

# THE SULLIVAN PROGRESS

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## Railroads Fight Payment of Part Of School Taxes

Technical Objection Raised to Payment of \$2,000 Levied by Non-High School Board. Also Object to Part of Grade School Taxes.

The amount of \$2,000 of non-high school district tax money is involved in a court action which was up in the county court Monday morning. The C & E I railroad, the Wabash and the C. C. C. & St. L. are objecting to the payment of this amount in taxes.

The county treasurer is endeavoring to secure judgment against these companies to compel payment.

The objection is merely technical. The non-high board consisting of W. R. Kennedy, James Morrison and J. L. Mayes, all of Dora township met in June of last year and made the levy. No minutes were kept of this meeting and the levy was filed with the county clerk on October 4th which was two days later than the time limit set by law. Because of these two matters the railroads contend that the amount of taxes claimed for this purpose cannot be legally collected.

F. J. Thompson as attorney for the non-high board has shown that the minutes of the board have been amended and that in this way the provisions of the law have been complied with. At the hearing Monday morning none of the members of the non-high board appeared and the main witness for the state was Mrs. Roughton, county superintendent of schools. In her official capacity she is secretary of the board, but acts only on instructions given her by the board, of which she is not a member.

After hearing the arguments Judge Grider set Friday morning as time for hearing the arguments in the case.

The Illinois Central railroad is objecting to some of the taxes levied in the Sullivan, Bethany and grade school districts. In making the levy last year, a certain amount was levied to pay for bonded indebtedness. The railroad attorneys say that the law does not provide for any such levy and that the bonded indebtedness must be paid out of the building fund. The school districts through their attorney contend this levy was made under the amended school laws of 1927 and is correct in every detail.

Until the non-high suit is determined there will doubtless be no payment of the tuition claims of the districts which non-high pupils attended during the past school session.

## MRS. LYDIA WHANGER DIED TUESDAY AT JNO. CREEK HOME

Mrs. Lydia Ann Whanger an aged resident of Jonathan Creek township, living about 3 1/2 miles northeast of this city died Tuesday. She had long been in failing health. She was born Nov. 18, 1854 and at time death claimed her was 74 years, 8 months and 5 days old.

She was the widow of the late Mason Whanger who died several years ago.

She is survived by three children. They are Sadie, wife of John Turner of Allenville, Jessie at home and one son Lewis.

Funeral services were held at the home Thursday afternoon and were conducted by Rev. C. E. Barnett. Interment was in Greenhill cemetery.

## HAROLD HARMON TO WED IN SEPTEMBER

Harold Harmon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Harmon of this city and Miss Lois Cruikshank of Oak Park, Illinois, whose engagement was announced some time ago, will be married this coming September.

Mr. Harmon is a certified public accountant and is in the employ of Price-Waterhouse & Co., a big Chicago accounting firm. His home at present is in Evans-ton.

## MASONIC HOME HOSPITAL EMPLOYEES HAD PICNIC AT PIFER'S PARK

The employees of the Illinois Masonic Home hospital had a very pleasant outing and picnic supper Friday night at Pifer's park.

There was boating and games and all had a jolly good time. A very important part of the outing was the big fried chicken supper, topped off with generous portions of watermelon.

Those in attendance were Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Leeds and son Elmer, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Mattox, Mrs. Carrie McCawley, Mrs. Veda Poland, Mrs. Vina Summitt, and the Misses Cecil Boyles, Gertie Powell, Thelma Russell, Jessie Turner, Mary Wooley, Jane Willis, Ferne Wilkins, Lydia Wyatt, Leota Hatcher, Roberta Luke, Hallie Allen and Elsie Riley.

## Mrs. Charles Getz Died Fri.; Funeral Held Saturday

Wife of City's Police Officer Had Long Been in Failing Health. Family Has Lived in Moultrie County Since 1907.

Mrs. Ruby Getz, wife of Charles Getz, died Friday at her home on South Hamilton street. She had been in ill health for some time. More than a year ago her condition was regarded as serious but she rallied and got along fairly well until about a week preceding her death.

She was born near Richmond, Kentucky and was a daughter of Nathan and Betty Sams. Her first husband was Cornelius Baker. To this union one child was born, Lelah, wife of F. E. Switzer of this community.

She was married a second time to Charles Getz in 1903. They lived for several years at Beecher City and later at Catlin. In 1907 they came to this county and after spending a number of years farming, moved to this city, where Mr. Getz is serving as police officer.

Mr. and Mrs. Getz were the parents of two children, Raymond and Edna. Besides her husband and children, Mrs. Getz leaves two brothers, W. T. Sams and Walker Sams of this city and one sister, Mrs. J. C. Likins of Catlin. Funeral services were held on Saturday afternoon at the M. E. church and were conducted by Rev. G. V. Herrick. Interment was in Greenhill cemetery. The casket bearers were J. W. Rauch, Charles Lansden, Roy Fitzgerrell, Sam B. Hall, G. R. Fleming and Len Loveless.

A quartette consisting of Mrs. Helen McCune, Mrs. C. E. McPheeters, J. B. Martin and O. F. Cochrane sang at the services.

Those present from out of town for the funeral services were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Likins and Edward and Fern Likins of Catlin, Mr. and Mrs. John Finley of Fairmount, T. J. Ward of Danville, Mrs. Junius Whalen of Tilton and Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Likins of Kokomo, Ind.

## REV. AND MRS. MacLEOD GIVEN SURPRISE SUNDAY

A number of folks from this city went to Raymond, Ill., Sunday morning where they tendered a surprise party to Rev. and Mrs. D. A. MacLeod. The congregation had been notified and had tables arranged in the church basement where a pot luck dinner was served.

Mr. and Mrs. MacLeod were presented with a beautiful silver tea set from the Sullivan folks.

Those who attended were Mr. and Mrs. Dave Cummins and daughter Eleanor, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McLaughlin, sons James and Jack, Mr. and Mrs. Waverly Ashbrook, Dr. and Mrs. A. D. Miller, Guy Little, Miss Ina Matthews, Mrs. Ruth Billman and son Howard, Miss Jessie Buxton, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Newbold and Mr. and Mrs. Will Gardner.

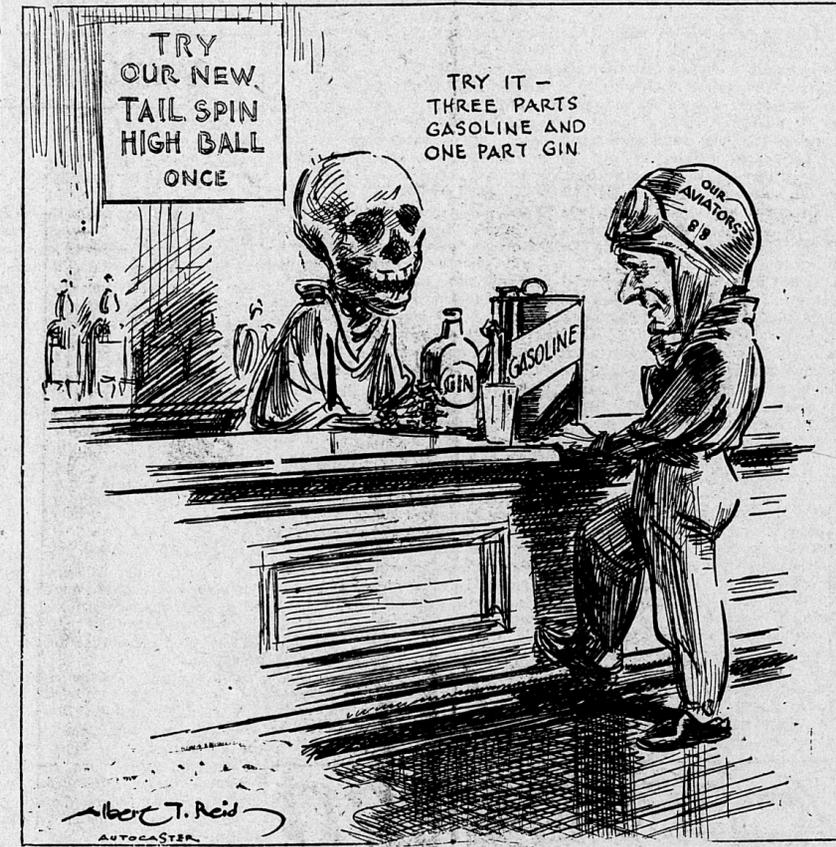
## WIFE OF GEO. WACASER DIED IN ST. MARY'S HOSP.

Mrs. Georgia T. Wacaser, wife of George Wacaser, well known Lovington farmer died in St. Mary's hospital in Decatur Monday morning. She leaves her husband and seven children.

Funeral services were held on Wednesday and burial was in the Hammond cemetery.

A scientific refrigerator at less than wholesale cost. See Tire and Battery adv. on page 5.

## A Good One -- To Pass Up



## JAMES A. WEBB DIED AT BROTHER'S HOME ON TUESDAY

James A. (Turk) Webb member of a prominent pioneer family and well known as a farmhand died at the home of his brother, Henry H. Webb in Jonathan Creek township Tuesday. Early this spring he was employed by George Oliver, but his health failing he went to the home of his brother and for the past six weeks had been ill there.

He was a son of Henry and Amy Webb and was born in Jonathan Creek township. With the exception of a few months at a time when he would go to other states to work, he had spent practically his entire life time in Moultrie county.

Moultrie county. His day of birth was June 8, 1868 and he was 61 years, 1 month and 15 days old, when he died.

He was never married. He leaves the following brothers and sisters: George S. Webb of this city; Henry H. Webb of Jonathan Creek; Samuel Addison Webb and Tobe Webb of Decatur; Sarah, wife of Ben Freeman of this city, and Linnie, wife of Lee Reed of Algona, Iowa. Two brothers and two sisters preceded him in death.

The name "Turk" by which he was familiarly known, was acquired in a peculiar manner. While working as a broom corn cutter years ago in company with other men, he threw something at his employer's turkeys and killed one. His companions promptly named him "Turk" and the nickname stuck through life.

Funeral services for the deceased were held Thursday morning at the Jonathan Creek church and were conducted by Rev. C. E. Barnett of this city. Burial was in Jonathan Creek cemetery.

## MRS. MAUDE CRAIG MOTHER OF ELEVEN CALLED BY DEATH

Mrs. Maude Craig, wife of Arley Craig died at the family home Tuesday evening about 5:30 after an illness of several weeks. She was past 43 years of age.

The Craig family is employed by Miss Lizzie Ginn on her farm east of this city. They have been living there for the past two years, having come from near Mode in Shelby county.

Mrs. Craig was the mother of eleven children. Two are dead. The husband and following nine children survive: Mae, Zelma, Opal, Carl, Cale, Junior, Eldon, Paul and Betty Jean. All of them are under the family roof.

The remains were on Thursday taken to Mode where funeral services and interment took place.

Mrs. Edgar Light who spent several weeks here with relatives and friends is leaving today (Friday) for her home in Tulsa, Okla.

## SOIL TESTING TRAIN HERE ON AUGUST 31

Luther Fuller, agricultural agent of the C & E I railroad was in this city Tuesday conferring with officers of the Community Club relative to making arrangements for a stop of the soil train here on the afternoon of Saturday, August 31st.

This train will carry demonstrations, laboratory, exhibits, competent speakers on soils and crops from the U. of I. and many other features of interest to the town and country people with a view of increasing the interest in better methods of farming.

Farmers are asked to bring in samples of soil to be tested for acidity and they will be taught how to make these tests themselves. Information will be forthcoming as to what steps to take to overcome the acidity of the soil.

The community is asked to cooperate with the C & E I folks in an effort to awaken interest in this project and secure a good crowd.

The president of the Community club has named Chester Horn, E. O. Dunscomb and J. F. Gibbon as a committee to confer with a committee to be named by Farm Adviser Hughes to make plans that will assure a success for this day.

The C & E I demonstration trains are not a new venture. That company has in the past had poultry and bull trains and the people have turned out to gather what information the exhibits and lectures offered.

## RAIN THURSDAY AFTER HOT DRY SPELL WAS WELCOMED BY ALL

After about ten days of dry weather this locality was visited by a very welcome rain Thursday morning.

Threshing has been progressing rapidly and many farmers took advantage of the fine haying weather.

Work in the corn fields has been kept up and there is hope that some of the later corn, with favorable weather may mature a fair crop.

Soybeans and sunflowers have also been doing fine, but all growing crops were much in need of rain. The exceedingly heavy rains which have afflicted this territory this spring have packed the soil, making it subject to hard crusts after a few days of hot sultry weather.

Occasional rains and plenty of hot sultry weather will do wonders for the late corn crop.

## ICE CREAM SOCIAL

There will be an ice cream social at Jonathan Creek church on Tuesday evening, July 30th, at 7:30. Everybody invited.

## DECATUR KIWANIS GUESTS FRIDAY OF SULLIVAN CLUB

As a mark of good will and appreciation for what the Decatur club has done for Sullivan Kiwanis, an invitation had been extended to the members of that organization and their wives to come here for a picnic party and chicken supper on Friday of last week.

The affair was held at the Country Club. In the afternoon the ladies were entertained at bridge while the men engaged in golf.

The golf affray was a blind bogey handicap tournament. Rev. Pappermann of Decatur won low score for the visitors and was given 3 golf balls. A similar prize was given Allen Jamieson for low net score. Dr. Flewelling won two balls by having low score on the blind bogey hole. Dave Beggs won one ball on Booby and Irving Bright was similarly rewarded for having high score on hole 2.

For Sullivan, Carl Wolf shot almost perfect golf and won 3 balls, C. R. Patterson won 3 for low net score. R. B. Foster was blind bogey winner. A. E. McCorvie and Brandenburg with 107 each tied for booby and on toss up Mac lost, but won by registering high score on hole two, so each got a ball for his efforts.

While the afternoon attendance from Decatur was rather small the night attendance was good. It is estimated that about 60 people from the neighboring city were present for the supper. Among them were Mr. and Mrs. Horace McDavid, Mr. McDavid is president of Kiwanis International.

President J. L. McLaughlin of the local club was toastmaster. Mr. McDavid as the highest officer in Kiwanis was first called upon for a speech and responded briefly. Allen Jamieson president of the Decatur club also spoke and was followed by Dr. Carroll Flewelling, pastor of the Central Christian church in Decatur who made the main address of the evening. Harry Barber's famous Decatur quartette under the leadership of Eldon Geiger sang several selections. Miss Dorothy Hall played selections on her violin and was heartily encored.

The Decatur guests seemed to have a very pleasant evening and profusely expressed their appreciation. They stated "Any time you want us to come visit you just say 'chicken supper' and you can count on us being present in full force."

## PEACHES FOR SALE

I have about 100 bushel of Logan peaches now beginning to ripen. Price \$1.50 per bushel. These peaches are semi-freestone and good for all purposes. Phone office 90 or Farm 87z and leave orders or call at farm 2 miles south of Sullivan route 32.

J. L. McLaughlin.

## HUGH RIGHTER PRESIDENT OF DAIRY CALF CLUB

The Moultrie County Dairy Calf Club met at the Farm Bureau office Tuesday evening, July 23 and elected the following officers:

President—Hugh Righter. Vice Pres.—Ernest Wining. Secretary-Treas. Dorothy Wining.

There were 15 members out from all parts of the county and much interest was displayed in the future work of the club for this season. They are planning on showing their cows, the majority of which are now fresh, at the Moultrie county 4-H club show, which will probably be held on or about the 27th of August.

A calf club show committee was appointed as follows: William Elder, chairman, Dalsen Esry, Alex Mitchell, Glen Clark, Chas. Wining, Dorothy Wining, Ruth Wining and Doris Craig. It will be the duty of this committee to assist the superintendent in every way possible in putting on this little fair. It is the intention of each and every one of the club members to exhibit their animals at the 4-H club show, as liberal prizes will be offered from the funds that are provided by the state aid, together with that made up locally. More than \$700.00 in cash prizes will be given out to the members that have been engaged in 4-H club work in Moultrie county during the past season. A vote was taken whether or not they would show their calves at Sullivan at the 4-H club show and a 100% vote resulted.

The place of the next meeting will be announced later.

