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JURY FINDS MURRAY GUILTY GAYS ROBBERY

Mattoon Man Faces Long Penitentiary Sentence. Bank Officials Only Witnesses of State; Positive Identification.

Edward Murray of Mattoon was found guilty of robbing the Gays bank by a jury which heard the evidence in the circuit court here this week.

The trial started Monday morning and all witnesses were heard



Upper—Edward Murray, Convicted of robbing Gays bank. Lower—Clint Brooks, Also Under Indictment for This Crime.

that day. Tuesday morning the attorneys argued the case and it went to the jury about 11 o'clock. They took four votes before reaching a verdict and reported same at 1:30.

Attorney for the defendant made a motion for a new trial. Judge Wamsley indicated that he

Rev. L. Lawrence To Give Address On Memorial Day

Observance of Day Will Start at 1:45, When March Starts to Greenhill. Memorial Sunday in Christian Church.

Sullivan will have its Memorial Day exercises next Friday afternoon. On this coming Sunday the Memorial day sermon will be preached in the morning at the Christian church by the pastor, Rev. C. E. Barnett.

On Memorial day all those who desire to participate in the exercises or to hear them are asked to meet on the Court House lawn.

At 1:30 o'clock a line of march will form here and march to Greenhill cemetery. There will be cars for the G. A. R. veterans.

The formation of march will be as follows:

- The Sullivan band. Headquarters Co. G. A. R. Veterans. American Legion. Daughters of Veterans. Legion Auxiliary. Spanish-Am. Veterans. Campfire Girls. Boy Scouts. Flower girls. The program to be rendered at the cemetery is: Selection by the Band. America—Audience. Male Quartette. Address—Rev. L. L. Lawrence, Quartette. Closing number by band.

EXAMINATION FOR UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIP

Mrs. Nettie L. Roughton, county superintendent of schools has announced that the examination for the free scholarship to the University of Illinois, which is allotted to this county, will be held Saturday, June 7th, beginning at 8 o'clock a. m. Any high school graduate past the age of 16 can take this examination. Applicants are requested to kindly notify Mrs. Roughton in advance.

TENNIS SHOES — GENUINE KEDS 98c TO \$3.75. COY SHOE STORE.

—After dinner at the National Inn, you have an entire afternoon for yourself—no dish washing.

DAIRMEN TO BE GUESTS OF KIWANIS AT LUNCHEON TODAY

The agricultural committee will be in charge of this week's Kiwanis luncheon to be held today (Friday) at the National Inn at the noon hour.

The program will be in charge of Frank Channing, from the Illinois Department of Agriculture. He will be assisted by W. S. O'Hair well known dairyman and Luther Fuller and C. M. Filson of the C & E I agricultural extension department.

This party will arrive in Sullivan Friday morning and make a general tour of the dairy farms nearby. Those who desire to accompany these folks on the dairy tour are welcome to do so. The tour starts at 9 o'clock. Further information can be secured from Chester Horn or Purvis Taber.

Rev. Lively a Baptist preacher of Mattoon was the speaker at last week's Kiwanis luncheon. He spoke on the spirit of youth and progress and his address was conceded to be one of the very best heard in Sullivan in many a day.

The Retrospect STHS Year Book Distributed Tues.

Artistic Piece of Work Crowns Efforts of Seniors Who Planned Its Style and Compiled its Contents.

The 1930 issue of the Retrospect was distributed to its subscribers Tuesday. This is the high school annual published by the Senior Class of the Sullivan Township High School.

This year's book was printed in The Progress printshop and bound in a fancy Mocotan cover of very appropriate design.

There are 108 pages in the book, printed on a high class enamelled surface paper.

It is dedicated to Mrs. Susan K. Roney, music teacher for the school, the dedication reading as follows:

"To one whom we love as a teacher and friend, to one who has so tirelessly guided our musical education throughout our school life, we the class of 1930 wish to dedicate this volume."

The book was planned in three divisions—

The School --Administration, classes.

Activities-- Organizations, Athletics, dramatics.

Features--Literary, humor and advertisements.

More than 70 cuts serve to decorate the book. Some of these are group cuts of classes; cuts of faculty have eight pictures each to a panel and the same style is followed in presenting the pictures of the 67 graduates.

Two pages of pictures are devoted to each of the Junior, Sophomore and Freshmen classes.

From first page to last page The Retrospect shows careful planning and excellent editing. The staff

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PRES. KINLEY TO CONFER DEGREES ON 2,000 STUDENTS JUNE 11

Urbana, May 21—The fifty-ninth annual commencement of University of Illinois, which will be held Wednesday morning, June 11, will terminate a three-day program of alumni and senior class activities. Dr. David Kinley, retiring President of the University will deliver the commencement address before conferring degrees upon approximately 2,000 Illini seniors.

Activities which close the University events for 1929-30 start Sunday afternoon with the baccalaureate services. The speaker will be Rev. John S. Zelle of Lake Forest.

Monday senior class day exercises and alumni reunions of the classes of '85, '90, '95, '00, '05, '15, '20 and '25 will be held. Receptions and dinners are also planned for this day.

On Tuesday the Illinois alumni reunions will continue, a concert will be presented by the University bands and the day will be ended with the President's annual reception.

When President Kinley confers the last degree Wednesday morning it will make a total of approximately 22,000 he has presented University of Illinois students while serving as head of state's highest educational institution.

SCOUT EXECUTIVE MET WITH LOCAL TROOP MON.

Ralph Varner of Decatur, Scout executive for this district visited the Sullivan Boy Scouts Monday night. He was accompanied by a number of Decatur Scouts. The local Scouts were duly registered after which the visiting Scouts gave various interesting demonstrations. The Kiwanis club of this city presented the Scouts with a big flag mounted on a staff bearing the Scout emblem.

Following the meeting at the Scout headquarters above the Meeker Candy Kitchen the boys went to the court house lawn for a tug of war.

F I C Club Selects "Value of Education for Successful Life"

The School Questionnaires Recently Submitted Indicates The Educational Activities of Greatest Interest to Club Members.

The following questionnaire was submitted to members of Friends in Council at regular meeting on May 5, with a view of obtaining the order of importance attached to news or reports on the different phases of high school instructional and administrative work.

A total of 57 questionnaires were given out of which 33 were returned filled out as specified.

Consideration upon these items was limited to a very few minutes, consequently an absolutely reliable opinion upon the relative importance of these various phases thus mentioned could not be expected.

However, the tabulated results shows this to be the order of their importance in this inquiry.

It will be noted that there were quite a number of tie votes for position.

First The Value of Education for a Successful Life—What it will do for pupils in future years, what it will do for the community and the nation and the good of mankind. How it should be controlled and

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Receiver Asked For Competitor of Brown Shoe Co.

Company That Has Erected Factory Here is Financially Sound. Hamilton-Brown Shoe Co., an Entirely Different Concern.

Suit for appointment of a receiver to take charge of the Hamilton-Brown Shoe Company for the benefit of creditors was filed in the district court at St. Louis May 19th by a bank that claims the company is indebted to it for \$360,000.

While the suit states that it is believed that the Hamilton-Brown Company is solvent, it nevertheless lacks sufficient funds to meet indebtedness coming due.

When Sullivan people saw this story in the daily papers some were alarmed and thought the company that was involved was the one which has recently built a factory in Sullivan. Such is not the case. Our Sullivan company is the Brown Shoe Company one of the biggest companies in the shoe manufacturing business. It is in no way connected with the Hamilton Brown Shoe Company, which is a competing concern which has been making a poor showing in its business for some years past according to report.

The Brown Shoe Company which will operate a factory here in Sullivan is rapidly becoming the biggest factor in the shoe manufacturing industry. But two other firms in the world in this line of business are bigger than the Brown Shoe Company.

Some Sullivan people who have been knocking the local factory project ever since its inception, who have not invested one cent in the factory proposition and who, on every pretext take occasion to discourage those who did subscribe, took it upon themselves to spread a rumor throughout the city this week that the company for which a receiver was asked was the local company.

It is difficult to believe that these people were really so ignorant as not to know the difference between the Hamilton Brown shoe company and the Brown Shoe Co. and consequently their actions had but one motive—to discourage subscribers to our local shoe factory. (Con. on page 5, Col. 2)

BETHANY ASKS STATE BUILD PART OF RT. 132

State's Delay in Sending Releases on Bethany to Sullivan Part of Road May Delay Construction Work. Committee is Working Hard.

All of the right of way from Dalton City to a point about one and one half miles southeast of Bethany has been secured by Supt. Little and the hard roads committee of the Board of Supervisors.

A committee of Bethany folks went to Springfield Wednesday to urge the state highway department to include this part of the route in the June letting. List of jobs made public last week as having been advertised for the June letting did not include any part of route 132. There is hope however that route 132 may be included in a supplementary list.

Delay in getting the necessary right of way from the Woodruff tract southeast toward Sullivan is no fault of the Moultrie folks.

Highway Superintendent Little stated Thursday morning that five releases for some of the Dunn right of way had not yet been sent here by the state department.

Working on the Sullivan end of the road, Mr. Little stated they had secured good results and practically all of the right of way toward Dunn is signed up from Rt. 32 on to and including the Will Wood tract. From there northward to the Woodruff tract some difficulty is being encountered. Through Dunn right of way must be secured from many owners of small tracts. In some cases the bigger part of residence tracts is being taken.

The committee is working hard to secure the necessary right of way on a reasonable basis. It will not be held up. If owners prove unreasonable, condemnation proceedings will have to be instituted. Nothing is being left undone to hurry the work and hopes are still entertained that the state will let (Continued on page four)

FRED ABELL FILLS VACANCY ON STAFF OF SULLIVAN HIGH

The teaching staff for the Sullivan township high school for the 1930-31 term is now complete. All of the teachers who are now teaching have been re-employed with the exception of Miss Clara Whitfield. She will teach in Bunker Hill in order to be with her mother who resides there. The entire school as well as the High school board regret Miss Whitfield's leaving.

This vacancy which is in the Mathematics department has been filled by the employment of Fred Abell who comes from the Embden High school where he was employed for the past five years. He is a young married man and both he and his wife are graduates of Lincoln College.

Hussong to Penal Farm; Percy in Jail; Bootlegging

Man Taken on Bootlegging Charge Admits Having Helped Rob A. & P. Grocery Some Years Ago. "Seed Corn" \$1.50 Per Quart.

Frank Percy and George Hussong were arrested Thursday of last week on a charge of bootlegging.

The men, who live at Rockford, have been under suspicion for some time. They were seen passing through this county occasionally and Tuesday of last week Sheriff Lansden met up with them at Lovington. Upon their invitation he searched their car but found no liquor.

The men drove South. Suspicious that the men had a place south of here where they got their supply and then peddled it en route to Rockford, the Sheriff again got on their trail Thursday. At that time Percy was at home of Jay Brown west of Lovington. It was stated that Hussong and Mr. Brown were down towards Bethany where they were contracting for baling this year's straw crop. The sheriff found them and followed them into a barnyard, quite a ways off the road. They broke two bottles of booze before he arrested them but (Con. on Page 5, Col. 4)

4-H CLUB MET AT MRS. WILSON'S HOME

The Stricklan-Palmyra 4-H club met at the home of the leader, Mrs. Reta Wilson, late Monday afternoon. Work on the undergarments was begun. A program committee consisting of Augusta Burtchard, Mildred Underwood and Berdina Black was appointed. Songs and yells were given before dismissal.

The club at a previous date had met at the home of the president, Ruth Doughty to discuss the kinds and quality of materials to be used for the projects. Marie Black, Reporter.

Fifty Graduates to Receive Diplomas From Grade Schools

Commencement Exercises to Be Held at the Lowe School Next Thursday. President McLaughlin in Charge.

Fifty pupils will graduate from the 8th grade of the Sullivan schools this year. Commencement exercises will be held Thursday, May 29th at 2 o'clock in the Lowe school building.

J. L. McLaughlin, president of the grade school board will deliver the commencement address and present the diplomas.

The program and list of graduates are as follows:

- March—Gertrude McClure. Invocation—Rev. Lawrence. Songs, "Spring Carols" and "The Woods"—Class. Salutatory—Louise Cochran. Vocal Trio—Eleanor Cummins, Letha Bushart, Mabel Colclasure, "When Daylight Dies" by Cuthbert Harris and "Song of the Robin" by Robert Brang. Songs, "Serenade" by Schubert and "May Day Song" by Anna Priscilla Risher—The Girls Glee Club. Clarinet Duets—Letha Bushart and Charles Reeder. Valedictory—Eleanor Cummins. Presentation of Class—Loren

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Daniel L. Beals Died Sunday; Leaves Fifty Descendants

Appendix Trouble Causes Death of Well Known Man Who Had Passed His 81st Birthday. Burial at Arthur.

Daniel L. Beals passed away on Sunday at twelve thirty a. m. at the home of his son Edward near Arthur. His sudden illness was caused from a ruptured appendix.

Daniel, the eldest son of Henry and Mary Beals was born Oct. 13, 1848 at Jewett, Ill., and died on May 18, 1930 at the age of eighty one years, seven months and five days.

He was united in marriage with Mary Ann Langston April 14, 1869 who preceded him in death, October 27, 1923. To this union were born six children, William H. of Brookings, S. Dak., Frank L. and Edward M. of Arthur, Ill., Mrs. Josie Quary of Sullivan and Mrs. Mary E. Moore of Los Angeles, Calif. The youngest son Roscoe S. died Aug. 27, 1915 at Oklahoma City.

Early in life he united with the church and at the time of his death was a member of the First Presbyterian church at Mattoon. He was a thirty-second degree Mason.

He leaves to mourn his loss five children, twenty grandchildren and twenty-five great grandchildren besides many relatives and friends.

The pall bearers were his grandsons Lee Quary, Orville Beals, Earl Beals, Melvin Beals, Raymond Beals and Roscoe Beals.

The flower girls were Mrs. Stella Drew, Mrs. Lorene Eastin, Miss Faye Quary, Mrs. Ferne Perrine, Mrs. Lee Quary, Mrs. Earl Beals, Mrs. Orville Beals, Mrs. Clyde Beals, Mrs. Roscoe Beals and Mrs. Raymond Beals.

