evening with Grant Cochran and family.

Will Walker and son Charles and Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Powell and daughter Frances visited Sunday with Cliff Baker and family.

Mrs. Carrie Smith and daughters visited Monday with Mrs. Bessie Spough.

Grant Cochran and son Lloyd visited Sunday with his brothers in Decatur and Edinburg.

Charles Winchester and family visited Sunday with Tom Osborn and family.

Sam Purvis and family visited Sunday with Paul Wiley and family.

Sunday guests at the home of Cleo Spough were Mr. and Mrs. Burley Fultz and Lester Deckard and family.

The agricultural class of the Township High school had a surprise party for Wayne and Granville Cochran Tuesday night at the school house.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Elder spent Sunday evening with Walter Crane and family.

Denzel Powell will be the Christian Endeavor leader Sunday evening.

LOCALS

—Mrs. W. B. Howard, Mrs. John Archibald, Mr. and Mrs. L. Hill and daughter Betty Lou all of Tuscola visited with Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Dobbins, Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Loren Todd motored to Indianapolis, Ind., Saturday to visit the latter's daughter, Miss Evelyn Finley.

—Mrs. Ellabelle Kenny spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. R. E. Bowers who resides in Rowell. Her nephew, Robert Bowers gave a birthday party Sunday and several friends were present.

—"Book Week" at the Public Library has been extended for another week. Anyone desiring to give books may yet do so.

—Misses Fern Sickafus and Altabelle Waggoner and Bert and Lonnie Halloway attended the Homecoming at the University of Charleston Saturday.

—Hugh McDonald of Chicago spent the week end with relatives.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Edwards and family of Mattoon visited with Mr. and Mrs. Clint Coy Friday.

Red Cross Membership Is Sound Investment, Business Leader Says

"We believe that individual membership in the American Red Cross is a sound investment yielding the investor tremendous returns in personal satisfaction," is the statement of William Butterworth, president of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States, in endorsing the twelfth annual roll call of the American Red Cross, Nov. 11-29. Mr. Butterworth's statement follows:

"The men engaged in carrying forward the business and industry of this nation are quick to respond, and respond generously, when human suffering calls for their assistance. They welcome the existence of an organization authorized by international treaty and congressional charter to act as their agency, and in providing relief in disaster and promoting their beneficial services to humanity. The nation's business men take particular pleasure in supporting The American National Red Cross because it has applied sound and efficient business technique and administrative methods without sacrifice of sympathy and understanding in the prevention and mitigation of human suffering.

"The Chamber of Commerce of the United States, as representative of the nation's business, has such confidence in the American Red Cross that it calls upon its member organizations to contribute to relief in disaster only upon Red Cross assurance that an appeal is necessary.

"We believe that individual membership in the American Red Cross is a sound investment, yielding the investor tremendous returns in personal satisfaction. The Red Cross is seeking to increase its membership to five million; the opportunity to join its ranks is presented by the Red Cross Chapters throughout the nation from November 11 to 29. It is good to be a link in this great chain of service reaching around the world."

(Signed) WILLIAM BUTTERWORTH, President, The Chamber of Commerce of the United States.

RED CROSS NURSES AID IN HURRICANE DISASTER

In addition to their year around work in the Public Health field, the Public Health nurses of the American Red Cross have answered a number of calls to combat epidemics, and in disaster work during the year just ending, the Red Cross states.

Their greatest task was in the relief following the West Indies hurricane when 20 nurses were despatched to Florida and 32 to Porto Rico, to assume charge of the health work there. Epidemic conditions were especially grave in both places, and inoculation of several hundred thousand persons had to be arranged in order to prevent spread of contagions. Nursing the injured, the sick, aged and young and caring for the newborn were heavy tasks in both areas.

The Red Cross nurses also were called upon for work in epidemics in communities, including the serious septic sore throat epidemic in New England and a typhoid epidemic in New York state.

More than 580 Red Cross Chapters throughout the nation operate nursing services which they support altogether or in part.

"You say you served in France? asked the restaurant proprietor, as he sampled the new cook's first soup.

"Yes, sir; officers' cook for two years and wounded twice."

"You're a lucky man. It's a wonder they didn't kill you."

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Ricketts of Chicago and Mrs. John Trotter and daughter Eunice of Mattoon were Sunday guests of the Misses Nance and Kathryn Patterson.

AGRICULTURAL CLUB GIVES FARWELL PARTY FOR COCHRAN BOYS

The Ag club of the Sullivan Township High school had a farewell party in the gymnasium of the high school for Granville and Wayne Cochran who will leave in the near future for Arizona. Refreshments were served.

Those present were Granville and Wayne Cochran, Clyde Freeman, William Hostetter, William Elder, Dean Bell, Kenneth and Harold Walker, Melvin Lilly, Fred Cogdal, John Smith, Wilson Ashbrook, John and William Balinger, Turner Graham, Edwin Bolin, Wayne Smith, Wallace Graven, Dale and Glen Landers, Coleman Gustin, Earl Rhoades, Hugh, Wayne and Vern Righter, William McKown, John Purvis, Howard Christy, Olaf French, William Seitz, Stanley Fleming, Carl Dolan, Wendell Nedden, Homer Hoskins, Zenneth Ward, and Mr. Neville, the Agricultural instructor.

ATTEND STATE JERSEY BREEDERS MEETING

Ralph Emel, secretary of the Illinois Jersey Breeders Association, Paul Wilson, Frank Emel and Henry Francis attended the meeting of the association in Urbana Monday. F. A. Stephens of Robinson is president of the association.

At Monday's meeting representatives were present from about 40 counties and a constitution and by-laws were adopted. Each county having a membership in the club will be entitled to representation on the board of directors.

The association decided to have its annual meeting in Urbana at the University in January.

REPUBLICANS EXTEND THANKS AND APPRECIATION

The Moultrie County Republican Central Committee met in Sullivan on November 10th, at the Republican Headquarters, at which time the following vote of thanks was passed:

The Moultrie County Republican Central Committee desire to express their hearty appreciation to the voters for their splendid support on election day, in helping to show such great majorities for their candidates.

CARD OF THANKS

To all of our friends and neighbors, who so kindly assisted us during the illness of our beloved wife and mother, and to those who extended their sympathy and condolence in our hour of bereavement, we extend our sincere thanks and appreciation.

W. L. Rhodes and family.

KIRKSVILLE BOX SUPPER

There will be a box supper at the Reedy school at Kirksville on the night of Thursday, November 22nd. Everybody is cordially invited.

Ruth Sallee
Ferne Sickafus
Teachers.

—Mr. and Mrs. Levie Dickerson spent Monday evening in Mattoon.

CLIVE RHODES SERVING AS ANNOUNCER STATION WSGH IN NEW YORK

Local friends of Clive Rhodes will be pleased to learn that Clive now has a job where he gets paid for talking. Clive always did like to talk, while working at the I. C. depot, attending school or wherever else he may have been found.

