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## Sunflower Seed Worth \$2.71 cwt When Fed to Hogs

Experiments Made in Missouri Show That It is Good Feed When Fed as Part Balanced Ration. Charles Shuman Conducts Investigation.

Charles Shuman, a graduate of the College of Agriculture, U. of I. who is now farming on the Shuman place east of this city, has been much interested in the "sunflower" problem that now confronts the farmers of this vicinity.

He is in receipt of a letter from the Professor of Animal Industry, try of the College of Agriculture, U. of Missouri that contains information that will be of much interest to those who have big sunflower crops on hand and do not want to market them at the 1c per pound rate.

In connection with this letter, Mr. Shuman presents a table of rations, including sunflower seed, that he submits, with this letter, for publication for the information of those who may be interested.

According to his way of figuring, sunflower seed is worth \$2.71

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## SULLIVAN GRADE BASKETBALL SCHEDULE HAS BEEN ARRANGED

The Sullivan Grade School basketball team opened the season Thursday evening on the Armory floor. The past three years have seen the grades with a mighty fine team. The team has lost just three games in the past three years, and we certainly expect to keep up our good record. Coach Roney has been working hard with the boys this fall and he believes that he has the min shape to win. Our first game is with Stewardson on Thursday evening. The high school freshmen play a curtain raiser with Strasburg.

The schedule of games as booked to date is:

Dec. 5—Stewardson, here.  
Dec. 6—Windsor there.  
Dec. 13—Open date.  
Dec. 19—Windsor, here.  
Jan. 3—Open date.  
Jan. 10—Open date.  
Jan. 14—Stewardson there.  
Jan. 17—Open date.  
Jan. 22—Arthur, there.  
Jan. 31—Open date.  
Feb. 7—Moweaqua, here.  
Feb. 14—Arthur, here.  
Feb. 21—Moweaqua, there.

## COMMUNITY CLUB MEETS MONDAY NIGHT IN COURT HOUSE

The Sullivan Community club will have its December meeting Monday night at 7:30 in the master in chancery's room in the court house.

Various matters of community interest will be up for discussion at that time.

## EASTERN STAR ELECTS OFFICERS FOR THE YEAR

The Crystal Chapter Eastern Star Tuesday night elected the following officers for the ensuing term:

Nona Cochran, W. M.  
R. B. Foster, W. P.  
Theo. Sona, A. M.  
Mattie Gardner, Conductor.  
Lucile Foster, Ass't. Cond.  
Nettie Gifford, Secretary.  
Moe Rose Monroe, Treas.  
These officers and appointees which Mrs. Cochran will name will be installed Tuesday night, Dec. 17th.

### Appointees

Chaplain—Lena Forrest.  
Marshall—Kittie Craig.  
Pianist—Ella Jenne.  
Adah—Mae Lucas.  
Ruth—Osa Bupp.  
Esther—Nelle McLaughlin.  
Martha—Nettie Fultz.  
Electa—Hattie Breisler.  
Wardner—Mary Womack.  
Sentinel—B. C. Monroe.

## TEACHERS WILL HAVE MEETING AT MATTOON

The Eastern Illinois Teachers Association will have its fall meeting October 17th, 1930 in Mattoon in the new high school. Herebefore the meeting has always been in Charleston. Mrs. Roughton of this city is an official of this organization.

### BUYS 22½ ACRES

Emmerson Hall and wife have bought from Erasmus Selby a tract of 22½ acres in Sec. 10, T. 14, R. 5. The consideration was \$2858.

## HILLSBORO MASON CHOSEN TO HEAD COUNCIL NO. 91

At a meeting of Sullivan Council No. 91, R. & S. M. held Tuesday night in the local Masonic Lodge room the following officers were elected and installed for the ensuing year:

T. I. M.—J. B. White, Hillsboro  
I. D. M.—Chester Horn.  
P. C. W.—C. F. McClure.  
C. C.—D. K. Campbell.  
Treas.—J. F. Gibbon.  
Secretary—F. W. Wood.  
Chaplain—W. B. Hopper.  
Sentinel—Olaf McIntire.  
The installation services were in charge of Henry J. Sona, the retiring Thrice Illustrious Master of the Council.

## Mrs. Byrom fell Peacefully Asleep at Her Home Sunday

Aged Woman Had Been in Failing Health for Some Time. Funeral Services Were Held on Tuesday; Burial in Greenhill.

Mrs. Margaret E. Byrom passed away suddenly at the home of her daughter Mrs. Isaac McClung on Sunday morning. She had been in failing health for some time, but not confined to her bed.

Sunday morning she arose as usual and ate a hearty breakfast and then went to another room to seat herself in her favorite easy chair. Her daughter found her there, dead, shortly after.

Her maiden name was Margaret Reedy and she was born in this county March 9, 1855, being one of a family of ten children. On the 18th day of December 1873 she was united in marriage with J. W. Byrom. They spent most of their active life in farming. Two children were born to this union. One died in infancy. The survivor is Mrs. Cynthia McClung, widow of the late Isaac W. McClung. Mr. Byrom preceded his wife to the Great Beyond several years ago.

She also leaves one sister, Mrs. Ferby Kidwell of Kirksville.

When about 30 years of age she joined the Presbyterian church at Bethany, and later transferred her membership to this city.

Funeral services were held at the McClung home Tuesday afternoon, in charge of Rev. Irvine. Interment was in Greenhill cemetery.

The pall bearers were Howard Wood, Earl Crowder, Leslie Atchison, Dave Cummins, Farley Young and R. B. Foster. Flowers were in charge of Mrs. Victor Grote, Mrs. C. V. Taylor, Mrs. Leona Stone and Miss Myrtle Dunscomb.

## MOULTRIE FARMERS SHOW INTEREST IN TERRACING

The terracing demonstration held on the J. E. Righter farm West of Bruce, Tuesday of last week proved quite a success. The field selected was not ideal by any means from the standpoint of a demonstration, but the weather was fine and many who were interested came out to see how the soil erosion problem can best be handled.

Altogether there were about 30 farmers who visited the field during the two days in which the work was under progress. They came and went, but the demonstration proper was held on Tuesday afternoon.

Corn husking kept many away, but even so there were those who came and stated that they had this as one of their big soil problems to deal with.

The magnum terrace consists of a slight ridge thrown up with the contour of the slope. The position and location of the ridge is determined by the relative elevations that are taken by use of a leveling instrument. The water that falls on the land is carried around the slope instead of being allowed to run down it, resulting in gullies.

There are other farmers in Moultrie County who will probably do some terracing work as a result of this demonstration.

### NAMED GUARDIAN

In the county court on petition of J. R. Landers, James B. Craig of Cadwell has been named guardian of Jimmy Landers minor heir to his grandfather's estate. Bond was filed in the sum of \$3,000.

—Glenn, Harry and Cleo Logue of St. Elmo spent Friday at the home of their cousin Mr. and Mrs. Charles Logue.

—Mr. and Mrs. Herman Lambrecht and L. Lambrecht motored to Flora Sunday.

## Mack Garrett Now Rests in Smsyer Cemetry

Whitley Township Farmer Who Had Lived Here in Sullivan Since Retirement Died Early Saturday Morning.

M. A. (Mack) Garrett, well known retired farmer died at his home on Jefferson street in this city Saturday after a lingering illness at the age of 74 years, 4 months and 14 days.

He was born on a farm near Gays, July 16, 1855 and spent his entire lifetime in Moultrie county. In 1919 he retired from active farming and became a resident of this city.

He was united in marriage with Nancy Allen Armantrout on February 27, 1879. She died June 25, 1902.

To this union were born four children, namely, Harlow who died in infancy; Ward Garrett of Mattoon, Mrs. Lucille McFarland of Sullivan and Mrs. Flora Waggoner of Tonkawa, Oklahoma.

On August 10, 1903 he was united in marriage with Hester Lillian Bristow, who with the 3 children and five grandchildren survive him. He also leaves his brother S. F. Garrett of Sullivan and sister Mrs. Rebecca Roberts of Poteau, Oklahoma and a host of distant relatives and friends.

On November 9, 1877 he united with the Christian church at Smyser of which he served as clerk for several years. On Easter Sunday, 1927 he moved his church membership to Sullivan and was a faithful attendant at services until ill health prevented him from doing so.

Mack Garrett lived a life of usefulness and tried to exemplify in daily practice the Christianity that he professed.

Funeral services were held from the Smyser church Monday morning at 11 o'clock, conducted by Rev. C. E. Barnett of this city. Interment was in Smyser cemetery.

The pall bearers who carried the remains to their last resting place were Leslie Atchison, Ben Luke, Chal Newbould, Elmer McIlwain, O. C. Worsham and Joseph A. Sabin.

## FOOTBALL SQUAD ENTERTAINED BY DAIRY AND THEATRE

Coach Dennis and his football squad of the Sullivan Township High School were the guests at an ice cream supper at the school Wednesday night of last week.

The supper was in the nature of a treat by Isaac Bros., the owners of the Sullivan Dairy Company.

Following the supper the squad and coach were guests of Manager Elbert Butler at the show at the Grand Theatre.

## FIRE MONDAY NOON AT M. A. GIFFORD HOME

The fire department was called to the M. A. Gifford home Monday at the noon hour. An upstairs room was filled with smoke. The firemen put on gas masks and entered the room and it was found that a picture hung over a fire stop had started burning and dropped into an upholstered chair setting nearby. This upholstering started smoldering and caused all the smoke. If it had not been discovered when it was, there were prospects of a big blaze as the house is an old frame structure.

Mrs. Gifford was not home at the time as she accompanied her son George to Chicago Saturday and is spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Orris Gifford.

The damage to the house is practically confined to the one room as no water was used. The chemicals and smoke did considerable damage to the interior of that room, however.

### NEW XMAS CARDS

A new lot of beautiful Christmas cards has been ordered and will be here the beginning of the week. 12 cards, double envelopes, all different, with name printed thereon, only \$1.25. We still have some of the assortment of 15, which sell for 99c, printed. Other varieties, other prices. Order now and have your cards when you want them. We printed quite a number of orders this week.

The Progress Printery.

—Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Allison and daughter Carlisle, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Holloway and Mrs. E. W. Holloway of Filmore were entertained at dinner at the home of Mrs. Nancy Waggoner and Mrs. Ruscha Tull on Thanksgiving day.

## C. E. HOSTETLER DIED SUNDAY AT LOVINGTON HOME

Calvin E. Hostetler, well known Moultrie county farmer died at his home southeast of Lovington Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. He had observed his 77th birthday anniversary on Sept. 26th.

He leaves his wife and six children, Mrs. George Elliott of this city and Mrs. Wade Ascherman of Hammond are the daughters and the sons are Arthur, Bert and Lloyd of Lovington and Claude of Ohio.

Funeral services were held at the family home Tuesday afternoon by Rev. Harry Hostetler of Springfield. Interment was in Kellar cemetery.

## Armory Indees Wallop Decatur Pump Co. Team

Lieut. Campbell's Battling Quintet Bids Fair to Make Its Mark Among Independent Teams of Central Illinois This Season.

Holding the visitors to the same number of baskets in the first half, as they themselves scored, the Sullivan Armory Indees Friday night easily overwhelmed the Decatur Pump quintet in the second half of the game and won by the score of 35 to 17.

These Decatur boys had been touted as being the real thing and Sullivan had practiced hard and long for the encounter.

On the Armory team Wayne Smith, who starred last year on the STHS team played right forward; Art Carnine who was an occasional sensation on the high school floor played left forward; John Moran played center; Weasel Neddin right guard and Melvin Lilly left guard. Coach Dennis who played on the team against Mattoon recently was out of the city.

Smith garnered seven baskets and one free throw; Carnine had five and a free throw to his credit; Moran made a couple of free throws and caged one in the second half; Weasel did not score and Lilly dropped one through the hoop in each half.

The visiting team consisted of Montgomery and Kalpis who played right forward; Dongoski, left forward; Wirchak, center; Maderia right guard and Bartello left guard. Scoring honors were equally divided between Dongoski and Bartello, each dropping three through the hoop.

Jim Ward served as referee. In a preliminary, curtain raiser a Bethany team, consisting of Watson, R. Ward, C. Ward, Dick, J. Ward and Cordray defeated a quintet from Mattoon.

## MRS. CROWDER HOSTESS TO FRIENDS IN COUNCIL

The Friends in Council club met at the home of Mrs. J. E. Crowder, Monday afternoon with a large group of ladies present. The business session was led by the president, Mrs. A. E. McCordie.

Two Christmas baskets will be sent out to deserving families by the club this year.

A report of the Red Cross drive was given by Mrs. J. A. Reeder. A total of two hundred and thirty dollars has been collected and a communication from Miss Laptad, representative from the Red Cross at St. Louis was read.

Mrs. C. E. McFerrin stated that the club made thirty-five dollars on their benefit show at the Grand Theatre.

Mrs. D. G. Carnine was named treasurer for the Welfare Ass'n. to fill the place of Mrs. E. J. Miller who resigned last month. The following program was presented:

Roll Call, Illinois Historical Spots, Song, "Illinois", Assembly, "Illinois Art and Sculpture," Mrs. J. A. Reeder.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. H. C. Shirey Dec. 16th instead of at the home of Mrs. Corbin. At this time the Christmas program will be given and the play, "Those Christmas Gifts" will be presented.

### SANITY HEARING

Quincy Armantrout will be given a hearing in the county court on December 10th to determine whether or not he is an insane person.

—Miss Fern Brown of Decatur spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Brown.

—Mr. and Mrs. Levy Dickerson visited with friends in Decatur Sunday.

## Christmas Seals and Red Cross Differ in Their Activities

One Is An Organization That Aids in Cases of Disaster; Christmas Seal sale Furnishes Money for Meritorious Work Right Here at Home.