The funeral was held at the M. E. church in Arthur Monday, May 19, with Rev. Neumeier officiating. The Masons conducted the services at the grave.

Those from a distance were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Scully of West Frankfort, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. H. McGilligan of Shelbyville, T. J. Castevens, Mr. and Mrs. M. Castevens, Mr. and Mrs. D. Castevens and Mrs. Ted Castevens of Fancher, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. C. Eastin of Channahon, Mrs. Fernie Perrine and Faye Quary of Detroit, Mich.

ALL MASONIC HOME CONTRACTS LET TO LOCAL BIDDERS

As reported in last Friday's Progress, Sullivan contractors have secured the contracts for the water mains and related improvements now being installed at the Illinois Masonic Home.

It was stated last week that the Elgin Softener Corp. had secured the contract for the filtering and softening equipment. This contract has been given to the L. T. Hagerman Co., and the Elgin company's material will be used on the job. L. T. Hagerman & Co., secured the work of laying the pipe line from this city to the Home and Hagerman & Harshman will build the brick structure that will house the filter and softening plant. Warren & Van Praag of Decatur are the engineers on the job.

The formal approval of the contracts by the Grand Master of the Illinois Masonic lodge took place Friday at Chicago.

These contracts will total more than \$22,000 and will give employment to quite a number of local workmen.

Closing Exercises For High School Graduating Class

Rev. Lawrence to Preach Baccalaureate Service Sunday Night. Dr. Wham Is Commencement Speaker May 30th.

The baccalaureate sermon for the class of 66 graduates of the Sullivan Township High school, names of whom appeared in The Progress last week, will be preached Sunday night in High school auditorium by Rev. L. L. Lawrence of the M. E. church. The other churches of the community will dismiss services for the evening and all will join in the baccalaureate sermon.

Commencement exercises will take place Friday night, May 30th also at the school auditorium. Mildred Chapin, class valedictorian will deliver the address of welcome. The Commencement speaker is Dr. George Wham, dean of men of the Southern State Normal University.

The programs for these two important school events are as follows:

BACCALAUREATE SUNDAY

8:00 p. m. "Now the Shades of Night Are Gone"—High School Chorus.

Hymn, "Come Thou Almighty King"—Audience.

Come Thou Almighty King Come Thou Almighty King Help us Thy name to sing Help us to praise

Father all glorious, O'er all victorious, Come and reign over us, Ancient of days!

Come, Thou incarnate word, Gird on Thy mighty sword, Our prayer attend!

Come, and Thy people bless And give Thy word success, Spirit of Holiness, On us descend!

Come, Holy Comforter (Continued on Page 5)

CARL HILL CHAIRMAN COMMITTEE PLANNING FOR FACTORY OPENING

Chester Horn, chairman of the committee which has had charge of the Brown Shoe Factory drive has named the following as a committee to arrange a program for the day of the formal opening of the factory which will be Friday, June 6th: C. R. Hill, chairman, C. R. Patterson, W. R. Robinson, D. K. Campbell and Ed Brandenburg.

The committee will meet in the near future to plan just what procedure the opening celebration shall take. Vice President McCarthy on his recent visit here stated that any program would be satisfactory to the shoe factory officials.

S. T. BOLIN NAMED PURVIS ADMINISTRATOR

In the probate court S. T. Bolin has been named administrator of the estate of the late James Purvis, wealthy Jonathan Creek retired farmer. The administrator has given bond in the sum of \$16,000.

The children of the Presbyterian Sunday school will meet at the church Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock to get their gifts for children's services.

DALE BOOKER IN SERIOUS AUTO MISHAP

In Traffic Mixup on Route 121 on Sunday Afternoon His Car Skidded into Funeral Car, Seriously Wounding Widow of Man in Hearse.

Dale Booker of this city is a patient in St. Mary's hospital at Decatur, suffering from three fractures of his skull, a broken left shoulder and numerous other bruises and cuts.

Mrs. Clara Booker of Dawson is also a patient at St. Mary's suffering from injuries so serious that very little hope is held for her recovery.

These people were injured Sunday afternoon about 4:15 in an automobile wreck on route 121 near Antioch.

Mrs. Booker was a passenger in an automobile in a funeral cortege for her husband. The funeral cortege was headed east. There were not very many cars in it. Mrs. Booker who is 66 years of age was riding in a car with a man named Pope and some other relatives.

Dale Booker was driving west in a Chrysler roadster. In the car with him were Gerald Alumbaugh and John Smith, also of this city.

Mr. Booker was on his side of the road. The funeral train was proceeding on its side. As the two were passing each other another car, a Chevrolet driven by Everett Fitzgerald of Arthur which had for a short distance followed the funeral train, turned out of line in an effort to pass it. Things then began to happen rapidly. Booker when he saw the Chevrolet approaching turned out onto the dirt shoulder of the road. Fitzgerald did likewise to avoid a head-on collision Booker took a sharp turn back onto the slab. It had rained. The dirt shoulder was wet. The clay packed into the Booker tire treads and in his effort to gain control of his car, it skidded on the wet slab and sideswiped the mourners' car in which Mrs. (Continued on page Five)

Sullivan Factory Opening Brings New Brown Shoe Plans

St. Louis Paper Features Local Plant and Quotes Interview With President Bush Relative to Enlarged Manufacturing Program.

Last week's "St. Louis Market News" a commercial paper issued on Saturday featured the Brown Shoe Company's new plan of improved manufacturing facilities.

In connection with this story, the paper had an excellent picture of the plant here in Sullivan, similar to that which appeared in last week's Progress.

Excerpts from the St. Louis paper's story are as follows:

"The opening of the new Sullivan, Ill., plant of the Brown Shoe Co., will take place June 6th and makes possible the announcement of plans which have been in the making for some time. In opening the new plant the company is making certain changes in its factory line-up which will, it is said, insure an even better balanced line and service than it has been able to offer before."

The article then quotes President Bush relative to what these changes in manufacture are going to be. In conclusion the article states:

"The addition of the Sullivan plant makes the capacity of Brown Shoe Company 75,000 pairs a day. The new factory, which is equipped with the most up to date, labor-saving machinery has a capacity of 5000 pairs of McKays a day. W. M. Kohlhauff will be the plant superintendent, having been transferred from the Salem factory. Sullivan makes the 17th manufacturing plant of the Brown Shoe Company."

RURAL GRADE SCHOOL GRADUATION WILL BE SATURDAY, MAY 31ST.

The 8th grade graduation exercises for Moultrie rural schools will be held at the Sullivan Township High school Saturday afternoon, May 31st at 2 o'clock.

The commencement speaker will be Rev. C. E. Barnett of the Sullivan Christian church.

Complete program and list of graduates will appear in next

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Editorial

He that passeth by and meddeth with strife belonging not to him, is like one that taketh a dog by the ears.

Seest thou a man wise in his own conceit there is more hope of a fool than of him.

Answer not a fool according to his folly, lest thou also be like unto him.

He that hath no rule over his own spirit is like a city that is broken down and without walls.

—Proverbs at Random

"Father planted corn in that field. True, I don't know that he ever got a crop, for the soil is too poor. But if my father thought that the field would raise corn, what sort of son am I that I should question his judgment. So I too plant corn in that field." A lot of farming is done just like that. Corn is planted on soil that does not produce a paying crop once in twenty years. It is just a matter of habit with the farmers. In travelling through Illinois I see localities like that every year. I have watched these fields in which the farmers labor hard planting corn in the springtime. I have seen them at harvest. There has never been much of a harvest, but this year again I see corn planted on that same white, light soil. It would make pasture land. It might grow hay. The Creator never intended that it should grow corn. Farming with some people gets to be a habit. They don't mix a little brain with the soil. They labor and sweat. This failing is not only to be found among farmers. It afflicts us all more or less. We get accustomed to doing things a certain way and it's easy to do them. There may be better ways; there may be shorter ways; ways more profitable, but we are too much lacking in ambition to try them and so we just plod along in the same old rut. No matter what our occupation may be, in a figurative way, most of us are planting corn on poor white soil, because father before us did.

MONEY, NOT WORLD COURT, NOMINATED RUTH SEEKING NEW WAYS TO EFFECT TEMPERANCE PEOPLE MOVE TO WHERE EMPLOYMENT IS

The Chicago newspapers still keep harping on the theory that Ruth Hanna McCormick defeated Senator Chas. S. Deneen for renomination because during her campaign she took the position of opposition to this country's entering the World Court.

If the worthy editors of these esteemed contemporaries know anything, they know that the court issue had very little to do with Mrs. McCormick's victory. They know that the immense amount of money that she spent during her campaign won for her the nomination.

She has admitted spending more than \$252,000 of her own money. According to her testimony most all of this was spent downstate. All indications are that much more than this was spent in Chicago. Where that money came from made no particular difference for it was spent for Mrs. McCormick. Political units that cast their fortune with Mark Hanna's daughter also spent thousands; friends spent thousands more. This enormous sum of money spent in organization and in campaigning won the nomination for Mrs. McCormick.

It may not be amiss to venture the guess that had Senator Deneen spent more money than Mrs. McCormick did, he today would be the nominee, world court or no world court.

Within the Republican party in Illinois, nominations are on the auction block. The candidate that has the biggest campaign fund can hire the most workers. While things have not yet reached that stage, we may surmise that if nothing is done to check this saturnalia of graft and corruption, the time may arrive when a candidate for a nomination or for an office, in this great state of ours, can make success certain by hiring a majority of the voters as paid workers on election day.

The tendency of the times is toward corruption. Ability counts for naught in the final outcome. Issues, such as the world court, are silly diversions that the newspapers may rave about. Voters pay little attention to them. The one big issue in the recent Republican primary was money. Ruth Hanna McCormick had that in plentiful supply. She won.

Dwight Morrow, confidential adviser of Herbert Hoover is a candidate for the Republican nomination for senator from New Jersey. Mr. Morrow was formerly minister to Mexico and incidentally he is also the father-in-law of Col. Charles Lindbergh.

Mr. Morrow made the front page of all the big dailies recently when he stated that he was in favor of the repeal of the 18th amendment, which fastens prohibition on this nation. He favors state control.

Before the November election rolls around next fall many more politicians will take a similar stand. Straw votes being taken indicate that the majority of the people of this nation feel that the Prohibition Amendment and the

Volstead Law are not the right avenue through which temperance in drink may be achieved. They feel that after ten years trial, without much success, there may be other ways of handling this matter.

It is even suggested that the organizations which were doing such good work in teaching temperance prior to the passage of the 18th amendment might get back on the job. The effects that their work showed were lasting, for they were brought about by education and precept, rather than by the use of the policeman's club.

The Prohibition Amendment was never piece or parcel of the American ideals of government. The nation as a whole has never been able to assimilate the idea embodied in that kind of legislation. Friends of temperance have looked askance at the remedy that the prohibition zealots have fastened on a liberty loving people.

You may educate or persuade people to be temperate but you can never reform their habits with policeman's club or the enforcement officer's gun.

Real temperance in all matters of human endeavor is a goal that all right-minded people seek. The remedy is not yet at hand.

The cities that have shown any growth during the past ten years have had something tangible to offer as an inducement to people to move there.

Why do people leave their place of domicile to move to some other city or some other part of the country?

Why would you do it?

There are many answers to this question but we believe that the best one is this: to secure a better living for myself and my family.

Some might say that they moved to a certain city because they liked the climate; some because of better school facilities; some because of the cultural atmosphere that prevails.

But the greater part of the moving population is seeking a place where it can earn a good living. That is why people are leaving the farms. It is hard for many of them to eke out a living there. That is why the big cities are growing bigger. Industries are there that offer opportunity for employment.

Did you ever happen to think that all these people that you meet must have some sort of income—from some source they must get some money with which to buy food and clothing and shelter?

That is why our ancestors left the European countries and came to America. The move is ever on. People who may be making just a fair living, move on to places where conditions look brighter. Man wants not only a bare living for himself and family but he also wants opportunities for his children, proper schooling, etc., so that they too can equip themselves to earn a living when they reach the age where the parental roof can no longer be expected to shelter them.

We in Sullivan will have people moving in here during the coming years. We hope to be able to give them employment. We aim to make our city a pleasant place for them. We seek to give them all necessary educational facilities for their children. We must ever bear in mind that a community is only as good as the people that are in it.

We must get a vision of a bigger and better Sullivan and ever hold that before us. If prosperity is to come to Sullivan, we must first prove ourselves worthy of it.

What sort of city would you like Sullivan to be in five years from now? In ten? Have you any ideals for this community; if so, will you shuck off your coat and co-operate with the rest of us in bringing them to a realization?

Hints for the Home

by Nancy Hart

FRITTERS TEMPT SPRING APPETITE

Fritters are one of those appetizing small things of the table that add an air to an otherwise ordinary meal. Here are some good recipes for fritters for any one of the three meals.

PEACH FRITTERS

Dip halved canned peaches in sweetened fritter batter and then fry them in deep fat. Drain them thoroughly on brown paper, roll them in powdered sugar and serve them hot.

CHEESE FRITTERS

Add grated cheese to fritter batter, drop by spoonfuls into the hot fat, drain on soft paper and serve with a little grated cheese sprinkled over each.

APPLE FRITTERS

Pare and core several apples. Cut crosswise in thin slices so each will be doughnut shaped. Dip in lemon juice and then sprinkle with brown sugar, cinnamon and nutmeg. Finally dip in the usual fritter batter and fry quickly in hot fat. Sprinkle with powdered sugar just as served.

BANANA FRITTERS

Bananas should be cut in round slices about an inch thick; or, they may be cut in halves and split. Dip in fritter batter and fry.

PIMENTO FRITTERS

Drain canned pimientos and wipe as dry as possible. Insert in each a small slice of American cheese. Sprinkle with salt and pepper and dredge with flour. Sauté in butter, first one side and then the other until thoroughly heated and cheese begins to melt. Serve on squares of buttered toast garnished with parsley. Or dip in batter, and fry in deep fat.

One of the weaknesses of advertising is that it's so difficult to say anything about a thirty-cent cigar that the nickel-cigar man hasn't already printed.