## MRS. LEAVITT'S FATHER DIED SUDDENLY FRIDAY

J. S. Schable, aged 67 died suddenly at his home at Pierson on Friday evening at 7:30. He was a retired farmer and the father of Mrs. Carl Leavitt of this community.

Mrs. Leavitt visited her father Friday and when she left he seemed to be in good humor. Several hours later she was notified that one of her sisters had found him dead in bed, he having expired shortly after retiring.

He is survived by the following children: Addie Schable, Martin, Julia Leavitt, John, Sarah Schable and Walter and Mary. He was a brother of Mrs. Jake Steck of Lowe township, George S. Schable of Lovington and William Schable of Arthur.

## MONTICELLO WON LADIES TOURNEY HERE TUESDAY

Monticello lady golfers gave a decisive defeat to the Sullivan contingent Tuesday afternoon on Sullivan Country Club grounds.

The tournament play was by two-somes one point being scored for most holes won and one point for low total.

Monticello won by a score of 12 to 7.

Low score for Sullivan was made by Mrs. Blanche Foster with a 54. Mrs. Pyatt of Monticello was low for the visitors with a 48.

The individual score of two somes was as follows, the Sullivan player being the first named:

Mrs. G. R. Fleming	60
Mrs. Plankenhorn	51
Mrs. P. M. Hankla	56
Mrs. Pyatt	48
Mrs. Lute Hudson	58
Miss Corder	49
Mrs. O. F. Foster	54
Mrs. Firke	54
Mrs. D. K. Campbell	59
Mrs. Duncan	52
Mrs. J. F. Gibbon	60
Mrs. Barnes	61
Mrs. John Eads	56
Mrs. Cline	61
Miss Jessie Buxton	57
Miss Dilsaver	55
Mrs. Carl R. Hill	66
Mrs. McPherson	67
Mrs. Frank McPheeters	67
Mrs. Dilsaver	59

## WAGGONER REUNION

The Waggoner family will hold its annual reunion on Sunday, July 28 at Freeland Grove, Sullivan. All relatives and friends are invited to come and bring their dinners and spend the day with us.

Miss Mary Daugherty, Sec. Mrs. Rasha Tull, Pres.

## SHELBYVILLE P. O. EMPLOYEES PICNIC

Employees of the Shelbyville post office and their families came to this city Sunday and had a picnic in Wyman park. About 75 people enjoyed the basket dinner at the noon hour.

## Road Oil, 4-H Clubs, Bakery, 132 Bridge, Airplane Landing

All These Matters Discussed at Community Club Meeting. The Street Oiling up to Property Owners. Demand Bridge Relief.

The Sullivan Community club held an interesting meeting on Monday night in the court house. There was a good attendance and discussion of several matters relating to city affairs.

W. H. Walker has re-stated his offer to do oiling free of charge on the streets of the city, if money is raised to defray the cost of the oil.

The city has agreed to pay half the cost of the oil, if the property owners pay the other half. The oil company agrees to carry the city vouchers, without interest, until such time as funds are available for their payment. The oil will cost 0.472 per gallon.

Mr. Walker advises the application of about 400 gallons per block of 200 feet with intersection. This will suffice for an oil surface 16 feet wide and two applications. The cost for the oil would run about \$20 per block of which sum the city pays half and the property owners or tenants the other half. The city agrees to put the streets to grade and Commissioner Miller has also signified a willingness to help.

It will not be possible to oil one or two blocks of a street on this plan. The street ought to be taken care of from pavement to city limits. The northwest part of the city is especially in need of this kind of improvement. Mr. Walker suggested that several

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## SCOUTS TO DECATUR MONDAY FOR WEEK'S ENCAMPMENT

Under the leadership of Scout Master Rev. G. V. Herrick and Assistant Scout Master J. B. Martin, the Sullivan Boy Scouts will go to Camp Faries at Decatur Monday to spend a week.

This matter was decided at a meeting of the Scout Council on Tuesday night. This will be the first encampment of the reorganized Scout troop and it is expected that 20 to 30 boys will be able to go.

The Scout committee was at work Thursday morning raising funds to help defray the expenses of the encampment. The Boy Scouts assisted by members of the council will have an ice cream and cake stand on the court house lawn on Thursday and Saturday nights of this week. The proceeds realized from this venture will go into the Scout fund.

Rev. Herrick is an experienced Scout leader and has had charge of encampments in previous years before coming to Sullivan.

There is a small balance in the Scout treasury at this time but a fund of at least \$250 will be required to defray the expenses of the encampment and to finance further Scout activities.

## 40TH REUNION OF MOULTRIE G.A.R. TO BE ON AUGUST 7

What probably will be one of the last gatherings of the members of the Moultrie county G. A. R. because of the advancing age of the men, will be the 40th annual reunion in the Freeland Grove auditorium, Sullivan, Wednesday, August 7th. The regular annual date for the reunion was Aug. 14th but it was advanced one week to prevent conflicting with the chautauqua.

The program will be as follows: 10:30 o'clock business meeting and election of officers in court house.

12 o'clock, dinner served by members of the Daughters of Union veterans at Freeland Grove Free to veterans, wives and widows. Others 50 cents per plate.

1:30 o'clock—Music Sullivan band.

2 o'clock—Invocation, Rev. W. B. Hopper.

Address—Mayor C. E. McFerrin.

Response—J. H. Crowder, commander.

Song—Men's quartet. Address—Mrs. Inez Bender. Report of Chaplain—D. E. Silver.

Song "Taps"—Daughters of Veterans.

Address—Mrs. Cora B. Ryman. Talks—Comrades.

Song—Men's quartet. Benediction.

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## Editorial

AND he said, The Lord is my Rock, and my fortress and my deliverer; The God of my Rock; in Him will I trust; he is my shield and the horn of my Salvation, my high tower and my refuge, my Saviour: Thou savest me from violence.—2 Samuel 22—2-3.

Though disappointment come  
Soul, do not hope resign;  
No night was e'er too dark  
For heaven-born stars to shine  
Though clouds obscure from mortal eyes,  
God keeps them shining in the skies.  
—F. H. Bryant.

### THAT NOISY CARNIVAL

The Sullivan Progress has always, as a matter of principle, been opposed to the form of amusement known as the "carnival". True, when sponsored by the Legion and in connection with some legitimate enterprise such as the 4th of July celebration, we have boosted for success of the entire venture, considering the carnival as just a sort of necessary evil.

When, however, an aggregation of this kind swoops down on a city, casts its tents, erects its gambling and other paraphernalia right in the heart of a residence section of the city, we feel it time to again raise a voice in protest.

At its very best a carnival is a nuisance. It would take an optimist, indeed, to find any redeeming traits in the makeup of any carnival outfit.

A number of vacant lots become a menace in a city's residential section, however, when it is possible at any time for a carnival to rent them and for six nights of the week set up a bedlam of noise and carousal which continues until the hour of midnight or later. The permit for this week's carnival to hold forth on South Hamilton street, was an unwarranted imposition and outrage on the people who live in that part of the city.

We trust that Sullivan may in time awaken to the fact that most of the enterprising, up to date cities will not permit any carnivals to hold forth within their city limits.

### PATIENCE CEASES TO BE A VIRTUE

A community such as ours exists by trade with the farmers. They bring their produce and grain to this city and buy what they need with the money they get.

In order to make it possible to bring produce and crops to this city it is necessary that good roads be provided. When such entries into the city are shut off for some reason or other for any length of time, the farmers will go to other nearby cities.

That is the situation that confronts Sullivan now and has been a trade barrier for some time. Grain that ought to reach the local elevators is not being brought here. This refers to the territory east of Sullivan, known as Fullers Point, Jonathan Creek township, etc.

Last year the state built that part of route 132 from route 32 eastward, past the Illinois Masonic Home. Contract was let to Contractor L. R. Harshman for the construction of a bridge across Jonathan Creek. The paving stopped some distance west of this bridge but the grade to the bridge was built and the hill east of it was graded. All of this is ready for a top of gravel.

The contractor started the bridge work last summer. Unforeseen difficulties were encountered. Work has continued steadily to this time. While the west and center pier were being put in, the old bridge was left in place. When work on the east pier started it had to be removed. There is no temporary detour bridge. Traffic must detour on a road that at times becomes almost impassable.

This naturally interferes seriously with Sullivan's best interests. The farmers residing east of Jonathan Creek are being inconvenienced and cannot bring their crops here. They take them elsewhere.

This situation has now reached a point where something must be done to secure relief.

Most optimistic reports are to the effect that the new bridge may be ready for opening in December. That leaves four important months without adequate road facilities.

We appeal to the State Highway Department for relief. We have been patient. We have made all due allowances for the delay.

In justice to the farmers who use this road and the business men who deal with these farmers, something in the way of relief should be forthcoming. If there is no way to hurry the early completion of the bridge, we earnestly urge the state officials who have jurisdiction over this work, to give us a temporary bridge without delay.

A newspaper that takes money from its subscribers and then does not print matters of news brought to its attention because such printing might offend a customer, is taking money under false pretense. It is not living up to its implied contract with its subscriber. If sold as a newspaper and published as such, any deviation from giving that kind of service is a breach of faith.

Any transaction which favors an outside business institution in preference to a home institution giving the same kind of service is short-sighted and bound to react un-

favorably on a community. It is the dollar spent in the old home town that is an industrious worker for that town. The dollar sent out of town is a slacker which will nevermore do this town any good.

**GUIDEPOSTS TO**  
**Health and Happiness**  
By *Bernarr Macfadden*



### WHY YOU SHOULD LEARN TO SWIM

If I were asked to name the one sport man could least afford to give up, I should unhesitatingly say: "Swimming." Swimming is the one form of exercise in which every muscle of the body is brought into play, and also many of the major internal organs. As a beautifier of the human form, it has no equal, for it takes off flesh in the wrong place and puts it back again in the right place. It gives symmetry and grace to the figure and carriage.

Aside from its highly beneficial results, I consider swimming indispensable to the prolongation and safety of human life. If I had my way it would be taught in all schools right from the beginning along with the three R's. The time to learn to swim is before some older person has had a chance to tell you that you can sink. If you have any choice in the matter, learn to swim in fresh water rather than salt. Also it is better to learn to swim in warm water, because in warm water the muscles relax—and relaxation is one of the chief essentials to good swimming and endurance.

Don't learn the breast stroke first. It is an awkward position for the body and forces the beginner to screw up his face, squint and "ship" an unnecessary quantity of water. The first stroke to learn—the easiest and the simplest—is the "crawl." And of course it is beautiful to look

upon. The side stroke, in which the arms are never raised above the water is also graceful and good for one who tires quickly. Back swimming and floating are also important because they afford an opportunity for rest.

Once you have gained confidence and do not take fright at every drop of water that gets into your mouth, the next important thing to remember is that the really good swimmer does not hammer and pound the water. His arms cut the water with surprising rapidity and few splashes. Really scientific swimming involves swimming with the head under water—inhaling through the mouth on the level of the water and exhaling through the nose. Man is a land-animal and sometimes he experiences discomfort when trying to adjust himself to a different element. If the constant submersion bothers your ears, use small rubber plugs, which can be bought at all athletic and drug stores.

Swimming holds out one of the few encouraging inducements to fat people; they learn more easily than thin people because their flesh is more buoyant, and while they are learning they are also reducing. So if you have not already learned to swim—do so now, this summer. You will be well repaid in increased vigor, build, and general health—and I might add in social attainments, for the man or woman who does not swim nowadays isn't well, he just isn't "in the swim."

**Heart-Heart**  
*By John Joseph James M.D.*



### THE BRIDGE OF SIGNS

Recently a very rich and nationally-known citizen was sentenced to serve a term in jail, and was finally placed there that justice might prevail over all. Just what offense was, that brought this punishment, does not concern me particularly. Guilt must be assumed if proven beyond doubt. I did notice that the term of imprisonment was comparatively short.

Almost at the same time a poor old washerwoman living in a great city near me, was arrested "with the goods on her."

She had, in her squalid apartment, something like a gallon of corn whiskey; she admitted dispensing this liquid from time to time in order to ease the financial going; she was 81, and not able to turn out washing as in her younger years.

Recent enactments made hers an almost capital offense. The jurors, kind and heartfelt men, were puzzled; had this very old woman exerted her utmost strength, she could not have done much harm to anybody, by reason

of her senility. But she was a violator of law, and knew she was doing wrong at the time. If I do not forget, she drew six months' imprisonment. She went to jail defiant.

A question as to the justice of the law arises, but it should not. There is no extenuation in violation of law by rich or poor, young or old. The so-called crime wave is appalling; the law must be stern and prevail—or, fall down in its impotence. It must not fail down.

Age and condition are no excuse for crime. Ignorance and self-will are the causes of most violations of law. Even poverty does not justify a man or woman to rob or to enter into unlawful commerce.

It never pays, even to violate an unreasonable law. Such laws are not done away with by that method. Enlightenment brings about better conditions, ignorance and crime never. I wish we could think of Americans as a happy, law-abiding people. We can only realize this, when our people universally work for it.

### ODD FELLOWS PLAN BIG PICNIC FOR AUGUST 4TH

At Friday night's district meeting of the I. O. O. F. of this county at Bethany it was decided not to have the county picnic at the Old Folks Home in Mattoon this year but to join in the big statewide picnic which is to be held there August 4th.

Peoria Odd Fellows are chartering a special train for this occasion. The band from the Orphans Home at Lincoln will be there and other bands are being engaged. It is planned to make this the biggest picnic day the Home has ever had.

Those from this city who attended the meeting at Bethany were Hugh Roney, Harry Davis, Don Kingrey and Walter Birch.

### C. S. WRIGHT BUILDING CABIN AT LAKE NEAR TOWN

C. S. Wright has been busy this week building a cabin at the lake southwest of town. Mr. and Mrs. Wright will move out to the lake for the summer as soon as the cabin is completed. Already a number of Lovington's lake lovers have moved to the lake for the summer.—Lovington Reporter.

### BOLIN 4-H CLUB

The Bolin 4-H club met at the home of Bernice Osborn on July 19. The girls finished their slips and cut out their dresses.

After the business work they played games and practiced their songs and yells. Refreshments of fruit salad and cake were served. Maxine Pankey, Reporter.

Mrs. Grace Barnes of the Telephone exchange is enjoying a two week's vacation.

### MARTINS HERE FROM AZUSA, CALIFORNIA

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Martin and son of Azusa, Calif., arrived in Lovington the latter part of last week and will visit relatives and friends in Moultrie and Shelby counties for the next few weeks. They attended services at the Christian church here Sunday morning and at the close of the Sunday school Mrs. Martin gave an interesting talk on their new home and work in California. They are well pleased with the Pacific coast, having lived there for the past two years. They do not intend to return to Illinois to reside and claim that any one who lives in their country for a couple of years will never come back to this climate to live. Mr. Martin and family drove through from the coast in a new Ford car, making the trip in five days. They claim they have seen more rain here since their return last week than they have seen in the past two years in California.—Lovington Reporter.

### BULL ATTACKS FARMER

Curtis Pinnell living near Paris, Illinois was attacked by a bull Tuesday and little hope is held for his recovery as was badly gored. He was walking through the pasture when the bull attacked him and threw him ten feet into the air.

The U. and I. class of the Christian church bible school and Mrs. C. E. Barnett's class will entertain the young men's class on the church lawn this Friday evening.

Miss Altabel Waggoner visited in Hillsboro Sunday.

**BIBLE THOUGHT**  
—FOR TODAY—  
Bible thoughts memorized, will prove a precious heritage in after years.

### GOD'S WONDERFUL LOVE

John 3:16, 17. For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish but have everlasting life. 17. For God sent not his Son into the world to condemn the world; but that the world through him might be saved.

PRAYER: Thy Kingdom Come!

## Brisbane

### WINGLESS HENS.

EAT MEAT. HARRASSING HOOVER. WE ARE CANDY EATERS.

This is real news. Dr. Renwald, poultry expert in Nebraska, says he has produced a breed of wingless hens that also lack toenails.

They lay, but can't fly, can't scratch, can't be ardently interested in motherhood, having no wings to shelter a brood.

Such hens, being saved trouble of moulting the difficult wing feathers, should go on laying all year round producing 300 eggs a year.