Red Cross activities and Christmas Seal activities are two separate and distinct propositions.

Some people feel that they cover the same field of activity and raise this question, when after having paid their Red Cross membership fee, they are asked later to buy Christmas Seals.

The Christmas Seal money is ALL spent here where it is raised and the people of this county get triple returns for every dollar they give to this cause. The more money realized through the sale of Christmas Seals, the more work can be done. As people realize the meritorious worth of this work the Seal sale grows from year to year.

Mrs. Clyde Harris, county welfare officer, through which office the Christmas Seal money is expended does not stop at the activities already outlined. She visits homes where there is sickness, schools call her where there is communicable disease. She visits the homes of the poor and gives them clothing that has been donated by charitably inclined persons. She also bathes and cleans dirty children and tries to get their mothers interested enough to follow her instructions whether it be for cleanliness, cooking or the sick room.

Mrs. Harris has sent out 2000 letters with seals and the school children are also engaged in selling them. Personal donations for any amount to be used in this work will be appreciated.

There is plenty of work to be done with this Christmas Seal money. Mrs. Harris has found after examining 2173 school children that 46% of them were considerably underweight; 50% needed dental work; 35% had bad tonsils; 8 per cent had poor vision and 10 had bad eyes.

Your donations and Seal money will be used in this work and if you are real liberal this year, much good work can be accomplished.

The double barred cross of the Christmas Seals is an emblem of mercy and aid to those who need it.

## MRS. COOLEY'S MOTHER DIED WED. OF LAST WEEK IN McALESTER, OKLA.

Mrs. Eva Cooley of this city and Mrs. Blossom Hanks of Decatur went to McAlester, Okla. the latter part of last week to attend the funeral of Mrs. Cooley's mother, Mrs. E. E. Hammond, aged 83, who had died on Wednesday. She succumbed to a heart attack.

Funeral services were conducted at the family home by the pastor of the Christian church.

Besides Mrs. Cooley, Mrs. Hammond leaves another daughter, Mrs. Gertrude May of Los Angeles, and two sons, L. A. Hammond of Reno, Nevada and J. R. Hammond of McAlester.

## MRS. PAUL THUNNEMANN DIED IN EUGENE, ORE.

Dr. and Mrs. S. W. Johnson received word the latter part of last week of the death of Mrs. Paul Thunnemann at the family home in Eugene, Oregon on Saturday. She was about 75 years of age. She leaves her husband, son Carl and wife and two children of Eugene, and son Harold, wife and child of Denver.

Mrs. Thunnemann's maiden name was Dinah Stables of Bethany. They left this community in 1911 and lived in Eureka, California until about a year ago when they moved to Eugene.

### WANT PENSIONS

Mrs. Lela Wells, wife of the late Milford Wells has filed a petition in the county court asking for a mother's pension to assist her in supporting her three small children.

Mrs. Betsy Rice also asks for a pension for her infant daughter Virginia Grace. She is now getting a pension for her other minor children.

### LIBRARY RE-OPENED

The furnace has been installed in the City Library and it was reopened for business Saturday. The three last volumes of the Pageant of America have been catalogued and are now ready for circulation.

## PARENT-TEACHERS MEETING WILL BE MONDAY, DEC. 16

The Sullivan Parent-Teachers Association meeting date for this month has been changed to Monday night, December 16th. The program will be in the nature of a pageant "The Christ Child in Art, Story and Song" with illustrated slides.

In the afternoon the program will be given in the Lowe school for the benefit of the children and at night in the same place for the parents and high school teachers. There will be no charge for admission. A more complete outline of the program will appear in this paper next week.

## Atwood Takes First Home Basketball Game Tuesday Nite

Sullivan Freshmen Victorious over Visiting Freshmen. Mr. Scheer Issues Statement Relative to Price of Admission.

The big, lanky boys from Atwood, proved too fast for the Sullivan Township High School basketball team Tuesday night and in the first game of the season here defeated the locals by a score of 24 to 12.

Coach Dennis boys put up a game fight but had plenty of hard luck in their efforts to drop the ball through the hoop. Time and again they out-witted the visitors and seemed all set to score but failed. The visitors were good on their free throws.

Summary of the game is as follows:

Atwood	G	F
Olf. Kamm, f	2	2
Personett, f	0	0
Davis, f	2	3
Jumper, f	0	0
Alb. Kamm, c	2	1
Ehrhart, c	0	0
Monroe, g	0	0
Weirman, g	0	0
Harshbarger, g	0	0
Quick, g	0	0
Totals	9	6
Sullivan	G	F
Lilly, f	0	1
McDavid, f	0	0
Collins, f	0	2
Freeman, c	1	0
Burnfield, g	1	0
Moore, g	0	0
Lundy, g	2	1
Totals	4	4

Referee—Ewing Shelbyville.

There seems to have been some misunderstanding as to the admission to be charged. Principal Scheer states that the admission price for all the 12 games booked in the Okaw conference will be 25c and 35c. The report that admission to these games would be 50c is erroneous.

On some games outside the conference, where expenses run heavier the price of admission may be raised, but in such cases due notice will be given through advertising.

There has also been some talk that Sullivan is not playing the big cities as in former years. Sullivan is playing as many of them as it can accommodate, but not many can be taken on as at least 12 conference games must be played.

Sullivan's next home game will be with Bethany next Tuesday and on Friday Bement will be here.

Preceding the main event Tuesday night the Sullivan Freshmen team defeated the Atwood Freshmen by a score of 7 to 4.

## CITY COUNCIL ACTS TO GET FINANCES FOR FEES AND SALARIES

At Monday night's meeting of the city council a resolution was passed authorizing the issuance of \$2,000 in anticipation warrants for payment of the fees and salaries of city officials and appointees.

L. A. Crockett was appointed merchant police and the city agrees to pay \$2.00 on his weekly salary. The merchants have subscribed the balance.

The billiard room license of Clarence R. Unland was transferred to James R. Pifer who recently bought the Unland room and equipment.

Joseph McCabe was granted a license to operate two box ball alleys at his place in the Terrace block.

—Mrs. Charles Logue had as her guests Wednesday and Thursday of last week, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Taylor and family of South Pekin, Ill. Mrs. Taylor is a sister of Mr. Logue.

## Mrs. Nettie Hoke Died Saturday; Funeral Sunday

Well Known Young Matron Succumbed to Heart Trouble. Had Been Bedfast But a Few Days. Remains Laid to Rest in Greenhill.

Mrs. Nettie Ellen Hoke, wife of Hugh Hoke, died at the family home Saturday morning. She had been suffering for some time from heart trouble and other complications, but had not been bedfast until just a few days before her death.

Nettie Ellen Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Davis was born at Colwich, Kansas May 16, 1887. At the time of her death she was 42 years, 6 months and 14 days of age.

In the year 1907 she was united in marriage with Hugh Hoke. To this union two children were born, one dying in infancy.

She leaves her husband and one son, George William, also one sister, Mrs. Philip McGuire of Wichita, Kansas.

Funeral services were held at 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon from the Christian church and were in charge of Rev. C. E. Barnett. Interment was in Greenhill cemetery. The pall bearers were Melvin Davis, G. R. Fleming, Erskine Johnson, Orville McGuire, Roy Fitzgerald and Don K. Campbell.

## THIEF MAKES RETURN TRIP FOR SOYBEANS AT BOWERS FARM

Recently it was discovered that a man or men had broken into the Elmer Bowers residence in Jonathan Creek township and stolen practically all of the furnishings. The bedstead, a good kitchen range and a heating stove were all that was left.

The thief was discovered by Rolla Thomas, who is Mr. Bowers tenant and lives in another house nearby.

While the neighbors were marvelling at the boldness of the thieves, they paid a return call and one night last week trucked away 25 bushels of soybeans, that belonged to Mr. Thomas and had been stored in a garage at the Bowers place. Mr. Bowers and sons are spending the winter in southern California.

Officials tracked the bean thieves for quite a distance, as the truck body or a sack leaked out some beans. It is generally believed that the beans were brought to this city.

## KIWANIS WERE HOST TO TWENTY SEVEN BOYS; LADIES NIGHT FRIDAY

Friday of last week was Thanksgiving Day in local Kiwanis activities.

O. E. Lowe and J. H. Smith as committee in charge of the program had invited 27 boys to have Thanksgiving dinner with the club members at the National Inn.

Rev. George V. Herrick delivered a short talk to the boys. They were introduced by Mr. Lowe who had each boy rise, state his name and age and his grade in school.

Following the dinner Mr. Smith presented each boy with a jack-knife.

This week's Kiwanis meeting will be on Friday night and the ladies are invited. A group will be here from Kiwanis club at Champaign to furnish the program. Officers will also be elected at this meeting.

## QUAIL DINNER SUNDAY AT GEO. BIEBER HOME

Mr. and Mrs. George Bieber entertained 14 guests to a 6:00 o'clock quail dinner at their home Sunday evening. Those present were Mr. and Mrs.



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## SEE SULLIVAN SUCCEED

WHEN we reach the point where we can in confidence and in trust leave everything to the settlement of God's law of adjustment, it will immediately relieve us of all sense of personal responsibility, remove anxiety and fear, and bring peace, comfort, and the assurance of God's protecting care.

—Christian Science, as defined by A. H. Dickey

Civilization has never honored the memory of a man because of the gold and wealth that he accumulated during his lifetime. As a matter of fact, most of the selfishly rich go to their graves explaining to a cynical world that their wealth accrued through honest effort. This is something they themselves would very much like to believe.

### THE NEW CONGRESS TARIFF STEAL TEMPORARILY FRUSTRATED BOODLE-TAINTED VARE CASE AGAIN UP. TAX REDUCTION FOR THE BIG FELLOWS

Congress is in regular session now. This is the first regular session under the Hoover administration.

A special session was held during the past summer. It passed a bill based on the Hoover theory of farm relief.

The provisions of that bill are such, that the senators from many of the western farm states have been disgusted and fighting mad ever since.

At the special session an effort was made to pass a tariff measure. Tariff is the tax that the government levies on goods imported into this country from foreign countries.

The theory of the western farm-states senators was that the tariff law to be enacted at the special session was to be based on the principle of farm relief. Eastern industrialists balked at such procedure. They too wanted higher tariffs. In the opinion of the country's leading economists, a tariff on farm products of which there is an exportable surplus, is a mere gesture and does not benefit the farmers. A tariff on the manufactured goods of the eastern industrialists is a very definite proposition and the basis for immediate price raising. The American farmer pays this price increase.

The insurgent Republican senators, who really wanted to see something done to help the farming industry, joined with the Democrats and halted the whole tariff procedure. Under the leadership of Senator Borah of Idaho and Senator Norris of Nebraska, this coalition group mustered enough votes to defeat the efforts of the industrialists who had the backing of President Hoover and what is generally known as the Old Guard of the Republican party. The Illinois senators, Deneen and Glenn voted with the Hoover contingent and against the Insurgent-Democratic farm bloc. The New York senators, both Democrats, voted with the farm group on most of these disputed propositions.

The fight continued to the closing hours of this special session. Lobbyists of the Eastern industrialists and the regulars of the Republican party could not move the Insurgent-Democratic group in their contention that if there be any tariff change, it must be a change that would bring relief to American agriculture.

And so the session ended. No tariff bill was passed.

In the few days following the close of the special session and before opening of the regular session, strenuous efforts have been put forth to get some of the Republican insurgent senators to join the regulars. There have been conferences and promises of lucrative and desirable committee appointments and chairmanships in the organization of the regular session if the Borah crowd would "be good." Incidentally there have been threats as to what would befall, if the insurgents continued their opposition to the Hoover policies and continued playing with the Democrats.

How much has been accomplished by these threats and cajolery remains to be seen. The tariff protected industries of the east are determined that the Republican party shall make good to them and pass the tariff legislation they demand. The regulars of that party want to make good on their pre-election promises. They feel that the prosperity of industry is the paramount issue in this country and that all other things, such as the plight of the farmers and laborers are of secondary importance.

The new congress is reported ready to tackle this same tariff squabble as soon as it is formally opened. Before it gets under way, however, there will be a probing of what might be termed a festering wound on the flanks of the Grand Old Party. A few years ago when Sam Insull and other big business men of Illinois bought a senatorship for Frank L. Smith, the Senate refused to seat the senator elect. He was not kicked out, but was denied admittance. In that same year, up in Pennsylvania a man named Vare, a Republican boss of the finest calibre of bossism, spent about \$600,000 for election to a seat in the United States Senate that will pay him the munificent sum of \$10,000 per year. The whole election was so manifestly crooked and putrid that Vare has never been admitted to his seat. This res can get down to real business.

It is only in the Senate that the farmers and ordinary people can lodge any hope for just legislation at the present time, for the House is hopelessly and ignominiously sold to the ideas that the higher tariff advocates demand. Men of the type of our own Charley Adkins will follow the Hoo-

ver tariff crowd to hell and back if need be.

As is usually the case, however, the plunderbund of tariff pirates are raising a smoke screen which is designed, temporarily at least, to take the people's minds off the tariff and make them think they are really getting something to be happy about.

The Hoover administration is going to cut off about \$160,000,000 from the amount that the nation will be asked to pay in taxation. That looks like a big tax cut! Who will benefit by the decreased taxes? Not you, Mr. Farmer. They could cut taxes ten times \$160,000,000 and you'd never notice it in the amount of taxes you will be asked to pay. Your farm land is a very public piece of property. You can't hide it in a safe deposit box; you can't deny ownership, no matter how big the mortgage that covers it. It's there. You are assessed for it and taxed for it. The big cut in taxation will not affect one tittle the taxes you will be asked to pay on your land.

Well, who gets it then? The big corporations and individuals who have been paying a substantial income tax. In other words, the fellows who can well afford to pay it.