Scrap Book

THE BLUE AND THE GRAY

By Francis Miles Finch

By the flow of the inland river,
Whence the fleets of iron have fled,
Where the blades of the grave grass quiver
Asleep are the ranks of the dead:

Under the sod and the dew,
Waiting the Judgment day,
Under the one, the Blue;
Under the other, the Gray.

From the silence of sorrowful hours
The desolate mourners go,
Lovingly laden with flowers,
Alike for the friend and the foe:

Under the sod and dew,
Waiting the Judgment day:
Under the roses, the Blue;
Under the lilies, the Gray.

So, with an equal splendor
The morning sun-rays fall,
With a touch impartially tender,
On the blossoms blooming for all:

Under the sod and the dew,
Waiting the Judgment day:
Brodered with gold, the Blue
Mellowed with gold, the Gray.

So, when the summer calleth
On forest and field of grain,
With an equal murmur falleth
The cooling drip of the rain:

Under the sod and the dew,
Waiting the Judgment day:
Wet with the rain, the Blue;
Wet with the rain, the Gray.

No more shall the war-cry sever,
Or the winding rivers be red;
They banish our anger forever
When they laurel the graves of our dead:

Under the sod and the dew,
Waiting the Judgment day:
Love and tears for the Blue;
Tears and love for the Gray.

Illinois has a total area of 20,000,000 square feet under glass for the production of flowers and ornamental plants.

The best work is done by men whose consciences won't let them do inferior work.

The Way of Life

BY BRUCE BARTON

You ask me how you can get a better job.

My answer is that you can't. All over the country are millions of young men who, in a vague sort of way, want a better job: and here and there among them are the worth-while few who want the better job.

And the millions wonder why the few move on, while they stand stationary year after year.

You must, first of all, pick out the better job—some particular job that is better than yours. Then train yours guns on that and capture it.

You tell me that you are a bookkeeper and that you earn \$25 a week.

I know certified public accountants who earn \$10,000 a year and more.

If I were a bookkeeper earning \$25 a week, I should go out for a public accountant's job. I might die on the road, but whoever found my body would notice that my face was toward the summit.

Second: You can never make anybody pay you more money until you have more to sell.

I can advertise in a newspaper tomorrow morning and have a hundred bright young men here at eight o'clock. Each one will have just as much to offer me as you have; the same two years of high school; the same experience in keeping books, the same good record. Every one of them will be willing to work for \$25 and some

of them for \$18.

The only way you can lift yourself out of that \$25 class is by giving yourself an equipment that the rest of the fellows in that class do not have. In other words by study—by education—by specialized training.

Third: When you have picked out the one particular better job that you want, when you have fitted yourself for it then be careful of your letter of application.

Your letter is your representative. For heaven's sake, if you have in you any spark of originality that other men have not, make your letter a tiny bit different from other letters that the other men will write.

Fourth: I receive many letters of application. In one form or another, they usually say something like this: "I want a better job; I am thinking of getting married"; or, "I have a mother to support"; or, "I have been three years in this place without a raise and see no future."

All of which interests me not at all.

The only letter that I read with interest is the letter of the young man who has studied my business and who points out to me how I can make more money for my employer by employing him.

Idea is the key that unlocks big men's doors.

When you have fitted yourself for the better job, let your letter of application contain an Idea.

The Family Doctor

By JOHN JOSEPH GAINES, M. D.

OLD REMEDIES—AND NEW

Fifty years ago, we demanded just one thing of a drug—it must produce results. No medicine survived that did not measure up to this one requirement. The patient expected action in return for his effort at swallowing the massive, obnoxious dose with often the abominable smell; if it cured the malady, one considered himself amply repaid for the awful experience of swallowing the mess dipped up by the rusty knife blade of the old family doctor. There were few drugs then that were of known reliability.

It is amazingly different today. About the most unpopular thing I know of is the coarse, unpalatable dose. The doctor who makes a practice of giving medicines without a supreme regard for the patient's aesthetic taste will, in time, work himself out of a respectable clientele. No matter what its supposed virtue as an eradicator of disease, people will have the doctor who dispenses the minute, sugar-coated, often forceless thing.

Hence the bobbing up of the highly commercialized pharmaceutical "houses" who have flooded the universe with their products—probably three fourths of which might be done without a particle of risk! For all this stuff, people are supposed to be paying at the rate of a billion dollars a year! The business has grown and flourished, until the larger half of our country is the manufacturing half; where will it end?

I have a patient, a little woman of thirty-five, who had thirteen quarts of dropsical fluid removed from her abdomen two weeks ago by a surgeon—the proper thing was done, but—the fluid is returning slowly!

A happy thought—the old "compound jalap powder." She had never heard of it. One dose daily is removing the stuff at the rate of a quart every 24 hours—while I am attending to the underlying cause of it. What a grand old remedy that just won't fit in to the discard! Let's honor the old remedies for awhile yet, before throwing them all overboard.

COUNTY'S LEFTOVER TIMBER NEGLECTED SOURCE OF INCOME

Moultrie county's original forested area of 39,181 acres has been stripped to 2074 acres which now stand as a neglected source of farm income, according to L. E. Sawyer, extension forester of the College of Agriculture, University of Illinois. In most counties the timber that has been left after clearing for farming and by lumbering is badly abused and neglected, much of it containing no material that is merchantable at the present time except for firewood or posts, he said.

According to these figures Moultrie county has less forested area at this time than any other county in the state.

By exercising a little care, owners can turn their woodlots into a reserve bank account that will increase in value each year and provide a source of income for the future, Sawyer pointed out.

"Far too many of the woodlots in the country are considered as worthless areas that are detrimental to the rest of the farm. They are grazed, often burned over each year and generally neglected. As a result when their owner needs some lumber he is unable to find trees in his woodlot that will produce logs of enough size and quality. Accordingly he has to buy the material from a lumber yard, usually at a high price.

"Much of the original timberland of the county that was cleared for farming purposes or thru lumbering is far too steep to cultivate at a profit. Erosion is taking place on it at an alarming rate and it had better be turned back to timber. Even where the soil on these steep slopes is held in place by a sod, there is very little grazing possible. Few of these areas are yielding enough to pay the taxes."

Mrs. Samantha Button of McHenry, Illinois, is the only living mother of a Civil War soldier in the country. She is 102 years old.

No one is perfect, and that's why we all have a chance to make a showing.

Wahrheit und Dumheit

Two farmers met on the street. They had long been enemies. "Say John," said Jim "I said some nice things about you to a fellow this morning."

"You did" said John smilingly. "And what were they?"

"Why I told him you have one of the very best and most complete sets of farm equipment in this neighborhood. I told him your horses were easily worth more than any of your neighbors and that you sure had stuff that was worth real money."

John got all puffed with pride as he asked: "Who did you tell that to?"

"I told that to John Pifer, the assessor," said Jim, as he went on his way whistling.

"How do you like this car, I bought it second hand" said the youngster as he gave his girlie a ride.

"You don't say! Well I'd never have guessed it. I thought you made it all by yourself."

George—"I've never seen such dreamy eyes."

Alberta—"You've never stayed so late before."

An ad tip—Make them come to your place of business because you've got the goods they want. Tell 'em about it.

He never did like to help a neighbor. He wanted pay for his time and effort. Somehow, he did get up to the pearly gates and St. Peter invited him in. "Now just a moment, Peter" said he "What am I going to get for the time I put in here?"

A travelling salesman sat in a Sullivan dining room Monday morning and watched the rain fall. When the waitress served his food he remarked. "It looks like the flood."

"Like what" the girl inquired. "Why like the flood you've doubtless read about; you know the ark landed on Mount Ararat, you've surely read that."

"No sir" confessed she "I've been so busy I haven't seen a newspaper for three days, but I'll doubtless read about it in The Progress Thursday evening."

All thought and no action is a beautiful cloud without any beneficial rain.—D. D.

A bull frog's mother thinks he is beautiful.

If you're not up and digging for business, some fellow will soon take a shovel and dig your grave.

The bad men would be easy to handle if they did not have so many redeeming qualities that force us to like them in spite of ourselves.

No matter how much of a crook he now is, there was a time when he was mother's darling baby boy.

Everybody who has ever been on the witness stand knows how difficult it is to really testify in an intelligent manner. With one attorney shouting "Answer" and the other side shouting "Wait a minute, I object", the witness naturally feels somewhat up in the air.

In the Murray case Monday, Charles Farrell a railroad man living at Gays was a witness for the defense. He saw some man coming out of the bank at the time of the robbery. Attorney Real wanted to prove by Farrell that Murray was not that man. Mr. Farrell was not inclined to testify that way. After having answered "No" three times to the same question, while Don Craig and Fred Kelley shouted "We object" Mr. Farrell looked the attorneys over and then turning to the jury remarked "Well, it's pretty hard to tell in a case like this."

If court procedure would prohibit the use of the words "immaterial and irrelevant" in the trial of a case, most present-day lawyers would be hopelessly sunk.

I have an old friend, who some time ago had a rather amusing and at the same time embarrassing experience. During the many years I have known this man he has worn a full beard that spreads low over his chest. Today that beard is of snowy whiteness.

Some months ago there was funeral in that community. This man came to pay his respects. It was near Christmastide. As he entered the house of mourning a little lot of three spied him and began shouting "Whee, there's Santa Claus, see him, there's Santa Claus." A few other youngsters were equally convinced that Santa had come to attend the funeral and it was some time before the mothers were able to restore the order and dignity that was deemed fitting to the occasion.

A successful business man is as sensitive to the voice of his customers as a politician is to the voters.

Bethany

(Mildred Sharp, Correspondent)

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McGee and Mrs. W. E. McGee and children spent Sunday near Dalton City with Frank Monroe and family.

J. W. McIlwain is having his house painted.

R. L. Lancaster and family attended the birthday dinner of his father, J. W. Lancaster at Beecher City Sunday. Miss Dorothy Lancaster remained to spend a month with relatives.

About nine o'clock Friday morning the fire truck was called to the home of W. R. Bone to extinguish a small blaze on the roof of the kitchen. The fire was put out before much damage was done.

The twelve eighth grade students held their commencement in the high school gymnasium before a large audience Thursday night. A splendid address was given by Rev. O. E. Foster, pastor of the Presbyterian church.

Charles Dedman and J. L. Jinks have purchased a Chevrolet coupe of J. W. Armstrong.

The Bethany cafe opened Saturday with a big chicken dinner after being closed all week redecorating the room.

Mrs. Joe Garrett and children spent the first of the week in Cass, Indiana with relatives.

The baccalaureate service will be held at the high school Monday night, May 25. Rev. W. H. Johnson, pastor of the M. E. church will deliver the address.

The Woman's club held a luncheon at the Bethany cafe Tuesday.

Mrs. S. J. Scott surprised her husband by inviting a number of friends to spend the day with them Sunday, it being Mr. Scott's birthday. There were nineteen present.

Miss Kathryn Bone will teach the first and second grades next year.

The third and fourth grades finished the school year with a picnic Wednesday in the Mrs. Mattie Hoskins grove. The fifth and sixth grades held their picnic in the Schwartz grove.

M. W. Sutton and family moved the latter part of the week to their new home, recently purchased of J. W. Armstrong.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Sutton have moved to their new home recently purchased of M. W. Sutton.

J. W. Armstrong and family have moved to Decatur where Mr. Armstrong has a position.

If you like people, you'll generally find they like you.

LAKE CITY

Mr. and Mrs. James Byrum of Decatur and Mrs. Sallie Wilson of Evanston spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. John Rankins.

Mrs. Vivian Dickson entertained the members of the J. B. club of Lovington at her home Thursday afternoon.

Thomas and Junior Crowdsom of Decatur visited last week with Mrs. Osa Ault.

George Martin Engel of Decatur is spending the summer with Howard Woodall and family.

Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Springer and Charles Shirey of Decatur and Mr. and Mrs. Bryce Shirey of near Macon called on relatives here on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Ed Tueth who has been very ill is improving.

Miss Marie Witoff of Normal spent the week end with Miss Geraldine Keyes.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Baker and daughter Helen of Decatur spent Sunday with L. M. Baker and family.

Miss Vera Woodall entertained a number of friends at her home Saturday night. Those present: Raymond Hester, Edward Coventry, Robert Campbell, Raymond and Dale Smith, Clifford Whitaker, Rachel Devine, Gregory Prichard and Donald Lindsay of Lovington, Melvin Alexander and Virginia Van Horn of La Place, Ruth and Donald Cripe, Doris Stackhouse, Aileen Dickson, Marguerite Dickson, Hortense Redfern, Vance Baker, Ralph Redfern, Barbara Wiggins, Dale Woodall, Geraldine and Mildred Keyes of Lake City and Miss Marie Witoff of Normal.

H. E. Howell and family of Findlay visited Sunday with T. F. Wiggins and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Estes spent the week end with relatives in Decatur.

Mr. and Mrs. Leverett Rich entertained a number of friends at an ice cream supper at their home Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Noel and Mr. and Mrs. Chester Dickson were Decatur visitors Sunday night.

EAST COUNTY LINE

Daniel L. Beals, eighty one years old died Saturday night at the home of his son Ed Beals. Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at the Methodist church in Arthur.

John Higginson and family were in Mattoon Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wisner and daughter visited with P. P. Wisner of Arthur Saturday.

Doris Craig spent Thursday

night with Clarice Pound.

Mrs. J. A. Price, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Easton of Humboldt visited Sunday with R. P. Freesh and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jonas Sexton of Arcola spent Sunday with A. J. Sexton and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvan Rominger of Arthur visited William Lilly and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ryan and daughter of Allenville, Mr. and Mrs. James Ryan and Dean LaValley spent Sunday with Mose Sherman and family of Lake City. Miss Lela Hall spent the week end with her parents in Neal.

Mr. and Mrs. John Heerdt spent Saturday in Champaign with Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Heimburger.

Lucille Pound visited Sunday with Mary Milam.

Miss Pauline and Imogene Janes spent the week end with their parents in Windsor.

Miss Doris Wisner spent Sunday with Alice Pound.

Mr. and Mrs. John Heerdt visited with Francis Steck and family of Lovington Sunday.

Miss Lucille Epling and Ellen Webb of Arthur, Hulda Haney, John Craig and family and Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Watkins spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Harmon.