To separate female usefulness from psychological disturbances like moulting would be marvelous in poultry, and among the primates.

The Arctic explorer, Stefanson, and a companion, Anderson, have lived for a year on nothing but meat, eating enormous quantities. Physicians say their health is better, their resistance to disease strengthened.

Let vegetarians muse on that. The rock in 1,000 million years produces soil, with the aid of earth worms.

The soil, after more centuries, produces grass. The cow eats grass for three years, digesting it slowly. Man eats the beefsteak in fifteen minutes.

Great labor-saving device. Give your children meat.

President Hoover, great engineer, has been kept busy since his inauguration by prohibition problems.

Now he is asked to develop and enforce new blue laws. The blue law gentlemen want Washington made into "Blue-Law-Paradise," that the city may be an example to the nation.

Poor President Hoover, listening to six speeches in favor of Sunday blue laws, all in one day, must wonder when the country will allow him to do some engineering.

After all, preventing Sunday golf in the District of Columbia is NOT as important as the Boulder Dam or flood control.

In the last six months Americans have eaten more than six and a half billion pounds of sugar. Prohibition helps that. More candy is sold.

The country this year will use thirteen billion pounds of sugar. If the tariff increase costs but two cents a pound, that will cost the public \$260,000,000.

The city of Colby, Kansas, again votes not to tax anybody or property, real or personal, in the city.

Colby owns its power, light and water plant. Profits, which go to the city, makes taxes unnecessary.

In fact, because of surplus profits, the water rate is reduced 25 cents this year.

### BATSON MAKES GOOD SHOWING AT CAMP LOGAN

Harmon Batson, representing the local Hdq. Company of the 13th Infantry N. G. made a good showing in the regimental shoot held Sunday at Camp Logan. He was accompanied by that place by Lieut. D. K. Campbell, who is in charge of the local company.

The 130th Infantry finished in 2nd place in competition with 16 others. Sergt. Batson finished 6th for the 130th, breaking 211 out of a possible 250. The high man in the 130th was Pvt. Reynolds of Danville who broke 220. The high score for the day was made by the 132nd. High man broke 232 out of the possible 50. Red Duval of Lovington, an ex-marine shot with the 132nd.

Camp Logan is located near Zion, Illinois.

### CHURCH OF GOD TO HAVE VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

A Daily Vacation Bible school will be conducted at the Baptist church by the Church of God beginning July 29 and lasting two weeks. Ages will be from four to thirteen years. Will open each morning at 9 o'clock lasting till 11:30.

Nothing but Christian principles and ideals will be taught. All children of the above mentioned ages will be welcomed. Please be there in time to enroll.

## LOCALS

—We will consider it a great favor if you will report any items of News That You May Know. Call Phones 128 or 411. —The Editor.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Coen of St. Louis were guests Friday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hengst.

—Miss Mamie Patterson was hostess to the Sew-a-Bit club on Thursday afternoon.

—C. R. Patterson made a business trip to Mattoon Tuesday.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Crowder attended a picnic of A. & P. employees at Springfield Tuesday.

—Miss Emma Harshman of the Dunscomb store is enjoying a week's vacation.

—The Loyal Daughters and families will hold their annual picnic supper at Wyman park on Monday evening.

—Mr. and Mrs. Levi Dickerson and Miss Nelle Bromley motored to Rock Island and Davenport Sunday.

—Mrs. Grace Blackwell and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Walton went to Riverton Sunday where they visited Miss Dorothy Blackwell.

—Mr. Bartley, manager of the Hatchery at this place has resigned his position.

—J. E. Crowder was nursing a sore right hand this week. Infection and blood poisoning had followed a slight wound.

—Miss Mayme Dale of Asheville, North Carolina returned home Friday after spending her vacation with her mother, Mrs. Laura Dale. Miss Dale is a student nurse at Asheville.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bland of North Vernon, Ind., spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bland.

—Mrs. G. L. Todd and son Cooper Finley went to Bloomington Tuesday to visit Mrs. Todd's daughter, Evelyn Finley. After a rest of three weeks Evelyn will undergo an operation for goitre, in the Bloomington hospital.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Finley of Florida who drove to this city several weeks ago are having their furniture sent and will reside on a farm near Coles. Due to a destructive fly in Florida, work is becoming scarce there.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Finley and family left Monday for their summer home near Rattlesnake Mountain, New Jersey. They spent several weeks with his parents Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Finley and her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Fears of Coles Mills.

—Mrs. J. E. Jennings and son Benjamin drove to Bloomington Sunday to meet Miss Carolyn Jennings who came to this city to spend a two weeks vacation.

—Mrs. J. E. Boehner returned to Springfield Sunday after visiting with her mother, Mrs. Will Barton.

—Mrs. Blanche Eden visited friends in Monticello Sunday.

—The Gleaners class of Methodist church and their families enjoyed a pot luck dinner at Wyman park Monday evening. About fifty folks were present.

—Mrs. John Coleman of North Vernon, Ind., arrived Saturday for a week's visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bland.

—Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wright of St. Louis came Sunday for a visit of several days with friends and relatives in this city, then went on to Charleston.

—Mrs. Genevieve Lowe left Saturday for Elkhart, Indiana where she is visiting her granddaughter Mrs. William Spates and family.

—Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kirk and daughter Katherine of Waynesville visited at the W. H. Waller home Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Donovan of Kokomo, Ind., arrived on Sunday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orman Newbold.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fulk and family, Mrs. Charles Beitz and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Booker spent the week end camping in Kentucky.

—Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Whitchurch and son Francis left Friday for Centralia where they will spend a month visiting friends.

—Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Leeds and son Elmer, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Barnes and Ansel Leeds of Champaign spent Sunday in Peoria.

—Mrs. J. W. Myers of Columbia, Miss., is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Merle Miller.

—Miss Mayme Alexander, Mrs. A. H. Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Gus Franks of Peoria all went to Decatur Thursday where they attended a Decatur theatre.

—David Pifer of Chicago spent Saturday and Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Mary Pifer.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Smith and Helen Smith went to Mt. Vernon Sunday where they visited with Mr. Smith's mother. They returned to this city Monday.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Davis of Decatur and Mrs. Sam Palmer of this city motored to Chicago Sunday where they visited with relatives till Monday.

—Mrs. Elvira Stricklan visited at the home of her daughter, Mrs. O. D. Moore in Decatur Sunday.

## Wahrheit und Dumheit

"This bunch around here lacks pep" said the boss to the stenographer. Take this dictation and post it up in a half dozen places around the office.

"There is Work to do Here so be at it."

A little later he entered the office and found all gone but the stenographer.

"Where are the employees?" he demanded.

"I guess it's my fault" she replied. "I forgot to put a space between the "be" and the "at" in those notices I wrote and posted."

"Smith worked hard for years to land a political job."

"Well, what does he do now?"

"Nothing, he got the job." Ex.

A friend has remarked that when The Progress stated that mail order catalogs usually find a useful end in outhouses, we overlooked the fact that they are real interesting reading matter in cases of constipation. So that adds another count in favor of the mail order books. If you know of any other things they are good for, kindly report.

The following excerpts are taken from a little magazine entitled "Liberty" which reaches our exchange table once in a while:

The political preacher today drives more people out through the back door of the church than the gospel preacher can persuade to come in through the front door.

To hold fast to an old-fashioned custom simply because it is old fashioned, is about as sensible as to insist on riding the high-wheeled bicycle.

The worst thing that can happen to Christianity is to clothe it with civil power and propagate it with force.

A hypocrite is one who extols the virtues of religion while he is still subject to his vices.

Some churches are so fond of meddling with politics that they make sport of religion.

Why, when a young fellow starts going with a girl, do they call him her "suitor"?

Because he either does or he does not.—Exchange.

What was the most difficult part of the civil service exam you took at the post office?

Writing with the post office pens.—Exch.

"Nurse" said a lovelorn patient "I'm in love with you: I don't want to get well."

"Cheer up, you want" she assured him "The doctor's in love with me too and he saw you kissing me this morning."—Stanolind

A car stopped in front of Fred Booker's garage and the fellow in it called to Fred "Come on out here Fred. I want to acquaint you with my trouble."

Fred walked to the car and beaming on the lady who sat next to the fellow remarked "I'm sure glad to meet you."

"The national sports of Mexico are bull fighting and golf" wrote the student on an exam paper.

"How do you get that way" demanded the prof. "The Mexicans do not play golf."

"Sure they do, sir. Have you never heard of the Golf of Mexico?"

It was over in Mattoon. The policeman walked into the cafe in great dignity, saluted and addressed a diner, "Sir, your car waits without."

"Eh, what do you mean, waits without?"

"Why without lights, sir, here's your ticket."

"Some day" said the gallant neighbor as he was passing the widow Smith's place "I'll stop in and see your pretty farm."

"Is that so?" she retorted. "Well I'll have you understand that my pretty farm is not shown to any casual passerby."

Sunday morning golf is perhaps the biggest competitor that Sunday school and church has. The fellows who spend Sunday morning on the golf course should ask themselves this question: Which is the more important to the welfare of my community—the church or the country club?

**EASY ON THE EATS, GIRLS!** Overeating, says a dietician, is a sin against one's health. In which case you may be sure that your sins will find you stout.

Education is a refining influence. Before daughter went to college she nearly always ate her breakfast in the kitchen instead of in bed.

After getting a good education there is often a disposition not to make any good use of it.

To be a successful debtor, a man has to be a skillful liar.

**VARIETY IN CROPS IS THE PATH LEADING TO FARM RELIEF**

Governmental farm relief, if realized, at its very best, will not make all farmers prosperous. It is not a cure-all for the problems that confront the farmers.

The ideals of farm relief as expounded by its foremost agitators, seek for the farmers the same privileges of marketing and protective tariff enjoyed by other industries. The big obstacle in the way of attaining these conditions is the unorganized condition of agriculture.

The progressive farmers have never given much reliance to this legislative farm relief program. They may have protested against the unfairness of legislation, but they have been busy at the same time working out their own problems in their own way.

To some farmers the matter of co-operation with other farmers has appealed. Such men have joined farm bureaus, co-operative marketing associations, taken

stock in farmers elevators, etc. Other farmers have evolved plans for their own relief and are engaged in adapting themselves to the times and the conditions they must meet to make a living and save a little for a rainy day.

Only a few short years ago the farmers of this part of the country placed their reliance in corn. Corn was the big crop. There may have been some wheat, oats and broomcorn, but the money crop was corn. When the corn crop was poor so were the farmers.

The old time corn farmer lived according to the saying of "putting all your eggs in one basket." He was much like the cotton farmer of the southern states, before the invasion of the boll weevil opened his eyes to the danger of his economic position.

During the world war anything would sell. There was a good market for corn and for other grains. A farmer did not have to be choicy as to what he raised for there was a big market for anything that was food for man or beast.

But suddenly the farmers woke up to the fact that the war was over. Corn instead of commanding \$1.90 per bushel was down near 30c.

The answer to this problem was diversification. That is a long word to apply to farming. It means variation or change. In other words it means that instead of being a one-crop farmer he engages in producing a variety of crops.

In less than ten years this plan has done great things for some farmers. They have changed their plans of farming. They raise not only corn, wheat, oats and broomcorn but in their crop rotation they have worked in sweet clover and alfalfa; they have made soybeans and sunflowers a part of their crops. They have stocked up on dairy cattle and the fowls that used to have some cows have replaced them with better ones. And they raise hogs and sheep and chickens and other poultry.

A banker told the writer within the past year—"When a farmer wants a loan I can readily discover whether or not he is a good risk. I ask him 'how many cows and hogs have you on the place? Do you raise sheep and have you a flock of poultry?' If that answer is favorable I know he is farming intelligently and not likely to get into a jam."

The farmer who diversifies has a small but steady income. If he sells milk or cream he gets a weekly check that helps keep him square with the grocer. If he sells eggs and poultry that also helps considerably. A load of fat hogs for the market now and then and a calf or cow for the butcher also help. A little produce on the side, such as potatoes or vegetables for the grocer, help keep down any big account.

In the spring of 1928 the wheat crop was nearly all killed. If this had been a one-crop wheat country, it would have been pathetic. It was not however. Corn could be planted; but why risk all on

corn, so the farmers did not plant all available ground in corn but they sowed oats and barley and planted soybeans and sunflowers. As a result Moultrie county had a well-balanced crop, all of which sold at a good price.

There are other ways of diversification, however. The government bureaus and others who have studied the farmers' problems continually point out that the farmer can be much more independent than he is now and can produce on his farm many things that he now buys.

In pioneering days the farmer was almost entirely dependent on his own efforts. Not only did his household weave the goods out of which clothing was made, but he did his own killing and preparing of meats; he grew and stored his vegetables, potatoes, etc., for the winter. He lived a rugged and healthy life. He had his wheat and corn ground and baked his own bread. In this and many other ways, he managed to live healthfully and happily.

Today not many farmers kill hogs and cure the meat. Many of them do not even raise the vegetables for their own tables. They buy potatoes and butter and many kindred things that nearly every farm could and would produce if any effort would be put forth along that line.

It is easy to set on the side lines and tell others what they ought to do. There are too many doing that for the farmers now. When the farmers demand economic equality and justice, the politicians tell them how to run their farms and how to arrange to borrow more money.

The substantial, level-headed farmer places little faith in any political panacea. He is diversifying. He is intelligently working out his solutions to the problems that confront him.

He is making his farm table dependent on what he can produce and not on what he can buy. He is not only aiming toward variety in crops and live-stock, but he is also raising variety in his gardens and his truck patches and orchards. He is not spending his money for what he can himself produce at far less cost.

The farmers, at least those in this part of the country, are no longer one-crop plungers. Necessity is developing them into business men who have so arranged their work, as to have a steady and reliable sources of income every week in the year. They are not carrying all their eggs in one basket. They are far-sightedly and industriously working out their own salvation.

If governmental relief ever does slightly aid them—well that will be just that much gravy, and many thanks for same.

**PUBLICATION NOTICE CHANCERY**

State of Illinois )  
 )ss.  
Moultrie County )  
Circuit Court of Moultrie County  
September Term, A. D. 1929.

ANNA ESTELLA EVERETT  
VS.  
EDWARD L. EVERETT  
DIVORCE NO. 10050  
in Chancery

Affidavit of the non-residence of Edward L. Everett the defendant above named, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of said Circuit Court of Moultrie County, notice is hereby given to the said non-resident defendant, that the complainant has filed her bill of complaint in said Court on the 8th day of July A. D. 1929, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said Court against said defendant, returnable on the 23rd day of September A. D. 1929 as is by law required.

Now, therefore, unless you, the said Edward L. Everett shall personally be and appear before the said Circuit Court on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at the Court House in the City of Sullivan in said County, on the 23rd day of September A. D. 1929, and plead, answer or demur to the said complainant's bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein charged and stated, will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill.

Cadell West, Clerk.  
M. A. Mattox,  
Complainant's Solicitor.  
July 8th., A. D. 1929 28-3t.

Wonder if some of those politicians orating on farm relief know the difference between a silo and a gas tank!

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State of Illinois )  
 )ss.  
County of Moultrie )  
In the Circuit Court to be held September term, A. D. 1929.

G. H. Baker Trustee and E. L. Phillips, Beneficiary Complainants.  
vs.  
William Adkins, Jr.;  
Ruth M. Adkins, Laura Adkins, Rodney Adkins, The Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States, a corporation;  
C. R. Patterson, Trustee;  
Lovington Lumber Company;  
W. I. McMullin, F. H. Foster Homer Shepherd, Trustee for D. P. Davidson Estate;  
Linn & Scruggs Dry Goods & Carpet Company J. F. Dixon, J. S. Strohm, Horton Lumber & Grain Company, G. W. Bryant, W. K. Hoover, O. Throckmorton Emmerson Piano House; and  
G. W. Bryant and L. G. Hostetler, Executors of the last will and testament of Joseph Stocks, deceased.