It will be interesting to watch this session of Congress perform. The administration will endeavor to secure legislation that will benefit big business.

The ideals of Republican administration are based on the theory that if the big corporations are making money, if the rich are getting richer, why things are just about right. So far as the ordinary mortal is concerned, they will pass big appropriation bills, the money to be used to enforce the prohibition laws and regulate the fermentation of grape juice and kindred products. The farmers have already been thrown a sop in the form of a Federal Farm Board that is anxious to go somewhere and do something, but knows not whither nor why.

You'll hear a whole lot about tax reduction. You will find, if the proposed industrialist tariff bill can be forced through, you will pay more for what you buy and you'll not get more, perhaps even less, for what you farmers have to sell.

At that, it is the people's government that will function. The farmers have had faith in President Hoover; the big majority of the people of this country, have selected him to guide its destinies for the next four years. Let us hope and trust that their faith was not entirely misplaced.

## The Family Doctor

By JOHN JOSEPH GAINES, M. D.

### EXPERIENCES

I once visited the operating-room of a very noted hospital in Baltimore. The patient on the table had a small tumor or 'lump' in her left breast. The surgeon talked softly as he divided the delicate tissues on his way to the offender, which he finally removed and closed the wound.

"These things are not malignant," he murmured, "and this would never have given her trouble—did not need surgery, but she had read a lot of stuff—it was on her nerves; just had to have it out or go crazy"—and so on.

I had not been home ten days, when a young woman patron came into my office, with the same identical condition—a lump in her breast; somebody had told her those things were always cancerous—what did I think?

"Mary," I advised, "let it alone and quit being anxious; just you come in once a month for awhile, and I'll tell you what to do." She obeyed to the letter. I asked her ten days ago about the matter; the offender had disappeared—had not been felt for

over two years. Hasty removal of the breast might have been disastrous as the next case proves.

Over twenty years ago, a young wife discovered such a tumor in her breast. Much alarmed, she employed a "hit and run" surgeon, who removed the entire breast, and all the glands above it, though they were not enlarged—a capital operation.

Fifteen years later, she went to the most noted surgeon in our western country; one of the most capable and conservative operators in the country. He told the woman she was a permanent invalid, skin and bone incurable—and that the hasty and unwise removal of her breast had caused it! In other words, she might be well and happy today, had the breast been let alone.

She has been dead now, more than a year. My moral is, don't do your own diagnosing of lumps that may appear in your breast. Consult your honest, capable family physician, who has your every interest in his heart. And this means in tumors of your breast; they may be dangerous, but happily not always.

## The Way of Life

BY BRUCE BARTON

### SONS

In the autobiography of Benjamin Haydon, the painter who was the friend of Wordsworth and Scott and Lamb, I found this entry:

Dec. 12th, 1822—at half past eleven in the forenoon was born Frank Haydon, whom I pray God to make a better man than his father. God bless him! and grant him life, and virtue, and dauntless energy and health, and above all genius!

At the bottom of the page, in small type, the editor of the volume had added a tragic footnote: Frank Haydon became an official at the Public Record Office. He died by his own hand, October 11th, 1887.

What a world of pathos is in those two quotations. The joyous thrill of the father at the arrival of his first-born son! The dreams of both parents for the future; their willing sacrifice of their own comfort and pleasure that this new young life might have a better start. The years of manhood. And at the end of it all, the wreck!

A friend of mine sat one day in a foreign hotel beside a man whom he recognized from newspaper photographs as one of America's great manufacturers. He introduced himself.

"You must pardon me, sir, for addressing you, but every American feels a personal pride in your

success," he said. "What a satisfaction it must be to have your name stand for quality and square dealing not only in your own country but throughout the world! Surely few men have so much reason to be congratulated!"

The famous man made no reply for several minutes. Finally he turned, with a haggard look.

"Your words are very kind," he answered. "Under other circumstances I should probably feel exactly as you suggest. But what does it all amount to when your son is a fool?"

It is a disheartening thing that with all our increase in knowledge we have learned so little about the reasons for success or failure in the molding of human lives. Shall we ever penetrate deeper into this most baffling of all Nature's secrets?

Shall we some day understand why it was that the son of shiftless Thomas Lincoln became the greatest American while the son of the powerful Napoleon was of no account? Why two good parents produce a Washington, and two, seemingly also good, a Benedict Arnold?

Surely no area of human life is more important or less explored. Who will found a laboratory to discover what parents can do for their children without doing too much?

Who will win the undying gratitude of the race by teaching us how to raise sons?

Short skirts give them so much more freedom. Freedom for what? Why to wobble along in high heels.

Americanism: Making sacrifices to give the boys a college education so they can earn \$35 a week instead of \$12 a day.



### SANTA CLAUS LETTERS (Send Yours In)

Sullivan, Ill., Nov. 30, 1929.

Dear Santa Claus:

I am a little girl seven years old. I have a little brother and sister. They are twins. They have never seen Santa Claus. Their names are Betty Jane and Billy Jane.

I want a doll, a dress, a hat, a coat, and some shoes. Be sure to not forget my other twin sisters, and don't forget my brothers Jesse and Junior and also mama and daddy.

With love  
Mildred Bathe.

Lovington, Ill.,

Nov. 29, 1929

Dear Santa Claus: I want a new doll, handkerchiefs, oranges, a big box of Christmas candy, and above all, a violin.

Jean Munch.

### MISINFORMATION ABOUT HARD ROADS IN MOULTRIE CO.

A former superintendent of highways of this county used to say that if you wanted misinformation about road building, you could always find plenty of it in the Decatur newspapers.

As an illustration and proof of this assertion, we present herewith the following item clipped from Sunday's Decatur Review:

"SAY 133 WILL BE

BUILT BEFORE 132

"Rt. 132 to Start at Lovington—

Touch Arthur.

"In an interview with Director Cleveland and Chief Engineer Sheets of the state highway department last week a delegation from Moultrie county was told that the construction of Route 133 would be given precedence over Route 132. They also informed that Route 132 would start at Lovington and run in an easterly direction, touching Arthur, Arcola and Hindsboro, intersecting Route 49 near Borton.

"As to when the contract will be let, no promise was made, it depending on the constitutionality of the gasoline tax and money available for construction use, but the road will be built as soon as possible."

About the only thing right in this article is the fact that a delegation from Moultrie County did visit Messrs. Cleveland and Sheets. Those officials did not tell the delegation that "construction of route 133 would be given precedence over route 132." They did not say that route "132 would start at Lovington and run in an easterly direction" although they did discourage any hopes of the route passing through Cadwell.

### EARLY WINTER FOR CENTRAL ILLINOIS

On Thanksgiving day there arrived in this part of the country what might be called a premature cold wave. The day was raw and blustery.

That night the temperature started dropping and Friday morning folks were surprised to find that the thermometers registered right around the zero mark. Weather reports from further north stated that the cold wave was general and from the south part of the state came a report that more than six inches of snow accompanied the winterblast.

For so early a cold snap, this one was rather persistent and Saturday morning farmers came to town who reported that out in the country the temperature had dropped as low as 4 below.

Sunday a heavy snow fell. Corn shucking, and sunflower threshing and all farm work came to a standstill.

For the benefit of The Progress subscribers in California, Florida and other warmer climes, it might be well to state that this exceedingly cold weather, so early in the season is "rather unusual."

### BIRTHDAY PARTY FOR CHARLES LOGUE THURSDAY

Mrs. Charles Logue and a few friends surprised Mr. Logue Thursday night of last week in honor of his birthday. Those present were, Mr. and Mrs. Chal Newbould, Mr. and Mrs. George Bieher, Mr. and Mrs. Lowe Burwell and daughter Thelma, Mrs. Sadie Drew and daughter Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Buxton, Adeline Baggett, Ora Fultz and Mr. and Mrs. Erceel Treadway and daughter of Decatur.

There are 3,424 spoken languages in the world.

## Hints for the Home

by Nancy Hart

### WHEN CLEANING CLOTHING

A bath towel folded and placed underneath fabric from which spots are to be removed often prevents the formation of a ring when cleaning fluid is applied. Dip a cloth in the fluid, apply briskly to the spot, and rub until dry.

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### HINTS FOR SEWING

When turning hems or basting seams, try paper clips to hold them. They will not fall as readily as pins.

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### WHEN FRYING POTATOES, REMEMBER—

If a little flour is sifted over potatoes before dropping them into the pan this will keep the fat from sputtering.

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### REMOVES INK ON LINEN

Mellow tallow poured over an ink stain on linen will remove the spot. When washed in warm water and soap both ink and the grease spot will disappear.

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### SKIMMING JELLY

One housewife finds a clean new vegetable brush the best agent for gathering the scum from jelly as it boils. The refuse clings easily to the brush and no jelly is lost. Of course the brush should be washed frequently during the process.



### A CHILD'S LAUGHTER

By Algernon Chas. Swinburne. All the bells of heaven may ring, All the birds of heaven may sing, All the wells on earth may spring, All the winds on earth may bring

All sweet sounds together; Sweeter far than all things heard, Hand of harper, tone of bird, Sounds of woods at sundown stirred,

Welling water's winsome word, Wind in warm, warm weather.

One thing yet there is, that none, Hearing ere its chime be done, Knows not well the sweetest one Heard of man beneath the sun,

Hoped in heaven hereafter; Soft and strong and loud and light, Very sound of very light, Heard from morning's rosiest height,

When the soul of all delight, Fills a child's clear laughter.

Golden bells of welcome rolled Never forth such note, nor told Hours so blithe in tones so bold, As the radiant mouth of gold

Here that rings forth heaven.

If the golden-crested wren Were a nightingale—why, then, Something seen and heard of men Might be half as sweet as when Laughs a child of seven.

### WHAT THE PROGRESS OFFERS FOR CHRISTMAS

In making up your Christmas list this year, remember some of your friends with a Progress subscription \$1.50 per year—a present in 52 installments.

We have a very nice line of Christmas cards. For only 99c we can furnish you with 15 cards and colored lined envelopes, all different. This price includes printing your name on them.

A neat steel recipe cabinet with recipe cards, makes a very desirable gift for some busy housewife—only \$1.00.

A box of business stationery, 100 letter heads, 100 envelopes, both printed for only \$2.50 makes a very acceptable gift. The modern farmer, especially, will appreciate something like this for his business correspondence.

Name cards, neatly printed, for the gent, the lady or the miss, 75c per 100 and up.

Business and professional loose-leaf scored cards, of the kind and quality much in use today, together with leather case for same. Case and 100 cards printed, only \$2.25.

Underwood Portable Typewriters, the best gift of them all, especially for the boy and girl in college or school; a present useful and durable. Only \$60. If you contemplate buying a Portable it is advisable to get your order in early, as there is a big country-wide demand for this kind of typewriter during the approaching Christmas season.

### SHADOWS-McCOY

Miss Hillis Shadows of Lake City and Wayne McCoy of Decatur were united in marriage in Decatur Monday evening, November 25th. They will make their home in Decatur.

Linoleum, to give the best service, should be laid over a smooth floor in such a way that it does not buckle, and it should be cleaned with a damp cloth wrung out of suds made with mild soap. Alkali washing powders, strong soap or too much water, will ruin even the best linoleum.

## Wahrheit und Dumheit

Service station attendants who can smile under any conditions—who can make even the crossdest customer feel welcome—they're the men who bring in the business!—Stanolind News.

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Jimmy—"Where were you last night Shorty?"

Shorty—"Oh, just out coupeing with my sweetie."

Jimmy—"Coupeing, why I never knew you had a coupe."

Shorty—"I aint. What I meant was that she did the 'cooing' and I did the 'paying.'"

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Who was the fellow who saved all of the animals at the time of the flood?

The Bible says it was an old fellow by the name of Noah Sark.

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"Why" asks an exchange "is it that if you call a girl a kitten, she smiles: while if you call her a cat, she's your enemy for life?" We suppose that it works on the same principal, that you may with perfect confidence call the young thing a "chicken" but in later years, if you want to retain her friendship, never call her an "old hen."

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An East Nelson girl got mad at her absent-minded beau recently and gave him a good bawling out. A friend asked her "Why?"

"Well," said she "he proposed to me again."

"But I can't see any harm in that."

"My dear, can't you understand I had accepted him the night before."—Exchange.

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"No William" said the sweet young thing "I cannot marry you, but I'll be a sister to you."

"Good. That will do almost as well. How much do we kids inherit when your rich old man kicks off?"

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The editor down at Pana, Illinois recently printed a story saying that the banks of that city were going to distribute \$250,000,000 in Christmas savings checks. Of course the bankers called him on such an exaggerated statement and he decided that he had misplaced the "period" in his figures and the next issue corrected the mistake and said that the amount was only \$250,000. Again he was called down by the bankers, because of his too liberal use of cyphers. In a second correction he said the amount was only \$25,000 and added "Well, that is not so bad. We hope to get this information to the public before some misinformant reduces the amount to 252 cents or something like that."

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"Where have you been?"

"Up to the bank drawing out my account. I want pay that 50c a month service charge that they want from a small depositor. It would ruin me."

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"What was your balance, if I may ask?"

"You may. It was just 50c."

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"Sure I remember that I married you last year" said Rev. Hopper as he grasped the hand of the young man. "You certainly were nervous that evening. You had an awful fright."

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"Yeh, Mr. Hopper, I did and I've still got her."

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"Times suah is gittin' hard" moaned a colored workman to his pal, as they lounged on the street corner of a town in Dixie. "You all know what ah'll do if I can't earn an hones' dolla soon? Ah's gwine back to preaching. Yassuh, I done that once befoah and ah'm not to good to try it again."

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If the people of America were only as much interested in education as they are in football, what a great country this would be!