EAST HUDSON

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Monroe and son Wayne visited Thursday with Ira Mayberry and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Dedman and daughter Irene visited in Findlay Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. J. E. Watkins visited Mrs. Carl Shasteen Saturday evening.

Thomas Tippett of Cincinnati, Ohio, visited over the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Dedman.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Monroe visited Friday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hostetter near Gays.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Tucker and Mrs. Flora Creech spent Sunday afternoon with Miss Ann Elliott.

Elmer Burks and family visited Sunday with Virgil Niles and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Watkins spent Sunday evening with Ira Mayberry and family.

Mrs. Lois Wiles and mother, Mrs. Cochran and Mrs. Arthur Dowers of Bethany visited in Decatur Sunday.

Wayne Monroe and Gifford Wheeler visited Dale Booker in the Decatur hospital Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Monroe spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Monroe.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Sweitzer and family visited Sunday evening with Miss Ann Elliott.

MINOR GIRLS ORGANIZE FOUR H CLUB

The girls in the Minor Community met at the school house with Mrs. Hughes and organized the Minor 4-H Sewing club, Saturday afternoon, May 17, at 2:00 p. m.

At present the members are as follows: Lucille Bathe, Francis Riley, Lucille Freese, Doris Riley, Mildred Kenney, Ruth Ashbrook, Alice Kenney, Burnice Hawbaker and Lula Freese.

The following officers were elected: President—Lucille Bathe. Vice Pres.—Mildred Kenney. Sec.—Treas.—Doris Riley.

Cheer Leader—Ruth Ashbrook. Club Reporter—Lula Freese.

Lucy Freese was chosen club leader. The next meeting will be held at the Minor school house on May 31, at 8:00 p. m.

Lula Freese, Reporter.

COLES

Miss Helen Davis entertained the Safety Legion club at her home May 13. After the business meeting refreshments were served.

Those present were Arlene and Alberta Buser, Glenn and Harold Cuffie, Wayne and Juanita Martin, Helen, Esther and Ina Goddard, Irene and Pauline Waltrip, Cleo Graham, Bernice Flesher, Dale Hinton, Robert Flesher, Franklin, Robert, Richard and Charlotte Davis, Mrs. Frank Buser and children, Jean, Billy and Jeanette, Mrs. Cora Cuffie and Mrs. C. A. Davis.

The Home Bureau unit met at the home of Mrs. Earnest Martin Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Nora Bouck spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. Lois Mathias and daughter.

Helen Davis spent Friday afternoon with Alberta Buser.

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

Mr. and Mrs. George Crawley were in Olney Sunday.

Elmer Cooley and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bouck.

Geary Armantrout spent Sunday with Robert Gass.

Esau Feller and family spent Sunday with Guss Teaney and family.

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

There will be a Children's Day

program at the Coles church on Sunday night, June 8th.

Miss Alberta Buser spent Sunday and Monday with Helen Davis.

Rev. Wilbur filed his regular appointment at Colman Sunday.

The young people's Sunday school class met at the home of Helen Henderson Saturday night. Refreshments were served. Those present were Olga Feller, Marie Feller, Myrtle Ames, Doris Hinton, Thelma Curry, Helen, Zela Henderson, and Leon Feller, Whitney Ames, Otis French, Olaf French, Robert Curry, Charles Henderson.

There will be preaching at the Coles church Sunday both morning and evening.

Mrs. Richard Bouck, Mrs. Coral Wilbur, Mrs. Nora Bouck, Mrs. Anna Davis were callers in Mattoon Monday.

LOCALS

The Morgan Community club met at the home of Mrs. C. Davis Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Homer Wright who spent several weeks with friends and relatives at this place, left for her home in Orlando, Florida Friday.

Mrs. Charles McPeeters entertained the Y. C. club at her home Tuesday.

John McCarthy made a business trip to St. Louis, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Booker spent Sunday with relatives at Paxton.

Mrs. Len Loveless spent Tuesday in Decatur.

Mrs. Alma Sims and Mrs. Herman Lambrecht were Decatur visitors Wednesday.

Mrs. G. A. Sentel entertained a number of friends at a lawn party Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Ethel Newbould and children Enid and Harold and Miss Lou Phelps went to Lovington on Tuesday evening where they were entertained to dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Bowers.

Mrs. J. H. Smith and Mrs. J. L. McLaughlin spent Monday in Decatur.

Prof. Charles Butler of Columbia, Mo., spent the week end with his father, Dr. S. T. Butler and other relatives.

Miss Wilma Delassus, Miss Ida Wilson and Mrs. C. C. Wolf and daughter spent Saturday in Decatur.

Dr. S. T. Butler and Dr. Don Butler who spent last week in Decatur where they attended a meeting of the Illinois State Dental

Society returned Friday.

Mrs. Rose Haydon and Mrs. Maude Sullivan of Chicago visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bristow Sunday.

Dwight Ramsey who was assisting in placing the machinery at the Shoe factory had his right foot mashed Monday when a wheel fell on it.

Mrs. W. K. Holzmueller was called to Teutopolis Tuesday on account of the death of her uncle, Tony Myers who was buried at that place Wednesday.

Miss Claudia Yarnell visited with relatives in St. Louis Sunday.

Do you want a radio. Look at the list of Bargains listed in L. T. Hagerman & Co., adv. this week.

Lee Roughon attended a fraternity dance held in Springfield Saturday evening.

Wayne Fulk, Hugh Grote, Melvin Lilly and Charles Cummins attended the track meet in Champaign Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Whitchurch and son Francis Hill and Mrs. McCoy who had been staying at this place left Tuesday for a three weeks' visit with relatives in Centralia.

Mrs. Jim Bozell went to Sycamore Friday where she visited at the home of her son Raymond Bozell over the week end.

Miss Veda Hankla came Wednesday for a two weeks' visit with

her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hankla.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Harris left Tuesday for Peoria where they attended the graduation exercises of their daughter, Miss Meda Harris.

Prices at ALLISON'S

Ladies & Misses dresses, French linen were \$4.95 now \$2.95.

Voile \$1.95 to \$3.95 up. Also Pongees at \$5.95 & \$6.95 Rayon Flat Crepe, \$5.95, \$7.95 and up

Beautiful Ensembles for \$4.95 Reg. \$19.75 now \$16.75; \$24.75 now \$16.75.

Tailored suits were \$16.75, now \$9.75

All spring coats and dresses, now reduced. Sizes 40 to 50, All Silk Flat Crepe was \$14.75 now \$10.75

All silk Canton Crepe was \$16.75, now \$12.75

You must look these over to realize their beauty and value.

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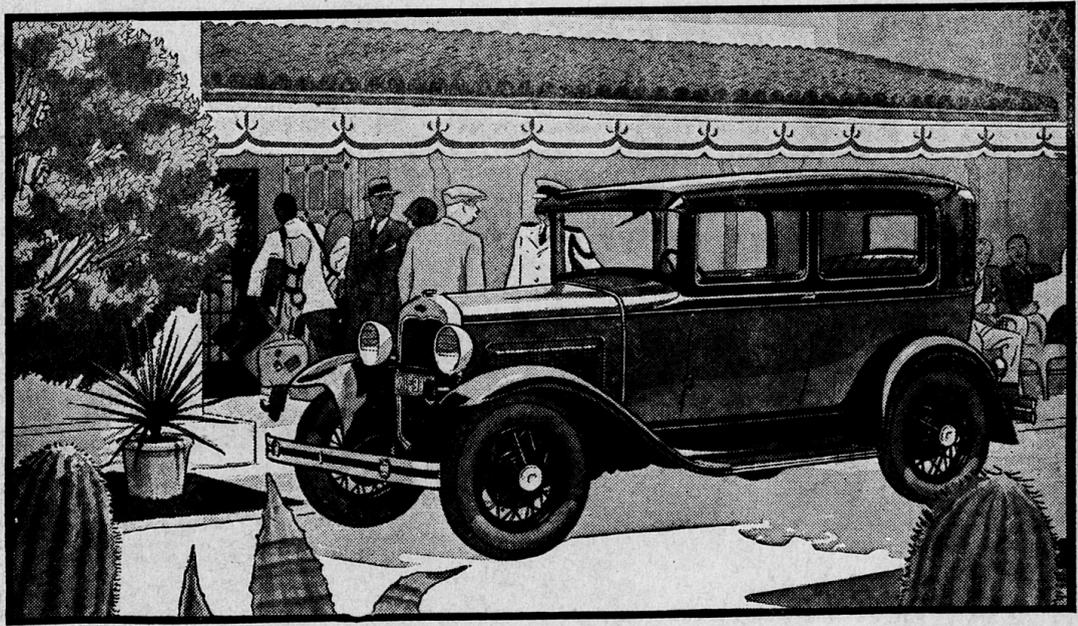
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Roadster	\$435	Coupe	\$500	De Luxe Coupe	\$550	Convertible Cabriolet	\$645
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FORD MOTOR COMPANY

BETHANY ASKS STATE BUILD PART OF RT. 132

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the entire section of route 132 from Sullivan to Dalton City early this summer so work can be started and pushed to conclusion on the greater part of it by fall.

KINDLY TAKE NOTICE!

The Commander of Post 318, G. A. R. kindly requests all soldiers of all wars, their wives and widows to meet with them and the Daughter of Union Veterans at the North door of the Court House on Sunday morning May 25th at the hour of 10:30. From there we will march to the Christian church where Rev. C. E. Barnett will deliver the Memorial Day address.—Dated this 20th day of May 1930.

PALMYRA

Glenn Shaw spent Friday afternoon with Jean Hollonbeck. Merle Carder and Jane Webb visited High school Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Martin spent Tuesday with Mrs. Sarah Weaver. W. S. Delana was a Sullivan caller Friday.

Miss Wilma Shaw who had been visiting relatives in Springfield returned home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Carson and Mr. and Mrs. George Batman spent Friday with Mrs. Sarah Powell.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Fleming spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Fleming.

Miss Belle Misenheimer is visiting her sister, Mrs. Rose Bolin. John Hollonbeck of Paris spent the week end with his parents, A. A. Hollonbeck and family.

BABY BEEF CLUB

SELECTS A NAME

The 4-H Baby Beef Club met at the Farm Bureau office Monday evening and among other things decided upon the "T—Bone Calf Club" as the official name of the organization. The boys voted to make attendance at three fourths of the meetings, unless properly excused, one of the requirements for showing in the county show. A constitution and set of by-laws was also adopted at this meeting.

One of the unique features of the club is the fact that there are three boys enrolled who go by the name of junior: Junior Evans, Junior Bolin and Junior Thomas. The next meeting will be June 2, at which time plans for the club tour to the university will be made.

Robert Miller, Reporter.

F. O. HAWBAKER RECOVERS CAR THAT WAS STOLEN

F. O. Hawbaker of this city who conducts a poolroom in Shelbyville had his new Pontiac sedan stolen Friday night. Several hours later it was found on the slab near Tower Hill. The car had been driven without water, and the overheated engine balked. A sack containing \$54 and some other articles were stolen from the car.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Estate of Nancy Bean Deceased The undersigned having been appointed Executor of the estate of Nancy Bean late of the county of Moultrie and the State of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Moultrie County at the Court House in Sullivan, at the July term on the first Monday in July 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 10th day of May A. D. 1930.

WALTER C. BEAN Executor. Cochran, Sentel & Cochran Attorneys. 20-3t

SIRON'S WEEKLY NEWS GAZETTE

NO. 12 H.V.S.—Editor

We like to be kept busy. Bring in your surface blades, your cultivator shovels, etc. Get them put in first class condition and you'll be able to do first class work with them.

The shoe factory is putting lots of ideas into some folks heads. Take Bud Freeman for instance. Bud's a good fellow, but he's a bachelor. Now he's thinking about getting married. He says: "After this factory gets started, I may pick me a good girl that works there and makes nice money. I'll then send Halac Landsen or Chas. Getz to see her and ask whether or not she'll have me. You know I'm awfully bashful, and what bothers me is to think that I'll have to be present and hold her hand at the wedding."

And please don't forget that we sell lawn mowers, shoe horses and do everything else you'd expect of a first class blacksmith.

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CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

WANTED—Single or small family washings to do. Mrs. Sarah Wood, 2113 W. Jackson Street, Sullivan. 21-tf.

LOST OR STRAYED—Black and white spotted hound, long, slim brown head. Had name "John R. Black" on collar. Reward if returned to John R. Black, Alleville, Ill. 21-2t*

FOR RENT—Good 6 room house, partly modern. See Cap Hamblin, Phone 692. 21-tf.

FOR SALE—Smooth mouth bay horse, weighing about 1800. A good worker, will sell cheap. Alva Holsapple, Sullivan. 1t*

FOR SALE—1 round dining table, buffet, 6 chairs, 2 double beds, 1 single bed, chifferobe, ice box, dresser, library table, steel cot, 2 roll top desks, 2 9x12 linoleum rugs, Cook stove. Mrs. James Reeder, phone 153. 1t*

FOR RENT—Small cottage. Call Phone 233-w, Mrs. G. F. Allison. 21-tf.

DON'T FAIL to use Magic Rug Carpet and Clothes cleaner. Makes old rugs look like new; no trouble to use. G. F. Allison, Phone 233-w. 17-tf.

FOR RENT—8-Room house with four lots near high school. See J. D. Martin or call 233-w. 6-tf.

FOR SALE—Team of good work mares. John Traylor, Sullivan. 20-2t*

FOR SALE—One Model T roadster, cheap. Noah Smith, Sullivan, phone 474-w. 1t*

FOR RENT—Modern eight room house and about 12 acres of pasture land. Inquire at Sullivan of W. G. Cochran or O. F. Cochran. 19-3t

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

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Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Stokes, Ansil Howard and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dolan and Mr. and Mrs. Ott Carnine were Sunday guests of Leo Carnine and family.

John Bracken moved the first of the week from Sullivan to his farm south of the church.

Mrs. Walter Bolin and Maud Johnson called on Zelma Mathias one evening last week.

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Church services Sunday are Sunday school at 10 o'clock and preaching at 11 and 7:45.

CUSHMAN

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FULLERS POINT

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Therald Pritts a young Bethany man who sometime ago was arrested on a charge of having stolen money from the High School, which he was then attending as a senior, appeared in court here on Monday morning. Judge Wamsley named Judge Sentel to advise him.