Defendants.  
Affidavit of the non-residence of William Adkins, Jr., and The Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States, a corporation, two of the defendants above named, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of said Circuit Court of Moultrie County, notice is hereby given to the said defendants, that the complainants filed their bill of complaint in said Court on the chancery side thereof, on the 1st day of April, A. D. 1929, and that a summons thereupon issued, out of said Court against said defendants returnable on the 4th Monday of September, A. D. 1929, as is by law required. Which cause is now pending in said Court. Now, unless you the said defendants shall plead, answer or demur to said bill, the same and the matters therein contained will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill.

In Chancery  
No. 10034  
Bill to  
Foreclose  
Mortgage.

LAKE TAKES TOLL  
Three people drowned in Lake Decatur Sunday. A young man and girl went to a watery death when their motorboat hit a snag. A lad 9 years old waded beyond his depth and drowned. This brings the total Lake Decatur deaths up to 24.

**ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE**

Estate of W. L. Landers Deceased.

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

Dated this 16th day of July, A. D. 1929.  
Raymond Shasteen,  
Administrator.

J. L. McLaughlin,  
Attorney. 29-3t.

S. T. Butler Donald M. Butler  
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Dentists

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Phone 129 Sullivan, Ill. 28-3t.

**MERRITT**

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Davis spent Monday afternoon in Mattoon.

Rollo Thomas and family spent Monday in Decatur.

Mrs. George Fifer spent Monday with her daughter, Mrs. Russell Yaw.

Ross Thomas Jr., spent Monday with Frances Davis.

Clifford Davis shelled corn on Tuesday afternoon.

Elmer Bowers is having his buildings all painted on his farm west of Cadwell.

Mrs. Wilbur Ballard and children, Mrs. Reuben Bilbrey spent Friday with Mrs. Herman Ray.

Mrs. Dean Pickle, and Mrs. Ed Durr spent Thursday afternoon in Decatur visiting with Mrs. Earl Powell who is in the hospital.

Mrs. Ross Thomas and Mrs. Herman Ray attended the Social Helpers meeting at the home of Mrs. John Warren in Arthur on Wednesday afternoon.

Ray Wilson has purchased a new Chevrolet car.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Yaw and daughters and Chester Morgan spent Sunday near Arcola visiting Phillip Miller.

Glenn Ray spent the week end with his sister Mrs. Ray Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Thomas and son and Mrs. Will Landers spent Sunday with Raymond Shasteen and family.

**STRICKLAN-PALMYRA 4-H ACTIVITIES**

The Stricklan-Palmyra 4-H Workers met July 18 at the home of Mrs. Reta Wilson.

The project dresses were completed. They brought garments and darned and patched them. They also worked on demonstration team and record books. A discussion on proper kinds of shoes was given by Mildred Underwood.

After the business part of the meeting songs were sang and a few yells given.

Mrs. J. H. Hughes, Mrs. Olive Graven, Eileen Graven and Hilda Stone were visitors.

**CARL WOLF MAKES GOOD RECORD AT SUNNYSIDE**

Carl C. Wolf, member of the Sullivan Country Club and also of the Sunnyside Club at Decatur finished tenth in the club's recent tournament. Art Dawson of Decatur for the fifth time won the club championship. His score was 313. Mr. Wolf's score was 333. He won a prize by tying with Mr. Dawson on most holes played in par.

**INJURED BY FALL**

Harold Lee, working for J. W. Shuck northwest of Windsor, was pretty badly injured late Wednesday.

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nesday afternoon by a fall. Lee was engaged in putting up hay in the barn, when he was tripped by a board and thrown between the wagon wheel and the hay rack. His abdomen was badly bruised and outer skin the size of a man's hand or larger was scraped off. It is believed that he suffered no internal injuries. However he was put to bed and he will be very sore for several days.—Windsor Gazette.

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Published in the interest of the People of Sullivan and the Farms and Farmers of Moultrie County.  
**TENNIE BOLIN**  
Editor.

**NO ARGUMENT**  
"I wish, Matilda, you would not talk to me while I am driving in traffic."  
"We can discuss that as we go along, Adolphus."

When the farmer starts working out his own Farm Relief, he usually begins by equipping himself with McCormick-Deering implements.



Toddy says "The old fashioned tourist cooked in a tin can instead of riding in it."

An IHC truck is a great help for the farmer. Especially in this true at harvest time when he is anxious to get his grain to the elevators. It is equally handy for many other kinds of farm hauling.

Plowing will soon be the order of the day. The fellow who does this with a Farmall or McCormick-Deering outfit does not have to waste half his time, letting his horses rest.

**SOCIETY ITEM**  
LOTS of women talk to THEMSELVES while their husbands ARE present—but they don't SUSPECT it.

A little nonsense now and then makes news of the best of men.

Samuel Russell says: "The door of opportunity is not locked, nor even latched. Push is the only opener you need."

Oh I love the dandelion: It's a favorite flower of mine Whether served to me in greens Or in dandelion wine.

Ernest Devore feels there is no servant problem among old-fashioned people who still raise their own household and farm help.

Talking about hauling grain —how about a new wagon bed? We've got them.

If you are one of those farmers who is thinking about buying a gasoline engine, feed-grinder, etc., we want to talk to you.

Hen Peck says, "My only regret is that I have but one wife to send to the country."

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**MONDAY, AUGUST 12**

2:30 p. m.—"Rip Van Winkle," a popular play by the Sprague Play Company.  
7:30 p. m.—"Sun-Up," drama by Sprague Company.

**TUESDAY, AUGUST 13**

2:30 p. m.—Prelude, The Elias Tamburizza Serenaders.  
3:30 p. m.—Lecture, "Great Personalities"—Julian B. Arnold.  
7:30 p. m.—Lecture, "The Arab At Home" Julian B. Arnold.  
8:30 p. m.—Concert, The Elias Tamburizza Serenaders.

**WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 14**

2:30 p. m.—"Just You and I," a comedy success, The Elwyn Dramatic Co.  
7:30 p. m.—"Lightnin," Made famous by Frank Bacon—The Elwyn Dramatic Company.

**THURSDAY, AUGUST 15**

3:00 p. m.—Concert, Goforth's Orchestral band.  
7:30 p. m.—Lecture, "The Making And Breaking of a Nation"—John H. Williamson.  
8:30 p. m.—Concert, Goforth's Orchestral band.

**FRIDAY, AUGUST 16**

2:30 p. m.—Lecture, "The Challenge of the New Day," Dr. David V. Vaughan.  
3:30 p. m.—Concert, The Metropolitan concert company.  
7:30 p. m.—Concert, The Metropolitan concert company.

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ITEMS OF INTEREST AT THE STATE CAPITOL

(Compiled by H. Williamson, Sec'y. Illinois Press Association.)

The Illinois Chamber of Commerce, through its industrial development department, headed by C. L. Hardin, has asked Clarence F. Buck, director of the state department of agriculture, for information concerning the distribution by counties of the 9,570,000 acres of Illinois soil in corn last year. The Illinois Chamber of Commerce intends to utilize these figures in determining where corn stalks may be converted into pulp most advantageously. President Scott Brown of the association is making the organization a real factor for good in our state.

Garret De F. Kinney, director of finance, under whose department administration of the gasoline tax law is placed, calls attention to a section of the law which provides that all gasoline in storage on August 1 is liable to the tax even though purchased during July. Penalties for violation of the provision may be a fine of from \$25 to \$500 and imprisonment in the county jail not longer than six months. In addition, the offender is liable for the amount of tax due together with all costs necessary to its collection. Owners of filling stations face an additional penalty in that their licenses to operate may be revoked. Ten days is allowed in which to report to the department of finance on gasoline so stored and payment to the department of the amount of tax due on the stored gasoline must be made immediately thereafter.

Those who attend the state fair this year will notice a great improvement in the motor and foot traffic facilities about the grounds. Exhibits are being spread over a wider area to avoid congestion. The old Eighth street road, which bisects the grounds and gives ready access to the free parking grounds, is being drained and widened so that traffic may move freely upon it. The parking grounds are re-arranged so that cars can get in and out with less confusion and more cars can be accommodated in the sections nearest the grandstand and other buildings.

Twelve senators and eighteen members of the house of representatives are on the "honor roll" of the Illinois Municipal League, published in the Illinois Municipal Review in connection with an article reviewing legislation of interest to the organization. "While the resume here of attitudes of members is representative, it is in no sense complete. Undoubtedly other members of the assembly should have been included in this review," reads a footnote.

The total production of coal for the state during the month of June was 3,318,758 tons as compared with 2,923,605 in June of 1928, according to the monthly coal report issued by A. D. Lewis, director of mines and minerals. The average number of days worked during June was 12.8 and the report shows that 40,904 men were employed. The total production for the first six months of 1929 was 28,364,854 tons.

The new three-hour airway weather service has been put into operation at the Springfield office of the weather bureau. A few years ago two observations were made and telegraphed daily; now there are 15 each day—eight airway observations sent to the Omaha Airport Weather station, two to St. Louis, one to Chicago Airport and one to Peoria in addition to the three regular observations, two of which are sent over the country for use in making weather maps, newspaper bulletins, etc. This work necessitates a day and night service, including Sundays and holidays.

The application of the Illinois Central railroad to abandon trains No. 135 and 136 between Clinton and Pana, through the counties of DeWitt, Macon, Shelby and Christian is on the docket of the state commerce commission for an early hearing.

Former Congressman James M. Graham, who is a member of the executive committee of the Illinois organization to promote the Lincoln National Memorial highway from Hodgenville, Kentucky to Beardstown, has just returned from an inspection trip with other members of the committee over the proposed route to Vincennes. They attended a meeting with the Vincennes Chamber of Commerce, called especially with a view to effecting an organization in that state similar to the one now existing in Illinois. As soon as their organization is perfected both state organizations will move on to Kentucky and assist in effecting an organization there. It is then planned to effect an inter-state organization, representing these three states, so that joint action can be made more effective. Mr. Graham reported enthusiastic interest, all

along the line.

By an arrangement with Attorney General Oscar E. Carlstrom, the Illinois Municipal League will publish all opinions written in the attorney general's office dealing with laws of interest to municipalities.

Flower lovers who attend the Illinois state fair, August 17-24, have a treat in store for them in the many beautiful plots, where the florists of the country will vie for honors. Two creations of exceptional beauty are the gigantic foliage carpet, a multi-colored mass of plants in an intricate design, extending along the promenade that leads north from the Women's building to the new grandstand for 137 feet and a rock garden now being installed.

Clarence F. Buck of the state department of agriculture is urging farm advisers to co-operate in a united effort to control and eradicate noxious weeds.

The recent selection of Wm. B. Wilson, former secretary of labor, as arbitrator of labor disputes between the Illinois coal operators and the United Mine Workers of the state is generally accepted as a distinct advance in the rehabilitation of that industry. The wage contract entered into last fall, which does not expire until March 31, 1932, provides for the joint selection of a man to fill this position. It is believed that this action will have a far reaching influence and that it promises to further promote the stabilization of the industry and is an additional guarantee to the consumers of Illinois coal that their source of supply from Illinois mines will not be interrupted.

The Narcotic Relief council, Chicago, organized to combat the narcotic evil, has been granted a charter by Secretary of State Stratton.

P. S. Haner, superintendent of plant industry for the state of Illinois, in company with 14 boys from the University of Illinois, is attending a corn borer school conducted by the U. S. government at Toledo, Ohio.

Mine fatalities in Illinois during the last six months were far below the average for the entire United States, according to an announcement by A. D. Lewis of the state department of mines and minerals. During that period Illinois produced 659,415 tons of coal per each man killed, while the average for the entire country was 250,000 tons per each fatality. This condition of greater safety in Illinois was attributed by the director to safety campaigns, first aid training and the absence of big explosions, due to the use of safety lamps.

U. S. Senator Otis F. Glenn announces that his candidate for appointment to the naval academy at Annapolis, has passed the examination held under the United States civil service. The successful candidate is David Martineau of 1630 Columbia Avenue, Chicago. Martineau is 18 years old. Illinois is entitled to five appointments.

Of the many important measures having to do with public health passed at the recent session of the Illinois general assembly, the most important and far-reaching, in the judgment of Dr. Andy Hall, director of health, is that prohibiting construction and modification of sewer systems without permission of the state water board. This statute is designed to prevent and abate the pollution of streams, lakes, ponds and other waters. "A general survey of the streams of the state is anticipated under the new law," said Doctor Hall.

House bills 54 and 56, introduced by Representative Frederick W. Rennick, Buda, and Senate bill 399, introduced by Senator Norman G. Flagg, Moro, change the terms and the dates of election of township officers so that there will be no township elections after 1933 in even numbered years. The purpose of the bills is to eliminate township elections at a time when people are interested in primary and general elections for president, state and county officers.

Aphids, or plant lice, and cutworms are particularly active in the flower gardens over the state this season, states C. C. Compton, assistant entomologist of the Illinois Natural History survey in a report to the College of Agriculture, University of Illinois. Even the adults of white grubs, more generally called "June bugs" have taken a liking to flowers this season, feeding voraciously on zinnias.

Illinois has climbed into third position among manufacturing states with an annual output in excess of \$5,386,000,000 worth of merchandise, according to a factory census for 1927 just completed by the Illinois Manufacturing association. New York and Pennsylvania now surpass Illinois

Coal is the key which has unlocked the door leading to Illinois' commanding position, the annual bulletin of the association states.

Drivers in the state fair auto races must beat least 23 years old and must have had at least two years' experience in open competition auto racing. State fair races are too fast for beginners, the officials state, by way of explaining these requirements.

Unaware that the motor vehicle laws of Indiana and Michigan prohibit new cars from being driven without license plates attached, many Illinois owners of new cars are being arrested in those states, according to the touring bureau of the Springfield Automobile club.

New building and engineering work contracted for during the last seven business days of the month ending June 30 in the state of Illinois amounted to \$31,386,400. This is the largest weekly total for the first six months of 1929.

The St. Louis public schools will again be heated with Illinois coal during the coming year. The contract specified Illinois coal, and as a result none but Illinois companies competed in bidding. The requirements will approximate 40,000 tons.

The second annual poultry tour sponsored by the college of agriculture of the University of Illinois will start from Urbana on September 3, taking a group of interested Illinois poultry raisers to Indiana and Ohio for study of the methods of successful poultry raisers in these states.

Attorney General Oscar Carlstrom has informed State Treasurer Omer N. Custer that the sums opposite the separate items listed in an appropriation bill should be accepted by him as correct rather than the general appropriation total, when the items do not add up to make the total.

LOCALS

Mrs. Raymond Shasteen was in Decatur Wednesday.

Miss Freda Walker of Champaign made a business trip to this city Monday and returned Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Schneider expect to leave Saturday for a trip through Wisconsin.

Mrs. W. K. Holzmueller and children returned Wednesday morning from a visit in Chicago with her brother and family.

The Misses Sarah, Verna and Mabel Martin and Carlisle Allison spent Wednesday in Decatur.

Glen Clark and G. S. Thompson Jr., were among the Chicago folks who took advantage of excursion rates to spend the week end with relatives and friends in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Barnett accompanied by his mother, Mrs. Barnett motored to Carrolton on Thursday where the latter will spend several months.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Shipman, Frank Shipman and son Guy and Miss Nellie Winchester of Mattoon visited in Carbondale Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. G. M. Anderson and family of South Bend, Indiana expect to come July 29th for a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. John Elliott.

Mrs. Genevieve Lowe left Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Stagner of Detroit. She will go to Elkhart, Ind. to visit her granddaughter, Mrs. Gerald E. Spates.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert McCune left Sunday for a ten day vacation at Wausaw, Wisconsin.

Miss Billie Miller is clerking at the City Book Store during the absence of Mrs. McCune.

Mr. and Mrs. Millard Monroe and daughter Miss Blanche went to Bloomington Wednesday. Together with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Monroe of that place they left Thursday for Cedar Rapids, Ia., where they are visiting the family of Ed Monroe.

Mrs. Carl Wolf was in Decatur Thursday.

The Sunshine club met with Mrs. H. L. Roney Friday.

The Merry Wives were entertained to a 1 o'clock luncheon Thursday at the home of Mrs. M. A. Gifford.

W. H. Weger of Tuscola visited Sunday with his brother, Curt Weger.

Will Grant was called to Vincennes, Ind., Sunday on account of the death of his mother, Mrs. Barker.