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Optimist: "I'm not going to sell my sunflower seed at 1c a pound. I'm going to store it up and sell it for seed next spring. There may be a big demand for it then."

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If it can be proven that the fellow that stole all that stuff out at Elmer Bowers' Jonathan Creek home, was a Democrat, Elmer never will get over the disappointment.

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With the temperature at zero, it's a safe bet that Firpo Whitrock and Bill Smith of this city, are not a bit mad because they have been sent to the reform school at Pontiac where they are well fed and warm.

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Successful dairying requires industry, intelligence, and good cows. It demands much hand work but more head work. It is not a lazy man's job and never will be. It necessitates the abolishing of the scrub cows. The man who persistently milks low-producing cows has a hard time of it; he may toil early and late but his industry gets him nowhere.

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Man has never succeeded in totally wiping out any known destructive insect.



## MOULTRIE WOMEN ENTERED NATIONAL CANNING CONTEST

Great interest has been occasioned among Moultrie county housewives in the announcement from Chicago of the prize winners in the National Canning Contest held recently. Among the Moultrie county women who had entries in the contest were: Mrs. E. W. Richardson, Sullivan; Mrs. J. E. Righter, Sullivan; Mrs. Wm. Dunn, Dalton City; Mrs. C. A. Davis, Allenville; Miss Maude Anspengh, Kirksville; Miss Katie McCarthy, Sullivan; Mrs. Levi Patterson, Sullivan; Mrs. C. A. Hochstetler, Sullivan; Mrs. Louis Connaghan, Bethany; Miss Jessie Whanger, Sullivan; Mrs. Ernest DeVore, Sullivan; Mrs. M. Sherman, Lovington; Mrs. Mabel Ater, Dalton City; Mrs. R. R. Gaines, Lovington; Mrs. Gertrude Kinsel, Sullivan; Miss Helen Davis, Allenville; Mrs. Sherman Manship, Bethany.

The grand champion winner in the contest was Mrs. Mary Hvass of Kennan, Wis., whose entry of a quart of green peas brought her \$1250. Mrs. Hvass was awarded first prize of \$250 by the judges for the best entry in the vegetable class, and \$1000 as grand sweepstakes prize for the finest jar of food in the three classes of vegetables, fruits and meats.

The first prize of \$250 in the meat class went to Mrs. Dudley Brooks, of Roba Red, Ala., for a jar of chicken, while Miss Margery Drew, of Athol, Mass., won the prize of \$250 on a jar of pears adjudged first in the fruit class.

In all \$5825 in cash prizes was distributed to the 208 winners in the contest in which more than 25,000 women and girls from every section of the United States had entries.

Mrs. Hvass is a veteran canner and puts up yearly between 600 and 800 quarts of food to cut living expenses. She had planned to put up ten quarts of peas for home use this year, but took extra pains with one jar which she decided to enter in the contest. From her vegetable patch she picked a milk pailful of peas and as she shelled them she selected the peas by hand and then carefully sifted out those of even size by use of a colander. The result was a jar of perfectly uniform peas which amazed the judges. Mrs. Hvass plans to use the \$1250 in stocking the little farm with

purebred Holstein cows, an ambition she nurtured for many years. A significant fact revealed by the contest is that American housewives are abandoning to a great extent the old-time canning methods, like the open kettle, cold pack, hot pack and water bath, in favor of the steam pressure cooker method advocated by the U. S. Department of Agriculture. Fully 75 per cent of the prize winning jars, including Mrs. Hvass', were put up by this method. Mrs. Hvass processed her prize peas in the pressure cooker which she uses every day in her cooking, and attributes the greatest part of her success in winning the prize to her method of canning.

### QUIGLEY

The pupils of Rose district gave a program Wednesday afternoon. There were twelve visitors present. After the program the teacher, Miss Ellen Cole, surprised the pupils by giving them a weiner and marshmallow roast.

Mrs. Wm. Sims was called to Findlay last week by the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Niles.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Shively of Rockford, Ind., came Wednesday and were entertained in the home of her sister, Mrs. John Banks and family over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. George Davis of Windsor were visitors Sunday in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Rose.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Shively and Misses Pauline and Madonna G. Banks were entertained Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Banks in Windsor.

Mrs. Ruth Davis and pupils of Independent school gave a program Wednesday night. The Community club of the district also put on some plays. Following the program sandwiches and cake were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Miles entertained to Sunday dinner: Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Miles, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Regal and daughter Frances and Floyd Lashall of St. James.

The Rose school house caught fire Friday afternoon, but by the use of the telephone several of the neighbor men gathered and soon had the fire put out. The Windsor fire department was called but arrived after the fire had been extinguished. The fire was caused by burning soot dropping down on the roof. The south side of the roof was considerably damaged.

Pupils of Red Fox school enjoy

hot lunches at the noon hour. The pupils take turns in preparing the hot dishes and washing the dishes.

Ezra Shuck returned Saturday from a visit in St. Louis.

Miss Cora Thomas spent Wednesday and Thursday with Misses Virginia and Helen Maxedon.

Glen Reynolds and family spent Sunday with his parents.

Dexter Mahoney was a business visitor in Pana Tuesday.

Edward Briscoe and son Mervin have rented the W. O. L. Duncan farm ground for next year.

Lynn Ledbetter and wife entertained C. H. Ledbetter and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Rauch, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rauch and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rauch to dinner Sunday.

Tilden Selock of near Shelbyville is husking corn for his brother Elmer Selock near Liberty.

The Willis Allen family have all had the flu. Martha Jane has been unable to attend school.

Mrs. Harriet Hartsel purchased a cow of Fred Baker last week.

Mrs. Oral Bundy, Mrs. Edgar Bundy and Miss Harriett Lewis were Decatur visitors and shoppers last week.

### MERRITT

Forty dollars were cleared on the Merritt box supper Wednesday night. A large crowd was present. A musical program featured the entertainment. Lucille Bathe received a box of candy for being the most popular girl. Mrs. Ross Thomas received a pyrex baking dish for best cook. Frances Davis and Ross Thomas Jr., received prize for best couple.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Bilbrey entertained Thursday Mr. and Mrs. Willard Clevenger and family, Wilbur Ballard and family, Herman Ray and family.

Mrs. James Landers, Mrs. Raymond Shasteen and Mrs. Carrie Landers helped Mrs. Victor Land-

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ers cook for sunflower men Tuesday.

Miss Nina Ashworth and mother visited Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Davis.

Earl Powell and family visited relatives in Decatur Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Shasteen and sons, Mrs. Carrie Landers, Misses Lilva Vee and Joyce Landers, J. W. and Jack Landers spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Ross Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Landers visited relatives in Canton Thursday.

Herman Ray and family spent Friday in Decatur.

Thieves stole about 30 bushel of seed beans from Elmer Bowers and Rolla Thomas one night last week.

Mary Kathryn Durr is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wilson and family spent Sunday in Sullivan.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stillians and son, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Thomas and son, Clifford Davis and family and Orval Beals and son spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Orval Taylor.

Herman Ray and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Warren in Tuscola.

Mrs. Ed Campbell spent Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. John Bathe.

Clarence Phillips spent the week end visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Phillips.

### BRUCE

Bart Tull is suffering from a very sore hand.

Mr. and Mrs. Noah Smith of Sullivan spent one day last week with their daughter, Mrs. Otto Frederick and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Wasen, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wasen of Greenville spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Lukemeyer.

Mr. and Mrs. Hal Tull and son of Indiana spent Sunday with his brother Bart Tull and family.

Chester Ledbetter and family were Sullivan callers Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale McCulley of Gays spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jesse McCulley.

Homer Hunter and family of Mattoon spent Thanksgiving with

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Martin.

Miss Wanda Spough is out of school on account of illness.

Mrs. Jessie Sampson and son Ollie, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sampson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bragg and James Spough spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Bragg.

Wallace Kirkpatrick of Indianapolis has been visiting his mother Mrs. Essie Darst.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse McCulley were Mattoon callers Saturday night.

There were no church services here Sunday on account of the bad weather.

John Miller and family are

moving to Mattoon.

—Miss Mabel Cazier, student at the college at Bloomington who spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cazier returned Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Bert Smith of Bethany spent Thursday with his sister, Mrs. Flora Creech.

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chains, tie pins, etc., etc.

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all kinds will be found here  
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### Hats and Caps

Hats and Caps are very nice for  
for Christmas giving. Especially  
nice for the boys are the knitted  
caps, so ideally adapted for Win-  
ter sports.

### Neckwear

Silk cravats and ties, boxed in  
Holly boxes add joy and useful-  
ness to the spirit of Christmas  
giving. Prices cover so wide a  
range that it affords a wide field  
for selection, 50c to \$1.50.

### Sweaters

Sweaters and Sweater Coats; also  
fancy wool vests are all in keep-  
ing with the time and make very  
acceptable gifts for any of the  
men folks, ranging in age from  
2 years to 90.

### WOOL SHIRTS

Why not buy him a wool shirt for Christmas. The  
time of the year is so appropriate for this kind of  
a shirt that it will be welcomed with a whoop of  
delight. Patterns are very attractive yet withal  
conservative enough to be sure to please all.

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keeping with the Christmas spirit of "Dress up."  
Another silk shirt would be a valuable asset to any  
man's wardrobe. If you want to spend from \$2.50  
to \$5.00 then give this consideration. It will give  
you excellent value for your expenditure.

### HANDKERCHIEFS

Men's handkerchiefs, single or by  
the box. These are made of sheer  
linen, damask linen or voiles,  
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### DRESS GLOVES

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warm.

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Grant Camfield died at his home in Neosha, Missouri Sunday morning. He was about 60 years of age and leaves a wife and son. Before moving to Missouri many years ago he was a resident of this city.

—Misses Jennie Margaret Cummins and Dorothy Beems both students of Busch Conservatory at Chicago spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Cummins.  
—Raymond Dawdy and family of St. Louis and Mr. and Mrs. Verne Harsh and daughter of Decatur were guests Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Patterson.

—Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Poland and daughter returned to their home in Canton, Illinois Sunday after spending Thanksgiving day with home folks.

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**FOR RENT**—4-room house about four blocks from square. Lights and cistern. See Tella Pearce, Sullivan. Phone 503 or 321-v.

**FOR SALE**—The Sarah Bell property, 6-room house, two lots, good well and cistern and good outbuildings; 2 blocks off Jackson St. pavement. Mrs. Nellie C. Davis, Admx., Sullivan, Ill.

**FOR SALE**—Duroc Jersey boar; several fresh thoro-bred Short-horn cows. Oral Bundy, Sullivan. 49-2\*

**FOR SALE**—One Coleman gasoline pressure cook stove. Three burner, built in oven. Been used since January. In first class condition. Inquire at Cummins & Son, Hdw. store. Stanley H. Guyer. 48-2\*

**FOR SALE**—Emmerson piano in good condition. A nice Xmas present for some one. See Mrs. Tella Pearce. 1t.

**HERE'S SOMETHING**—for the Fellow Married or About to be or some party who wants to buy a nice Christmas present—the \$125 Diamond ring which I recently won in the Sullivan Progress subscription contest. Call and see me and let's talk it over. Walter Spauha. 2t

**FOR SALE**—Barred Rock cockerels, Thompson's ringlet strain dark mating. Mrs. W. S. Elder, Jr., Sullivan, Phone 8416 42-9.

**PLENTY** of chairs, beds and springs. W. H. Walker. 47-2t

**FOR SALE**—Rice pop corn 5 and 7c per lb. Also some extra good White Wyandotte cockerels. Chalmers Pifer, Sullivan, Ill. R. 1. 48-tf.

**HONEY FOR SALE**—Location north end Market Street just south Old Fair Grounds. J. W. Dale, Sullivan, Ill. 46-4t.

**FOR SALE**—Nelson Piano, good condition. Priced reasonable. W. H. Fisher. 1t.

**FOR SALE**—A good residence property, built five years ago, 1 block from paved street, double garage, 1 1/2 acres of ground, good outbuildings, etc! Good residence location. Everything in first class condition. W. H. Fisher, Sullivan, Ill. 1t

**MR. FARMER**—You have tried Sunflowers for profit. Now look into the pop corn business. Write me for my proposition acreage wanted: R. G. Redding, Mattoon, Ill. 48-4\*

**FOR SALE**—Registered Duroc male hog, good bone, back and color. H. M. Myers. 48-4\*

**FOR SALE**—House and lot. at 1407 Washington street; also a vacant lot on Blackwood street. Both of these are desirable locations for residence purposes. See Mrs. Effie J. Wright, 2107 Harrison St. 1t.

**I BUY** dressed rabbits—W. C. Neaves, Sullivan. 46-tf

**DUCK EGGS WANTED**—We will take White Pekin Duck eggs for setting purposes at a high price in exchange for Baby chicks the coming season. If interested write or see Harless Hatchery, Shelbyville, Ill. 46-4\*

**High School Life**

The High school freshman team plays the Strasburg varsity five at the Armory Thursday night, as a curtain raiser for the grade school team.

Bethany plays here Tuesday, Dec. 10, and Bement here Friday, Dec. 13.

The High School varsity goes to Windsor for a game Friday night, and the Freshman team plays John's Hill, Junior High of Decatur, Saturday night.

Mr. Dennis, Mr. Scheer, Ivan Wood, and members of the basketball team attended a meeting of the coaches and officials of the State District meeting at the Millikin gymnasium Wednesday night. The purpose of the meeting was to interpret the new basketball rules and demonstrate the adopted phases of officiating throughout the district.