After conference young Pritts entered a plea of guilty and asked to be placed on probation. The request was granted and Sheriff Lansden was named as parole officer.

H. S. Yarbrough who got into trouble last year and was placed on a year's parole reported to the court at the conclusion of the year. As he had not yet paid the expenses of the case, he was given six months more to do so.

ALLENVILLE CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Willis W. Vose, one of the state evangelists of the Illinois Christian Missionary Society, who has been spending the past week in all of the Christian churches of Moultrie county, will close his work in this county on Sunday. His theme that day will be "Pentecost" and he will be speaking from the Christian church at Alleville. The service will follow the Bible school hour.

CHARLES ATCHISON HAD BIG BIRTHDAY PARTY

Saturday being the 6th birthday of Charles Atchison, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Atchison, a birthday party to which his playmates were invited was given to do due honor to the occasion. Ice cream and cake were served as refreshments. Those present were Eyan Hughes, Bernice Cummins, Lois Tichenor, Eloise McDavid, Helen Shaw, Junior Leeds, Tommy Isaacs, Richard Foster, Wilbur Rentfrow, Bobby and Dickie Lawrence.

PROF. BREWER WILL HEAD TOLEDO SCHOOLS

Prof. C. L. Brewer, formerly superintendent of the Sullivan grade schools, but who for several years has been a member of the Farmington high school staff, has been chosen for the superintendency of the Toledo, Illinois schools for the next term. He served in such capacity at Toledo for five years some years ago. After leaving Toledo Mr. Brewer taught at Casey, Bement, Kansas, Sullivan and Farmington.

WHATS-A-MATTER WITH ALL THE SWEETHEARTS

The records in county clerk Martin's office show that no marriage license has been issued here since May 3rd. We have had some nice weather for necking, spooning and proposing, but no marriages. President Hoover ought to name a commission to look into this matter.

"NEWS REEL" PICNIC

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CARD OF THANKS

We desire to thank all friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy in the hour of our bereavement, when our beloved mother, Mrs. Mary Jane Silver died. Especially do we thank for the floral offerings.

Mrs. J. D. Foster Mrs. Almon Nicholson Ralph R. Silver Roy J. Silver

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LOCAL COUPLE WED LAST WEEK IN TERRE HAUTE

A marriage license was issued in Terre Haute on Tuesday of last week to Shelbe Tarter 36 and Mrs. Blanche Farlow 37 both of this city.

Mr. Tarter has for some months been an employe in the Benson restaurant. Mrs. Farlow whose maiden name was Schoonover is well known here.

They have rented the A. J. Buxton property on Harrison street and are having it remodelled into a rooming and boarding house.

U. OF I. WANTS DEAN CLARK TO REMAIN ON JOB

Thomas Arkle Clark, since 1909 dean of men at the University of Illinois, on May 11 passed his 68th birthday, which is the retiring age of the university. Both faculty members and students are joining in strong efforts to have Dean Clark continue for at least another year and action in this direction may be taken at the next meeting of the board of trustees. There are certain conditions under which a faculty member may remain active after reaching the age limit.

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JURY FINDS MURRAY GUILTY GAYS ROBBERY

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would hear arguments on this motion at Tuscola some time before June 9th which will be the next day of court here.

The verdict of the jury carries with it a penitentiary sentence of from 1 year to life.

After disposing of several motions in other cases Judge Wamsley instructed Circuit Clerk West to "call the jury." Twenty-four talesmen were called before twelve were found to be satisfactory to both the prosecution and the defense. These twelve were: Ray Blythe, Walter McClure, Ray Misenheimer, Otto LeCron, Carl Heerd, J. H. Donaker, Ed Cordray, Hugh McDonald, O. G. Buxton, George Keown, Elbert Lawson and Dan Leslie.

Murray's defense attorneys were Raymond Real of Mattoon and Francis Purvis of this city. The state was represented by R. B. Foster, states attorney and Fred Kelley and Don Craig of Mattoon, retained by the State Bankers Association.

Identify Murray

After the attorneys had briefly outlined to the jury what they intended to prove by their witnesses, the state called B. H. Hooten, cashier and T. R. Storm, president of the bank to the stand. Both of these witnesses detailed the incidents in the bank at the time of the robbery on the afternoon on December 11th. They also told of visiting The George Morris filling station in Mattoon on the following morning and identifying Murray as the man who had taken the most active part in the robbery.

Mr. Storm stated that he knew Murray because he had seen him in the spring of 1926 when he was a member of the grand jury and Murray was a prisoner in the county jail. Murray at that time was indicted for stealing an automobile from Elmer Wood and entered a plea of guilty to the charge. The records in this case were introduced to substantiate Mr. Storm's testimony.

Attorney Real in his cross-examination unsuccessfully tried to entangle the witnesses and to make them qualify their positive assertions of identification.

The defense then put the following witnesses on the stand: Charles Farrell, who saw a man come out of the bank after the robbery, carrying a bag. He would not say whether or not this man was Murray; Dr. Knowlan, J. E. Litsell, Howard Miller, Jacob Hortenstine, Edward Murray, Mrs. Edward Murray, George Morris, Riley Odell and Howard Lacey. Some of these witnesses testified of having seen Murray at the filling station at some time during the afternoon when the bank was being robbed. None could state that they had seen him there during the hours that the robbers were in Gays.

The Gays bank was robbed on the afternoon of December 11th, 1929. Three men pulled the job. Murray was said to have been the most active and he carried the sack into which the loot was put. None of the men were masked.

Following the robbery President Storm remembered that the active robber was a man named Murray whom he had seen at Sullivan in the Spring of 1926 while he was serving as a grand juror. He found out where Murray worked and in company with Cashier B. H. Hooten, who was the other man in the bank when the robbers were there, they drove to the Morris filling station in Mattoon the next morning. There they saw and identified Murray and his arrest followed.

Brooks' Connection

Several other parties were later arrested for complicity in the robbery but not enough evidence was found to hold any of them except Clint Brooks. The only evidence against Brooks is that the Dodge car used in the robbery was identified as his property.

Brooks is in jail here now. The authorities of DuBois County Indiana want him on a charge of having helped rob the Jasper, Ind., bank this spring. The governor of Indiana has asked Gov. Emmerson for Brooks, but due to the fact that Brooks is now a paroled Illinois convict there has been some delay in disposing of the case.

Coles county authorities also want Brooks. Together with Murray he was recently indicted on a charge of having attempted to rob the Humboldt bank.

Just what disposition will be made of Brooks is rather doubtful at present.

STATE ROAD "STOP" SIGNS MEAN STOP
John Elliott was arrested Wednesday by officer Charles Getz on a charge of not paying any attention to the "Stop" sign at the intersection of Jefferson and Hamilton streets. In the court of Judge L. Lambrecht he paid a fine of \$5 and costs.

Local officials have issued a warning that state traffic regulations will be strictly enforced.

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DALE BOOKER IN SERIOUS AUTO MISHAP

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Mr. Fitzgerald stopped his car and took Booker to the hospital. Mrs. Booker was also transported there and the funeral procession went on its way.

Warrants charging reckless driving have been sworn out against Dale Booker and Everett Fitzgerald by the folks who were with Mrs. Booker.

The injured woman and Dale Booker are in no way related. The Booker family in this city had never heard of the Booker family at Dawson, prior to the accident.

RECEIVER ASKED FOR COMPETITOR OF BROWN SHOE CO.

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ory and to make it difficult to collect the installments on the factory pledges as they become due.

The shoe factory committee, which has worked hard to accomplish something for Sullivan is not at all pleased with the malicious activities of those who are always more ready to tear down than to build.

GAYS

Mrs. P. P. Pleasants and family have gone to Tennessee to join her husband who is employed there.

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Chicken thieves visited Mike Cullen's hen house Sunday night about 1 o'clock and took 35 hens.

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Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Farrell, Mrs. Lillie Farrell and Mrs. Mollie Drake have gone to Iowa for a visit.

Mrs. Dorothy Clawson will soon be able to come home from the hospital.

The Mother and daughter banquet Friday night was largely attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Miles have a new Ford Coach.

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DALTON CITY

Mrs. C. A. Alberts and sons returned from a short visit in Emboden.

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Mrs. A. L. Spangnel who has been seriously ill is reported getting along nicely.

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The I. P. L. band of Decatur played here Friday night.

The United Brethren and the Christian church of this community are planning a union Children's day program to be held the first Sunday of June.

The United Brethren Christian Endeavor will give a play Friday evening at 8 o'clock. It is entitled "He's my Pal." The characters are:

Tom Spark, young carpenter—Dale Trulock.

Wally Allen, in advertising—Merle Minor.

Ma Averill, everybody's mocker—Elma Reeter.

Lark Marie Sumner, engaged to Wally—Rhodabelle Blackard.

Calvin McCay, a henpecked husband—John Albright.

Blossom McCay, his wife and boss—Inez Fiast.

Harry Booth, in real estate—Robert Armstrong.

Smudge, cook at Ma Averill's—Sylvia Cowger.

Kitten Blake, beauty specialist—Lucille Bobbitt.

Dick Smith, real estate salesman—Howard Minor.

Roger Gail, Wally's Pal—Harold Cole.

Mona Spark, Tom's sister, an ugly duckling—Mabelle Feist.

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Pupils' Progress and Achievement—How well the pupils are learning at school. How well they read, add, multiply, spell, etc., compared to pupils in other schools. Why pupils fail, how they are promoted.

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Business Management and Finance—How the school gets and spends its money. Tax levies and school costs compared to other cities. Borrowed money, bonds, insurance, methods of keeping accounts. Repairs, heating, plumbing and school supplies. The school budget.

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Methods of Instruction—How the pupils are taught to read and write, how they are taught English, history, arithmetic and other subjects. Devices the teachers use to make learning easier and more effective. Size of classes, the laboratories, libraries, examinations, reviews, classification of pupils.

School Buildings and Building Program—How good they are, and what new ones should be built and where. How much they will cost. How do the present buildings compare with those in other cities, are they safe from fire, how far do the children walk to school.

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Board of Education and Administration—How they organize and administer the schools. The meetings of the board, the rules of the board, supervision of the school. Division into elementary, junior high, senior high schools, and the reasons for it. How the school checks up on the results it secures.

SHERIFF'S SALE

BY VIRTUE OF AN EXECUTION and fee bill issued out of the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Moultrie County, and State of Illinois, and to me directed, whereby I am commanded to make the amount of a certain judgment recently obtained against M. B. Baum in favor of W. S. Jones out of the lands, tenements, goods and chattels of the said defendant, I have levied on the following described property, to-wit:

Lots Numbers One (1), and two (2), in Block No. one (1), in Hale's Second Addition to the village of Bethany, Illinois, as the property of the within named defendant, M. B. Baum subject to trust deed in favor of S. J. Scott, trustee, in the sum of \$600, and the rights of the owner of the note therein described.

THEREFORE, according to said command, I shall expose for sale, at PUBLIC AUCTION, all the right, title and interests of the above named defendant in and to the above described property, on the 7th day of June 1930, at the hour of ten o'clock a. m. of said day at the west door of the Court House, in the City of Sullivan, Moultrie County, Illinois.

Dated at Sullivan, this 8th day of May, 1930.

CHARLES LANSDEN, Sheriff of Moultrie County, Illinois. 20-3t

FIFTY GRADUATES TO RECEIVE DIPLOMAS FROM GRADE SCHOOLS

(Continued from page 1)

Brumfield, Supt. of Sullivan Public schools.

Address and presentation of diplomas—J. L. McLaughlin, Pres. Board.

Benediction—Rev. Barnett. Class Motto—"Honor Waits at Labor's Gate." Class Colors—Old Rose and Green. Class Flower—American Beauty Rose.

Eighth Grade Class

Lucille Alumbaugh, Lois Arterburn, Letha Bushart, Dorothy Brumfield, Louise Cochran, Olleen Condon, Eleanor Cummins, Mal-ei Colclasure, Dottie Courtright, Mary Fleming, Lermice Fultz, Marguerite Grigsby, Maxine Hughes, Rachel Kinsel, Julia Locke Maxine Luke, June Myers, Doris Matheson, Gynith Mayberry, Mildred Standerfer, Dorothy Yates.

Richard Barclay, Dean Brackney, Floyd Barnes, Charles Barnes, Guy Carmine, Harold Conard, Owen Crockett, Paul Dixon, Alvis Farlow, Philip Hagerman, Jack Hollonbeck, Leo Horn, Wayne Hughes, Leo Jenne, Pearl Lanum, Owen Loy, Delmar Meadows, David Moore, Melvin Neddin, Howard Poland, George Poland, Luke Parker, Charles Reeder, Talmadge Reeser, Lone Reedy, Lloyd Selby, Edmund Scheer, Dale Wine and Charles Walker.

Faculty

Loren Brumfield—Supt. Gertrude McClure—Music. Etha Lindsay—Mathematics. Grace Lansden—Reading. Marjorie Clore—Geog. Ruth Hill—Grammar. J. Kenneth Roney—History. Regina Flesher—Writing and Spelling.

Marie Hoke—Fifth Grade. Vicia Freese—Fifth Grade. Blanche Carroll—Fourth grade. Mildred Tressler—Fourth grade. Ola Reedy—Third Grade. Wauneta Durborow—Third G. Grace Pence—Second grade. Maurine Evans—Second grade. Anna McCarthy—First Grade. Gertrude Fortner—First Grade.

Board of Education—Pres., J. L. McLaughlin, Secretary, Ada M. Chapin; Mrs. C. E. Edwards, Don Butler, Frank Gibbons, Chester Horn, Burnie McDavid.

HUSSONG TO PENAL FARM; PEARCY IN JAIL; BOOTLEGGING

still had a gallon and a quart in the car. Brown was no longer with Hussong at the time of the arrest, but he picked up another passenger. The sheriff did not arrest either Brown or the other fellow but did take Hussong and Percy into custody.

When arraigned in the county court here Hussong entered a plea of guilty and got a sixty day term at the state penal farm. Percy did not plead guilty. He formerly lived at Lovington.