Clive is announcer for WSGH in New York City and has sent his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Rhodes a clipping from the Standard Union in which the paper's columnist who did some broadcasting remarks as follows: "And even if Dusty Rhodes, the congenial announcer, said it came through very nicely and Miss Langworthy insisted that we come out and do our stuff on WSGH next week—we were scared plumb to death."

Clive is a lad of the kind that manages to get along O. K. wherever his ambitious paths may lead him.

TWO PARTITION SUITS

A partition suit has been filed by William H. and Green W. Davis against the other heirs of Mrs. Katherine Davis, who died Friday at her home in Bethany. The property involved is some Bethany real estate.

Mrs. Emma C. Myers has filed a suit to partition the estate of her mother, Mrs. Mary Landgrebe who died last week in Lovington. The suit is directed against the other heirs who are Jacob W. Landgrebe, Martha A. Landgrebe, John H. and George Landgrebe. Mrs. Landgrebe left some personal property. She had a life estate in the farm near Cushman, formerly occupied by Jacob Landgrebe. Kendall Hamblin is the present tenant.

DECATUR WOMAN TO ADDRESS F. I. C. CLUB

The Friends in Council club will meet at the home of Mrs. N. C. Ellis, Monday, Nov. 19th. Mrs. J. G. Threlkeld of 427 Powers Lane, Decatur will address the club. The following program will be presented:

Thanksgiving Devotions—Mrs. Arlo Chapin.
Song, "America."
Reading—Mrs. J. A. Sabin.
Address "The American Home"—Mrs. Threlkeld.

BOX OF APPLES

Mrs. U. S. Hull has received from her brother, E. N. Bragg of Puyallup, Wash., a box of famous Washington apples which weigh a pound a piece, and are as "pretty as a picture." The Gazette editor knows, because he got one. Mr. Bragg left Sullivan township 50 years or more ago. On the 25th anniversary of his departure he returned for a visit. Of late years he and Mrs. Hull have carried on regular correspondence.—Windsor Gazette.

HERE FROM ST. JAMES

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Gregg and Mrs. Gregg's father J. W. Holt of St. James, Mo., arrived Wednesday to spend several days visiting relatives and friends in this county.

FARMERS PLAN TO HAVE LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY OF THEIR OWN

The Farm Bureau organization in Illinois has for some time been investigating the feasibility of going into the life insurance business for the benefit of its members.

This project has now advanced to such a stage where the company has been launched and is meeting with a generous response.

Wednesday, V. Vaniman, the field man of the company who has helped develop many of the most important of Farm Bureau projects was in this city and met with the board of directors of the Moultrie county bureau.

After explaining in detail the purport of his plan, a resolution was adopted by the board approving it. Solicitors will doubtless be sent here in the near future to more fully explain the plan to the members of the farm bureau.

SUPERVISORS WILL MEET FRIDAY MORNING

The Moultrie county Board of supervisors will meet Friday to audit election claims and transact such other business as may need its attention.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Stewart of Detroit, Mich., are spending a week at home of Mr. Stewart's sister, Mrs. W. T. Bennett.

—Mrs. Jesse Bell who has been confined to her home for several weeks is able to be up a little each day.

Mr. and Mrs. David Bolin visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bolin and family Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clark entertained several relatives at their home Sunday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Otto Frederick and daughter Mary Lou of Peoria, Mr. and Mrs. Wes Clark, daughter Lula, Mr. and Mrs. Elva Clark all of Kirksville and Glen Clark of Chicago.

SULLIVAN MARKETS

The most cheering thing about the markets this week is the fact that the elevators are paying 70c for No. 4 corn. Thousands of bushels are being handled by local elevators daily. The state report says that corn in Illinois will average a little better than 38 bushels per acre. Moultrie county's crop will do better than that average as yields of 70 bu. and more are frequently heard of. All corn this year seems to be of excellent quality and the only drawback to perfect shucking conditions is the fact the fields are a little too wet.

Sunflowers too have an upturn and elevators were offering \$3.25 per cwt. this week which is a .25 raise. Oats is worth 38c per bu.; wheat \$1.00 and soybeans \$1.15.

Butterfat price at the produce houses is 47c; eggs are 36c per dozen; old hens 15 to 20c; springs 15 to 21c; old roosters 10c; geese 15c and ducks 15c to 17c depending mainly on weight.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Behen of Pana spent Tuesday evening visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cook and family.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Loveless of Kansas spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Loveless in this city.

—Lee Roughton went to Pana Monday where he performed as one of the officials in an Armistice Day football game.

—Miss Veda Hankley of Chicago spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hankley.

—Mother's pension was granted Mrs. Verbal Waggoner in the county court this week to enable her to support her two fatherless children.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Shipman spent Sunday in Mattoon visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Winchester.

—Marvin and Stanley Bromley of Chicago spent Sunday with their mother, Mrs. Della Bromley.

CARL DICK OPENS INSURANCE OFFICE

Carl Dick has opened an insurance office in one of the rooms of the First National Bank Building west of the hotel.

Attorney M. A. Mattox who has been located in that room will retain his office there.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick moved to this city from Hammond last week and have taken up their residence in what is known as the "Peadro" house on Harrison St.

Mr. Dick has been engaged in the insurance business for several years and has acquired the agency formerly conducted here by Wright Brothers.

His agency will handle every line of insurance that local demand may require.

ROMEY HARMISON RELEASED

After being in jail about a week because of inability to get a bondsman to go his surety that he would pay his wife and children \$10 weekly, Romey Harmison was released on his own recognizance. He has promised to live up to the order of the court.

MASONIC HOME BUICK

R. D. Meeker Saturday delivered to the Illinois Masonic Home a new 47 Buick Sedan.

—Mr. and Mrs. Otto Frederick and daughter Mary Lou returned to their home in Peoria Sunday after visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wes Clark. Victor Clark accompanied them and will spend several weeks in that city.

—Dr. Clark Magill and family and Miss E. Pearson of Chicago, visited with Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Magill over Sunday.

—Mrs. L. W. Schneider, Mrs. Mattie Fread and Mrs. Gladys Whitfield attended the chrysanthemum show in Urbana Tuesday.

—Virgil Rhodes of Milwaukee was called to this city by the death of his mother, Mrs. W. L. Rhodes.

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If we hadn't deeply enriched our vocabulary by a study of those masters of adjectives—the authors of motor car advertising—we would feel incompetent to portray his genius.

Lincoln's letter to Mrs. Bixby was the last great contribution of America to English literature until the arrival of said motor car advertising. Since then only Shaw can hold his own.

We usually associate intellectual greatness with asceticism or hair on the face. We must revise our estimates. For Newton's vast mental and spiritual equipment is housed in the body of a choir boy. His appearance is almost celestial.

This strange genius is the embodiment of all the virtues recorded in the Bible, the Koran, the Vedas, the Analects of Confucius, the Buddhist Beatitudes, Science and Health With Key to the Scriptures, and the Sacred Books of the early Persians. We know of no virtue, ancient, medieval or modern, that isn't incarnate in Newton.

Annie Besant could have saved her traveling expenses to India when she went for Jeddou Krishnamurti had she but known our flawless hero. He is an idealized edition of Jeddou and vastly heavier mentally.