On Tuesday, December 10, at

11:30, Robert Morningstar presents the fourth number of the Assembly programs in pictures and stories. The program consists of glimpses of the lives of the world's greatest characters, revealed by pictures on a daylight screen and described in person by himself as he has seen them, as he shot them with his camera and as he talked to them face to face. The public is invited to attend. You will be interested from the first to the last by these personal sketches of the great people of the world. These world figures are Roosevelt, Lloyd George, Clemenceau, Galli-Curci, Marconi, Pershing, Prince of Wales, Chas. Chaplin, Mary Pickford, Babe Ruth, Jack Dempsey, Red Grange, Colonel Lindbergh, and others who have won attention of this and other nations.

—VELVA WALLACE, School Reporter.

**LOCALS**

—Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Crowder spent Thursday with relatives at Hillsboro, Ind.

—Mrs. William Barton went to Springfield Friday where she is spending several weeks with relatives.

—Mrs. Catherine McDonald, Mrs. Mabel Nichols and their guest Claude Hoggatt visited on Thanksgiving with relatives at Tuscola.

—Mrs. Lucille Poland of Decatur spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stricklan.

—Mr. and Mrs. Homer Harris of Decatur visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stricklan on Sunday.

—Dr. and Mrs. S. W. Johnson who spent Thanksgiving holidays at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Shepherd at Chicago, returned Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Stricklan and family visited at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Stricklan Thursday.

—Misses Ruth Emel, Olive Dazey and Marie Stalsworth, and Paul Dazey and Byron Brandenburger spent Thursday evening in Mattoon.

—George Sabin of Chicago spent the week end at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sabin.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Walton visited in Springfield Sunday.

—Misses Jeanette Loveless and Jean Whitfield returned to Champaign Sunday after spending the Thanksgiving holidays with home folks.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Corbin spent Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Davis at Paris.

—Beryl Bean of Champaign spent Thanksgiving day with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Conley and son and Mr. and Mrs. Durward Briscoe visited relatives in Decatur Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Poland and Victor Landers and family visited with relatives at Canton Thursday.

—Mrs. G. L. Todd and daughter Evelyn Finley and son Covert who spent the week end at the home of the former's mother, Mrs. C. R. Ham at Opdyke returned Sunday evening.

Victor Landers and family and Mr. and Mrs. William Poland spent Sunday with relatives at Lovington.

—Mrs. Bert Fultz is on the sick list.

—Mr. and Mrs. Orman Newbold are spending this week with their daughters Mrs. Salena Blacker and Mrs. Charles Dono-

van at Kokomo, Ind.

—Mrs. Belle Kenney attended the funeral of her uncle, Calvin Hosteler held in Lovington, on Tuesday.

—Misses Ruby, and Ruth Mae Bartley and Miss Maxine Robertson of Mattoon spent Sunday afternoon and evening with friends and relatives.

—Mrs. Joseph Feuerborn of Effingham who spent several weeks with her daughter, Mrs. W. K. Holzmueller and family returned Friday.

—Miss Mamie Keen of Chicago came Wednesday for a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Palmer. She returned to that city Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Weger and the Chaney Sisters visited at the home of their brother, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Chaney Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Foster entertained sixteen guests to a duck dinner at their home on Harrison street, Monday evening.

—Mr. and Mrs. Clint Coy spent Thursday with relatives at Springfield.

—Rufus Hagerman made a business trip to Pekin Tuesday where he spent several days.

—Mrs. E. P. Stein and daughter Nancy Virginia returned to their home in Lincoln, Nebr., on Saturday after having spent three weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sabin.

**COLES**

Ruth Armantrout and Fern Davis spent Wednesday afternoon with Miss Helen Henderson who is ill.

Mrs. Zula Gearheart and children spent Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Charles Fowler.

Hutch Davis and family spent Sunday with Ernest Martin and family.

Mrs. Viola Scooby and daughter Ruth spent from Wednesday until Monday with relatives in Neoga. Clay Davis and family spent Sunday with Claude Fleschner and family.

Rev. George Wilbur who has been holding a revival meeting in Indiana, has returned home.

Mrs. Nate Hinton and son Dale and Mrs. James Ellis and daughter Dorothy and Mrs. John Henderson and daughter Helen are all on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Andrews and daughter Irma spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. John Fleschner.

There will be preaching at Coles Sunday morning and evening by Rev. George Wilbur.

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

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

Mrs. John Henderson and family. Fern Cheever spent Sunday with Fern Davis.

**LAKE CITY**

Misses Mildred and Geraldine Keyes who are attending school at Normal spent Thanksgiving vacation with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Keyes.

George Noel who is employed in Peoria visited several days last week with Frank Noel and family.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Brohard and sons Gerald and Junior of Cincinnati spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. Tillie Brohard.

Rum Foley of Onak, Washington, has been visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dickson and son George and Mrs. Chester Dickson and daughter June spent Thanksgiving at Olney with Jay Dwyer and family.

Mrs. Ona Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. John Rankins, and Mrs. Ella Rankins and daughter Eleanor and son John spent Thanksgiving in Decatur with Mr. and Mrs. L. Lindsay.

Mr. and Mrs. Brutus Hamm entertained a number of friends and relatives at dinner on Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Smith of Long Creek visited Sunday with Joe Dickson and family.

Alpha Hamm, who is attending school in Cincinnati spent Thanksgiving holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Brutus Hamm.

Chester Lupton of Decatur has purchased the Foley farm south of town. The price per acre was \$190.00.

**ASCHERMANN WILL**

The will of the late Mrs. Frances M. Aschermann of the Arthur community which has been filed for probate leaves one third of her estate to her husband, Henry Ascherman, one third to a sister, Mrs. Ida Miller Maddon and the other one third to be divided between Edith Aschermann and Charles William Maddon. E. W. Boyd is named executor. Hearing on petition to probate will be held Dec. 27th.

**JONATHAN CREEK**

Herschel Ray and Mrs. Earl Ray and son Donald of Decatur visited Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pounds.

Students of the U. of I. who spent Thanksgiving vacation with home folks were Marjorie Bolin, Mary Leeds and Olive and William Elder.

A. W. Songer is on the sick list. Mrs. Frank Leeds, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Leeds and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Summers were Sunday guests of Bert Lane and family.

Mrs. Omar Miller and son John of Champaign visited last week with relatives in this vicinity.

Hubert Powell of Litchfield

spent the week end with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bolin spent Friday in Mattoon.

Mrs. Stella Drew and Clifford Beals spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Beals.

Halbert Bolin of Chicago and Clifton Bolin of Bloomington spent the week end with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Clawson of Windsor visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Gustin.

Harry Righter spent a few days last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Righter.

Rev. Dunkin McCall spent the week end with W. S. Elder and family.

Ralph Powell of Chicago and Mrs. Grace Deckard of Decatur spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Powell.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Leeds spent Wednesday of last week in Champaign.

Will Ridgeway of Champaign spent the week end with W. K. Bolin and family.

Ruth and Verna Lucas of Tuscola spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Slover.

Reta, Hubert and Ralph Powell attended the Sparks Business College banquet at Shelbyville Saturday evening.

Mrs. Della Jefferies spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. John Bracken in Sullivan.

Kenneth Beals, the baby son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Beals was brought home from a hospital in Chicago Wednesday.

Merle and Reta Powell accompanied Hubert Powell and Mrs. Grace Deckard to Decatur Sunday evening.

Church services Sunday are: S. S. at 10 o'clock; Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Christian Endeavor at 6:30.

**ALLENVILLE**

Mrs. Edna Tomlinson of Chicago spent Thanksgiving with her mother, Mrs. Mae Frederick.

Marguerite Newlin spent Thursday in Decatur.

Mr. and Mrs. John Turner and daughter Berdina and Mr. and Mrs. Chester Graham spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. John Swinford near Windsor.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Wernsing entertained the following to a duck supper Thanksgiving: Mr. and Mrs. Ray Misenheimer and daughter Catherine, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Pierce and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Cannon and Eleanor, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Misenheimer and Joyce, Vernon Sutton and Thomas Lucas.

Mrs. Elmer Maxedon and son Jackie, Mrs. Forrest Misenheimer and daughter Joyce and Harry Walls spent Thanksgiving with Fern Black and Beldon Turner.

Mrs. Lela Wells and daughter of Sullivan spent Sunday with

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Turner and children.

Mrs. L. C. Conwell spent the week end with John Turner and family.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Wernsing and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Pierce and daughter spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Misenheimer.

Elmer Maxedon and family and Monroe Shaw have moved into the Dennis Carnine property.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Misenheimer and daughter spent week end in Mattoon.

Orval Wheeler of Findlay spent a few days recently here with friends.

Mrs. J. C. Judd and daughter Ruth spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. Judd's mother at Cisne.

Berdina Turner spent the week end with Veda and Roy Loy in Sullivan.

Miss Gertie Mathias of Decatur spent a few days recently with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Mathias.

Mr. and Mrs. John Black and daughters and Orval Wheeler spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. French.

**LOVINGTON**

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Shirey and daughter Margaret spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Draper of Macon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kearney entertained relatives from Bloomington during Thanksgiving holidays.

Mrs. C. W. Jones is visiting her daughter in Pana.

Miss Ruth Gregory spent the Thanksgiving holidays with Maxine Rich of Flora.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wood entertained to dinner on Thanksgiving: Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Beck of Decatur, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hines and Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Kirkpatrick.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dickson and children went to Ostrander, Ohio Wednesday to spend Thanksgiving with Mrs. Dickson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bynner.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira McBride and son Foster spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. John Honn in Hindsboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Strutter of Bloomington spent the Thanksgiving

ing holidays with Mr. and Mrs. John Burress.

Mrs. W. M. Stricklan and children spent Wednesday with friends in Sullivan.

Miss Maye Morrison of Monticello spent Thanksgiving with her parents near here.

George Conn is confined to his home by illness.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Clay visited with relatives near Shelbyville on Thursday.

Lorene and Maurine Ellis students at Normal spent the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Ellis.

Mrs. John Honn and daughter Mercedes of Hindsboro visited over the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Ira McBride.

Mr. and Mrs. Medford Nethery and children spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Nethery of Cerro Gordo.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Stricklan and children and Mrs. S. R. Redding were in Decatur Saturday.

Mrs. James Root and children, Rose and James returned Thursday from a visit with relatives in Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. W. I. McMullin entertained a number of guests to a Thanksgiving dinner. Those present were Mrs. Alice Gailley and son Rex of Montsaur Falls, N. Y., Mr. and Mrs. Avery Lambert and Miss Vivian Collett of Plainfield, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. McMullin of Decatur, Miss Imelda Curran of Chicago and Miss Minnie McCravy of Lovington.

**For the Hard of Hearing**

Wallace's have the Accousticon. It is the best of instruments made with an ear piece, the size of a dime.

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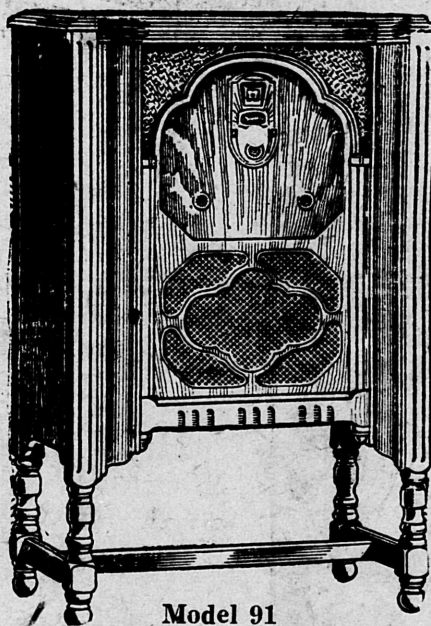
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## EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Estate of Frank Seaman Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed Executrix of the estate of Frank Seaman late of the County of Moultrie and the State of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that she will appear before the County Court of Moultrie County at the Court House in Sullivan, at the February term on the first Monday in February 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 25th day of November, A. D. 1929.

Mary A. Seaman,  
Executrix.  
Marion Watson, Attorney 48-3t.

## ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Estate of Sarah L. Bell Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed Administratrix of the estate of Sarah L. Bell late of the County of Moultrie and the State of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that she will appear before the County Court of Moultrie County at the Court House in Sullivan, at the February term on the first Monday in February 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.

Nellie C. Davis,  
Administratrix.  
Cochran, Sentel & Cochran  
Attorneys. 47-3t.

## CAMPFIRE COUNCIL

Wednesday evening, Nov. 27th, the Acantea Camp Fire Girls had a Council Fire at Louise Cochran's. Bernice Fultz became a Wood Gatherer, Marjorie Loeb became a new member and honors were awarded to several of the girls.

Each girl brought a small offering for a Thanksgiving remembrance for some one less fortunate than they.

Those present were Mildred Wine, Cora Jane Finley, Sally Bristow, Mildred Winchester, Bernice Fultz, Letha Bushart, Eleanor Cummins, Marjorie Loeb, Dorothy Brumfield, Louise Cochran and Miss Wood.

—Miss Olive Martin, formerly of this city, but now on the staff of the LaSalle High school as English instructor, spent the latter part of last week at a teachers' convention at Kansas City. She went as a delegate from the recent high school teachers conference at Champaign.

—Miss Mary Aileen Lansden of Oak Park, Illinois was home to spend the Thanksgiving week end with her parents Sheriff and Mrs. Charles Lansden.

SUNFLOWER SEED  
WORTH \$2.71 CWT.  
WHEN FED TO HOGS

(Continued from Page 1)  
per cwt. when fed to hogs, as compared to other feeds at this time.

The University letter and Mr. Shuman's comments are as follows:

UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI  
Columbia

Nov. 29, 1929

Mr. Chas. B. Shuman  
Sullivan, Ill.

Dear Sir:

"As you probably know considerable sunflower seed is produced in southeast Missouri. Several years ago they found themselves in much the same fix as your letter indicates and at the request of county agents in that section we did some preliminary work feeding of the seed to hogs at this station. Since we have not had an opportunity of repeating this test or enlarging upon the project the results have not been published. We are submitting herewith a table summarizing the data secured. From it you may be able to get material which will partially answer some of the questions you have submitted although I am sure that it will not entirely cover the questions you have raised.