Maxine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Al Lindsay has entered the Brown's Business college in Decatur for a course of study. She graduated from the STHS last spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Booker and mother Mrs. Effie Booker and niece and nephew of St. Louis are visiting this week with Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Kingrey and family.

Miss Nellie Winchester of Mattoon spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. Harry Shipman.

Miss Eva Blair, who is assisting with the extension work at the University of Minnesota, is spending a month's vacation at

the home of her mother, Mrs. Ella Blair.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles Hendrick of Hollywood, Calif., and Mrs. John Fortner of Windsor visited at the home of Mrs. N. C. Ellis, Monday.

Miss Lolabel Warder of Marion, arrived Friday and spent the week end with Miss Eva Blair.

Mrs. T. V. Drew spent the beginning of the week in Champaign.

Mrs. E. J. Moses and daughter Miss Cleda Moses of Decatur spent the week end at the home of Mrs. Ella Blair and daughters.

Miss Eva Blair left Wednesday for Indianapolis, Ind., where she is visiting with friends until the end of the week.

Kenneth and Marshall Armstrong of West Unity, Ohio who are visiting at the W. H. Sherburn home expect to leave here on their return trip the latter part of the week.

Mrs. J. M. David is confined to her bed by illness.

J. L. McLaughlin has an attractive price on Logan peaches. See his adv. or call him.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Harmon visited her uncle L. S. Thompson and family at Niantic, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Siron and family attended a birthday dinner for her mother, Mrs. T. J. Miller in Shelbyville Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Miller went to Beardstown Thursday to attend the Centennial celebration there.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter White of Bloomington came Wednesday to visit with her brother, D. K. Campbell and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Stain and baby spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Myrtle Stain.

Junior Siron spent last week with relatives in Decatur.

Sheridan Kinkade, former deputy sheriff of this county, now in the employ of the Southern Illinois Penitentiary at Menard is on his vacation and spent Wednesday in this city visiting friends.

Mrs. Violet E. Blackwell, who has been receiving treatment at the McCleary sanitarium, Excelsior Springs, Mo., has been dismissed and will return to her home here in a few days. She is feeling better every day and has enjoyed her rest among many congenial people from all parts of the United States, in the quiet and homelike atmosphere prevailing at the institution.

Mr. and Mrs. Clem Boling of Chicago, Mrs. Eden Edwards and Mrs. Halec Reynolds of Windsor spent Tuesday with their cousins Miss Mary Daugherty and brothers.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Judd of Allenville expect to leave Sunday with their daughter Mrs. Ella Smith when she starts her return trip to Los Angeles. Mrs. Smith has been here for some time visiting her sister, Mrs. D. G. Carline and other relatives.

W. I. Armstrong of West Unity, Ohio and Mrs. Guy Smallwood of Decatur were guests this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Sherburn.

Mrs. W. B. Kilton and son Richard spent Tuesday in Decatur.

PEARSON HEARING

C. R. Patterson of this city, appearing for the creditors, was in Mattoon Tuesday, opposing J. H. Pearson's petition for a discharge in bankruptcy. The hearing was in the office of F. N. Henley before Walter J. Grant, referee. Objections to the discharge are based on the grounds that all of the available property of the bankrupt has not been accounted for.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Leonard Bridwell 33 Shelbyville. Grace Biehler 32, Shelbyville. Shirley C. Kirk, 41 near Windsor. Evelyn Keen 23 Sullivan.

SULLIVAN MARKETS

While wheat is of fairly good quality this year, the yield is not large. Prices paid at the elevators Thursday ranged from \$1.24 to \$1.28, depending on quality. Some new oats has reached the market and the price is 40c per bu.

Old corn still continues strong and Thursday price for yellow was 95c while 97c was offered for white.

Local elevators have not yet started contracting for the new crop.

Produce Prices Eggs are 28c per dozen and butterfat is 39c per lb.

HIGH PRODUCING JERSEYS

FOR SALE Genevieve's Gamboge Lad, bull papers furnished; dropped Nov. 11, 1928; Sire Fauvic's Gamboge Lad, best bull in Ill.; dam, Queen Ann Genevieve, 371.9 fat in 296 days; high C. T. A. test 10.6%; av. test 7.02%; produced 58.2 lbs. fat in 1 mo. This calf is a splendid individual. Price \$100 ROY E. MARTIN Sullivan, Illinois

COUNTY SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION NEXT WEEK.

The annual county Sunday school convention will be held this year in the Cumberland Presbyterian church in Bethany. The date is next Tuesday, July 30th.

A good program of instructive and inspirational numbers has been arranged and the officers in charge urge a big attendance. They give of their time and effort to carry on this work and it is a great encouragement to know that their service is recognized and appreciated. Attendance at the convention will be a big help for all who are interested in Sunday school work.

MRS. J. L. BONE OF BETHANY IS DEAD

Mrs. J. L. Bone, wife of Dr. J. L. Bone of Bethany, died at the family home Saturday following an illness of several weeks. She was 58 years of age. She is survived by her husband; two daughters, Mrs. Merle Ekiss and Miss Katherine; one son Paul who is teaching in Hartford. There are five grandchildren. She also leaves the following brothers and sister: Mrs. S. H. Dillinger and Mrs. Martha Logan, William E. and J. R. Crowder of Bethany and T. H. Crowder of Findlay.

BUILDING DAIRY BARN

J. W. Dale, who has leased the old fair grounds and is in charge of the horses in training there is now engaged in building a modern dairy barn just south of the fairgrounds. He expects to go into the pure bred Jersey business. While engaged in farming south of this city, Mr. Dale had some of the best Jerseys in this part of the country.

CHEERFUL CHUMS 4-H MET AT CHANEY HOME

The Cheerful Chums 4-H club met at the home of their leader, Mrs. Scott Chaney, July 22nd. Most of the girls worked on their project dresses. Plans for their achievement day to be held some time in August were discussed. Our Reporter Wanda Strohl has not been present at the last three meetings on account of her mother, Mrs. Martin Strohl having received a broken leg in

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

WANTED TO RENT—A 5 to 7 room house, modern. Paved street preferred. Party wants possession before September 1st. If you have anything of this kind, do not call, but address a reply to Box 77 c/o the Progress.

FOR SALE—Good milk cow. Phone 445-y. 29-2t\*

FOR SALE—An excellent 2-year old registered Shropshire buck. Lehman Bros. Phone 8612. 30-3t\*

SAWS SHARPENED—We have a modern, automatic saw sharpening machine. Also equipped to do tool grinding, key cutting, lawn mower sharpening, etc. L. R. Garrett at Breisler's Tire shop. 30-tf.

FOR SALE—Girl's Tripper-Bike. See Helen Sona, Sullivan. 1t.

FOR SALE—Mill feeds—Bran, \$1.75; Red Dog Flour, \$2.35; Tankage 60% \$3.90; Pottage Tankage \$3.35; Surenne Dairy Feed, 16 1/2% \$2.10. We are now booking orders for larger lots of feed at the low prices that are good to Sept. 1 and the feed can be taken as needed and paid for as taken. Quantity orders are lower than above prices. Protect yourself against a raising market by booking your needs. Moultrie County Hatchery, per C. C. Turner, Sullivan, Ill. Phone No. 6. 30-1

WANTED TO BUY—Some used army blankets—price according to condition. W. H. Walker Sullivan. 12-tf.

LIST YOUR HOUSES for sale or rent with Mrs. Tella Pearce. Also insurance. 4-tf.

BEE KEEPERS SUPPLIES for sale. Dadant & Sons foundation and Lewis' Beeware. L. C. Horn on Route 32, Sullivan, Ill., Phone 7519. 9-15-29\*

MIL0 TYPEWRITER RIBBONS—Best made—give twice as much service as cheaper kinds. \$1.00 at The Progress office. tf.

ANGEL FOOD CAKE—Made any time wanted. Call Arthur phone 5912 for orders. Price \$1.25 delivered. Mrs. Ross Thomas 21-4f

USED FORDSON TRACTOR in first class condition for sale. freshly painted and guaranteed to do the business. Crowder Seed Co., Sullivan. 22-tf.

LOST—Pair of glasses. Finder return to A. P. McCune for reward.

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

REAL ESTATE—Will exchange 200 acre farm near Xenia, Ill., for Sullivan property. Also have fine filling station site on two hard road routes in Hillsboro, Ill., for sale or long time lease. Address Box 52, Hillsboro, Ill. 29-2t.

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

FOR SALE—A. L. Higgins residence on South Washington St. 8 rooms and basement, thoroughly modern, good drainage. Will sell at bargain. Phone 210 Sullivan. 18-tf.

MARRIED BY MATTOX

Leonard Bridwell and Grace Biehler of Shelbyville came to this city Saturday and after securing a marriage license were united in matrimony by Judge M. A. Mattox in his office. The witnesses to the ceremony were Lois Davis and Nina Loveless.

Advertisement for Goodyear Double Eagle tires. Includes illustration of a car and a person changing a tire, and the text: 'Can your wife change a tire? ... or must she hail a stranger for help? ISN'T it better to equip the car with the most trouble-proof tires ever built? With treads so tough and thick, and a carcass so stout that the odds against even a puncture are 1,000 to 1. Come in and get our change-over proposition on Goodyear Double Eagles—no obligation. They're the finest tires that the world's largest rubber company can produce without a cost limit of any kind! Widely imitated—but they can't be equaled. Priced to give you the lowest cost, easiest riding and most care-free tire mileage known today.' Tire & Battery Sta. LES ATCHISON, Prop. PHONE 467 SULLIVAN, ILL. GOODYEAR Double Eagle

THE FEATHERHEADS

By Osborne



ROAD OIL, 4-H CLUBS BAKERY, 132 BRIDGE AIRPLANE LANDING

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streets be oiled from Jackson street north and that one or two east and west streets be similarly treated. This would give most of the people of the northwest part an outlet in case of bad weather and would permit of use of the fire truck in case of fire when untreated streets get impassable.

Plans have already been perfected and money raised for the oiling of Hunter street from the Magill corner west. Granville Cochran has been looking after this matter. Several culverts have been placed and the street is ready for its oil.

The oiling plan is entirely up to the people. If they are interested enough to raise their part of the money, they can get the approval of the streets and alley committee of the city council to get the oiling done. It is advisable to confer with this committee, the chairman of which is Harry Fulk. The plan is offered to the entire city and no one locality will be especially favored.

On Tuesday morning E. O. Dunscomb and J. H. Alumbaugh raised the necessary funds for the improvement of Washington street from the Square south. This street will be oiled to width of 24 feet.

Any further information pertaining to this matter can be secured by applying to Harry Fulk, W. H. Walker or the officers of the Community Club.

Nobody stands to make any money out of this. Mr. Walker's offer is made in a spirit of town improvement. He is willing to do the work to show people that their streets can be put into good condition if the job is intelligently tackled. Other cities and villages in this part of the state are oiling their streets, and there is no good reason why Sullivan should not do likewise.

To Assist 4-H Clubs

E. A. McKenzie, for the Farm Bureau made a plea for support of 4-H club work. He stated that there are at present 177 members of boys and girls 4-H clubs in this county. Various projects are being worked on. Boys are raising pigs and heifers and girls are doing needlework, etc.

The Farm Bureau will have its annual picnic here the latter part of August. It is planned to have a big exhibit of 4-H club work at that time. The state will pay about \$700 in prizes on such exhibits and additional funds will be raised in this county. There will be expense to prepare pens and stalls for showing of livestock and proper facilities will have to be provided to show the girls' work.

Talks were made strongly commending this work and it was voted to give it the club's support. The chairman was instructed to name a committee to co-operate with the Farm Bureau, raise funds, etc. On that committee the following were named: J. B. Tabor, Carl A. Dick and Dr. S. T. Butler.

Airplane Field

Mr. McKenzie, a member of the club's airplane committee reported that a suitable field had been found on the Will Bland farm west of this city where Harry Neville lives. He stated that he was having some difficulty in getting 21 tons of limestone to mark the field according to government specifications. J. B. Tabor, who was present, stated that he had plenty of limestone and would bring it to the landing field in his trucks. This limestone will be used to mark a circle 100 feet in diameter, the width of the limestone rim to be four feet.

How About a Bakery?

This question was asked and J. H. Alumbaugh reported that negotiations were in process with Mr. Frandsen of Windsor. He has an old established bakery there and would consider moving to a larger field. His baked goods is on sale here now to give the people the opportunity to try it. If after two weeks, things look alright, Mr. Frandsen will submit his proposition to the local grocers and if they feel that they can accept it, he may move here. The out of town bakers who now supply the city have cut size of loaves, refuse to relieve the grocers of unsold bread and there

is a prospect that they will raise the price. Against these actions the grocers are protesting and it is hoped that the protest will end by having a new industry in town.

That Harshman Bridge

"Will we ever have a road into town from the east, so farmers can bring in their grain?" asked J. B. Tabor the elevator man. This brought forth a discussion of the bridge job at Jonathan Creek on Route 132. L. R. Harshman the contractor has been at work on that job for the past year. It was reported that there is no prospect of the bridge being completed before Christmas. This is losing a lot of trade for Sullivan, which is going to other cities and towns.

A discussion of the detour now used, indicated that this is not satisfactory and will not stand up in bad weather.

A motion was made that the officials of the club confer with county superintendent of highways Guy S. Little and that, if deemed advisable, a resolution be drafted and presented to the highway officials setting forth Sullivan's petition for relief. It was also suggested that it might be advisable for a committee to call on the state officials.

A conference with Mr. Little Tuesday morning brought forth the fact that Mr. Apple of Paris, the engineer in charge of state road work in this locality had been here several days ago to look over the situation. He was rather pessimistic about the outlook but suggested no remedy. In accordance with the instructions of Monday night's meeting a resolution setting forth the sentiments of the community has been sent to Mr. Apple, together with a letter from Mr. Little urging that some steps be taken to bring about the desired relief.

After all of these matters have been duly considered Monday night's meeting adjourned.

JONATHAN CREEK

Mrs. Bertha Boyd and son of DeKalb spent the week end with O. K. Wren and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ballinger called on Maud Johnson Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Deckard of Decatur visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Will Powell.

Sunday guests of Walter Bolin and family were Charlie Payne and family of Georgetown, Mrs. Ella Bolin, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Piper, and Sadie and Virginia Slover.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Elder visited Sunday afternoon with Dr. and Mrs. Byron Trexler of Mattoon.

Mrs. M. L. Gidding and Mrs. W. C. Martin visited one afternoon last week with Mrs. Ernest Davis.

Russel Slover returned to Detroit Monday.

Mrs. Joe Hildenberg, son visited Thursday of last week with Maud Johnson.

Mrs. Mahala Freeman visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Crowson.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ray and daughter Marguerite of Decatur visited Friday with Frank Pounds and family.

Mrs. Omar Miller and daughter Mattie of Champaign and Mrs. Pearl White spent Tuesday with W. K. Bolin and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Spough and Mr. and Mrs. Tom McIntire called on Lester Deckard and family Sunday.

Mrs. Ed Mathias visited Sunday with Sheridan Mathias.

Mrs. O. W. Powell spent Sunday night with Mrs. Guy Bolin.

James Purvis spent Friday with Mrs. Nancy Bracken and son Emmett.

Harry Leeds and family visited Sunday with Bert Lane and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Powell of Mattoon and Reta, Mildred, Merle and Denzel Powell were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Powell.

Ernest Davis and family visited Sunday with C. O. Davis and family of Decatur.

Leo Carnine and family visited Sunday with Alva Holsapple and family.

Olva Elder spent the week end with friends in Charleston.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hart attended the funeral of Mr. Schable at Pierson, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Johnson

were Sunday guests of Frank Pounds and family.

Duward Briscoe and family visited Sunday with Herman Rauch and family.

Sunday callers at the home of Mrs. Nancy Bracken were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Deckard and John Bracken and family.

Emogene Mathias spent Sunday with Vera and Agnes Wooley.

Mrs. Ida Kite visited the latter part of last week with O. K. Wren and family.

Mildred, Bernice and Gerald Wilhelm of Mattoon are spending this week with W. S. Elder and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Gustin visited Sunday with his folks near Findlay.

Burl Ray of Decatur is spending a few weeks with his grandfather Tom Johnson.