Hugh Thompson could have posed him for a youthful Vicar of Wakefield. He's a Cardinal Mercier in miniature. Heaven fashioned him for a spiritual leader but strangely gave him an orator's tongue and a jurist's soul.

He has to be heard to be believed. He steps to the rostrum like a college boy armed with Toussaint L. Ouverture or the Lincoln Address at Gettysburg. But his lips move and page after page of Atlantic Monthly English pours out at you. The language of a great scholar, a great lawyer, and a great orator, who sways his audiences without theatricalism, through an appeal to the reason and not the emotions. A modern Massillon in fact.

According to the best traditions a public speaker must raise his voice to an unnatural pitch, wave his arms and posture and pose and leer. His message must be in metaphor. His manner hysterical. A Booth, a Barrett in his own compositions. Oratory reached its climax in the days of torchlight processions and walnut furniture.

Daniel Webster's dramatic personality alone made him famous. His speeches read but poorly. And the great Burke put on a sentence of two hundred and thirty-six words. These men were superb orators of the old type. But they are the authors of the agonies of countless millions who have listened to their successors.

Abraham Lincoln took most of the hokey out of oratory. His brevity was telegraphic. He could have made Burke's speech on Conciliation in twenty minutes. It took Burke days. The Irishman will live as the champion of the Colonies and not as a genius of literature.

But though Newton stands before you like a youthful undergraduate, he mints series of ideas in English that knocks you breathless. He is a master of all known topics from the international law to the early education of children. He reads the classics in the original Latin and Greek. Knows poems by heart in Arabic and Hebrew. And a couple of wheezes in Sanscrit. His intellectual capacity is unbelievable. Woodrow Wilson, the Deified Democrat, never approached him in greatness of mind and heart.

Yet he reads Punch openly and occasionally does a pun. His humor sense is English of the age of Victoria. He laughs at Lamb and roars at Pickwick—at the humor of labored exaggeration and the primitive fun of discomfiture. This is hard to forgive. Pickwick is horseplay in a literary setting, with all the stage properties of Hollywood. And Lamb, for professors of Greek.

He thinks George Eliot is the greatest novelist in English and that Shaw is the greatest living literary intellect. So do we. But when he mingles his clarion notes with Arnold Bennett's in praise of the modern Russians, we catch and whistle through our teeth. Tolstoy is remarkable and so is friend Turgenev. But Dostoev-

sky is a day at the morgue, a week in the psychopathic ward, a year in the sewers. Most of his characters have tuberculosis, leprosy, alcoholism and poverty. Ambrose Bierce was a greater master of gloom and without the infections. Horrors fascinate cloistered adults as ghost stories fascinate the children; but those who have lived them or known them want to hear of the birds and the flowers.

Newton is an Oliver Wendell Holmes rather than a Sockless Jerry Simpson. He doesn't eat crackers in bed of course but he has never slept in his underwear. As they do in the great open spaces.

Having thus called your attention to those qualities of mind which may some day stand between Newton and the presidency, let us load him with garlands again.

He is one of the ablest lawyers in America—perhaps the ablest. His clients are nationally known. His hobby is International Jurisprudence. The League of Nations is his religion. The World Court his church.

Life is neither tragedy nor farce to him but comedy in the finest sense. He lives it with a smile. Criticism, censure and abuse he accepts as essential to the drama. His humility saves him from all bitterness. He looks gaily at life like D' Artagnan.

He is a party man, but soothes his conscience with the hope that the organization may yet serve a high purpose. If the Democrats ever get on the moral side of a real political issue, then will come his hour. He is the greatest American intellect.

—Courtesy New York World.

PROHIBITION WILL NOW BE TESTED

The statements are now at hand from Dr. McBride, General Secretary of the Anti-Saloon League; Dr. Wilson, General Secretary of the Methodist Board of Temperance, Prohibition and Public Morals, and Mr. Cherrington, General Secretary of the World League Against Alcoholism. They regard the outcome of the election as proof that the majority of the American people are opposed to a liberal modification of prohibition.

On the face of the returns they are entitled to make that claim. Mr. Hoover has declared that he is opposed to the repeal of the Eighteenth Amendment. He has declared that he is opposed to liberalization of the Volstead act. He has declared that they are an experiment "noble in motive." Mr. Borah, his Western spokesman called the maintenance of prohibition the paramount issue of the campaign. Mr. Hughes, his Eastern spokesman, declared that the proposal to modify Volsteadism was a sham issue. Mr. Hoover has been elected President by a decisive majority. He will have a decisive majority in both Houses of Congress.

Let it then be set fairly and squarely on the record that the experiment is now to be conducted by its real friends armed with all the power which they could possibly ask. They have a President who wishes prohibition to succeed. He is a great administrator. Let him then appoint men to enforce the law whose zeal not even the Anti-Saloon League can question. He has a party majority and he can count on very considerable Democratic support in Congress. Let Mr. Hoover then obtain the money and the power he needs to make the experiment a success.

The Republican Party has accepted the responsibility. It has full power. There can be no excuses if it fails. We shall see what we shall see.—New York World.

LONG DISTANCE MOVING at right prices.—W. H. Walker.

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Then, the treatment of constipation, biliousness, headaches, mental depression, indigestion, sour stomach and other indispositions that result from constipation was entirely by means of simple vegetable laxatives, herbs and roots. These are still the basis of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, which is a combination of senna and other mild laxative herbs, with pepsin.

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ILLINOIS HAS HERD OF WILD DEER NEAR PEORIA

Unharmed by hunters, fed by farmers, and protected by the game wardens of the state department of conservation, a herd of deer, one of the few remaining herds of the state, roams the bottomlands between Marsh and Copper creeks near Peoria.

Their presence is constantly a surprise to visitors in the region, who usually are not aware that there exists in the state a herd of wild deer.

Some fifteen years ago, Dr. George A. Zeller, superintendent of the state institution at Bartonville, a suburb of Peoria, procured eight deer, which he planned to care for on the state hospital grounds. An enclosure was built but it not meet the approval of the fleet-footed animals, who hopped over the fence and made for the lands along Marsh creek, which flows through a rugged, broken countryside about ten miles west and south of Peoria.

Between Marsh and Copper creeks, the deer found a natural habitat—timber and underbrush, which made an ideal deer range. No effort was made to capture them, but word was sent out of their escape, and protection was given them.

Regarding the herd as a practical example of what might be done in Illinois in restoring wild life, Gus H. Radebaugh, director of the state department of conservation, has issued orders to wardens and inspectors of the department to take every precaution to insure the multiplication of the animals. It is no uncommon sight, game wardens say, to see numbers of the deer feeding in the same feed lot with cattle, they have become so tame.

PRODUCERS COMMISSION ASS'N. AT CHICAGO HAD BIG YEAR'S BUSINESS

With the backing and active support of literally thousands of cornbelt live stock feeders, the Chicago Producers Commission association is closing the year 1928 well in the lead on the Chicago market. Not only are they leading every other marketing agency on the market in the total number of cars handled, but their receipts up to November 1st for 1928 of 13,905 cars shows a comfortable gain over the corresponding period of 1927.