Some years ago his brother and some other parties were arrested in Effingham and there told Sheriff Lansden that they had robbed the A & P store in this city. The Sheriff has always had his suspicions that Frank Percy was also involved in that robbery.

Percy evidently was under the impression that his brother had implicated him in his confession at Effingham, for when the Sheriff told him the other day "You were the fellow who drove the car for the A & P. robbers. You stopped the car and waited for them down at the Birchfield House" Percy admitted that such were the facts.

This matter will doubtless be taken up by the next grand jury.

An interesting side-light of the arrest of these bootleggers is a check for \$1.50 that the Sheriff has in his possession. The check is marked "For Seed Corn" and signed by a well known Moultrie man. Sheriff Lansden says that "Seed corn is now evidently selling at \$1.50 per quart."

CLOSING EXERCISES FOR HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATING CLASS

(Continued from page 1)

Thy sacred witness bear, In this glad hour! Thou who almighty art, Now rule in every heart And ne'er from us depart, Spirit of Power!

Amen. Invocation—Rev. C. E. Barnett. Anthem, "The Pilgrims' Chorus" Wagner—High school chorus.

Reading of Scripture—Rev. L. L. Lawrence. Vocal Solo, "Life's Perfect Promise", Stickle—Elinore Hagerman.

Baccalaureate sermon—Rev. L. L. Lawrence. Quartette, "My Task" E. L. Asford. Rose Eden Martin, Helen Gauger, Alberta Harsh and Elinore Hagerman.

Benediction—Rev. C. E. Barnett. Commencement Friday, May 30 H. S. Auditorium 8:00 p. m.

March, "The Red and Black"—Leon Reeder. Composed by Leon Reeder and dedicated to the Senior class of 1930.

Invocation—Rev. J. C. Irvine. Trumpet Solo, "Love Came Calling"—J. S. Jamerick—Leon Reeder.

Address of Welcome, Valedictorian—Mildred Chapin. Vocal Solo, "Keep On Hopin'" by Heron Maxwell—Rose Eden Martin.

Address—Dr. George Wham. Presentation of Class Gift—Vernon Elder.

Presentation of Scholarship and Citizen Awards—R. A. Scheer. Presentation of Diplomas—H. C. Shirey.

ALLENVILLE

Mrs. John Turner and daughter Berdina and Mrs. Oliver Marshall spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Booker in Sullivan.

Mrs. Lowell Kepp and son of Atlanta Georgia are visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Wernsing.

Mrs. Sherman Burcham spent Tuesday in Sullivan.

Fern Black spent Sunday with Marguerite Newlin.

Mrs. Veta Moran spent a few days recently with Mrs. J. C. Judd. The extra gang who are laying steel have moved their bunk cars to Sullivan.

Mrs. Forest Misenheimer and daughter Joyce spent Saturday evening in Mattoon.

Boyd Burtchard was a Mattoon visitor Tuesday.

Wm. Butts of Mattoon was a caller here Monday.

QUIGLEY

Forty young people gathered at the Charles Goddard home on Sunday afternoon for a game of base ball.

George Chisenhall underwent a major operation at Warsaw, Indiana last Thursday. Latest reports say he is getting along very well.

J. B. Tull of Indianapolis was a week end visitor with S. D. Tull and wife.

J. N. Walker and family and J. W. Lee attended a dinner party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Silas Ringo of near Sullivan Sunday.

Miss Mary Sims is visiting with relatives near Bethany.

Mrs. William Shuck has been quite poorly for the last few days.

Butler Williamson and family visited relatives in Decatur Sunday.

George Anderson and family of Mattoon spent the week end here.

Miss Edith Reed was a business visitor in Shelbyville a few days' last week.

Norton Waggoner of Shelbyville was a business caller in the Quigley neighborhood last week. He was our former rural carrier.

George Seed of Robinson and Miss Eva Tull of Windsor were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Tull.

Mr. Tatman and family of Altamont moved last week to Mrs. Harriett Hartsel's tenant house.

Ephram Vaughn spent Sunday with R. M. Turentine and family. Clarence Gaston and family of

THE RETROSPECT STHS YEAR BOOK DISTRIBUTED

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which had charge of the work, set a definite aim of quality and interest and worked toward that unceasingly.

The editor in chief was Miss Mildred Chapin. To her direction and editorial ability is due to a large measure the success of The Retrospect. Miss Enid Newbould was business manager and Miss Helen Dunscomb was snapshot editor, an essential feature of the art work of the book.

Leon Reeder was joke editor; Levia Elder supervised the art; Rose Eden Martin was in charge of the Literary productions and Wilma Wilson of the school calendar. Lloyd Hawbaker was editor of athletics and Lilly Sullivan of organizations. Typists were Loveta Carson and E. Mathias.

The various classes were represented on the staff as follows: Seniors—Louise McLaughlin. Juniors—Joseph McLaughlin. Sophomores—M. Wiley.

Freshmen—Elmina Scheer. The faculty sponsors for the book were C. V. Taylor, Miss Inis Matthew, Miss Clara Whitfield and Miss Leona Dundas.

Nearly the entire issue of The Retrospect was sold before publication. It will be a valuable souvenir of school days for any of the students who now attend the Sullivan Township High.

PYTHIAN SISTERS INSTALLED NEW OFFICERS RECENTLY

Lilly Temple No. 19 Pythian Sisters at the last regular meeting installed the following officers:

P. C.—Mattie Fread. E. S.—Esther Hall. E. J.—Samantha Callahan Manager—Elizabeth Foster.

M. of R. V.—Anna McKenzie. M. of F.—Gertie Kinsel, Protector—Roe Hawkins. Guard—Maude Wood.

Elizabeth Foster was installing officer assisted by Stella Drew as G. Sr. A very interesting meeting was enjoyed by more than a third of the membership. The Sisters are planning to meet in the Household science club room as soon as the by laws are revised and hope each member will feel responsible for the success of the organization

near Pinhook were afternoon callers.

Miss Mabel Root has returned from a visit with her sister Mrs. Scott of Mattoon.

Ben Rose of Cisco spent part of last week with Mrs. Nance. Howard Henderson, Lester Goddard and wife, Alva Reynolds and wife, Clem Harmon and family spent Sunday with Mrs. Reta Reynolds and son of Windsor.

Frank Watson, father of Mrs. Wirt Lovins of Windsor died Friday night at his home in Muncie.

Mrs. Bruce Farrell and daughters were Sunday dinner guests of T. B. Goddards.

Walden school closed Wednesday of last week with a surprise dinner for the teacher, Miss Ruth Rankin and her pupils.

ARTHUR VICTOR IN LOCAL TRACK MEET

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Arthur high was winner 73 to 44 in a dual meet with Sullivan there Thursday. Kinney led the Arthur team with 20 points, and Daily of the same squad was second with 15 points. Freeman was third and highest for Sullivan with 12 points.

Summary
100 yard dash—Won by Daily, (A); second, Freeman (S); third, Reeves (A). Time—11 seconds.

120 yard high hurdles—Won by Kinney (A); second, Craig (A); third, Fleming (A). Time—19.5 seconds.

220 yard dash—Won by Daily (A); second Freeman (S); third, Reeves (A). Time—24 seconds.

220 yard low hurdles—Won by Horn (S); second, Reeves (A); third, Fleming (A). Time—28 seconds.

440 yard dash—Won by Daily, (A); second, McDavid (S); third, Gregory (A). Time—57 seconds.

Half Mile run—Won by Ray (A); second, D. Elder (S); third, Wining (A). Time—2:15.2 min.

Pole vault—Won by Mentzer (A); second, V. Elder (S); third, Angel (A) and Wining (A). Height—10 feet.

High Jump—Won by Collins (S); second, Mentzer (A); third, Rhodes (S) and Dunscomb (S); Height—5 feet, 7 inches.

Shot put—Won by Kinney (A); second, Moore (S); third, Freeman (S). Distance—39 feet, 43 inches.

Discus throw—Won by Kinney (A); second, Craig (A); third, Ashbrook (S). Distance—98 feet, 6 inches.

Javelin throw—Won by Kinney (A); second Horn (S); third, Freeman (S). Distance—147 feet.

Church Notes

ST. COLUMBA'S CHURCH
Church will be held Sunday at 8 o'clock a. m.

SMYSER CHURCH

There will be an all day Memorial Service and basket dinner at the Smyser church Sunday, May 25th. Rev. Raymond McCallister, our former pastor will be present in the afternoon and deliver the Memorial address.

Come, bring your baskets and spend the day with us.

CHURCH OF GOD

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

Sunday school at 9:45. Preaching at 11:00. Young People's meeting at 6:30. Preaching at 7:30. Mid-week service Wednesday night at 7:30.

Cottage meeting Friday night, at the home of Fred Williams near the West Hudson school house, one mile North of Cook's bridge. We are expecting Rev. James K. Ward of Decatur to speak at this service.

A cordial welcome is extended to every one to all of these services.

The blessings of God's great salvation are awaiting every soul that is weary of sinning and longing for something better. Could greater love be shown the sinner than that declared in Rom 5:6-8? "For when we were yet without strength, in due time, Christ died for the ungodly. For scarcely for a righteous man will one die: yet peradventure for a good man some would even dare to die. But God commendeth his love toward us, in that while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us." God thus gave His only Son to die for the world that every one could be saved. Those who live in sin and die in sin do so against the will of God: "The Lord is not slack concerning his promise, as some men count slackness; but is longsuffering to us-ward, not willing that any should perish, but that all should come to repentance."

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

C. E. Barnett, Pastor.

Memorial Sunday will be observed at the Christian church on Sunday morning at 10:45 o'clock with the Methodist and Presbyterian churches uniting in the service. It is a day consecrated to those who are dead, who have given their lives for their country; to honor those who are living, and to lead the hearts of men to Him who has paid the price of true liberty with His own blood.

The members of Grand Army of the Republic, Daughters of Union Veterans, American Legion, American Legion Auxiliary, Boy Scouts and Camp Fire Girls will be in attendance. Seats will be reserved for these organizations. The public is most cordially invited to this service beginning at 10:45. The pastor will deliver the Memorial sermon.

There will be no evening service at the church as we will unite in the baccalaureate services at the high school, at 8 o'clock.

The Christian Endeavor meeting will be held at the usual hour, 6:30 p. m. Mildred Chaney will lead the meeting, the subject, a timely one, "How Missionaries Advance World Peace." This service will be adjourned in time for all to attend the meeting at the high

school. Opportunity for bible study is given in the Sunday School session, beginning at 9:30 a. m. There will be inspiring numbers by the orchestra, a brief special program, uplifting songs and study. In order to give sufficient time to the Memorial service at the church hour, the communion service will be held at the close of Sunday School.

Let every one wear a small flag or a poppy next Sunday at Memorial services, 10:45 a. m.

METHODIST CHURCH

Church school 9:30 a. m. Morning worship 10:45 a. m. Epworth League 6:30 p. m. Evening service 7:30 p. m. The above time for services will change the first Sunday in June as follows: Evening service and Epworth League one half hour later. Epworth League at 7:00 p. m. and Evening worship at 8:00.

We shall honor the Civil War Veterans, living and dead at the special Memorial Service to be held at the Christian church this Sunday morning at the regular worship hour. Church school at the regular hour, and leaving at once following church school for the Memorial Service.

The Baccalaureate service will be held at the High school this Sunday night at 8:00 o'clock. Therefore there will be no evening services at our church, either for Leaguers or for evening worship.

Our regular choir rehearsal is held every Wednesday night, at the church, unless announced otherwise. The young people rehearse at 7:15 and the adult choir at 7:45 promptly.

The second Sunday in June is Children's Day. It is the Sunday service devoted to the baptism of babies and the baptism and church reception of children who have received instruction for church membership. We urge parents, guardians, friends and Church teachers to inform and encourage children to take this step on Children's day.

There will be a Union church vacation school in June. Parents are requested to guide the thinking of their children along this line so that they may have the advantage of this school.

The boys of Rev. Lawrence's Sunday school class will go on a hike to the river Saturday morning early. Boys will meet at the parsonage at 6:15. In case of rain the hike will be postponed.

This is World Service month in the Methodist church. All members and friends so inclined are asked to not only give, but to make a sacrifice in their giving for this cause. Our apportionment for this conference year is \$317. We are far behind on this amount and the year is half gone. Use the envelopes distributed last Sunday, fill and bring them to the service the first Sunday in June.

The Probationer's class for boys and girls of the ages 9 to 13 years inclusive is held at church each Thursday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock. The purpose of the class is to give instruction in baptism and church membership. The class as a group is to be taken into the church on Children's day.

GOSPEL MISSION

9:30 a. m. Sunday school. 6:30 p. m. Y. P. meeting. 7:30 p. m. Evangelistic services. 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting on Thursday.

Brother George Buckles, wife and daughter of Chicago were with us for the service Sunday

evening. Ex. 15:23—"And when they came to Marah, they could not drink of the waters of Marah, for they were bitter."

God shewed Moses a tree which when he had cast into the waters, they were made sweet. That is they were drinkable, and with a relish.

Marah lay directly in the path of Israel as they went from Egypt to Canaan. Here we have a type of the Christian way and Cross of Christ.

Directly in our pathway of the Lord's leading, we find not one, but many Marahs. The Christian is called upon to bear many things which in the natural are very bitter, hard things to bear, and we find ourselves saying, Lord we cannot drink of the waters of Marah, for they are bitter. But we find that when we have come to the time and place that we must drink of the cup, that the cross of Christ has been cast into the waters and they have been sweetened.

We believe that we can safely say there is no cup of bitterness, that the cross of Christ will not sweeten, no trial so severe but when cast upon the cross of Christ we will gladly bear for Him.

LOVINGTON

Mrs. P. L. Robe of Clinton visited with Ira McBride and family the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Medford Nethery and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Nethery near Bement.

Jerry Redding and Dean Hoover were in Champaign Saturday. Dwight Hoover U. of I. student returned home with them for the week end.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Leo Smith a son Monday, May 12. To Mr. and Mrs. Milton Furdue a son, May 13.

Mr. and Mrs. George Harris and Mr. and Mrs. Ira McBride and son Foster visited the Art Institute in Decatur Sunday.

The O. E. S. were invited to attend a meeting at Sullivan Tuesday evening.