Marcelyn Purvis returned to her home in Mattoon Saturday. ed Sunday with Cline Sipes and with home folks.

Tom Osborn and family visited by the Endeavor boys, family.

Willard Bolin spent Sunday with the Righter boys.

Hazel Fultz spent Sunday with Faith Wren.

Tom Risley and family visited one day last week with Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Spough.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Leeds, Mrs. Amanda Purvis and Mrs. Pearl Parks were Sunday guests of Sam Purvis and family.

Rev. and Mrs. Earl Clark of Long Point were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Bracken.

Mrs. Cleo Spough spent Friday with home folks.

Church services Sunday are: Sunday school 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. The C. E. Endeavor program will be given by the Endeavor boys, the committee in charge being Rev. Brown, Merle Powell and Emery Righter.

PALMYRA

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Howard of Chicago who have been visiting here returned home Sunday.

Ruby Webb spent Saturday afternoon with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Webb.

Miss Ella Graven spent Friday afternoon with Wilma Rhoades.

The Strickland-Palmyra 4-H club went to Tuscola Tuesday where Wilma Rhodes and Berdina Black entered in a demonstration contest. Several of the girls mothers and the leader Mrs. Paul Wilson accompanied the girls.

Mrs. Sarah Powell spent the week end with her daughter, Mrs. Ira Carson.

Miss Rosy Graven of Charleston has returned home to spend the summer with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy B. Martin and family spent Sunday with relatives in Charleston.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Carroll spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Delana.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Massmore July 21st a daughter, Margaret Garrett of Windsor.

Mrs. Sarah Powell and Katherine Hollenbeck.

COLES

Mrs. Tom Townley and children have been visiting with her sister, Mrs. Nate Hinton and family.

The farm Bureau unit will meet at the home of Mrs. Lillian Davis Friday afternoon.

The Sewing and Meal Planning club met at the home of Helen Henderson Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Doval Holsapple of Wisconsin spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bud Davis and family.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pierce, July 17, a daughter, Louise and Maxine Foster visited last week with Mrs. Hazel Ritter.

Mr. and Mrs. John Brewster, Mrs. John Fleisher spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Todd Davis and daughter Bettie.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Burwell and Mr. and Mrs. Bud Davis called on Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cooley who have a new baby girl, Mrs. Cooley before her marriage was Miss Alta Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Davis and family and Mr. and Mrs. Doval Holsapple spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Claude Layton.

Mrs. Dave Roland's daughter is

caring for her. Miss Marie Feller who has been attending teacher's college, has finished her course and is at home.

BRUCE

Born to Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Bragg Wednesday, July 17, a daughter. This is their fifth child and second daughter.

Ray Rose was a home visitor a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hal Tull and son and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Edwards and daughters of Gays spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bart Tull.

Monna and Bessie Sampson visited from Thursday until Sunday with their uncle, Roe Sharp and family of Sullivan.

Mrs. Sarah Niles visited Thursday with Mrs. Cena Mose.

Warren McDowell of Mattoon called on friends here, Sunday morning.

John Miller and family of Sullivan spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Claude Sampson.

Miss Edith Williamson is staying with Mrs. O. B. Bragg.

The Bruce elevator is being repaired.

Bruce church was well attended Sunday night. Mr. Berger gave a very interesting talk.

Mr. and Mrs. Odd Niles of Mattoon is visiting Mrs. Sarah Niles.

EAST HUDSON

Logan Warfel and family of Camp Verde Arizona spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Watkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Dedman and daughter Irene spent Sunday in Decatur.

Mr. and Mrs. Chandler Poland and daughter Patricia visited on Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Poland and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Watkins passed Sunday in Decatur with Mr. and Mrs. John Agan.

Miss Maxine Gramblin and J. C. Burks spent Saturday with Miss Gertrude Monroe.

Mrs. Chris Monroe helped Mrs. W. D. Patterson cook for threshers Saturday.

Elmer Burks and family visited Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Burks and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Tucker, Mrs. Flora Creech and Miss Ann Elliott spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Smith of near Bethany.

Mrs. Walter Shipman and Miss Ruby passed Tuesday in Decatur. Mrs. Hannah Cunningham of Bethany is visiting her son F. O. Cunningham and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman McMahon and family of near Lake City spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Cunningham.

GAYS

Sunday being the 69th birthday of Joseph Smith his sons and daughters gave him a surprise. Ice cream was served. About 32 were in attendance.

Viola Houston of Champaign is visiting her cousins Louise and Fern Cullen.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Elza have gone to Kentucky for a week's visit with relatives.

Harlow Bowman of Champaign spent Sunday with his parents.

Max Waggoner and wife and Mrs. Emma Waggoner spent Sunday with Mrs. Will Swits.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Moberly and family spent Sunday with her mother at Shelby.

Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Pleasant of Indiana spent Saturday and Sunday with her father, Chas. Mattox.

Paul Smith and son Paul have returned home from a weeks visit in Charleston.

Mrs. Bessie Kirk and daughter Ada, Mrs. James Love, Clotel Hummel, Maxine Fort, Martha Fullman spent Sunday at Lithia Springs.

Mrs. Opal Fellers and daughter spent Sunday with Mrs. H. Cross.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank House and sons of Mattoon spent Sunday and Monday with her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Hopper and son Lee of Allenville spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hopper.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Claxon and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harry McCulley.

ALLENVILLE

A birthday dinner was held at the Rocks southeast of Charleston on Sunday for Mrs. John Turner.

Dinner was spread at the noon hour. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. George Schmidt and Johnnie Schmidt of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Garrett of Grayville, Mrs. Eva Holley of Stewardson, Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Buxton and son Oral, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Graham, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Conwell, Mr. and Mrs. John Turner and daughter Berdina, Miss Catherine Miseneheimer and Mrs. Fern Black.

Other News Notes

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Miller and children spent Sunday afternoon visiting relatives in Mattoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Maxedon and son of Decatur spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Mixedon and son.

Mrs. Fern Black is spending a few days this week with relatives at Stewardson.

Mr. and Mrs. George Schmidt and Johnnie Schmidt of Chicago and Mrs. Eva Holley visited Mr. and Mrs. John Turner and family Friday evening.

Miss Thelma French of Decatur is visiting with Miss Doris French.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Garrett were shoppers in Decatur Saturday evening.

Mrs. Earl Miller of Oak Park spent Saturday evening and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Wernsing.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kellar and daughter have returned to St. Louis after a few days visit with Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Wernsing.

DALTON CITY

Mrs. W. W. Cowger and Mrs. A. A. Stolle were Decatur callers Tuesday afternoon.

Harve Dinger has been removed to a Chicago hospital. He was accompanied to Chicago by C. A. Alberts.

Dr. and Mrs. G. H. Wilson of this place are spending this week in Pennsylvania.

Misses Jennie and Grace Morrison spent Wednesday in Decatur.

Leroy Truelock opened a store in Findlay Saturday.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cloral Cowger north of this city has been seriously ill.

The laborers on route 132 began putting the shoulders on the road Monday.

CUSHMAN

Mrs. Arlie Wilt and family of Decatur spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Foster.

Miss Annabell DeVore spent the week end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. E. DeVore.

Miss Veva Bragg is spending two weeks with Mrs. Dale Yarnell near Kirksville.

Mrs. Elizabeth Potter visited Mrs. Harley Wood at the Macon County hospital in Decatur on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Foster of Joliet visited Sunday with Mrs. Margaret Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Martin and family visited in Decatur Sunday.

Mrs. Floyd Valentine and Mrs. Fred Foster visited Friday with Mrs. Lafa Dixon of Arthur.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Cummings spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Carnes.

Mrs. Oscar Sheeks of Mattoon spent a few days this week with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Foster.

Harley Wood spent Monday night and Tuesday with Charles Wood and family.

FULLERS POINT

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Creath and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Creath and Mr. and Mrs. John Jenkins.

Mrs. W. W. Rightsell spent Sunday afternoon with her niece Mrs. George Whitley near, Arcola.

Mr. and Mrs. John Furness and Evelyn Carnine were visitors in Mattoon Monday.

Threshing in this ring began on Monday at Albert Gilmers.

Miss Helen Phillips is spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Daily near Windsor.

John Furness spent a few days this week visiting in Indianapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Phillips entertained a number of relatives

Impossible



daughter Helen of Decatur and Mrs. Marie Baker visited Sunday with Roy Baker and family.

T. F. Winings and family were Decatur visitors Monday afternoon.

Misses Dorothy and Barbara Winings entertained a number of friends at their home Saturday night. Those present were: Carl Tankersley of Moweaqua, Donald Lindsay and Gregory Prichard of Lovington, James Arthur Graham of Decatur, Miss Julia Scott of Bethany and James Keyes, Paul Vansickle, Geraldine Keyes, Aileen Dickson, Doris Stackhouse, Vera Woodall, Sarah Ruth Acorn, and Ernest Winings.

DOWLING FAMILY REUNION HELD HERE LAST SUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Dowling and daughter Mary June and son Dennis, Miss Era Clark and Mrs. George Kellogg of Charleston, Mrs. Scott Dowling and grandsons Scott and Jack of Mattoon, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis H. Dowling, Mr. and Mrs. Zachery Dowling and daughter Frances, Mrs. Alverton Finch of Springfield and Mrs. Scudder Hines of San Antonio, Texas met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Breisler in this city Sunday with well filled baskets in honor of Mrs. Hines who is a cousin of Mrs. Breisler and is here visiting relatives and friends in Charleston and vicinity.

MRS. FLYNN VERY ILL

Friends in this city have been apprised of the fact that Mrs. Ada Flynn, who is in a hospital in Peoria is in very serious condition. No hope is entertained for a rally and death may have come before this reaches print. She is the daughter of Asa LaValley and resided here this spring before going to the hospital.

LAKE VICTIM KNOWN HERE

Robert Stapleton, the young Decatur man who met death in the lake at that city Sunday when he and his girl companion, who also perished, were thrown out of a motorboat that hit a snag, was known here. He was Fleishman yeast man and in that capacity visited the local stores.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wade Robertson and daughter Maxine attended a family reunion at Pana Sunday.

Bonnie Siron is spending this week with her aunt, Mrs. Ralph Clark in Decatur.

—Mrs. Levi Patterson went to Lovington Wednesday where she attended the funeral of her cousin, Mrs. George Wacaser.

—Mrs. Tella Pearce accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Percy Martin Thursday to Columbia, Mo., where they will visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cam Hoke. Mrs. Violet Blackwell who has been a patient at Excelsior Springs will return with them, Sunday.

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Arcola, Ill., July 22—55,000 pieces of advertising will be distributed the latter part of this week telling of the Arcola Home Coming Fair celebration to be held here Thursday, Friday and Saturday, August 8th, 9th and 10th. Next week advertisements will be carried in forty-one newspapers in this section giving an immense amount of publicity to this celebration which is held every third year in Arcola.

The list of attractions is headed by Strout's Military Hussar Band of St. Louis, and Wayne King's thirteen piece orchestra now playing in the Aragon Ballroom in Chicago and broadcasting nightly over Station KYW. This orchestra will play nightly for park plan dancing. Other attractions are the Four Lorenzos, headliners of the Illinois State Fair two years ago, performing 110 feet in the air without the protection of nets, Sun Fong Lin Co., a troupe of eight Chinese now playing in Berlin, Germany, but arriving to play their first American engagement in Arcola. The Five Bracks, Bee Starr, Bruno Wiese & Co., Wall and Brune, Wm. Morris, a Male chorus, Saxophone Sextet, Miss May Wilkinson, the Three Bacardies, Bernardi's Exposition Shows and many exhibits. The program is to be advertised in every community within a fifty mile radius of Arcola. The celebration played to 21,000 paid admissions three years ago. Children under ten are admitted free.

**MAYOR McFERRIN AND FAMILY BACK FROM TRIP**

Mayor C. E. McFerrin and family returned Monday from an extended trip through the northwest and Canada. They spent some time in Seattle and Portland and returned east over the Canadian Pacific as far as Winnipeg after which they returned home through the Mississippi Valley.

The Mayor reports that Canada does not look very prosperous in the western farming regions due to a failure of the spring wheat crop.

**NOBODY WANTS MINE**

The mine and equipment of the Assumption Coal Company, which a few years ago was a prosperous business, is now begging for a buyer.

When the company went on the financial rocks, John Craig was named receiver. The mine was sold to a man named Tony Bush. He didn't have any money. It was again advertised for sale and there were no bidders. It had been hoped that some one would buy the machinery, but indications now are that it will be sold for junk.

**GREGGS IN CANADA**

The Progress is in receipt of a postal card from Bert Gregg. He states as follows: "Friend Ed—See where you are seeing the West. Myself and family are visiting the Great Lakes and Canada. Will drive into Canada in about two hours. Will see you in Sullivan about August 10th. "Bert Gregg and Family.

**QUIGLEY**

Mr. Dowdell of Springfield spoke at Fletcher Chapel Sunday in the interests of the Anti Saloon League.

Rev. and Mrs. R. P. Geyer and family of Windsor and Mr. and Mrs. William Hill were entertained to Sunday dinner in the home of Mrs. Harriet Hartsel.

Rev. J. V. Brady filled his regular appointment at the Church of Christ at Liberty Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Omer Messmore of Allenville were visitors Sunday in the Bruce Farrell home.

There are quite a few campers on the river these hot days.

Cleveland and Lizzie Bland visited in the Dale Lane home on Sand Creek Friday.

Earl and Elizabeth Chapman spent Friday in the home of their brother Morris Chapman and family near Windsor.

Mr. and Mrs. Buss Williamson spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Butler Williamson.

Farmers are busy plowing and putting up hay.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Whitacre visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Tull.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Moore visited Sunday with the latter's sister Mrs. Elmer Selock and family.

Edward Briscoe and family and Jake Marble and family attended a birthday dinner at I. N. Marble's at Sullivan Sunday.

Miss Fern Gravens entertained the Ladies Aid of Okaw Center Thursday afternoon of last week.

Mrs. Grace Selock has returned to Sullivan from Decatur and will stay with Mrs. Ruth Billman.

The McVey children who are making their home with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Guinn went to Springfield Saturday for a week's visit with their aunt, Mrs. Floyd Brown and family.

Robert Chapman and wife spent Friday with Luther Davidson and wife.

**RONEYS ARE BACK**

Dr. and Mrs. George A. Roney returned home Saturday evening from a western vacation tour. They travelled over 4200 miles and visited the Black Hills in the Dakotas, Yellowstone Park, Salt Lake City and other points of interest in the Rocky Mountain region. The return trip was started from Colorado Springs and made over U. S. route 40.

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**COW-CALLING CONTEST TO BE OUTSTANDING FEATURE OF ARTHUR FAIR**

Cow calling, almost a vanished art on the American farm, is due for a revival here when a cow calling contest will be staged as a feature of the Moultrie-Douglas Co. Fair, at Arthur. The winner of the contest will be presented with a handsome cow bell trophy by a creamery company.

Any man, woman or child may take part in the contest. Volume of voice will be figured by the judges at 30 points, the carrying quality of the voice at 30 points, the musical quality of the voice at 10 points, and the appeal (in the



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imagination of the judges) the call would have on the cow, at 30 points. Contestants are free to use whatever call they think best, and will be allowed as much time as desired. Speechmaking, however is barred.

The cow calling contest has been set for August 28th to 31st. Persons contemplating having a "voice" in the contest are urged to get in touch with Mr. James I. Lawrence, Secretary, immediately.

The accompanying illustration is that of Otis Kinney, Owen Co., Indiana who won the first cow-calling contest staged anywhere in the United States. In the inset is a reproduction of the cow bell trophy which the creamery company will award to the winner of the contest at the Moultrie Douglas Co. fair at Arthur.

**KIRKSVILLE**

Mrs. Rhoda Floyd, Mrs. Manuel Sipe, Marguerite Floyd and June Yarnell attended a class meeting at Mrs. Carry Landiers and daughter last week.

Delmer Elder and family of near Cadwell spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Elder and family.

Mrs. William Rhodes spent a few days this week with Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Hawbaker and son in Decatur.

Mr. and Mrs. Olive Davis and son Clement spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rhodes.