Figures covering the month of October alone show that they received 1,239 carloads of live stock by rail and the equivalent of 82 rail cars by truck. In terms of percentage this represented an increase of 41% over October of 1927 when receipts by rail were 895 cars and by truck 32 cars. This increase extended through all departments. The total number of cattle handled in October, 6,196 head, represented an 11.6% gain over a year ago, while the actual receipts of cattle on the market during the month of October shows a decrease of 5.4%. The receipts of calves were 3,479 head, a gain of 3%, while the number of calves on the market shows a decrease of 1.2%.

The gain in both the hog and sheep departments was even more striking. While the actual receipts of hogs on the market show a gain of 22% over a year ago, the Producers' receipts of 58,618 head represented an increase of 58.6% over October of 1927. The number of hogs handled in October represented 10.1% of all the hogs sold on the market, while in 1927 their percentage for the month was 7.7%. The receipts of sheep were 39,668 head, which, when compared with a year ago represents an increase of 51.8%. During the same period of time the market receipts show a gain of 20.3%.

—Miss Alice Preis a nurse in the Cook county hospital spent Saturday and Sunday here visiting her mother, Mrs. Mary Preis.

SURPRISE BIRTHDAY PARTY SUN. FOR HENRY VAUGHN

Sunday being Henry Vaughn's 79th birthday anniversary his wife planned and successfully carried out a surprise party in his honor by inviting several of his friends and relatives to enjoy the day.

Everybody brought well-filled baskets and participated in a pot luck dinner at the noon hour. The afternoon was spent in visiting. Mr. Vaughn received several nice presents.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Henry Vaughn of Sullivan, Mrs. Mary A. Younger of Sullivan, Oliver Aikens of St. Paul, Kansas, Mr. and Mrs. Miles Thompson of Oakwood, Ill., Mrs. Susan Hull of Sullivan, Mr. and Mrs. Doc Peters of Sullivan, Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Hull of Windsor, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Mosby and daughter Gladys of Sullivan, Miss Dessie Cundiff of Allenville, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Vaughn and family of Vandalia, Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Vaughn and family of Decatur, Mrs. Effie Evans of Decatur, Joseph Moon of Decatur, Mrs. Eva Shanks of Flint, Michigan, Mr. and Mrs. Verne Smith and family of Sullivan, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Bailey and son Roy and Jasper Shaw of Sullivan.

FULLERS POINT

Cecil Creath of Humboldt spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Creath.

Helen Phillips spent Sunday with Grace Nash.

John Furness was a caller in Sullivan Monday.

Dr. Carl Furness of Chicago spent the week end with his parents.

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

Mrs. Lizzie Rightsell spent last Friday with her sister, Mrs. Mary Pifer in Sullivan.

A Community meeting was held Friday evening at Fullers Point school house. Old officers were retained for coming year. A program was given by the teacher, Miss Genevieve Carrington and pupils. Refreshments of weiner sandwiches and pie and coffee were served.

Mrs. Joe Cobb of Cooksmills and Mrs. Arloo Rominger met with Mrs. C. M. Phillips Wednesday afternoon preparing work to be demonstrated at Home Bureau meeting to be held in the near future.

John Furness seeded and baled broom corn Wednesday.

LAKE CITY

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Gifford, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Estes of Decatur, and Mrs. Ira Gifford and son Junior of Kansas City, spent Tuesday with Mrs. T. A. Dickson. Bernard Sallings has returned from Detroit where he has been employed for several weeks.

Mrs. Ella Rankins, Mrs. Dora Redfern, Mrs. Hazel Ault and P. C. Farrell attended the quarterly conference which was held at the Methodist church at Long Creek Wednesday.

Mrs. Elsie Francisco and daughter Helen of Decatur visited several days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Stackhouse.

Mrs. Otis Dawson attended a

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party at the home of Mrs. Ruth Throckmorton at Strasburg on Thursday.

Miss Doris Stackhouse spent the week end in Decatur.

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

Ed Sherman has returned home from Rochester where he has been with his father who is in Mayo Brothers hospital for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Dickson visited Sunday with Mrs. Ruth Gifford.

The J. B. Club of Lovington held a dance at Dawson's hall Friday night.

Mrs. Frank Noel entertained a number of friends at her home Saturday afternoon to a bridge party.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Dickson and son Charles and daughter Grace of Decatur spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dickson.

T. F. Winings and family visited relatives near Findlay Sunday afternoon.

Clyde Dickson had his foot badly mashed Saturday when one of the wheels of a truck ran over it. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wilt and daughter Lucile of near Lovington spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rankins.

Mrs. Tillie Brohard spent Monday in Lovington.



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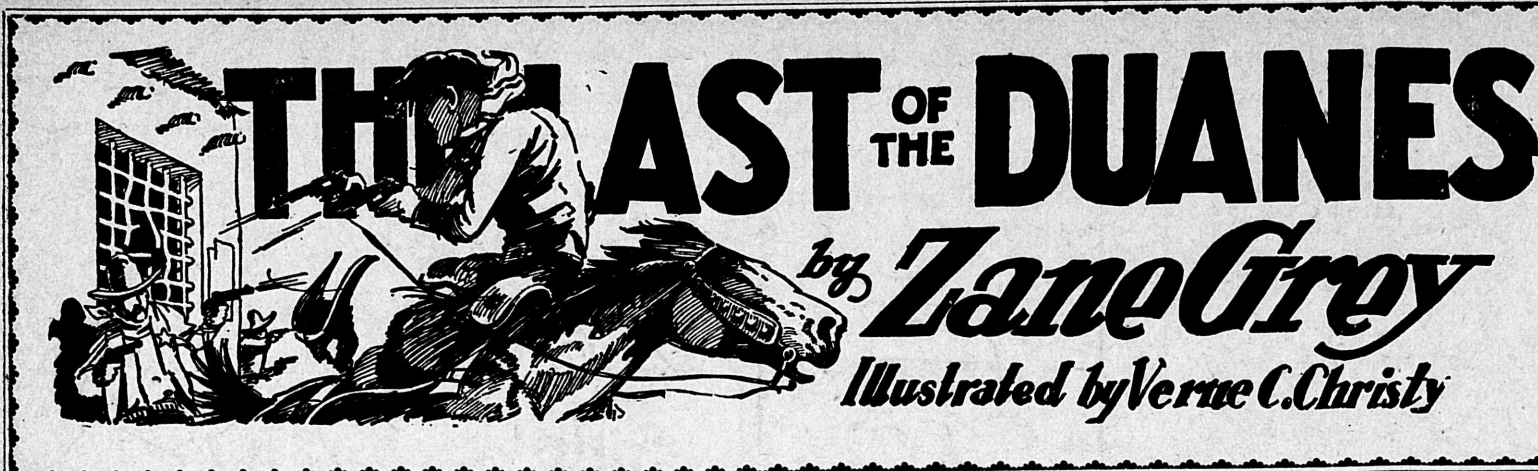
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THE LAST OF THE DUANEES

by Zane Grey

Illustrated by Verne C. Christy

WHAT HAPPENED BEFORE

Buck Duwane on the draw kills Cal Bain in self-defense and finds himself an outlaw. Flying from pursuit, he meets Luke Stevens, another outlaw, and the two become pals. Luke narrowly escapes capture and Duane is shocked to find his brother outlaw severely wounded.