We did not notice that the hogs lost their hair or shed prematurely but we did have some bad effects resulting from feeding sunflower seed exclusively. For example, some of the hogs in lot 1 made practically no gains while others in the same lot apparently made average gains. A post mortem of some of the poor gaining pigs in the test showed that their intestines had been punctured in many places, probably by the sunflower seed hull. Some of the pigs in this lot were noticed chewing up the seed and spitting out the hull. The pigs that did this may have been the ones that made the best gains but we did not make any accurate check on this point. No such trouble was found in any of the lots where some corn was fed along with the sunflower seed.

As you will see we have no data regarding the grinding of sunflower seed but it is our opinion that this would eliminate some of the objections to its use. By comparing the results secured by lots 3 where the ration was equal parts sunflower seed and corn with lot 6 fed corn and tankage as a check lot you will be able to arrive at the relative value of the sunflower seed as indicated by this test.

Typical hogs were killed out of each of the lots on experiment and there is no question but that sunflower seed will produce soft pork and results indicate that soft pork may be expected when sunflower seed makes up as little as one-fourth of the ration. In other words, the hogs in lot 4 as well as lots 1, 2 and 3 killed soft.

I believe this report is more complete than that found in bulletin 189 which publication was an annual directors report.

If this bulletin is available, however, it will be sent under separate cover.

Yours very truly  
L. A. Weaver,  
Prof. of Animal Husbandry.

By way of explanation, the table mentioned in this letter showed that there were six different rations tested as follows:

Lot 1—Sunflower seed alone;  
Lot 2—Sunflower seed, 3 parts, Corn, 1 part.  
Lot 3—Sunflower seed 2 parts; Corn 2 parts;  
Lot 4—Sunflower seed, 1 part; Corn 3 parts;  
Lot 5—Corn alone; and  
Lot 6—Tankage 1 part, corn, 10 parts.

The highest average daily gains were made by lot 3 with an average of 1.167 lbs. per day, the corn-tankage lot was second with 1.109 lbs. and the sunflower 3—corn 1 ration next with 1.017 lbs. as the average.

Using data from this same table to determine the amounts of corn and tankage replaced by using the sunflower seed and based upon local prices of corn and tankage the cash value of the sunflower seed per cwt in each ration are given below. Sunflower seed was worth \$2.45 per 100 pounds when fed in the proportion of 3 parts sunflowers to 1 part of corn; \$2.71 per cwt. when fed with equal parts of corn; and only \$1.70 per cwt in the 1 to 3 proportion.

## School Notes

## Monthly Statement

Days taught	19
Males enrolled	202
Females enrolled	209
Total enrollment for month	411
Total days absence	156
Total days att.	7947
Daily att.	397
Percent of att.	98
Number tardy	21
No. neither tardy nor absent	306
Case of corporal punishment	4
Known cases of truancy	1
Teacher's tardiness	0
Teacher's Abs.	0
Loren Brumfield, Supt.	

Classes having an att. of 98% and better: Miss McCarthy, Mrs. Fortner, Miss Evans, Miss Reedy, Miss Durborrow, Miss Tressler, Mrs. Carroll, Miss Freese, Miss Fleshner, Miss Hill.

Mrs. Hawley is teaching 1st grade in Mrs. Fortner's place. Mrs. Fortner hopes to be back in her class room after the holidays.

Mrs. Gladys Whitfield substituted for Miss Hoke Wednesday while Miss Hoke was in Decatur during the operation of Mrs. Fortner.

Miss Fleshner is planning to begin girl's basket ball practice this week. The girls will probably practice once each week.

The sale of Red Cross seals began in the grades Wednesday A. M. Last year the grade school pupils sold about \$125.00 worth of seals. We hope to do as well this year.

Monday and Tuesday were our coldest days of the season, but the janitors had both the Powers and the Lowe buildings comfortably warm for the pupils at 8:30.

## Mother!

Watch Child's Bowels

"California Fig Syrup" is  
Children's Harmless  
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Children love the pleasant taste of "California Fig Syrup" and gladly take it even when bilious, feverish, sick, or constipated. No other laxative regulates the tender little bowels so nicely. It sweetens the stomach and starts the liver and bowels without cramping or overacting. Contains no narcotics or soothing drugs. Tell your druggist you want only the genuine "California Fig Syrup" which has directions for babies and children of all ages printed on bottle. Mother! You must say "California" or you may get an imitation fig syrup.

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## THE STAR ART STUDIO

W. K. Holzmüller  
The Photographer in Sullivan, Illinois

This was made possible by their warming the buildings on Sunday and by firing the furnaces very early on Monday.

Cheer leaders were elected by the Lowe school pupils on Tuesday morning. Jack Hollonbeck and Eleanor Cummins were elected for the season.

The pupils of the grade schools will again be weighed during the week Dec. 9-13. The last weighing showed that most of the pupils had made small gains during the month.

Those ranking 90% and above for the six weeks.

**Third Grade**—Mary Helen Cook Roy Loy, Jean Switzer, Chas. L. Stone, James Walker, Pansy McClure, John Poland, June McCarthy, Louise Harden, Harris Aldridge, Oscar Holzmüller, Jack Cool, Leah Rentfrow, Russel Sims

**Fourth Grade**—Marvane Luke, Kathryn McFerrin, Marie Miller, Rachel Richardson, Doris Roley, Cecil Selby, Wanda Courtwright, Mabel Eathel Martin, Cynthia Newbould, Betty Sams, Theresa Walker.

**Fifth Grade**—Martha Bragg, Betty Clark, Helen Lucas, Marion Miller, Amanda Tichenor, Ada May Vail, Robert Whitfield, Ivan Wine, Sarah Aldridge, Thelma Carnine, Florence Crockett, Richard Foster, Bobby Jenne, Doris Reynolds, Celia Sears.

**Sixth Grade**—Dorothy Chapin, James McLaughlin, Marcia Rose Martin, Francis Newbould, Lucinda Walker, Dean McPheeters, Mildred McDonald, Margaret Lou Scheer.

**Seventh Grade**—Corma J. Finley, Jane Foster, Elsie Holzmüller, Vivian Loy, Marjorie Loeb,

Ina Mae Craig, Rhoda Belle Duncan, Harris Wood, Mildred Winchester.

**Eighth Grade**—Letha Bushart, Eleanor Cummins, Doris Matheson, Charles Barnes, Lone Reedy, Edmund Scheer, Lloyd Selby, Dale Wine, Dorothy Brumfield, Louise Cochran, Mary Fleming, Leo Horn.

## SALE DEC. 17TH

Homer Wallace who lives on the Nancy Waggoner farm southeast of this city will have a public sale of personal property on Tuesday, Dec. 17th and expects to leave shortly thereafter for Arizona. Complete list of articles to be sold will appear in next week's Progress. Watch for his adv.

—Mr. and Mrs. Louis Dickerson of Decatur spent Thanksgiving day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cazier.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jordan visited relatives in Decatur Sunday. Etha who had been in that city since Thursday returned with —Richard Bean and Clark Lowe spent Sunday in Mattoon.

## GIFT SLIPPERS

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## "The Four Feathers"

ADMISSION 15c-35c

SATURDAY, DEC. 7

TOM TYLER in

## "Idaho Red"

Also Laurel-Hardy in "ANGORA LOVE," a Russ Farrell avian featurette and Oswald the Rabbit.

Admission 10 and 25 cents

SUNDAY-MONDAY, DEC. 8-9

VILMA BANKY in

## "The Awakening"

Also comedy "MISPLACED HUSBANDS" and Paramount News.

Admission 10 and 25 Cents.

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY, DEC. 10-11

CHARLES BUDDY ROGERS in

## "Illusion"

Also comedy "PEP UP" and Paramount News.

Admission 10 and 25c

THURSDAY-FRIDAY, DEC. 12-13

## "The Viking"

A 100 per cent Technicolor production with an all-star cast. Also the Collegians.

Admission 10c and 25c

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### KIRKSVILLE

Mrs. Manuel Sipes spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Pearl Musser.

Rev. Clifford Smith filled his appointment at the U. B. church on Sunday.

Jesse Elder and family spent Sunday with Edgar Donnell and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gordon, Rolly Britton and family and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Donnell and family spent Thanksgiving with Lyman Donnell.

Mr. and Mrs. Morton Grenne and son Keith of Decatur spent the week end with Mrs. Dona Kidwell.

Fred Wheeler and family and Mr. and Mrs. Lester McKim of Decatur spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd West and family.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bruce on Friday a daughter. She has been named Patsy Lee. Mrs. Bruce was before her marriage Miss Elsie Jeffers.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Matheson and daughter Anna Mary spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Banks.

Noble Bruce and family spent Thanksgiving with Floyd West and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clem Messmore entertained a number of friends on Thanksgiving. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Banks, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Banks and daughter Elsie of Decatur, Miss Betty Donahue and Raymond Messmore of Decatur, Miss Jessie Messmore of Springfield, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Wood and daughter of Decatur, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Budburg and son of Springfield and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wood of Sullivan.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Yarnell and family have moved to their farm on the hard road near Sullivan.

Those who spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Greene were Mr. and Mrs. Job Evans, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Evans and family, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Yarnell and daughters June and Joyce, Mr. and Mrs. Morton Greene and son Keith, Isaac Alvey, Bernadine Kidwell, Mrs. Olive Bozell of Sullivan and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Hoke and daughter Margie.

Rev. Clifford Smith of Chester-ville spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jake Musser and family.

Misses Era and Rhoda West spent Sunday with Miss Merle West.

Mr. and Mrs. Clem Messmore spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Messmore of Sullivan.

Word was received here of the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Reedy. Mrs. Reedy was before her marriage Miss Gertrude

King.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Fortner and daughter Miss Ethel of St. Elmo and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fortner and daughter of Effingham spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Finis Graham and family.

### EAST COUNTY LINE

Miss Doris Wiser spent the week end in Decatur.

Lena Milam spent Thursday with Doris Craig.

Mrs. J. J. Ryan and son Vincent were callers in Mattoon on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Beals and Elva Beals were in Chicago Wednesday.

Vincert Ryan is driving a new Ford Tudor purchased from the Ascherman Motor Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Watson of Arthur visited John Watson and family Sunday.

Mrs. Roscoe Beals is teaching school for Alice Pound who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Watkins spent Thursday in Arthur with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Watkins.

Mr. and Mrs. John Harmon, Mr. and Mrs. John Craig and daughters and Robert and Carl Webb visited with Mr. and Mrs. George Harmon of Arthur Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Craig and daughter were callers in Mattoon Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wiser visited with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pound and sons Monday evening. Mr. Pound fell from a horse and broke his ankle Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Bright of Arcola spent Monday with A. J. Sexton and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Fay Taylor and Donald visited with Clovis Milam and family Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Wheeler of Decatur spent Sunday at the home of A. J. Sexton.

Mr. and Mrs. James Janes and Mr. and Mrs. George Pepperdine add daughters of Mattoon visited with Earl Craig and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Freesh and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Beals and Eddie spent Sunday afternoon with J. A. Pound.

Mrs. Glenn Roley and son Billy Dick returned to her home in Sullivan after visiting several days with A. J. Sexton and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Conroy and son Hugh McVey and daughter Ella of St. Louis, Mrs. Charles McVey and Charles of Mattoon spent Tuesday with J. J. Ryan and family.

Ladies Aid of Union Prairie church cleared \$44 at their bakery sale.

Mr. and Mrs. Burgess Harden and children visited with A. J. Sexton and family Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Ryan and Dean LaValley spent Thursday

with Mr. and Mrs. John Flesher of Allenville.

Mrs. Ed Conlin was in Mattoon Saturday.

Miss Elizabeth Conlin and Miss Reta Donahue of Springfield spent the week end with Miss Conlin's parents Mr. and Mrs. Ed Conlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Frances Conlin and sons spent Monday with T. Conlin and family. Mrs. Conlin has been ill with neuralgia.

### WINDSOR

Mrs. Dave Keller of Mississippi spent last week and Thanksgiving with her mother and sister.

Mr. and Mrs. George Caskey of Madison, Ill., visited a couple of days with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Seldon Caskey of Richland, and Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Davidson of Windsor.

Quite a large crowd attended the Thanksgiving dinner given by the Ladies Aid of the Methodist church.

David Rose of Chicago spent Thanksgiving with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Rose.

Miss Ruth Ranki entertained a few friends at bridge one night last week. Refreshments were served.

Cecil Harrmann and Paul Davidson graduates of Sparks Business College left for St. Louis Sunday to seek employment.

Several students who attend colleges at various places were home to spend Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon Davis and son of Charleston were guests of Kenneth Davis and wife Sunday and Bert Lemons Sunday night.

### CARD OF THANKS

We are indeed thankful and appreciative of all the assistance, kindness and sympathy extended to us in the hour of our bereavement when our beloved wife, mother and sister, Nettie E. Hoke died. Especially do we thank for the floral tributes.

Hugh Hoke and son George Mrs. Violet McGuire Mrs. Mirah Teufel.

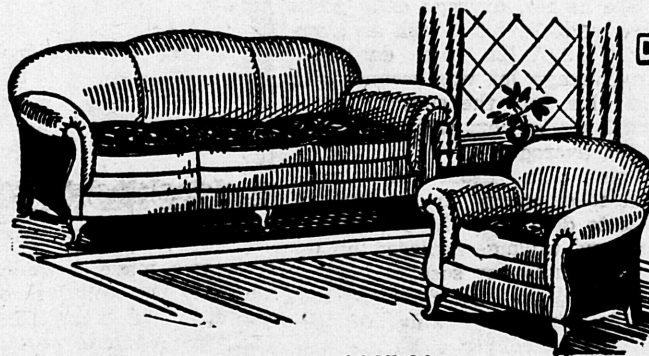
—Miss Neva Wallace who had planned on visiting home folks on Thanksgiving was caring for a very sick patient at Evanston hospital and could not leave.