Edgar Donnell and family visited Sunday afternoon with Albert Selock of Sullivan.

Lowell, Owen and Floyd Donnell spent Sunday afternoon with Elmer Sentel.

Rev. Padrick and wife of Clarkburg spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Ferba Kidwell.

A nice crowd met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Hoke in honor of their daughter Margie's fifth birthday. Those present

were Mr. and Mrs. Clem Messmore, Finis Graham and family, Archie Dazey and family, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Yarnell and family, Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Greens and family, Mr. and Mrs. Job Evans, Ray Evans and family, Glen Nichols and family, Ray Woodruff and family and Miss

Cody. Ice cream and cake were served.

Merle and Raymond West who had been sick in a Decatur hospital returned to their home on Friday.

Miss Era West has been on the sick list.

Miss Freda Elder spent Tuesday afternoon with Miss Kathryn Leeds.

Mrs. Lois Bruce and son Kenneth of Champaign is spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd West and family.

Rev. Padrick of Clarkburg filled his appointment at the U. B. church on Sunday.

The Ladies Aid held its annual picnic at Freeland Grove Sunday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Evans, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Yarnell and family, Mr. and Mrs. Vic Clark, Luther Marble and family, Miss Era West, Miss Ella Graven, John Floyd and family, Phillip Floyd of Charleston, Mr. and Mrs. Job Evans, Mr. and Mrs. Wes Clark and daughter Miss Lula, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Graven and family, Mr. and Mrs. Logan Sallee and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Jeffers and son Wayne, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Hoke and daughter Margie, Miss Florence Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Greene and family, Isaac Alvey, Mr. and Mrs. George Shuck, Mrs. Manuel Sipe, Rev. and Mrs. Pad-

rick of Clarkburg, Mr. and Mrs. Harland Ritchey and son Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. Elvy Clark and family, Mr. and Mrs. Finis Graham and family. At noon a nice dinner was spread and a fine time was enjoyed.

Rev. and Mrs. Padrick spent Sunday night with Mrs. Rebecca Jeffers.

Mr. and Mrs. Lute Marble and daughter Wilma, Bertha and Miss Era West spent Sunday evening with Mr. Marble's parents of Sullivan.

Bertha Marble and Bernita Callahan spent one day last week with Miss Zetta Sentel.

—Misses Marguerite and Dorothy Harris of Owasa, Mich., are spending this week with their grandmother, Mrs. Florence Kenney.

—Mrs. Scott Wood and daughters of Decatur visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Messmore Monday and Tuesday.

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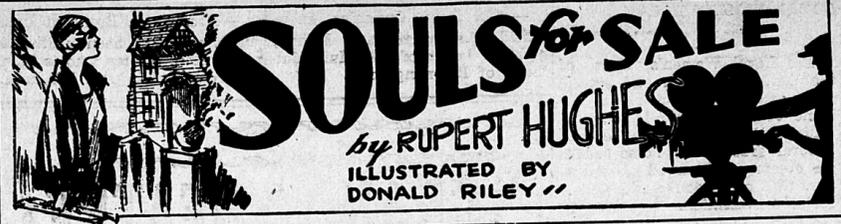
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# SOULS FOR SALE

by RUPERT HUGHES  
ILLUSTRATED BY DONALD RILEY

## FIRST INSTALMENT

"Los Angeles!" the sneering preacher cried, as Jonah might have whinnied, "Nineveh!" and with equal scorn. "The Spanish missionaries may have called it the City of Angeles; but the moving pictures have changed its name to Los Diablos! For it is the central factory of Satan and his minions, the enemy of our homes and women—the school of crime. Unless, in God's good time, the ocean will rise and swallow it!"

Though he was two thousand miles or more away—the Reverend Doctor Steddon was so convinced by his own prophetic ire that he would hardly have been surprised to read in the Monday morning's paper that a benevolent earthquake had taken his hint and shrugged the new Babylon off into the Pacific ocean.

But Doctor Steddon, if he could have seen the realm he objugated, would have confessed that the devil had a certain grace as a gardener and that his minions were a handsome, happy throng. As it was, Doctor Steddon had never seen Los Angeles and had never seen a moving picture. He knew that the world was going to wrack and ruin—as usual—and he laid the blame on the nearest novelty—as usual.

His daughter had heard him lay the blame in previous years on other activities. She wished he wouldn't.

But then she had not escaped blame herself and she was in a mortal dread now of a vast cloud of obloquy lowering above her and ominous with lightning.

Her father and mother had named her Remember—after one of the Mayflower girls—nearly

three hundred years after. Her father often wished that she had been liker to those Puritan maidens. But that was because he did not know how like she was to them, how much they, too, had terrified their parents with their love of finery and romantic experiment.

For it is only the styles, and not the souls that change. There are chronicles enough to prove that the same quota of the Remember and Praisegods of Plymouth and the other colonies suffered the same bitter beatitudes and frantic bewilderments as Remember Steddon and Elwood Farnaby endured when their elbows touched in the choir loft of this mid-Western village.

Miss Steddon felt a sudden tremor in Farnaby's elbow; then it was gone from hers; she saw his nail whiten as it gripped the hymn book hard.

Somehow in the words he chanted seemed to stab him with a sense of guilt. He felt it a terrible thing for her to stand before that congregation and cry aloud words of ecstasy over her redemption from sin.

Their secret, unknown and unconfessed, was concealed by the very clamor of its publication. And it troubled Farnaby mightily to be gaining all the advantage of a lie by singing the truth.

When the choir was not singing openly and aboveboard, it was usually busily whispering. Even Elwood Farnaby had to lean over tonight and whisper important news to Remember. He was not permitted to call at her house or to be near her home after the service. Singing beside her in the house of God—that was different.

He told her now what he had just learned, that the factory where he was employed would close down the following week because of hard times. Elwood was to have been promoted to superintendent soon.

To Remember Steddon the news that Elwood would have no job in a week and would know no place to look for one had more than a commercial interest. It was the alarm of fate.

She had loved Elwood since they were children—had loved him all the more for the squalor of his home. He was the son of the town's most eminent drunkard, old "Falldown Farnaby."

Among the slipshod children of his family Elwood alone had managed to acquire ambition. He had latterly supported his mother and a pack of brothers and sisters. He had even been able to afford to go to the war and win the guerdon of a wound that made him glorious in Remember's eyes and a little more lovable than ever.

Her father, however, had been unable to tolerate the thought of his daughter's marrying the son of the town sot. Doctor Steddon felt that he was proving his love, his loving wisdom toward his daughter by forbidding her even to meet young Farnaby outside the choir loft. He was sure that her love would wear out.

He did not know his daughter. Who ever did?

Elwood had expected that the bad news would shock her. But he could not understand the look of ghastly terror she gave him. He forgot it in his own bitter brooding and did not observe the deathly white that blanched her pallor.

Yet he had noted that she was paler of late and had added that worry to his backbreaking load of worries.

She coughed incessantly, too, and kept putting her hand to her chest as if it hurt her there.

On the way home under the wasted magic of the rising moon, Remember did not walk as usual between her father and mother with a hand on the arm of each. Tonight she kept at her mother's left elbow and clung so tight to the fat, warm arm that her mother whispered:

"What's the matter, honey?" "Nothing, mamma," she faltered. "I'm just a little tired, I guess."

Mem again was coughing violently and the rest of the way home Doctor Steddon was not a preacher anxious about his daughter's soul, but a father that was afraid of her life. The cough to her parents was an ominous problem. To her it might promise a solution.

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Next morning at her father's command Mem went to see Doctor Bretherick. She told him that her parents were afraid her cold was more than a cold, and she coughed for him. He asked her many questions and she grew so confused and rapt in blushes that he asked her more. Suddenly he flung her a startled look, gasped, and stared into her eyes as if he would ransack her mind. In the mere shifting of his eyelid muscles she could read amazement, incredulity, conviction, anger, and finally pity.

All he said was, "My child!" There could be no solemn conference than theirs. Doctor Bretherick had attended Mem's mother when the girl was born. He thought of her still as a child, and now she dazed him and frightened him by her mystic knowledges and her fierce demands that he should help her out of her plight or help her out of the world.

He refused to do either and demanded that she meet her fate with heroism.

In the talk that followed, Dr. Bretherick drew out the fact Elwood Farnaby was "the man" and suggested a plan for their marriage when the telephone rang.

The doctor's welcoming "Hello!" broke through a many-wrinkled smile. It froze to a grimace. As Mem watched he kept saying: "Yes—Yes—Yes!" and finally said "That's right—bring him here."

He set down the telephone as if it were a drained cup of hemlock. "It wasn't Elwood?" Mem said. "No. Yes. Well—O God!"

what a bitter world this is!" Mem caught eagerly at grief. "Tell me! What's happened? what happened to Elwood? He's hurt. He's killed!"

"Yes!"

It was Dr. Bretherick who afterward found a solution.

"Your cough will take a long time to cure or kill," he said. "But it may come in very handy. I've got it all thought out. You

can't stay in this town now, I suppose. Most of the animals crawl away and hide at such a time; so suppose you just vanish. Let your cough carry you off to—say, Arizona or California."

She was startled at this undreamed of escape. He went on:

"I'll tell the necessary facts. That's a large part of my practice and practice makes perfect. You will go to some strange town—and pose as a widow."

"You will marry an imaginary man out there and let him die quietly. Then, if you ever want to come home here, you can come back as Mrs. Somebody-or-other."

He chose Woodville as the name. Mem was to write of Mr. Woodville's devotion, then to describe a hasty marriage and request that her letters thereafter be addressed to her as Mrs. Woodville.

After a brief honeymoon she could eliminate Woodville in some way to be decided at leisure. It would be risky, he said, to let Mr. Woodville live too long.

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A hurricane struck the little town of Caverly on the day of Elwood's funeral. When Mem expressed a wish to sing with the choir at the service over their late fellow-singer, her mother cried, "A girl who's got to be shipped out West has got no right to go out in weather like this."

So she stayed at home and stared through the streaming windows. She saw her poor old father set out to preach the funeral sermon.

He had the valor of the priests which leads them to risk death in order to defeat death; to endure all hardship lest the poorest soul go out of the world without a formal conge. Doctor Steddon clutched his old overcoat about him and plunged into rain that lashed the air in long, slanting lines.

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Again and again Mem revolted at the outrage of robbing her own parents of their savings—their one shield against old age. She went again and again to Doctor Bretherick and demanded that he release her from her promises not to tell the truth and not to kill herself.

But he compelled her to his will and she was too glad for a will to replace her own panic to resist him. For a necessary stimulant he prophesied that somehow in that land of gold she was seeking she would find such wealth that she could repay their loan with usury, with wealth, perhaps. Who knew?

He spoke of many women who had begun poor and finished rich. "You might go into the movies, for instance, and make more money than Coal Oil Johnny," he said.

Mem imbibed mysterious tonics at the doctor's office, and always came away buoyed up with the feeling that her tragedy was unimportant, commonplace, and sure to have a happy finish.

But the moment she reached home she entered a demesne where everything was solemn, where jokes were never heard, except pathetic old witticisms more important in intention than in amusement.

And at last, one day, quite unexpectedly, when she was under no apparent tension at all, the girl went into Mrs. Steddon's room and said, in a quiet tone:

"Mamma, I want to tell you something. I'd rather break your heart than deceive you any longer."

"Why, honey! Why Mem dear, what on earth is it? You can't break this tough old heart of mine. What is it?"

She whispered it so softly that her breath was hardly syllabled. "Mamma, I—I'm going to have a baby."

The shock of the news was its own ether. Mrs. Steddon whispered back, cowering:

"You? You! My baby! You? A baby?"

Mem nodded and nodded till her knees were on the floor and her head in her mother's lap. Old hands came gropingly about her cheeks. She felt the drip, drip of tears falling into her hair, each tear a separate pearl from a crown of pride.

Then her mother fumbled at

the dreadful question:

"But who—who—"

"Elwood!"

Mrs. Steddon's decision was easy, and she made no difficulty of the gross deceptions involved. Her husband must be protected in his illusions and protected from the necessity of wreaking his high moral principles on his own child. His child must be protected from the merciless world and the immediate wrath of the village.

(Continued Next Week)

## FRANK MARLOW DIED SUDDENLY AT KING CITY, MO.

Mrs. Flossie Yarnell of this city and Mrs. Henry Brown of Bethany returned home Sunday after attending the funeral of Mrs. Brown's brother Frank Marlow at King City, Missouri. On their return trip they stopped off at St. Louis for a visit with Mrs. Yarnell's son Harold who is employed by the Graham Paper company in that city.

The account of Mr. Marlow's death as it appeared in the Tri-County News of King City is as follows:

Frank W. Marlow, 58 dropped dead at 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon while working in the field at the home of his son, Claude W. Marlow on Empire Prairie. Funeral services will be held at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon at the Methodist church here, conducted by the Rev. James Froman of Trimble, Mo., and burial will be in the King City cemetery.

Mr. Marlow had been visiting at the home of his son several weeks, and had assisted him frequently in the farm work. They were cutting oats Tuesday; Claude running the binder and his father shocking the grain. Claude asked his father to rest a bit exchanging jobs and running the binder the remainder of the day.

"Stay right on there—you're not going to make an old man out of me," the older man is quoted as having answered laughingly as he continued picking up the bundles of grain.

Claude drove on, and on the next short round, less than five minutes later, found his father dead. His death was ascribed to a sudden heart attack.

Mr. Marlow was born Dec. 9, 1870, at Dahlonga, Ga. When he was a small boy he moved with his parents to Bethany, Ill., and there he grew to manhood. He was married there Dec. 7, 1891 to Mary Margaret Martin, who preceded him in death Sept. 3, 1918. To this union were born four children, Harry, Ella May, Claude and Philip, all of whom survive. Harry P. Marlow lives at Natoma, Kans. The daughter Mrs. L. M. Strickler, lives at Wheatland, Wyo. Phil's home is at Sylvan Grove, Kansas. All of the children are here to attend the funeral service today.

About twenty years of Mr. Marlow's life was spent in Missouri, and most of that time in or near King City. He left here about eleven years ago, however, but returned to Cabool, Mo., two or

three years ago to establish a chinchilla rabbit farm, in which business he was engaged at the time he came here for a visit at his son's home. He is survived also by two brothers, Robert J. Marlow of Denver, Colo., and Joseph Marlow of California; and two sisters, Mrs. Henry Brown of Bethany, Ill., and Mrs. I. C. Head of Olney, Ill. and by seven grandchildren. Robert Marlow and Mrs. Brown have come to attend the funeral, as has also Mrs. Chester Yarnell of Sullivan, Ill., a niece.

Frank Marlow was widely known throughout this community in which he lived many years. He farmed in this vicinity several years before moving to town, and for many years owned a good farm near King City. After leaving here he was engaged in the motor car business in St. Joseph. He was a jovial fellow, easy to get acquainted with and who made friends readily. He was a member of the Modern Woodmen of America.

## HOME-COMINGS, FALL FESTIVALS AND FAIRS

Many of the towns and villages in this part of the state are busy now planning for their fairs, home-coming, fall festivals, etc.

These annual events must be a good thing for these towns for they conduct them along business-like lines and in most cases make them pay well.

Sullivan has two events of this kind each year. The first is

## ATLANTIC OCEAN CROSSING RECORD IS LOWERED

The new German liner Bremen made history Monday when it pulled into New York harbor just four days, 18 hours and 17 minutes after leaving Cherbourg, France. The fastest previous crossing had been made by the Mauretania last year when it made the crossing in 5 days, 8 hours and 34 minutes.

## MONEY to Loan

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

J. A. WEBB

## Sewing rooms re-opened over Sona's Shop

We have moved back up town to the old location over the Sona Monument store and have reopened our dressmaking rooms. We solicit the patronage of all our former customers and new customers who may need work in this line. Phone 441-w.

Mrs. M. Ziese-McKim



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## The Sullivan Progress

### LOCALS

**—We will consider it a great favor if you will report any items of News That You May Know. Call Phones 128 or 411. —The Editor.**

—Mr. and Mrs. Percy Martin of Mattoon visited with relatives in this city Sunday.