Duane buries Stevens. Then he goes on to Bland's camp, and gets into a fight with a man called Bosomer and wounds the latter. He makes a friend of an outlaw at Bland's called Euchre, who tells him of Mrs. Bland and the girl Jennie.

NOW GO ON WITH STORY

"Wal, I got it this way. Mebbe it's straight an' mebbe it ain't. Some years ago Benson made a trip over the river to buy mescal an' other drinks. He'll sneak over there once in a while. An' as I get it he run across a gang of greasers with some gringo prisoners.

"I don't know, but I reckon there was some barterin', perhaps murderin'. Anyway Benson fetched the girl back. She was more dead than alive. But it turned out she was only starved an' scared to death. She hadn't been harmed.

"I reckon she was then about fourteen years old. Benson's idee, he said, was to use her in his den, sellin' drinks an' the like. But I never went much on Jack-rabbit's word. Bland seen the kid right off an' took her—bought her from Benson.

"You can gamble Bland didn't do that from notions of chivalry. I ain't gainsayin', however, but that Jennie was better off with Kate Bland. She's been hard on Jennie, but she's kept Bland an' the other men from treatin' the kid shameful. Late Jennie has girlgrewed into an all-fired pretty girl, an' Kate is powerful jealous of her. I can see trouble brewin' over there in Bland's cabin.

"That's why I wish you'd come over with me. Bland's hardly ever home. His wife's invited you. Shore if she gets sweet on you, as she has on—wal, that'd complicate matters. But you'd get to see Jennie, an' mebbe you could help her.

"Mind, I ain't hintin' nothin'. I'm just waitin' to put her in your way. You're a man an' can think for yourself. I had a baby girl once, an' if she'd lived she'd be as big as Jennie now, an' by gosh I wouldn't want her in Bland's camp."

"I'll go Euchre. Take me over," replied Duane.

Euchre knocked upon the side of the door.

"Is that you, Euchre?" asked a girl's voice, low hesitatingly.

"Yes, it's me, Jennie. Where's Mrs. Bland?" answered Euchre.

"She went over to Deger's. There's somebody sick," replied the girl.

Euchre turned and whispered something about luck. The snap of the outlaw's eyes was added significance to Duane.

"Jennie, come out or let us come in. Here's the young man I was tellin' you about," Euchre said.

"Oh—I can't! I look so—so—"

"Never mind how you look," interrupted the outlaw in a whisper. "It ain't no time to care for that. Here's young Duane. Jen-

nie, he's no rustler, no thief. He's different. Come out, Jennie, an' mebbe he'll—"

Euchre did not complete his sentence. He had spoken low, with his glance shifting from side to side.

Euchre went away through the cottonwoods.

"I'm glad to meet you, Miss—Miss Jennie," said Duane. "Euchre didn't mention your last name. He asked me to come over to—"

Duane's attempt at pleasantry halted short when Jennie lifted her lashes to look at him. Some kind of shock went through him.

Her gray eyes were beautiful, but it had not been beauty that cut short his speech. He seemed to see a tragic struggle in her piercing gaze. She kept looking, and Duane could not break the silence. It was no ordinary moment.

"What did you come here for?" she asked at last.

"To see you," replied Duane, glad to speak.

"Why?"

"Well—Euchre wanted me to talk to you, cheer you up a bit," replied Duane somewhat lamely.

The earnest eyes embarrassed him.

"Euchre's good. He's the only person in this awful place who's been good to me. But he's afraid of Bland. He said you were different. Who are you?"

Duane told her.

"You're not a robber or rustler or murderer or some bad man come here to hide?"

"No, I'm not," replied Duane, trying to smile.

"Then why are you here?"

"I'm on the dodge. You know what that means. I got in a shootin' scrape at home and had to run off. When it blows over I hope to go back."

"But you can't be honest here."

"Yes, I can."

"You fought Bosomer the other day?"

"In self-defense I crippled him."

"Oh, I know what these outlaws are. Yes, you're different." She kept the strained gaze upon him, but hope was kindling, and the hard lines of her youthful face were softening.

Something sweet and warm stirred deep in Duane as he realized the unfortunate girl was experiencing a birth of trust in him?

"Maybe you're the man to save me—to take me away before it's too late!"

Duane's spirit leaped.

"Maybe I am," he replied instantly.

She seemed to check a blind impulse to run into his arms. Her cheek flamed, her lips quivered, her bosom swelled under her ragged dress. Then the glow began to fade; doubt once more assailed her.

"It can't be—You're only—after me, too, like Bland—like all of them."

Duane's long arms went out and his hands clasped her shoulders. He shook her.

"Look at me—straight in the eye. There are decent men. Haven't you at ather—a brother?"

"They are dead—killed by the raiders. We lived in Dimmit county. I was carried away," Jennie

replied hurriedly.

She put up an appealing hand to him.

"Forgive me, I believe—I know you're good. It was only—I live so much in fear—I'm half crazy—I've almost forgotten what good men are like. Mr. Duane you'll help me?"

"Yes, Jennie, I will. Tell me how. What must I do? Have you any plan?"

"Oh, no. But take me away."

"I'll try," said Duane simply. "That won't be easy though. I must have time to think. You must help me. There are many things to consider. Horses—food, trails, and then the best time to make the attempt. Are you watched—kept prisoner?"

"No. I could have run off lots of times. But I was afraid. I'd only have fallen into worse hands. Euchre has told me that. Mrs. Bland beats me, half starves me, but she has kept me from her husband. She's been as good as that and I'm grateful."

"She hasn't done it for love of me, though. She always hated me. And lately she's growing jealous. There was a man came here by the name of Spence—so he called himself. He tried to be kind to me. But she wouldn't let him. She was in love with him. She's a bad woman."

"Bland finally shot Spence and that ended that. She's been jealous ever since. I hear her fighting with Bland about me. She swears she'll kill me before he gets me. And Bland laughs in her face. Then I've heard Chess Alloway try to persuade Bland to give me to him. But Bland doesn't laugh then."

"Just lately before Bland went away things almost came to a head. I couldn't sleep. I wished Mrs. Bland would kill me. I'll certainly kill myself if—Duane, you must be quick if you'd save me."

"I realize that," replied he thoughtfully. "I think my difficulty will be to fool Mrs. Bland. If she suspected me she'd have the whole gang of outlaws on me at once."

"She would that. You've got to be careful—and quick."

"What kind of a woman is she?" inquired Duane.

"She's brazen. I've heard her with her lovers. They get drunk sometimes, when Bland's away. She's got a terrible temper. She's vain. She likes flattery. Oh you could fool her easy enough if you would lower yourself to—to—"

"To make love to her?" interrupted Duane.