—Homer Wallace who lives on the Nancy Waggoner place near the Waggoner church is planning on having a sale and going to Arizona in the near future. His mother Mrs. Lizzie Wallace who lives with him will make her home with her daughters Mrs. Hubert Cole and Mrs. Guy Booker. She will perhaps spend the next winter in Arizona.

—Miss Lucretia Walker who is teaching school near Decatur, was a Sullivan visitor Saturday.

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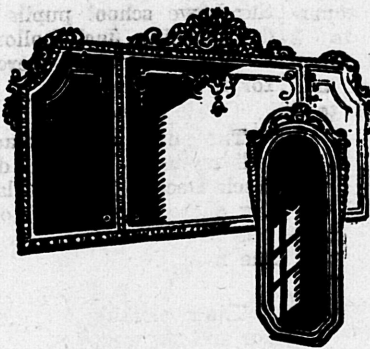
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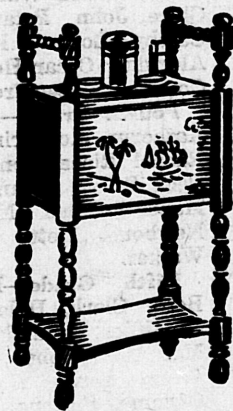
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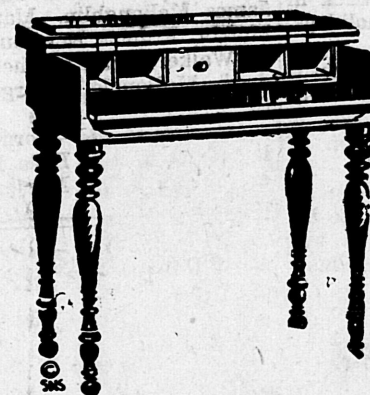
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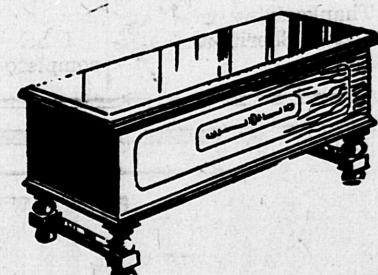
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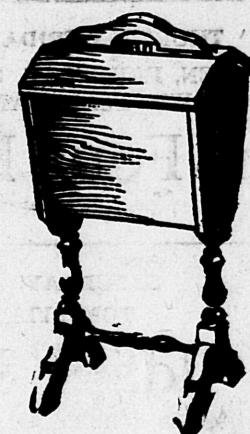
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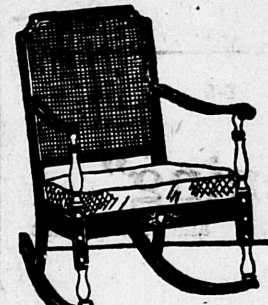
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## SEVENTH INSTALMENT

She felt her throat constrict and was conscious of an almost mastering desire to scream. If Fergus had not been saved, if he, her mad companion in her mad adventure, had been lost, then life would have no savor, not even a reason for continuance. If she, impelled by motives which even to herself were obscure, had dragged Faunce to his death, then would she be guilty of that death.

She cried out at sight of him, and he leaped from the chair. She leaned against the outer wall of the cabin and laughed. He was so ridiculous in those clothes, obviously borrowed from Steven's supply. Then she wept slightly, but dried her tears as he advanced upon her. She held out her hands to him.

"I wanted to die," she said. "The fear that I'd dragged you to death."

As his hand dropped gently upon hers and imprisoned it, she met his glance.

If she had not known before, she would have been informed now. He loved her with that over-mastering love which is given only to middle age. Youth is romantic and desirous, but the middle years bring selfless devotion.

"Don't Fergus," she said brokenly.

"My dear," he said, "I can't help it. It seems to me that it's always been so, and always will be so. But I'm not going to bother you with it, Lucy dear. I didn't mean you to read it in my eyes. But you have, and I am glad, because if ever you need any one—I don't want to be melodramatic, but I'd die for you, Lucy."

"Oh, Fergus, don't speak of death," she pleaded. "We've been so close—so near—" Her voice ceased; the hand that rested beneath Faunce's moved uneasily, and then the fingers clenched. Faunce looked up. Stevens had emerged from the pilot-house forward and was now approaching.

Unwillingly Faunce admitted the great charm of the man. His big body moved cat like, smoothly and gracefully. He had the knack of wearing clothes well, and his blue-flannel double-breasted jacket became him. The yachting cap could not entirely hide the blond curls, and the tan of his face but made his teeth the whiter as they showed in a smile.

"Better, dear wife of mine?" he inquired.

She felt a taunt in the inquiry and her cheeks blazed.

"I suppose I owe you my life?" she queried.

He shrugged his wide shoulders.

"No need for protestations of gratitude, my dear. The hurricane hit the Minerva and we were

scurrying for the lee of Barracuda when we saw the waterspout hit your craft. We didn't know who was in the boat, but we did the obvious thing. We managed to save you. Rather a shock to pick one's bride out of the ocean, clasped in another man's arms, but as one gets older one understands that life is a lurid melodrama when it isn't a savage farce. Sleep well, my dear?"

"Say, Faunce, would you mind letting me have a word alone with my wife?"

Faunce flushed at the brusqueness of the request. He glanced at Lucy.

"I'm not a bit afraid of him, Fergus," she said.

Reluctantly the doctor arose and walked forward. Stevens leaned toward his wife.

"Where were you going with Faunce?" he demanded.

"I don't at all mind telling you," she replied. "We were going to spend last night on Barracuda Island. Then we were going to some Bahama key and stay there."

"Forever?" he sneered.

"Until I'd had time to think."

"Well, you're going to do just that thing," he said. "Only you're going with me, not Faunce."

"Don't be absurd," she advised.

"Absurd? My God! you talk to me of absurdity! Listen, my dear Lucy: you left me, to run away with Faunce. Do you think any jury in the world would convict me of murder if I killed him out of hand?"

"You wouldn't dare," she breathed.

"And why not? You knew better. You know that my hands are itching now to toss him overboard. So help me God, upon my word of honor—"

"Your word of honor?" she jeered.

"Upon my word of dishonor, then. I'll kill him here and now unless you agree, without further word, to go with me to Barracuda Island, to share the tent I'll erect there, to be mine!"

Faintly, far away, her voice sounded as she made her decision.

"I'll go to Barracuda Island with you," she said.

Stevens clapped his hands; a Filipino steward came running.

"Please tell Dr. Faunce I wish to speak to him," said Stevens.

Faunce came at once, no fear, but anxiety upon his face; worry, Lucy knew for her.

"My wife and I," said Stevens easily, "have composed our differences. And so, Doctor, I'm going to send you to Miami in the Minerva, while she and I continue in a motor-boat, the voyage that you and she began. I leave it to your own decision what explanation you may make, if any. It

would, of course, sound plausible if you stated that your motor-boat had been lost in the storm, and that you had been picked up by Mr. and Mrs. Tim Stevens, honeymooning on their cruising house-boat, and continuing their honeymoon with a camping-trip a deux on Barracuda Island? Any unwitting injury you may have intended doing a man who had never injured you would be balanced by such a story, I think."

He rose abruptly and went forward; they saw him enter the pilot-house where Modane the skipper steered the Minerva. Faunce looked at the girl.

"You—want this?" he asked.

She nodded, avoiding his eyes.

"Because, my child, if you don't—" he began.

"Fergus, he's my husband, and I'm coming to my senses."

She rose and walked away; already, in obedience to orders given by Stevens, the Minerva was losing way. Members of the crew were swinging outward the davits where was slung a motor boat; stewards were placing supplies in the boat. She entered the pilot-house where Modane stood by the wheel. She held out her hand.

"I want to thank you, Captain, for saving me," she said.

Modane glanced at Stevens.

"Why, ma'am, Mrs. Stevens, ma'am—"

Stevens slapped him on the back.

"Attaboy, Modane! Modest as any sailor, my tarry salt of fiction. Well, Mrs. Stevens is eternally grateful to you for leaping into the water after her, and so am I. I'd be a widower but for you, Modane, instead of a bridegroom starting upon his honeymoon."

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It was a busy afternoon that followed luncheon. Stevens had no suggestions to make to her, but he accepted her aid. He chopped wood; he erected the tent, first clearing a space for it back from the beach. He found the spring which trickled in a tiny stream to the sea, cleaned it out, and sunk in it aluminum containers which held butter and cheese.

She washed the dishes, put them in order, stacked the stores beneath a tarpaulin which Stevens

stretched between poles which he chopped and sunk deeply in the sand.

"How—long do you expect to remain here?" she inquired. To save herself she could not keep anxious timidity from her tones.

He shrugged carelessly.

"Oh, I told Modane to drop by in a week or so. If we weren't here I told him to cruise over to the bahams and get trace of us there. Why?"

"Oh, I just wondered," she replied.

"But why wonder?" he insisted. "What do you care where we go, so long, my dear, as you're with me?"

Since they had landed his manner and words had been impersonal. Now she felt the jeer behind them. And this was the man who professed to love her, this man who took joy in her spiritual agony. Well, she would not give him the satisfaction of knowing her fear, her horror of him.

Instead, she would show contempt.

"Quite right," she said. "Inasmuch as Paradise itself would be hell if you were present, what difference can it make what we do or where we are?"

"That's more like Devil-may-Care, the high-spirited maiden whom I wooed and won," he mocked her. "Well, let's have supper."

Once again his manner became impersonal, light-hearted, even gay, and she was angrily humiliated that she took her tone from him. Why should he have any power over her whatsoever, even the power to make her smile or frown?

"Lucy," he broke a long silence, "do you hate me?"

"And despise you," she said.

"Why did you marry me?" he asked.

"I don't know just why," she honestly replied.

"I do," he told her.

"Then why?" she inquired.

"Because, as my wife, you could hurt me more than in any other way. And you did. To run away to humiliate me—Well, despite everything, you are my wife and I've caught you, and I have you. You can't get away from that, my dear."

"No," she said flatly.

He reclined upon the sand, propping his head up with one hand, his elbow digging into the sand, and stared at her.

"You've never guessed how desirable you are, have you, Lucy?"

"Men have asked me to marry them," she retorted.

"But you didn't; you married me. Do you know why?"

"You've just told me why," she said.

"Oh, that! That was the immediate motivating impulse. But behind that, wasn't it fate, Lucy?"

"Perhaps," she admitted.

"And fate, when it brings a man and a woman together, means love, doesn't it, Lucy?" he persisted.

She looked at him coldly.

"Don't be a cad," she said. "Don't try to justify yourself by persuading yourself that, in spite of everything, I'm really in love with you but haven't found it out. Be man enough to do what you intend without excuse. Love you? I think you're the most contemptible thing that breathes. Are you satisfied?"

"Plenty," he said. "And now, my dear wife, will you please go to the tent and—wait for me!"

Well, she had proposed the game, made the rules, interpreted them. And she had given her word to save Fergus Faunce from the dreadful anger that could possess this man. She rose obediently, walked to the tent, entered it, and the flap fell behind her.

"Lucy," he called.

Her voice came back to him, clear, unafraid, tinged with contempt.

"Well?"

"I wanted to tell you: you needn't be afraid of me. I don't want you, and never will want you. So far as I'm concerned, my girl, you may go to hell and be damned forever."

CHAPTER V

She understood now exactly why she had married Stevens. She had intended to revenge herself upon him by making him a by-word for the mean-hearted public to laugh at. She had not comprehended her own motives, but he had made them clear to her in the conversation on Barracuda Island.

(Continued Next Week.)

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Constructive criticism and suggestions are invited.

**L. A. DOWNS**

President, Illinois Central System.

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**TENNIE BOLIN**  
Editor.

### FASHION NOTE

An authority on the subject states that corsets are now made on straight lines, and we guess that geometry must have been revised then since we studied it.

Wanted: A few tractors to work on, by Jim. Bring yours in the first day you can. It doubtless needs some tuning up.

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Carl Leavitt says: "A woman likes almost as well to be asked how old she is as a man does to be asked how much salary he gets."



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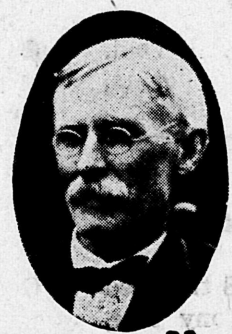
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## LOCALS

—The Women's Missionary Society met Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Mattie Gardner. Nineteen were present, it being an all-day meeting with pot-luck dinner at the noon hour. Four of those present were visitors. A Christmas grab-bag was a feature of the social hour.

—Al Malone suffered a broken forearm Wednesday evening when his Ford became unruly and hit him with the crank.

—Byron Gramblin is general utility man and in charge of the shoe shining department in the Yates Tonsorial Parlors.

—William Cooley returned to Three Rivers, Michigan Sunday after spending the Thanksgiving Day week end with relatives. On Thursday and Friday, Mr. and Mrs. Cooley and son Billy visited in Decatur.

—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fisher and son left Tuesday for Dallas, Texas where he will engage in business.

—The Frank Kirk family which expected to leave for Colorado last week have been delayed in their start by the cold weather.

—Mrs. G. B. Stopher and son Clarence of Mt. Erie, Ill., were guests Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Carnine.

—Mrs. Elmer Wood and Mrs. Wm. Hengst were in Mattoon Friday to visit the latter's sister, Mrs. Jennie Powell.