Plans for the dedication of the Community park on May 25 are

well under way and the committee is doing its best to make this a wonderful success. The speaker will be J. L. McLaughlin of Sullivan. Special music will also be given. The program will be held in the new park pavillion, rain or shine.

The Senior Class play "The Mummy and the mumps" will be given at the H. S. auditorium on Tuesday, May 27. It is a 3-act comedy. Miss Barbara Gregg is directing the play.

Simpson Bros. are erecting a new service station and lunch room on route 32 just south of their old location, the Standard Service Station. They hope to be open for business by Memorial day.

J. A. Alexander and the entire high school faculty with one exception have turned in their signed contracts for next year. Miss Margaret Carter in charge of Home Economics will not teach here next year. Her place is yet to be filled. Other faculty members are Keith Perkins, K. V. Hennin, J. R. Martin, C. C. Galbreath, Barbara Gregg, Lorethy Dearth, Blanche Jordan and Margaret Vaughan.

The Woman's club met Tuesday of last week at the home of Miss Clorie Dawson. Mrs. M. W. Munch, president of the club presided. The regular business and election of officers for the ensuing year were conducted. Mrs. Harry Clore was elected president. The other officers are Mrs. O. R. Brooks, first vice; Mrs. S. A. Poff second vice; Mrs. C. C. Galbreath Secretary and Mrs. G. L. Lindsay, treasurer. Reports were given of the district meeting in Monticello. Mrs. Vada Ascherman gave an interesting paper on "Women Interested in the Political World." Mrs. G. L. Lindsay gave some negro dialect readings. Miss Clorie Dawson gave some very interesting points in China painting. The committee was appointed for the May luncheon which will be held Monday, May 27 at the home of Mrs. M. W. Munch.

Mrs. Laura Williams, Mrs. S. R. Redding and Mrs. Melvin Stricklan were business callers in Sullivan Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Blackwell and son spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Stricklan.

Mrs. Glenn Rutger and Mrs. E. K. Johnson were callers in Arthur Friday.

Miss Grace Hoover formerly of this place and now a missionary in China has written home some very interesting letters in regard to the banditry, heathenism and famine in that country.

KIRKSVILLE

Miss Merle West spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Flossie Wiseley.

Dale Wheeler of Bethany is visiting a few days with his cousins, Raymond and Earl West.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Marble and daughters Wilma and Bertha and Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Frederick spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. William Rhodes.

Tildon Selock and wife of near Shelbyville spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Donnell.

Mrs. Fay Cooley and son Billy of Sullivan spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Evans and family.

Junior Evans spent Sunday night and Monday with his cousin Billy Cooley of Sullivan.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bruce and daughter Patsy Lee spent Sunday with John Wallace and family.

Leo Wickiser and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wiseley and Miss Rose White spent Sunday with Charley Wiseley and family.

Woodrow Miller spent Friday night with Joe West.

Mr. and Mrs. Othello Bruce of

Bethany spent Sunday with Geo. Bruce and family.

E. Graven and Wallace Ritchey were Shelbyville visitors Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Wheeler and family called on Mr. and Mrs. Floyd West and family Friday.

SCHOOL HOUSE ROBBERS OPERATING IN INDIANA

Some weeks ago school houses in Sullivan, Pana, Mattoon, Olney and other Illinois towns were broken into. Much damage was done to the furniture. At first it was thought that these crimes were done by home talent, but from the general similarity in which the robbers operated, it seems that they must be a roving band.

In Sunday's Chicago Tribune appeared the following item, showing that Indiana schools are now the object of attack:

School Safe Looted
Petersburg, Ind., May 17—Thieves last night entered the public school building, obtained crowbars and chisels, forced the door to the superintendent's office, and knocked the door off the safe. They found \$25. All furni-

ture in the office was wrecked. Officers estimate the damage at \$1,000. Officers believe that a woman assisted in the robbery.

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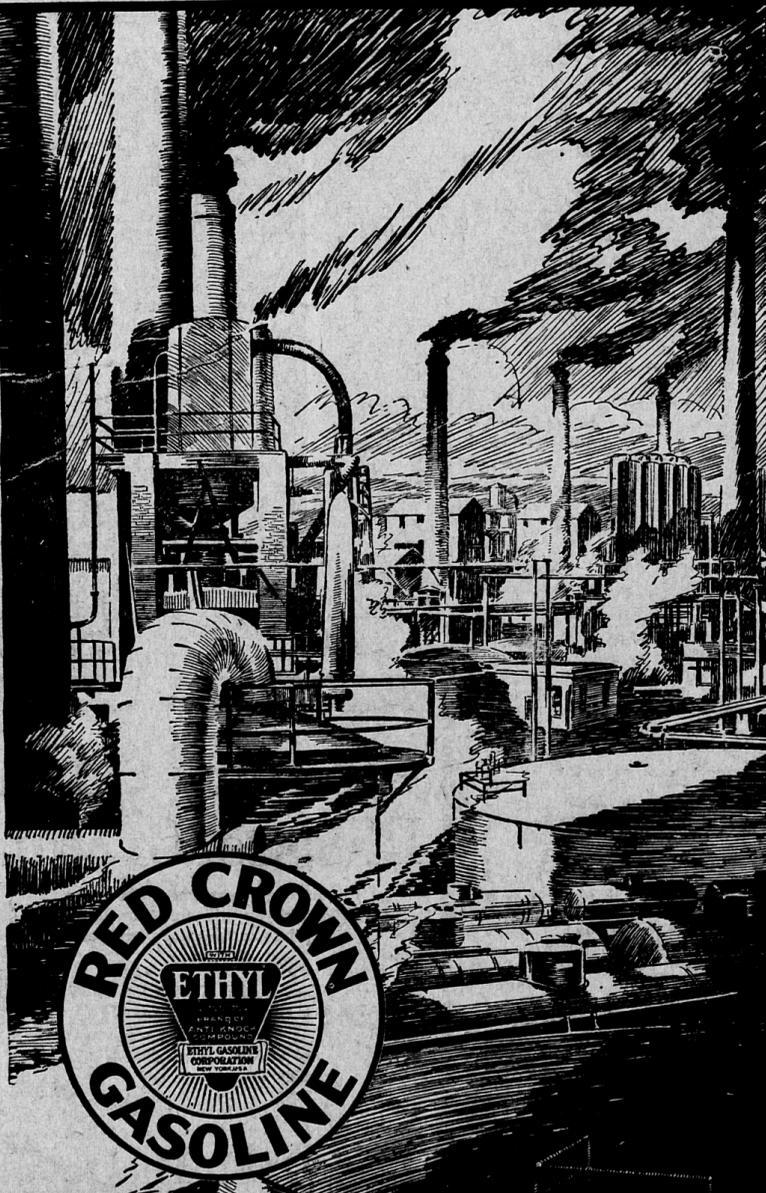
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BY ELIZABETH JORDAN

FIFTH INSTALLMENT

When she reached the building that was her objective she was not at first favorably impressed by it. It was an old structure and time-battered one, but it faced an open East Side square and its windows looked out on the green trees and shrubs of this square. The appearance of the entrance hall was better than the buildings' outward aspect. It was clean and cheerful, though the janitor, Marcel's friend, who somewhat deliberately responded to the bell, had the gray look of one who dwelt among ashes.

There were only two vacant apartments in the place, he assured the lady, while his eyes rested somewhat critically on the small satchel and the big newspaper bundle she carried. One apartment was on the ground floor and the other on the top—the latter three flights up and no elevator. The sitting-room of this one looked out over the park, though, and there was a kitchenette not much larger than a closet, with a gas stove in it, where the young lady could make her coffee in the morning if she liked.

The young lady accompanied him up three flights of carpeted stairs and approved the apartment at the top. The price asked for the rooms was reasonable.

"I'll take it," Eve decided, "if I can move in now."

"Tonight?" The janitor revealed a natural surprise at this expedition.

"Right now," the new-comer repeated.

"How about your references?"

"My references will be the month's rent in advance, and I'll pay it this minute." Eve took out her purse, holding the name of Marcel in reserve. If she could for the present avoid mentioning that, she preferred to do so. The fewer who knew of her Garland connection the better.

The janitor hesitated, looking her over again. Then with a shrug of his thin shoulders he took the offer and the cash.

The casualness of the transaction made Eve rather thoughtful. Still, Marcel had testified that the place was respectable.

She went to the door with the janitor to get his final message about the delivery of milk and rolls in the morning.

"I can let you have a little coffee, too," he graciously decided.

There were two apartments on the floor, and as the man talked the door of the opposite one opened and a girl came out. She was a blond girl, young and rather pretty, with very round chine blue eyes. She wore evening dress, far too elaborate for her environment but it was her color and expression that caught and held Eve's attention. The color was a blue-white, and the look she cast at the two standing there was almost desperate—not at all the glance of a curious stranger, but the unconscious appeal of one who was suffering physical pain. She moved slowly, holding to the side rail as she descended the stairs, and responded to the janitor's offhand greeting with an inarticulate murmur.

"Who is that?" Eve asked when she had disappeared.

"Miss Ivy Davenport. She has that flat. She dances in a cabaret, but she's a nice girl, jest the same. She ain't well, though. She's been sick a lot lately, an' it looks to me like she's sick again to-night." Evidently the janitor liked Miss Davenport. He was still looking after her with sympathetic eyes.

"But I reckon she's got to go an' dance jest the same," he added.

"Poor girl! How can she dance? The young person who had danced them was not Eve's sort, but she had a pang of fellow-feeling that surprised her. Here was another who was in trouble.

"Don't be scared if you hear her comin' home at four in the morning," the janitor remembered to add. "She won't bother you none daytimes. She sleeps till five or six. G'night."

Eve nodded and watched him with unhappy eyes as he drifted in Miss Davenport's wake like a bit of gray fog. Looked at in retrospect the Garland seemed the vision of a wanderer's home, and the memory of Hamilton's boyish smile and dependable face brot an almost intolerable sense of nostalgia. But when she had turn-

ed back to her apartment and was moving about her bedroom, preparing for the night,—the janitor had thoughtfully turned on the electric lights in both rooms,—she reminded herself that she was safer alone. Whatever the dangers of her present course, she could not, would not, have remained among those to whom she was a "case." And there was Marcel, who had once known her and who at any moment might appear with a shining face to tell her who she was.

"I must be an amazing optimist when I'm myself," she reflected with a deep sigh.

It was an unkind trick she had played her Good Samaritan, but she had been driven to it and she did not regret it. At the thought of the Garland her panic returned. Doctors, nurses, consultations, sanatoriums—there was no end to the possibilities Hamilton had set in motion when he called in that psychiatrist.

Better be anywhere and free than in the power of even the best intentioned strangers.

The night was a bad one. For hours she lay staring out into the blackness of the narrow court while panic enveloped her like an icy fog. It took all the courage she had, all the strength of her soul, to hold on to herself. At intervals she switched on the light and looked at her watch. Foms might have passed since she looked last but they hadn't. Sometimes it was only an hour, or even half an hour—

When the black court was growing gray she heard Miss Davenport's return; at least she assumed that the steps were her neighbor's and that it was Miss Davenport's door that was yielding to the urge of a nervous key. Eve's watch bore out the theory: quarter-past four. She drew a deep sigh, turned again, and hoped that the girl felt better. With the approach of dawn some of the blackness lifted from her spirit. She slept.

The sun was shining when she awoke, and a lively tattoo on the panel of her outer door had brought escape from an especially unpleasant nightmare. She slipped into a wrapper, unlocked her door and confronted the janitor. He carried a tray which held a table-spoonful of ground coffee in a cup a dab of butter and a glass of milk, with an egg as an added attraction.

Eve gave him a dollar. He deserved it for his leniency in that little matter of the references, but something deep within her sent up a warning signal as she handed it over. A young person in her situation and with less than three hundred dollars in the world must learn not to part with any of those dollars too lightly. This one proved a good investment.

"My name's Smith," the janitor volunteered. "Guess you won't have any trouble rememberin' it."

When Smith had reluctantly departed—it had also become clear that his was a companionable soul—she prepared her breakfast and, to her own great surprise, ate it. She had cooked it under a joggling sense of duty; she must "keep her strength" as Hamilton had advised. But the coffee was good, the roll was crisp, the egg was fresh. The efficiency with which she performed the simple task proved that it was a familiar one to her. She must have prepared many such breakfasts in the past, some of them, no doubt, in Paris. Deep in her subconscious mind, just out of her mental reach, lay the memory of those meals, of those days. She saw—or did she see? a studio with a sloping roof—a wide skylight with a glimpse of sky-line and twin towers etched against it. Her absent hand reached at times toward a shelf that was not there,

for utensils that were missing— Surely, surely memory was stealing toward her, out of the black shadows.

As soon as she had washed the dishes, made the bed and dusted the rooms (this last with one of the few towels!) she wrote to her Good Samaritan. She owed him that much. She had brought with her a pencil and a few sheets of the hotel's notepaper, from which she painstakingly tore off the printed headings. Then she penciled these lines:

My dear Mr. Hamilton:
Forgive me for seeming ungrateful; I am not that. But I must not be a burden to strangers, however kind and friendly they are; and I know it is best for me to be alone. I have found a safe, quiet, respectable place, where I can wait. They say that those who recover from a lapse like mine do not remember what happened in the interval. So I shall write out the account of our meeting and put it away with your card. And when I am myself again I will write you and tell you so, and try to thank you properly.

In the meantime don't worry about me. And please don't try to find me.

Most gratefully yours,
Eve Personne.

She made a long journey uptown. She must mail that letter in a part of the city remote from where she lived, for of course Mr. Hamilton would regard the postmarks as clues. After that she took a long walk in Central Park and bought her necessary household supplies and a few magazines.

After this it was only eleven o'clock and the long day stretched before her as an appalling blank to be filled. However, there was Marcel's visit in the evening to look forward to, and she killed the seemingly endless interval by a visit to the public library, to write at a table there the account of her meeting with Hamilton. She wrote the bald facts from the time of the memory lapse, putting down the episodes without comment, save in the matter of Hamilton's kindness. On an impulse she included his Chicago address.

The writing kept her occupied for more than an hour. Then she read for two hours. She entered a drug store and had a glass of milk as a late luncheon. Then she went back to Central Park and killed an additional two hours watching children at play.