Jennie bravely turned shamed eyes to meet his.

"My girl, I'd do worse than that to get you away from here," he said bluntly.

"But—Duane," she faltered,

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white teeth.

Duane took her proffered hand and remarked frankly that he was glad to meet her.

Mrs. Bland appeared pleased; and her laugh, which followed, was loud and rather musical.

"Mr. Duane—Buck Duane, Euchre said, didn't he?" she asked.

"Buckley," corrected Duane. "The nickname's not of my choosing."

"I'm certainly glad to meet you, Buckley Duane," she said, as she took the seat Duane offered her. "Sorry to have been out. Kid Fuller's lying over at Deger's. You know he was shot last night. He's got fever today."

"When Bland's away I have to nurse all these shot-up boys, and it sure takes my time. Have you been waiting alone?" Didn't see that slattern girl of mine?"

She gave him a sharp glance. The woman had an extraordinary play of feature, Duane thought, and unless she was smiling was not pretty at all.

"I've been alone," replied Duane. "Haven't seen anybody but a sick-looking girl with a bucket. And she ran when she saw me."

"That was Jen," said Mrs. Bland. "She's the kid we keep here, and she hardly pays her keep. Did Euchre tell you about her?"

"Now that I think of it he did say something or other."

"What did he tell you about me?" bluntly asked Mrs. Bland.

"Wal, Kate," replied Euchre speaking for himself, "you needn't worry none, for I told Buck nothin' but compliments."

BRUCE

Mrs. Sam Davis of near Bruce is very ill with pneumonia. Walter Bragg is on the sick list.

Miss Addie Evans is able to walk around some.

The Ladies of the M. E. church cleared \$9.00 serving lunch on election day.

Dick Sharp and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roe Sharp.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Sampson and Mrs. Jane Williamson, Miss Mabel Miller and Garnet Sears spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Miller near Kirksville.

Owing to bad weather not very many attended the box supper. About \$9.00 was cleared which will be used for new books.

Mrs. Lucy Tull is staying with Mrs. Mattie Moore of Allenville who is reported very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Harve Ledbetter of Pierson and Harrison Ledbetter spent Sunday with Mr. and

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Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hollonbeck and son Aaron of Sullivan were callers in Bruce Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Minor of Windsor spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Reed.

Mrs. Jessie Sampson and Mrs. Bart Tull spent Monday with Mrs. Fred Sampson.

Wilbur Rose and family spent Sunday with Mrs. Sarah Niles.

Orval Bragg and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Gilbreath near Gays.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Lane of Decatur were visitors here Sunday.

EAST HUDSON

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Mills of Trowbridge, Mrs. Velma Gilman and Miss Ruby Shipman of Decatur spent Sunday with Miss Ann Elliott.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Monroe and son Wayne, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Woodruff and daughter Loraine visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Poland.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Burks entertained Mr. and Mrs. Orr Hilliard, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Woodruff and Mr. and Mrs. Chris Monroe and family to a quail supper Sunday.

Sunday afternoon visitors at the home of Miss Ann Elliott were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Swietzer of

near Bruce and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Swietzer and family.

W. W. Lewis and Ora Willy were Bethany visitors Saturday.

Miss Gertrude Monroe spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Monroe.

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Church Notes

ST. COLUMBA'S CHURCH

Church will be held at St. Columba's Catholic church at 8 a. m. Sunday.

METHODIST CHURCH

G. V. Herrick, pastor.

We urge all members and friends of our congregation to remember Sunday school at 9:30. Plan to come. This is an important part of our church activities. You will enjoy Sunday school. You will be pleased by our fine orchestra. Under the leadership of our very capable superintendent James A. Reeder we can have a great Sunday school. Let's all help now.

Morning worship at 10:45. Sermon subject "The Kingdom Is Coming". We are very sure you will enjoy the special music. Plan to attend.

League luncheon at 6:00 ten cents.

Epworth League at 6:30 There will be no evening church service in our church as we are invited to attend the Presbyterian church to welcome the new pastor. Every member is cordially invited to attend this service.

Young Peoples' choir meets at the church at 7 o'clock for a short practice. The regular choir at the usual time.

Monday night our new district superintendent Harris G. Beck of Decatur will be with us for our first quarterly conference.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

C. E. Barnett, Pastor

Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Morning worship 10:40 a. m., subject of sermon "Stewardship." Christian Endeavor meeting at 6:30 p. m.

There will be no evening service. Instead we will worship at the Presbyterian church in a service of welcome to the incoming pastor, Rev. J. C. Irvine.

Wednesday evening, Nov. 21, 6:45 Church night and Fellowship supper. At eight o'clock in the church auditorium two thirty minute dramas will be presented. A drama of the Every Member Canvass, "I'm From the Church." This will be presented by several young men and two young ladies. And the second drama entitled, "The Mirror of Blue" will be presented by the ladies of the Woman's Missionary society, assisted by several boys and girls, in all about twenty-five characters. While these dramas are a part of the church night fellowship program, the public is most cordially invited to be present at 8 o'clock in the auditorium.

Sunday, Nov. 25 "Thanks for the Harvest" services both morning and evening, which every member is urged to attend and to which the public is invited.

Union Thanksgiving service at the Christian church Wednesday evening, Nov. 23 at 7:30. Rev. George Herrick will deliver the sermon.

Sunday, Dec. 2, beginning of two weeks' revival. C. W. Harris of Macy, Ind., will lead in the singing. The pastor will deliver the sermons. Reserve these dates on your calendar.

THE GOSPEL MISSION

9:30 a. m.—Sunday school. 10:45 a. m.—Preaching. 6:30 p. m.—Y. P. meeting. 7:30 p. m.—Evangelistic services.

7:30 p. m. Tuesday and Thursday, prayer meeting and Bible study.

On Sunday evening Brother Egan will preach on subject, "Man." What he was—What he is—What he shall be.

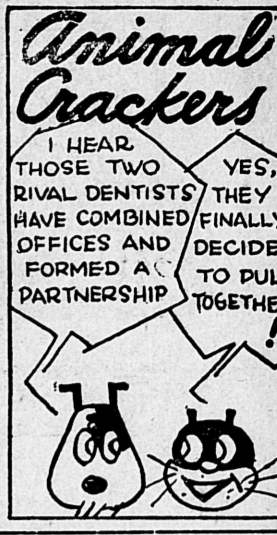
Everyone is welcome to all the services.

Prov. 13:7—"There is that maketh himself rich, yet hath nothing; there is that maketh himself poor, yet hath great riches."

We have here two pictures, God has reproduced them and bids us look upon them. The first is that of a man, one who has lived for self. In the background of the picture we see, selfishness, pride, greed, all of which tend to cast a dark shadow over the picture, and mar its beauty. It is not a picture we would care to linger over, but it might be well for us to study it. Perhaps there might be there some likeness to ourselves.