—Those spending Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. George Monroe were Mr. and Mrs. Claude Monroe of Bloomington, Zackie Monroe and Freda Rody of Peoria, Mr. and Mrs. James Kilmer and Mr. and Mrs. Will Patterson of Mattoon, Mr. and Mrs. William Hostetter and Mr. and Mrs. Chris Monroe and son Wayne.

—Mrs. Helen Gould, formerly Helen Condon, is assisting in the Chocolate shop for the holiday season. Miss Bernadine Bieber who has been employed there is now saleslady at the Dickerson store.

—John Hollonbeck returned to Sherling Monday after spending his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Hollonbeck.

—The M. E. church ladies will hold their annual Christmas bazaar, dinner and bakery and candy sale Saturday, December 7, at the old Dedman Harness store room, N. E. corner square. Chicken dinner 35c and 50c. Serving begins at 11 a. m.

—Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Harris spent Thanksgiving day in St. Louis. On Friday accompanied by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Stevenson, they went to Bloomington where they visited the Clark Reed family. Mr. and Mrs. Stevenson after spending a few days here left Wednesday for their home in St. Louis.

—Miss Ida Collins is spending this week in Decatur.

—Miss Fern Garrett who spent Thanksgiving Day here with her parents remained here until the funeral of her uncle, M. A. Garrett Monday and then went to DeLavan to resume her school duties.

—Mrs. Angeline Wacaser who spent several weeks at the home of her daughter Mrs. Levi Patterson, returned to her home at Mt. Pulaski Monday.

—The Belle Hopper Missionary Society will meet at the home of Mrs. C. R. Hill Monday evening, and at this time they will have their Christmas grab bag.

—Mr. and Mrs. Willard Clevenger and daughters Eleanor and Marjorie of Arthur visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wade Robertson, Sunday.

—Dr. and Mrs. Darwin Kirby and son Darwin Jr., of Champaign and Mrs. George McPheeters of Carbondale spent Thanksgiving day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. McPheeters.

—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Dekum, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Ferguson all

of Belleville, came Thursday for visit at the home of Mr. Dekum's uncle Mr. and Mrs. Wade Robertson. They remained here over the week end and returned Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Conner of Hannibal, Mo., came Thursday and spent the week end with her aunt, Mrs. F. W. McPheeters and family. Mrs. Conner was formerly, Miss Gladys Scoville of this city.

—J. W. Evans of Kirksville was a Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. McKenzie.

—Miss Jane Ridgway Vance and Henry Bland of Chicago spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar McKenzie.

—Mrs. Lizzie Craig and Mr. and Mrs. E. A. McKenzie were visitors in Decatur Tuesday.

—A marriage license was issued by the county clerk Saturday to William Scott 21 and Catherine Sibley 18, both of Bethany.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Leeds and son of near Windsor visited with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lane and sons Sunday.

—Sam Reedy and family spent the week end with their daughter and family in Peoria.

—Jesse W. Tull of Washington, D. C. was a visitor at the home of Mrs. Rasha Tull and mother on Wednesday.

—Mrs. Mary Lane spent Tuesday with her son Claude Lane and family near Bruce.

—Mrs. Verbal Waggoner and children of near Bruce spent Thursday and Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lane.

—Will Sutton of near Palmyra was a business caller in Sullivan Wednesday.

—Mrs. William Hengst was in Findlay the first of the week to see her new grandson, who arrived Saturday, November 30 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Shiels.

—The Missionary society of the M. E. church will meet Wednesday afternoon Dec. 11 with Mrs. Wine. Mrs. Wine will be leader.

—Mrs. E. E. Bushart, daughter Letha and son Everett and Miss Lena Bushart returned home the first of this week after spending Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Williams of Chicago.

—Frank Witts of Clinton made a business trip to this city Tuesday.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Walker of Charleston spent Thanksgiving day with their son, W. H. Walker and wife. They remained here to spend the week end and returned Sunday.

—Miss Marguerite Fulk visited with friends in Decatur over the week end.

—Mr. and Mrs. Glen Langston who spent Thanksgiving day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Lindsay returned to their home in Detroit, Mich., Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fulk, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Walker visited with friends in Decatur Sunday.

—Eugene Drew, Ralph Byystone, Glen Cochran and Alva Short spent the week end on a hunting trip in the Southern part of the state.

—Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Whitchurch and son Francis who visited the Thanksgiving holidays with relatives at Centralia, returned Sunday.

—Miss Vonnie Leavitt, student of the Eastern Illinois teachers college at Charleston returned to that place Monday after spending the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Leavitt.

—Miss Claudia Yarnell of Decatur spent Sunday at the home of her mother, Mrs. Flossie Yarnell.

—Fred Boyce who is employed at Three Rivers, Mich., visited with friends in this city Thursday and Friday.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. L. David entertained Dr. and Mrs. W. B. Kilton and Mr. and Mrs. Burney Mc-

David to dinner Tuesday evening. —Mrs. Fred Book of Mattoon visited at the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Eden Friday.

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

—William Cooley of Three Rivers, Mich., spent the Thanksgiving holidays with his wife and son.

—Mrs. William B. Fortner was taken to the Decatur Macon County hospital Wednesday of this week where she underwent an operation for tumor.

—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Feuerborn and daughter Patricia of Chicago visited at the home of his sister, Mrs. W. K. Holzmuehler and family from Wednesday until Friday.

—The N. N. N. club met at the home of Mrs. F. M. Harbaugh on Tuesday afternoon.

—Dale Landers, who is employed in Chicago returned to that city Sunday after having spent Thanksgiving day and the week end with relatives and friends in this community.

## RUTH PEARCE POPULAR IN DOWAGIAC HIGH SCHOOL

Local relatives are in receipt of a copy of the November 26th issue of the Dowagiac Daily News of Dowagiac, Michigan. In the school section appears a picture of Miss Ruth Pearce, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Pearce, former residents of this community.

Accompanying the picture appears the following:

"As president of the Argue-Not, a Big Sister and an active member of the Wahoo staff, Ruth Pearce has reached the summit of her high school career. Last year she was vice president of the Argue-Not's, a member of the house Economic club and on the decoration committee for the junior prom. She has also received honor roll marks all through high school. When she graduates in '30 D. H. S. will surely be losing a valuable senior."

## NOTICE

Hunting, Trapping and Trespassing on our premises is forbidden. Stay out.

W. J. Patterson  
Z. N. Wood.  
Illinois Masonic Home.  
Dr. S. W. Johnson.  
Shuman Farms.  
Ginn & Bailey Farm  
A. & E. Evans  
Both M. L. Lowe farms.  
(J. W. Spordler.)  
Frank Spaugh  
Edgar Bundy.  
C. W. Darst.  
Mrs. W. L. Landers.

(We will add your name to this notice to run to January 1st for 50c.)

## PURVIS P.-T. MEETING

The Purvis Parent-Teachers Association held their regular meeting at the Purvis school on Tuesday evening of last week, with Miss Vera Wooley as leader. A Thanksgiving program was given by the pupils of the Purvis school. After the business session the Miller school with Miss Mabel Martin, the teacher, presented a play, "Mr. Slick from Punkinville" which was greatly appreciated. The next meeting will be the Christmas program with Mr. and Mrs. Dan Pifer and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Rauch as the committee.

## SULLIVAN MARKETS

Elevators were paying 69c for new corn that grades No. 4; not much has as yet been received. Some sunflowers are being received at 1c per lb. Soybean price is \$1.44.

The below zero weather and blanket of snow that has covered this county this week has halted the corn harvest. The lowest temperature reported was 8 below. On Thursday balmy spring weather came and much of the snow melted, especially off the streets.

Produce houses were paying 38 cents for butterfat and 46c for eggs. Some places were paying considerably more than this for large, clean eggs, which can make the A No. 1 grade in the big city markets.

Hens were worth from 13c to 18c; old roosters 10c and ducks and geese 12c.

## EAST HUDSON

Mr. and Mrs. Tay Venters and daughter Marie and Mrs. Mahoney visited Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Dedman.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Orr Hilliard visited Thursday with Clayton Poland and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Shasteen and daughter Joyce spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Watkins.

Weldon Gabbart spent Thursday with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Owen Gabbart and family.

Mrs. Clara Tussing who has been visiting relatives in Jasper county returned to the home of J. E. Watkins Sunday.

—Among the out of town folks who attended the funeral of M. A. Garrett Monday with his daughter Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Waggoner of Oklahoma, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bristow of Terre Haute, Ind.

## Church Notes

## ST. COLUMBA'S CHURCH

Church will be held Sunday at 8 o'clock a. m.

## GOSPEL MISSION

9:30 a. m. Sunday School.  
6:30 p. m. Young People's service.

7:30 p. m.—Evangelistic services.

7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting on Thursday.  
Ps. 27:1 "The Lord is my light and my salvation; whom shall I fear."

## FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

C. E. Barnett, Pastor

The Christian Endeavor meeting Sunday evening at 6:30 will be led by Homer Johnson. "What is Back of Our Christmas giving?" is to be the subject. Still the Johnsonians lead in the contest, though the Elderites promise to provide a real race the rest of the month. Four more Sundays to go. Well, young people, come on, let's go.

Superintendent Waverly Ashbrook urges increased offerings thru December to care for the needs of the Sunday school. The

school opens each Sunday at 9:30 a. m. and brings the opportunity of lesson study for all who will avail themselves.

Church services at 10:40 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. with sermons by the pastor. The adult choir will render an anthem at the morning service and the Young People's Choir a special number at night. Come to church, the opportunity is ours.

## CHURCH OF GOD

Corner Route 32 and Adams St.  
Ruth Castang, Pastor.

S. S. at 9:45.  
Preaching at 11:00.  
Young Peoples meeting at 6 p. m.

Preaching at 7 p. m.  
Prayer meeting Wed. at 7 p. m.  
Everybody welcome.

## GAYS

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Gamill have returned home from Macomb after spending Thanksgiving with her parents.

Mrs. Quincy Armantrout was taken to the M. E. hospital at Mattoon for treatments.

Ed Storm continues about the same.

Mr. and Mrs. Barnhart of Mattoon spent Saturday with their daughter, Mrs. Harry McCulley.

Henry Hortensine and two sons Bob and Mark have entered the

boys calves which took prizes at Springfield and Charleston, in the stock show at Chicago. They expect to return the last of the week.

Miss Lucile Wright and mother spent Thursday and Friday with Ed Peadro and family.

Myron Armantrout of Rock Island was called here by serious illness of his mother.

Mrs. James Alexander spent Monday with her mother, Mrs. Fort.

The young people's class of the M. E. church taught by Ada Kirk was entertained at an oyster supper in the church basement on Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hooten of Indianapolis spent the week end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Kincaid.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Carlyle and son Billie Joe of Mattoon spent Sunday with his mother.

Thurman Storm visited Ed Storm in the hospital Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Emery have moved from the Mattox residence to the Charles Bowman house north of town and are employed by Henry Hortensine.

Minnie Shadow and Billie Hummel spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. Wes Burkhead.

Prof. Lucas spent Thanksgiving in Sullivan.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Brown

and daughter Fern motored to Assumption Thursday where they spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. John Clark.

## M. A. GARRETT WILL FILED FOR PROBATE.

The will of the late M. A. Garrett has been filed for probate. The original instrument was made January 17, 1920. It disposes of his farm lands in Whitley township and his property in this city, as well as all of his personal property. The heirs are his wife and his three children by a former marriage, Morris W. Garrett, Mrs. Flora E. Waggoner and Mrs. Jessie Lucile McFarland.

Some change has been made from the testator's original plans as is evidenced by two codicils attached to the will. The last of these was made Sept. 20th of this year. His wife Mrs. Hester Lillian Garrett has been named executrix of the will.

—Orville and Estol Stain, of the U. S. Army, stationed at Ft. Brady, Michigan, have been here this week on a furlough visiting their mother, Mrs. Myrtle Stain and other relatives and friends.

—The Loyal Women's class of the First Christian church Bible school will meet Wednesday, Dec. 11th with Mrs. A. H. Miller.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hawley spent the week end with friends at Greenville.

## Dunscomb Dry Goods Co.

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SULLIVAN, ILLINOIS

## Reduced Prices on Coats and Dresses for December Sale

We have decided to make a quick clearance of all Winter Coats and Dresses before the Christmas rush begins so we are quoting you the following Cash Prices, just at the time when are are needing them:

## Sale of Winter Coats

One lot of Ladies and Misses All Wool, Fur Trimmed, mostly novelty coats, that formerly sold for \$15.00 up,

Choice **\$6.75**

One assortment of Scotch Plaid Blanket SPORT COATS, \$29.75 and \$25.00 values

**\$16.75**

One range of CLOTH COATS trimmed with Mandel and French Cony Fur, mostly \$19.75 values,

**\$14.75**

Good quality BROADCLOTH COATS, with good fur trimmings, mostly \$29.75 values, at

**\$21.75**

Black PONY SKIN FUR COATS, \$59.75 values—just the garment for these cold days, at

**\$29.75**

Wonderful quality of Celebrated RED FERN COATS that sold for \$45.00 and \$49.75,

NOW **\$32.75**

Girls and Juniors \$15.00 CLOTH COATS

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Also Special Prices on Little Tot's Coats, from 2 to 6 years old.



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GLOVES, SCARFS, PURSES,  
RAINCOATS, DRESSES, HOSE,  
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## Sale of Winter Dresses

A special lot of WINTER DRESSES that sold from \$5.75 to \$10.95

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Choice of any of our THIS FALL'S AND WINTER \$10.95 DRESSES

**\$7.95**

Choice of any of our this FALL AND WINTER \$17.50 DRESSES

**\$12.95**

Choice of any of our this FALL AND WINTER DRESSES up to \$29.75,

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We are busy receiving and placing on display our new line of holiday goods.