Marcel arrived at eight that evening, wearing his best garments and a highly expectant expression. She had decided to tell him the truth. It was a risk, but he was already partly in her confidence, and it was probable that he had been questioned about her. Better let him have the facts than to give his Gallic imagination too much rein.

He listened with interest, but wholly without understanding, and obviously with relief. This little matter explained very well the oddness of Mademoiselle. But of a certainty it was a trifle, over in a few days as Mademoiselle had suggested. His optimism cheered Eve, while she realized its source as ignorance. Marcel admitted that he had not as yet found her name, but his mind was busy on it. Nor could he remember the name of any of Mademoiselle's

friends in Paris. But he was thinking of these things constantly, and very soon—in the meantime, if Mademoiselle so wished, he would write to Leon, who had been Mademoiselle's real waiter, and who was now working in a big hotel on the Rue de la Paix. He would beg Leon to tell him all he remembered about the young lady of four years ago—

"But that will take two weeks," Eve cried, "to write and get a reply, even if he answers at once. Two weeks more of this!"

Marcel was overwhelmed. He had forgotten that detail.

"However, please do it," Eve sighed. "Though I hope to God I shan't need it when it comes!"

Something about that exclamation made Marcel take a less cheery view of her situation as he left her.

(Continued Next Week)

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MERRITT

Born Wednesday, May 14th a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Griffin.

Lee Daugherty lost a horse on Tuesday.

Mrs. Raymond Shasteen called on Mrs. Ross Thomas Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Herman Ray spent Wednesday in Decatur.

Mrs. Ray Wilson and daughter Fern visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ray Wednesday.

Clifford Davis and family spent Sunday with Dr. and Mrs. Franklin Turner in Taylorville Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Craig spent Sunday in Bloomington with their son Edwin.

Mrs. Ray Wilson spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. Harman Ray. Mrs. Reuben Bilbrey spent Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Wilbur Ballard.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Campbell and sons spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charley Kenney in Lovington.

John Bathe and family visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Campbell in Sullivan recently.

Raymond Shasteen and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs.

Millard Shasteen. Mrs. Carrie Landers spent Friday night with Mrs. Raymond Shasteen.

Mrs. Dean Pickle spent Friday afternoon in Sullivan.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Thomas spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Davis.

—Mr. and Mrs. Lowe Burwell and daughter Thelma spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Logue.

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MISS HARRINGTON MADE HIT PRESIDING AT NURSE BANQUET

Miss Margaret Harrington of this city, now a student nurse in the Flagler Hospital Training School at St. Augustine, Florida took a leading part in the exercises of the commencement season at the hospital, according to a report published in the St. Augustine "Evening Record."

Relative to her activities at the annual banquet given for the graduates the "Evening Record" comments as follows:

"A clever program, was carried out with Miss Margaret Harrington of the intermediate class in the training school presiding in an easy and graceful manner. Her introductions were witty and amusing and the program planned so cleverly by the program committee went off with a great deal of pep and spirit."

"Miss Harrington told the fortunes of the graduates amusingly cracking walnut shells and chatting informally meantime, finding the fortunes a big surprise."

"The awarding of what looked like diplomas, was also part of Miss Harrington's responsibility, so well carried."

The article which is rather lengthy tells in detail of the various musical numbers on the program and of the address made by the president of the board of trustees.

Miss Harrington who is a graduate of the local high school is a sister of Mrs. Ivan West of Bruce and Andrus Harrington of this city.

PEARSON CREDITORS GET \$2750 FROM FIGENBAUM ST. LOUIS ATTORNEY

Judge Davis of the federal court of St. Louis found for F. N. Henley of Mattoon in his suit against J. M. Figenbaum of St. Louis in the former's demand for possession of \$3,275 and interest, proceeds of the receivership sale of the stock and fixtures of the J. H. Pearson store at Sullivan. Mr. Pearson was adjudicated a bankrupt three days after Mr. Figenbaum sold the Pearson chattels. Mr. Henley appointed to serve as trustee in bankruptcy, was directed to collect from Mr. Figenbaum, and when the latter refused Mr. Henley was ordered to bring suit to force collection.

Mr. Figenbaum demanded that he be paid more than \$1,100 as fees and for expenses incurred. This was considered too much by Referee in Bankruptcy Grant of Danville.

Judge Davis, in finding for Mr. Henley, allowed \$300 for Mr. Figenbaum's actual expenses, refusing to allow any fees. He also allowed \$225 for the auctioneer's services. Mr. Henley as a result will collect for the Pearson creditors about \$2,750.

SULLIVAN MARKETS

Elevators were offering Thursday: Wheat 89c; yellow No. 4 corn 66c, white corn 69c; oats 33c. At the produce houses butterfat has slipped a little more and is now down to 28c per lb. Eggs are 17c per dozen.

Old hens are 12c to 16c; springs 20c to 26c; old roosters 5c to 7c.

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FARM MORTGAGED \$194.21 AN ACRE SELLS FOR \$155.00

Master in Chancery O. F. Cochran Monday sold an 80-acre tract of farmland west of Lake City on a foreclosure. The land belonged to William Adkins, Green & Palmer of Champaign filed a foreclosure proceeding for a client of theirs who held a second mortgage on the place, amounting to a little more than \$3,000. The Dighton-Dilatash company of Monticello has a first mortgage amounting to approximately \$9,000.

At the sale Monday Mr. Martin of Champaign representing Green & Palmer bid in the place for the amount of the second mortgage, and assumed the first mortgage. At this price the land costs the buyer about \$155 per acre, subject to redemption within 15 months by Mr. Adkins.

There was also a third mortgage for \$3000 and interest against this land. This mortgage is backed by a trust deed and notes are held by a dozen or more persons. In the present status of things they stand to lose their money.

Figuring the amounts of the first, second and third mortgages there was \$194.21 an acre against this land. There is a dwelling house and other improvements on the place.

At present sale value of land, the place was sadly over-mortgaged and even at the price at which the second mortgagor bid it in, it is doubtful whether it would sell in open market.

Hal Sona and Elmer Vates of Hammond, Ind., motored to this city Saturday and visited with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Sona.

RECEPTION TENDERED PASTORS AND MEMBERS OF THE M. E. CHURCH

The Sullivan Methodist church held a reception Monday night for the new pastor, Rev. L. L. Lawrence and his family and the new members of the church during the last year. A short program was given as follows:

Solo—Miss Jane Foster. Violin solo—Dorothy Hall.

Girls Chorus—Charlotte Richardson, Kathryn Hughes, Faye Bieber, Dorothy Wood, Evelyn Dunscomb, Elmina Scheer.

Welcome address—J. A. Sabin Response—R. A. Scheer.

Talks were also given by Rev. C. E. Barnett, pastor of the First Christian church and Rev. L. L. Lawrence pastor of the First M. E. church.

The new members of church are Mr. and Mrs. J. L. David, Mr. and Mrs. Orman Foster and daughter Jane, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Scheer and family, Mr. and Mrs. B. N. Luke and family, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Isaacs, Mrs. Grace Pence and family, Mr. and Mrs. Carl C. Wolf, Laura Pyatt and Miss Dorothy Mitchell. Light refreshments were served by the Ladies Aid.

PLANS TO STUDY LAW AT FAYETTEVILLE, ARK.

Lindley Lee Roughton who for several years has been the field representative for a school publishing house in central Illinois is planning to go to Fayetteville, Arkansas this summer and enter the University there for a law course. Lee is convinced that Arkansas will see some great development in the immediate future and expects to make that state his home.

ARMORY GUN, STOLEN LICENSE PLATE FOUND AT BROOKS FORMER HOME

Coles county wants Clint Brooks. This much-wanted man who is now in jail here, is under suspicion of having participated in the attempted robbery of the Humboldt bank several weeks ago.

Brooks is held here for participation in the Gays bank robbery and he is also wanted at Jasper, Indiana.

The latest development in the evidence against him is the discovery of an automatic, stolen from the Armory here in Sullivan in February. This gun was found behind the weather-boarding of a wall in the house in Mattoon that Brooks formerly lived in. People by the name of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Turner now occupy the house. They say they found the gun and turned it over to officials. A further investigation of the premises also resulted in the firing of a license plate, which was on a car that was stolen at Arcola on day of the Humboldt robbery. The robbers had exchanged this plate for an Ohio plate.

Sheriff Lansden found this plate Wednesday while conducting a thorough search of the premises.

The Turners recently made affidavits stating that Brooks was in Indiana on the day when he was supposed to have robbed the Jasper, Indiana, bank. Now the federal authorities are after the Turners on bootlegging charges and they seem very anxious to convince the officials that they had nothing to do with the alleged mis-deeds of Brooks.

TIRES AND TUBES, new and used, right prices.—W. H. Walker. —The Sunshine club will meet at the home of Mrs. H. V. Siron, Friday of next week.

LOCAL P. O. EMPLOYEES SAY "GIVE HIM 30 DAYS"

Postmaster Charles McPheeters was at Jacksonville attending postmaster's convention. In a letter to the force, he intimated that he had gotten into the state asylum there and had difficulty in getting out. The employees here to show their sympathy wired to the postmaster of Jacksonville telling him that it was all O. K. and that it might be advisable to keep the "chief" in custody for about 30 days at least. These postal employees are of a very tender-hearted and sympathetic nature, but the postmaster ought to have known better than give them the opening he did. It's not nice to josh hard working men, when you are away attending a convention and having a good time. Evidently the Jacksonville P. M. did not act on the advice of "the force" for our postmaster is back in town.

INSTALL ELECTRIC R. R. CROSSING SIGNALS

A crew of workmen have been busy this week installing electrically operated danger signals at the C & E I and Wabash railroad crossings on Harrison and Jackson streets.

These crossings will do away with the need of crossing watchmen after June 1st when they will be put into operation. There will be a signal on both sides of the tracks, on the right hand side of street. These signals will flash a warning to approaching drivers whenever a train is near enough to endanger a crossing.

JOHN A. WEBB GETS ANOTHER MOULTRIE FARM

Jesse Drew and wife have given John A. Webb a warranty deed for their farm of 87 acres near Chipps station. The cash consideration was \$1050. It is understood that the buyer assumes several mortgages now on the farm. The seller retains an interest in 18 acres for a short time.

LADIES TO BE GUESTS OF MEN'S S. S. ASS'N.

The May meeting of the Men's Sunday School Association will take place Monday night at Lovington. This is the annual "Ladies Meeting" and the men are asked to bring their wives, mothers, sweethearts or sisters with them.

TEACHERS EMPLOYED

The following teachers of the high school were offered contracts for next year: Lois Peterson, Florence Secor, Louise McKinney, Maurine Brock, Guy Cunningham, Principal H. L. Metter. All have accepted the positions offered. Miss Lelah Howell did not wish to be considered for her position for next year.—Bethany Echo.

INSANE PATIENT DEAD

Mrs. J. H. Marshall, who was in the state institution in Jacksonville had a stroke of paralysis on Monday and Tuesday afternoon she died. C. O. Tohill went after the body Tuesday night.—Bethany Echo.

THE WEATHER

These Sunday rains are certainly welcome. We need more of them. It would really be nice if it could rain Thursday afternoons too. The only fellows that would kick might be golf players and they are usually a reasonable lot. We therefore make a motion, if we can meet with a second, that the next year when we have rain on Easter Sunday, it be followed by rain on the next seven Sundays and also on Thursday afternoons.

The weather has been pleasant this week. The rains on Sunday night and Monday morning while, not altogether sufficient did help considerably. The corn is growing fine. Wire worms are working in it. Oats looks fairly good, soybeans are coming up and farmers are feeling normal.

It has lately come to our attention that one good market for central Illinois corn may be spoiled. A lot of corn that was raised hereabouts use to be shipped to Casey, Illinois. Nick Gehl, who is in business with Levy Dickerson in this city, is a general all-around sort of fellow down at Casey where he lives and besides deploring the unfairness of the census returns, he has decided to raise corn this year. And when Nick decides to raise corn, he'll raise it. He says it's bottle-high now. With all his other business ventures going good, he now contemplates starting a big old-time religious revival. He says Casey needs it.

Real soon now the high school students will graduate. A lot of fine new brains will then turn to the problems of telling us old-timers what's wrong with the way we have been running things. I never graduated from anything. It must be a wonderful thrill to know that you have acquired a certain amount of knowledge and to flourish a diploma to prove by heck, that it's so.

"Before I start on this work" said a merchant the other morning to a customer "tell me have you the money to pay for it? It may be rather brutal to ask you in that way, but then if we have an understanding now, we won't have a falling out later." That's a pretty good policy at that. Credit is a wonderful thing if it ain't abused.

Oliver Dolan says he had a mess of new potatoes out of his garden Thursday. Oliver is getting all rounded out since he is eating his garden stuff. He's been eating new peas for quite a while now. Oliver says the proper way in which to eat peas with a knife is to mix them with mashed potatoes. It's too bad that a swell farmer like he must confine his efforts to a few garden lots.

The weather will continue fair and warmer.

—Mrs. Mattie Hill and daughter Miss Gertrude Hill of Decatur spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Hill. Miss Hill who had been seriously ill this spring, has entirely recovered.

Very Latest By Mary Marshall

For several years women have been wishing for a radical change in fashions. They have grown impatient of the slow changes that have made it possible every season to wear last year's clothes with little or no alterations. Now the change has come, and dresses, hats and wraps that we wore last spring look at least ten years out of date.

The task of lengthening a dress that has a deep hem that is not much worn is not at all difficult.



If the mark of the first hem does not come out in the cleaning process it is possible to cover it by means of rows of stitching. Evening dresses and afternoon dresses with draped skirts can be lengthened by means of flounces or panels of contrasting material. One way of lengthening the silk dresses is by means of a ruffle of knife-pleated material applied to the bottom of the skirt as shown in the picture. If the material of the dress cannot be exactly matched contrasting material may be used, which should be introduced somewhere else in the dress in order to disguise the utilitarian purpose of the hem ruffle.

—Mr. and Mrs. Neville Barnett and son James Neville of Chandlerville arrived Friday for a visit at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Barnett. They returned Sunday afternoon.

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