The second picture is also that of a man, but one who has lived for God. A man who could say "Yea doubtless, and I count all things but loss for the excellency of the knowledge of Christ Jesus my Lord." In the background of this picture we see, humility, benevolence, charity, which cast a radiant glow over the picture, making it a beautiful picture, one we love to linger over and study. We notice that each man with the manner of his living has painted his own picture. You and I are painting picture of ourselves, like the first, we cannot touch it up here and there and improve it

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much, but we can apply the blood of Jesus to it and entirely erase it. He, the Master Painter will help us to make one like unto the other.

FUNERAL OF MRS. LUELLA WRIGHT HELD SUNDAY WITH BURIAL IN GREENHILL

Luellla May Richardson, daughter of I. M. and Elmira Richardson, was born Feb. 6, 1870 at Franklin, Ind., and departed this life, Nov. 8, 1928 at her home in Sullivan, Ill.

At the age of six years she came with parents to this state and spent the rest of her life in this county. At an early age she united with the Methodist church and has always lived an earnest, active Christian life.

On February 27, 1928 she was united in marriage with Hubert W. Wright who is left to mourn her loss. She also leaves two brothers and two sisters: Elmer W. Richardson, Mrs. Susie Powell and Mrs. Ethel Newbould of Sullivan and Homer Richardson of Mattoon. She also leaves large number of cousins, nephews and nieces upon whom she lavished a large measure of affection.

During her life Mrs. Wright had touched the life of the community in so many of its aspects that she had made a wide circle of acquaintances and the number of her friends was identical with the number of acquaintances.

The funeral was conducted Sunday afternoon at the Methodist church by Rev. George V. Herrick assisted by Judge W. G. Cochran. A mixed quartette composed of Mrs. Ella Jenne, Mrs. Mabel George, J. B. Martin and Frank Fuson sang "It is Well With My Soul" and "Your Best Friend is always near." Bluford Richardson of Decatur a cousin of the departed sang "Face to Face."

The pall bearers were Hubert Powell, Denzel Powell, Merle Powell, Harold Newbould, Ralph Edwards and George Moyer.

The flower girls were Misses Reta and Mildred Powell, Miss Charlotte Richardson, Miss Enid Newbould and Mesdames Ralph Edwards, George Moyer, Roy Williams and Ruth Cribbet.

The Daughters of Union Veterans of which organization Mrs. Wright was a member, attended in a body and had charge of the services at the grave in Greenhill cemetery.

AT WRIGHT FUNERAL

Among those from out of town who attended the funeral of Mrs. Ella Wright held Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. George Winn, Mr. and Mrs. George Land of Tuscola, Mrs. Sherman Winn, Mrs. T. Cox, Victor and Charles McDonald, Lloyd Ascherman and family of Arthur, Mrs. James Houghlan, Mrs. Nora Butler, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Powell of Mattoon, Mrs. Allie Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Gardner Duval and family, Mr. and Mrs. Elsworth Richardson and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Richardson and family of Decatur; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ascherman and family, Mrs. Murray Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ascherman and Mr. and Mrs. Clotfelter of Lovington.

ATTEND FUNERAL OF MRS. H. WRIGHT

Mrs. Nettie Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph E. Edwards, and Hugh S. Lilly attended the funeral of their cousin, Mrs. Hubert Wright, at Sullivan Sunday afternoon. Burial was under auspices of the Daughters of Union Veterans. Ralph was one of the pall-bearers and his wife was one of the flower girls. Mrs. Wright assisted in organizing the Windsor tent of Daughters of Union Veterans, at the time it was formed.—Windsor Gazette.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the many friends and neighbors for the many deeds of kindness shown us in the late sickness and death of our dear little baby and granddaughter. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Whightsil and Grandparents.

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REGRET McMULLIN'S DEFEAT

Lovington township voters, irrespective of party, lament the defeat of L. W. McMullin who was seeking re-election as coroner. Mr. McMullin made an active campaign and did much in this end of the county to get out a big vote Tuesday. His defeat is charged up largely to his own party, a large group of whom apparently marked a straight republican ticket and neglected to cross over on the county ticket. In Lowe township this was said to have been true, as a number of democratic women voted straight republican ticket. In Sullivan township the republican candidate was treated in a non-partisan manner, similar to the support that Mr. McMullin received in Lovington.

Mr. McMullin is succeeded by W. R. Robinson, a well known county seat undertaker who is highly competent to carry out the duties of the office.—Lovington Reporter.

—Mrs. Effie Wright of Chicago spent several days visiting friends in this city. She also visited relatives in Shelbyville the early part of this week.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

You are hereby notified that the Commissioner of Drainage District No. 5 in Sullivan Township, Moultrie County, and State of Illinois, has filed his classification of the lands benefited therein and that he will meet on the 30th day of November A. D. 1928 at the hour of 9 o'clock a. m. at the residence on the George H. Elliott farm in said district, to hear any and all objections that may be made to the same, when you may appear and be heard if you see fit.

Dated this the 13th day of November A. D. 1928.

George A. Roney, Clerk of Said District. 46-2t.

WHAT RED CROSS DID FOR MISSISSIPPI VALLEY FLOOD SUFFERERS

Figures showing the extent of damage caused by the Mississippi Valley flood of 1927 and the relief work of the American Red Cross, are contained in a final Summary report issued by the organization.

The report, which deals exclusively with family losses, and does not include such items as property damage to public utilities, highways, and municipal properties, gives for the first time the final figures on family losses and places the number of buildings destroyed at 41,487 while a total of 162,017 homes were flooded. More than 65,000 families involving approximately 325,000 individuals, suffered losses in the disaster.

Agriculture is listed as a heavy loser in the flood. Of the 18,764,775 acres of cultivated land in the flood area, more than 5,289,000 acres were inundated. Live stock and poultry drownings totalled 1,175,673, while thousands of farmers lost all farm implements, buildings, and equipment.

The Red Cross rescue fleet, assembled as the flood assumed such grave proportions, consisted of more than a thousand boats, with which 300,000 persons were rescued from levees, house-tops and other points of temporary safety and transported to refugee camps. The number of camps and concentration centers maintained by the Red Cross was 154. Altogether the organization cared for 637,000 flood sufferers during the relief work, and was at one time serving more than a million meals a day for the sufferers.

The enormity of the Red Cross health and disease prevention program is shown in the report by the fact that to combat malaria 25,000,000 grains of quinine were used, while for the prevention of typhoid fever 457,700 persons were inoculated. The smallpox menace was met by the vaccination of nearly 147,000 persons.

Extensive building and repair projects, the distribution of seed, farm implements, live stock and feed were outstanding phases of the reconstructive program the Red Cross instituted as soon as the water receded. Nearly 2,500,000 acres were planted with seed supplied by the relief organization, the seed being distributed to nearly 400,000 persons. Besides this relief 110,000 received assistance in building and repairing; 245,720 received household goods; live stock and poultry were given to 32,000; and farm implements to 8,000. Medical aid was extended to 58,800. Relief expenditures of the organization in the flood reconstruction

tion program will exceed \$17,000,000, all of which has been spent with the exception of a small amount being used for the completion of certain unfinished projects.