—Mrs. Ida Spence and J. B. Brown both of Decatur called at the home of Mrs. Tella Pearce on Sunday.

—Mrs. Hettie Purvis and Mrs. Tella Pearce were entertained to dinner at the home of Mrs. Mattie Fread on Sunday.

—Mrs. Blanche Drew of Columbia, Mo., who came to this place to be with her aunt, Miss Dulcinea Purvis who is ill returned to her home after spending three weeks here.

—Dr. and Mrs. W. B. Kilgus and son Richard visited with relatives in Monticello Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Hill and daughter Beatrice visited with relatives in Decatur Saturday night and Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Gus Franks of Peoria came Wednesday for a visit at the home of Mrs. A. H. Miller. They returned home Monday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Palmer spent Sunday with relatives in Decatur.

—Mrs. Lena Forrest and Mrs. Ruth Billman spent Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Moore and other relatives in Decatur.

—Highway commissioner Clarence Miller was taken ill Sunday and was confined to his home the early part of the week.

—Mrs. Frank Ward and Mrs. E. W. Davis spent Tuesday in Arthur visiting their sister, Mrs. Granville Sallee who had undergone an operation for the removal of her tonsils.

—Miss Olive Dazey returned to her work as stenographer for the McLaughlin Bond and Mortgage Company Tuesday after spending her vacation.

—Clark Read who for a number of years has been in charge of the cleaning plant of the Sullivan Dry Cleaners has resigned his job. Mr. Read has taken a job as travelling salesman for a St. Louis firm which sells dry cleaning establishments. He left for St. Louis Sunday and started work Monday. The family will retain their residence here and he expects to be home for the week ends.

—Dr. and Mrs. J. R. Taylor and son Jimmie left Wednesday on a vacation trip to north eastern Nebraska. They formerly lived in that part of the country and still own some property there.

—Mrs. Dave Roadman of West Palm Beach underwent an operation in St. Luke's hospital in St. Louis Friday morning. The Roadman family formerly lived in this city.

—Nancy Ellen, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Worsham of Chicago who are visiting at this place, fell and cut her head. It required several stitches to close the wound.

—Miss Vera Freeman spent Sunday in Chicago.

—Mrs. Alice Coy, Ed Coy and Oscar Coy of Springfield and Mrs. Ted Coy of Mattoon spent Sunday in this city with Mr. and Mrs. Clint Coy.

—Miss Leota Stain who enjoyed a two weeks vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McCune in Peoria returned to this city and resumed her work as telephone operator the first of the week.

—Rufus Hagerman made a business trip to Cerro Gordo on Tuesday.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Hill and daughter Beatrice and Evelyn Dunscomb spent Friday in St. Louis.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wyman Hughes of Chicago who were visiting with the latter's mother, Mrs. Florence Kenney the past few weeks left Tuesday for a visit with relatives in Champaign before returning to their home.

—A number of folks from this city went to Decatur Sunday where they spent the day at Nelson park taking their dinners. Those who went were Mrs. J. W. Rauch, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rauch, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Ledbetter, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. L. Duncan, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jordan and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harden of Decatur.

### DEMOCRATIC FIGHT AGAINST TARIFF BOOST GAINS G.O.P. SUPPORT

If the country is going to be protected against the extortions contemplated by the Hawley tariff bill, credit for the rescue must be accorded the Democratic minority in the Senate. Under the leadership of Senator Robinson of Arkansas they have exposed the iniquities of the schedules proposed in the House bill, and through them the people have become aroused to the same fury of indignation as caused the wreck of the Taft Administration over the Payne-Aldrich tariff.

As a result the Administration Senators, who purposed driving through that measure with additional exactions, have been driven into a huddle and are now planning secret sessions of their part of the Finance Committee, with the Democrats excluded, to decide what residue of the loot they dare attempt to save.

When the directors of Republican strategy in the House of Representatives—after consultation with President Hoover—jettisoned his pledge that tariff revision should be confined to schedules pertinent to Farm Relief, and such few others as applied to industries that might show tangible evidence of depression because of foreign competition, the assumption was that the Senate would follow what has been its course, whenever it had a Republican majority, and add another story to the skyscraper character of the tariff bill.

Then we heard Senator Watson of Indiana, the Administration leader, announcing complete revision of the Fordney-McCumber tariff; Senator Smoot of Utah proclaiming that the sugar duty would be high enough to satisfy his beet-sugar constituents, and the rest of the high protectionists in line. Now Watson is singing in a low key, Smoot is trying to maneuver some sort of sliding scale that will make the assessment on the family sugar-bowl less obvious, Reed of Pennsylvania out against the project of making of the Tariff Commission a strictly partisan Board, appointed by the President, who, under the provisions of the Hawley bill, would be able to make the tariff practically what he pleases. This would, of course, represent a surrender of Congressional authority unparalleled since the principle of legislative control of revenue matters was established as a cardinal principle of Democratic government.

Despite themselves, the Administration forces find themselves being driven back to the promise of helping the farmer. It is now quite possible that the sugar steal will be prevented, that the indecent subterfuge of making a duty on hides, for the farmer's benefit, the excuse for boosting the price of every pair of shoes more than the farmer would gain on the whole hide would be blocked, and that at least some of the building materials would be kept where they belong, on the free list.

Fortunately for the average citizen, the Progressive Republicans in the Senate have joined with the Democrats in exposing the iniquities of the Hawley bill—the combination is too strong to be easily run over. The fight is not won yet, by any means, for there remains the familiar expedient of log-rolling and the use of the administration club when the Senate votes on the measure the Finance Committee is now incubating. Undoubtedly some of the weaker senators will be bribed by particular favors to industries and products of their own states to support the bill, but even these are not going to find it easy to defend such a vote in view of the nation-wide revulsion against extortions that have no better excuse than that the interests that furnished the campaign funds for the last election expect to realize handsomely on their investment.

The Democratic senators have in this tariff shown a front more nearly united than has been the case in many years. The public service they have rendered will not be forgotten. If the country's gratitude is commensurate with the country's gain because of their efforts, the Congress to be elected next year will show many seats now Republican filled by Democrats.

### CARD OF THANKS

We express our sincere thanks and appreciation to our friends and neighbors for their assistance and sympathy during the illness and at death of our beloved wife and mother. Especially do we thank for the floral tributes.

Charles Getz and Children.  
Mrs. F. E. Switzer.

### BIRTHS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Messmore Sunday, July 21st a daughter.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Joe England Sunday, July 21st a daughter.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Beals a son, Tuesday, July 23rd.

### Church Notes

**METHODIST CHURCH**  
G. V. Herrick, pastor.

Sunday school at 9:30. We cordially invited you to help us avoid a summer slump in Sunday school attendance.

Morning worship at 10:45. Come and bring someone with you.

Evening worship at 7:30.

**CADWELL-ROSEDALE Methodist Episcopal Churches**  
James T. Wilson, Pastor

The Rosedale Sunday school 19 scholars. The Cadwell Sunday school 31. Sunday school next Sunday at both churches at 10:00 a. m. Bring someone with you.

The Ladies Aid of the Rosedale church wish to thank those that made the ice cream supper a success. The treasurer reports forty dollars net proceeds. The annual chicken fry will be held at the Lew Winings farm, August 13. Plan to eat chicken on that day.

Mr. Attili Chiti of Virden, Ill., will have charge of the evening service at Cadwell next Sunday, July 28. Mr. Chiti is an expert on the accordion. You will enjoy his program. Remember the time, Sunday evening, July 28, at 7:30. Come early if you want a good seat.

Regular preaching service next Sunday morning at the Cadwell church at 10:45 a. m.

"The ministry of the church is to the heart."

**PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
John C. Irvine, Minister

Many were out of town last Sabbath for various reasons but a very good audience attended the services, both morning and evening.

The morning service next Sabbath will be in honor of Old People. The congregational singing and the sermon will be in keeping with the occasion.

A beautiful bouquet of flowers will be given to the oldest person present; and one will be given to the person above 21 years of age coming the farthest.

A special feature of the music program will be a vocal solo by Mrs. Sentel.

The evening service will be the final service before the pastor's vacation. There will not be any more preaching services after next Sabbath until the first Sunday in September.

Won't you please come out next Sunday night and help us to have the very best service possible?

**GOSPEL MISSION**  
Sylvester Egan, Pastor.

9:30 a. m. Sunday school.  
10:45 a. m.—Morning worship  
6:30 p. m. Young People's service.

7:30 p. m. Evangelistic service.  
7:30 p. m. Tuesday Bible study  
7:30 p. m. Friday prayer meeting for a few weeks.

Ps. 105:37 "He brought them forth also with silver and gold and there was not one feeble person among their tribes."

In a very few words the Psalmist tells us the story of the delivery of Israel, the literal seed of Abraham from their Egyptian bondage. The literal seed of Abraham is a type of the spiritual seed, the born again person. When God brings us up out of Egypt away from the flesh pots, the leek, the garlic, and the onions, he does not bring us empty handed or sick (we mean spiritually) but gives us spiritual silver and gold in abundance that will buy the richest blessings heaven has in store for the redeemed ones, and a healthy spiritual body, one that can work and earn more spiritual silver and gold, so that we are assured that we will never want for any good thing.

Too often, just as was the case with the Hebrews, we long for the flesh pots of Egypt, and wander out in the wilderness of sin to die a spiritual death there, and never reach the promised land flowing with milk and honey, and big grapes.

**FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
C. E. Barnett, Pastor

There are a thousand and one reasons why a person should go to church, but we are not attempting to name them all. A congregation devoutly engaged in worship is doing something for the community which can not be done in any other way. A collective confession of Christ, by church attendance, outruns in influence the confession of any individual. It has a power the strongest of sermons cannot exert. No man can absent himself needlessly from public worship without damaging the influence of Christian society and a resultant loss to his own soul. The Lord's army on the Lord's day should present a solid front. Go to church next Sunday and every Sunday. Let your neighbor see you going and perhaps he will

### LOYAL WOMEN PARTY AT LANDERS HOME

The Loyal Women's class of the Christian church and several guests were entertained at the home of Mrs. Carrie Landers on Thursday to a chicken dinner. Several freezers of home made ice cream were served after dinner. The afternoon was spent in social conversation.

Those present were Mrs. Bettie Harris, Marguerite and Dorothy Harris, Mrs. Belle Piper, Mrs. Bertha Barnett, Mrs. Cora Elliott, Mrs. J. F. Bozell, Mrs. Cynthia Newbould, Mrs. Tella Pearce, Mrs. Fanny Patterson, Wyvona Price, Miss Mary Patterson, Mrs. Mattie Ward, Mrs. Cora Lucas and two granddaughters, Mrs. Rhoda Floyd, Marguerite Floyd, June Yarnell, Mrs. Eunice Sipe, Ruth and Mary Graven, Mrs. Clara Grigsby, Mrs. Hettie Ellis, Mrs. Ella Blair, Mrs. Mabel Landers and children, Mrs. Lora Shasteen, son Billy and Mrs. Clara Brandenburger.

### CAMPFIRE GIRLS HAD GREAT TIME AT PIFER'S

The Ackante camp fire girls went to Pifer's park on a camping trip. We went on Friday afternoon and came home Sunday morning. We started from Letha Bushart's home and cars were furnished by Gerald Alumbaugh and Miss Wood. We had a picnic supper. After supper was over Mr. Pifer took us boat riding. Five of the girls can row pretty well. About ten packages of fire crackers were shot. A fire was then built of papers. Each one had to entertain the rest. Fire crackers had been put in the fire and they began to go off. At 9:00 o'clock we went to bed. Three of the girls laughed and talked so long that the guardian got in bed with two of them and made the other girl get in another bed.

The next morning about 5:00 o'clock every one except the guardian was ready to get up.

As soon as breakfast was over and dishes washed we went boat riding. Four girls made plans for a treasure hunt in the afternoon. We went swimming in the river from 10 o'clock until eleven a. m. After dinner we had to rest an hour. We then went boat riding. The treasure hunt then began. The treasure was an ice cream cone apiece. After supper we had watermelon.

The next morning no one got up until they had to. Cars for the return trip were furnished by the Kiwanis club.

Those who were in the party were Miss Cleo Wood, guardian, Dorothy Brumfield, Bernice Fultz, Lucille Alumbaugh, Louise Cocran, Letha Bushart, June Myers, Jane Foster, Eleanor Cummins, Mildred Winchester, Corma Jane Finley, Vivian Reynolds, Rachel Kinsel and Sallie Bristow.

—One of the party

—Miss Ruth Pifer of Champlain spent Saturday in this city.

### REST YOUR LAND AND GET GOOD RESULTS

W. J. Patterson, whose wheat land south of this city was cultivated the past season by Dick Ashbrook, reports that 68 acres gave a yield of 1356 bushels, or approximately 20 bushels per acre.

This land is not of the rich black prairie loam, but is timber land and the yield is considered very good.

Mr. Patterson believes that "resting" land does it much good and results in bigger yields. This wheat land lay fallow last year. That is to say it was plowed but not sown or planted. The ground was cultivated occasionally to keep the weeds down and at time of wheat sowing a good seed bed resulted. He is very much pleased with the crop. Mr. Ashbrook has again rented the land for next season.

**93RD. ANNIVERSARY**  
Mrs. Mary Allison observed her 93rd birthday anniversary on Wednesday of last week at the home of her son G. F. Allison and family in this city.

Mrs. Allison who is enjoying good health received birthday cards and other remembrances from her many friends.

—Mrs. Dave Cummins entertained to a bridge party Monday night in honor of Miss Inis Matthews of Bloomington.

—Mrs. W. D. Droke of Indianapolis who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Seenev who is ill, left Saturday and injured her knee.

## GRAND THEATRE

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THURSDAY-FRIDAY, JULY 25-26  
BOB STEELE in

### "Come and Get It"

Also the Collegians in "CALFORD IN THE MOVIES" and  
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Admission 10 and 25 cents

SATURDAY, JULY 27  
TOM TYLER in

### "The Pride of Pawnee"

Also a Metro Comedy, Aesop's Fables and Chapter 10 of  
"TARZAN THE MIGHTY"  
Note: Usual Matinee at 2:15  
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SUNDAY-MONDAY, JULY 28-29  
GRETA GARBO and NILS ASTHER in

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Also Charley Chase in "LOUD SOUP" and Sunday only, Tarzan.  
Admission 10 and 25 cents.

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY, JULY 30-31  
GEORGE K. ARTHUR and KARL DANE in one of the outstanding comedies of the year

### "China Bound"

Also short subjects.  
Admission 10c and 25c

THURSDAY-FRIDAY, AUGUST 1-2  
WILLARD MACK and all star cast in

### "The Voice of the City"

Also the Collegians in "PADDLING CO-EDS"  
and Paramount News.  
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COMING SOON—One day return engagement of "KING OF KINGS" at regular admission prices of 10c and 25c.



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## at Dunscomb's

# Friday and Saturday

## July 26th and 27th

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## \$ \$

**\$1.00 sale of 64-inch good weight, COLORED BORDERED MERCERIZED TABLE DAMASK, which will be placed on sale at ..... 2 yds for \$1**

## \$ \$

**Special sale of 35 inch all Pure Linen BRIDGE CLOTHS** in white with contrasting pastel shades in block patterns, priced at 2 for ..... **\$1**

**Size 54x58 Mercerized Hemstitched colored BREAKFAST CLOTHS** in Blue, Rose, Gold and Green at each ..... **\$1**

One lot of **\$2.00 WASH DRESSES** at each ..... **\$1**

Choice of any of our **\$4.95 SPRING HATS** at each ..... **\$1**

We have sorted out about 12 pieces of 25c guaranteed **TUB FAST PRINTS** which you can buy during this sale  
6 yards for ..... **\$1**

# \$ DAY

One lot of **\$2.00 White Cadet SILK HOSE** with black Van Dyke heels; also broken lines of **\$2.00 black SILK HOSE** at per pair ..... **\$1**

One lot of **PURSES**, up to **\$2.95** values at each ..... **\$1**

**36-inch WASHABLE CREPE DE CHINE SILK** in Flesh, Rose and Orchid at per yard ..... **\$1**

An assortment of **\$1.75 PRINTED CREPE DE CHINES** at per yard ..... **\$1**

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