Coincident with the issuance of the report, the Red Cross is preparing for its annual enrollment of members for 1929 during the Roll call, to be held from Armistice Day, November 11, through Thanksgiving Day, at which time funds for the continuance of its services, including disaster relief, will be sought.

Such roll call is now in progress in this community under the direction of W. R. Robinson of this city.

LOCALS

—Arnett McCusker of Decatur made a business trip to this city Tuesday.

—Miss Mary Cutright accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Roy Enters upon their return to Fort Dodge, Ia., Monday and will spend a two week's vacation at that place.

—BEACON FALLS "BUDDY" BOOTS FOR MEN AND BOYS. COY SHOE STORE.

—Mrs. Fanny Rawlings of Springfield and Mrs. Fannie Muncie of Decatur are spending a few weeks at the home of Dr. and Mrs. S. T. Butler.

—Mrs. A. H. Miller and Lela Mae have moved for the winter months into two rooms of their property known as the Swisher property. Miss Mayme Aelxander will stay at the home of Miss Oma and Ella Baker.

—Mr. and Mrs. Scott Hill and daughter Marvina spent Sunday with Mrs. J. H. Conard and daughter Laura.

—Harry Palmer of Decatur spent Sunday with home folks.

—Mr. and Mrs. Curt Weger and the Chaney sisters attended the "Mum" show in Urbana Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Todd entertained the Junior Card club Monday evening.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. M. David spent Monday night in Decatur.

—Mr. and Mrs. Carl Shasteen, Mrs. Ansel Wright, Mrs. Chester Horn, Mrs. Raymond Shasteen made a business trip to St. Louis Thursday.

—The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. Edith Kinsel Nov. 22. Mrs. Minnie Edwards will give her report of the county convention at this time.

—Mrs. Howard Billman of East St. Louis arrived Tuesday for a two weeks visit at the home of her daughter in law, Mrs. Ruth Billman and family.

—Mrs. Luther Lowe entertained the 20th Century club Tuesday afternoon.

—The Standard Bearers of the Methodist church at Mattoon, also the members of the same organization of this city met at the home of Mrs. F. A. Reeder Monday evening for a pot luck dinner. Later on in the evening a program was given. Several guests were also present.

—Mrs. Isaac Alvey of Kirksville has been confined to her bed the past three weeks with illness.

—Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Dolan and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kelso spent Monday evening in Decatur.

—Mr. and Mrs. Glen Wright of Chicago spent the week end with home folks.

—The McCarthy family moved on Wednesday into the George Longwill property.

—Miss Mary Muncie of Decatur spent Sunday at the home of Dr. and Mrs. S. T. Butler.

—The Loyal Women's class wish to thank all who donated canned goods for the orphanage and old folks home.

—John, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mack Johnson suffered injuries to his right arm Tuesday while cranking a car.

—Mr. and Mrs. George French went to Chicago Sunday to visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Meek.

—Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Hodge attended the funeral of the former's cousin, Mrs. T. H. Hodge held at Louisville, Sunday.

—Mrs. Frank Durnher of Lovington was shopping in this city Monday.

—Glen Clark, student of the Northwestern University, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clark.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY MET AT SHASTEEN HOME

The Belle Hopper Missionary Society met at the home of Mrs. Raymond Shasteen Monday night with eleven members and eight guests present. The business session was in charge of the vice president, Mrs. Gertrude Fortner. This was followed by the program given by division number four and which consisted of the following numbers:

Devotional—Mayme Alexander. Song, "America"—Assembly. Prayer—Mrs. C. E. Barnett. "The Negro"—Mrs. G. Carnine. "The Indian"—Anna McCarthy. Vocal Solo, "Peace"—Mrs. V. Weaver. "The French"—Mrs. Mabel Nichols. "The Highlanders"—Mrs. C. E. Barnett. Benediction.

WOMEN'S CLUBS TO MEET IN LOVINGTON FRIDAY AFTERNOON

The women's clubs of the county will meet in Lovington Friday afternoon of next week. The meeting starts at 1:30 and all of members of the Friends in Council club of this city are urgently invited to attend.

Mrs. E. J. Lehman of Sidney, the district president will be present and will address the meeting.

AT RHODES FUNERAL

Among those who attended the funeral services of Mrs. W. L. Rhodes in Bethany, Monday were Mr. and Mrs. Will Kinsel, Mrs. Mattie Fread, Mrs. Tella Pearce, R. B. Foster, J. B. Martin, O. F. Cochran, Mrs. Clyde Patterson, Kenneth Roney, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Gauger, Mrs. Will Gardner, Mrs. Cynthia Newbould, Mrs. Susie Fread and Mrs. Lydia Harris.

NOTICE TO HUNTERS

The undersigned respectfully request that you do not trespass on their lands for the purpose of hunting with dog or gun or in any other manner, whatsoever. We trust that it will not be necessary to go to law to enforce this request, but will do so, if necessary.

W. J. Patterson. Z. I. Standerfer. Frank and Buck Spough. W. S. Young, Gays. Emma and Addie Evans. N. W. Fults. (Note—Other names will be added to this notice to run for the hunting season for 50c.)

Ladies' and Misses' Coats

I have in stock about 26 LADIES and MISSES COATS. Beautiful fur-trimmed garments in Broadcloth, velours, Bolivia, fur-trimmed collars and cuffs, shawl collars and many are reduced one half price, others one third. PRICES RANGE from \$6.50, \$8.50, \$9.75, \$10.75, \$14.75, \$16.75, \$18.75, \$19.75, \$20.00, \$26.00, \$27.50 and \$35.00.

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FRED THOMPSON in

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A story of the early West—a chapter from the life of Kit Carson, the dauntless pioneer. Also a Paramount comedy and Paramount News.

Admission 10 and 25 cents

SATURDAY, NOV. 17

JACK MULHALL and DOROTHY MACKAILL in

"Ladies Night in a Turkish Bath"

First National's starring team in a comedy drama that proves a laugh riot from start to finish. Also Pathe comedy. Admission 10 and 25 cents.

SUNDAY-MONDAY, NOVEMBER 18-19

CHARLES ROGERS, MARY BRIAN, CHESTER CONKLIN in

"VARSITY"

Romance with a background of college life as it really is—filmed on the Princeton campus. Also a Paramount comedy. Note—Monday is "N-O" night. Admittance free if your surname begins with either of these letters. Admission 10 and 25 Cents.

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY, NOV. 20-21

POLA NEGRI in

"LOVES OF AN ACTRESS"

A colorful and dramatic portrayal of the life of a great actress—an engaging story worthy of the dramatic ability of Pola Negri.

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THURSDAY-FRIDAY, NOV. 22-23

H. B. WARNER in

"SORRELL AND SON"

Another triumph by H. B. Warner, noted for his portrayal of Christ in "King of Kings". Adapted from the widely discussed novel, depicting with dramatic vividness the life of a broken army hero guiding his son thru life. Unquestionably one of the finest pictures ever made and one that is recommended without reservation. No advance in Admission. Admission 10 and 25 cents.

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