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Tax Amendment is Bitterly Attacked By G. B. Gillespie

Springfield Attorney Addresses Community Club on Question of Public Interest. Says Present Tax Laws Sufficient if Enforced.

That the proposed Tax Relief Amendment to the Illinois constitution is a harmful piece of legislation was what the people were told who attended the meeting of the Sullivan Community club at the Masonic hall dining room on Monday night.

The speaker was attorney Geo. B. Gillespie of Springfield. He has made a study of taxation matters in Illinois and brought forth some very interesting assertions during the course of his talk.

The proposed legislation on which the voters of Illinois will pass at the November 4th election has as its object the classification of property for the purposes of taxation. It aims to correct the evils complained of under present tax systems.

Mr. Gillespie stated that similar tax legislation had been before the people of Illinois on three previous occasions and each time was overwhelmingly defeated.

He enunciated the principle of Equal Rights for all men and

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CHARLES LOVELESS DIED TUESDAY NITE; FUNERAL THURSDAY

Charles Loveless died at his home on North Main street Tuesday evening about 8:30 after having been in ill health for some time.

He was a son of Simpson and Sarah Loveless and was born near Altamont January 6, 1876. He later lived in Humboldt and Mattoon and came to Sullivan about nine years ago. During the later years of his life he conducted eating places at fairs and had a big stand at the Illinois State Fair yearly.

He is survived by his wife whose maiden name was Josephine Benoit of Oakland and one daughter Miss Jeanette. He also leaves his brother Willis in California and Len in this city; sisters Mrs. Ella Keating of Urbana and Mrs. Nettie Gehl, wife of Nick Gehl of Casey. Funeral services were held on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Christian church, in charge of Rev. Leland Lawrence. Burial was in Dodge Grove cemetery at Mattoon. Pall bearers were Fred Booker, George Elder, Orman Newbould, Earl Nichols, F. W. Wood and Harry Fulk.

Hundreds Work on Route 132 Paving And Bridge Job

Hard Road Now Past Bethany. Will Soon Move Paving Equipment to Sullivan End. Bridge Work Progressing Nicely.

The biggest job in Moultrie county right now is the construction work on Route 132 between Sullivan and Bethany.

Laying of the slab from Dalton City to Bethany was completed on Saturday and the Moore Brothers' big mixer is now nearing the end of the work on that section of the road. Wednesday morning they only had 4700 feet more to lay and A. P. Moore, in charge of the work, stated that with good weather this would be a five days' job. The end of this section is about a mile southeast of where the road leaves Bethany.

The paving equipment will then be moved to the Sullivan end of the road, which is at the curve on route 32 west of this city. Graders have put this end of the road in good shape and the paving can be put down to the Mumma farm near Dunn without much interference. Two culverts have been built at that point.

Contractor Russell Harshman and his crew of workmen have completed the bridge on the Horn farm near the I. C. crossing and

MONDAY MORNING FIRE

Fire early Monday morning did considerable damage at the home of Mrs. Goldie Johnson in the southwest part of this city. This house was nearly destroyed by fire in July and had been rebuilt to the stage where it was about ready for occupancy. The origin of the fire is unknown.

FOREIGN GUESTS LEFT HERE MONDAY MORNING

Mrs. Charles Civita who had been visiting at the home of Judge and Mrs. George Sentel was joined Saturday by her husband Charles Civita and son Vittorio who had been visiting in Chicago. They remained here until Monday morning when they left for Springfield. From there they go to Chicago and then to New York. They sail on October 25th for their home in Milan, Italy.

Mrs. Sentel spent several years with their family while she was a voice student in Italy some years ago.

Judge Wamsley Held Court Here Wednes. Morning

Chicken Thieves Arraigned; Several Cases Referred to Master-in-Chancery. Divorce Matters Adjudicated.

There was a short session of circuit court here Wednesday.

George Harchous was arraigned on a charge of chicken stealing. He pleaded not guilty and Attorney Francis Purvis was named to defend him. Boyd Chase and Bayless Horn were also arraigned and pleaded not guilty. Their date for trial was set for October 20th.

In the chancery division of the court the case of Herman Lambrecht vs. L. R. Harshman, bill for accounting, was referred to the Master in Chancery.

Nellie Holsapple was given a divorce decree in her suit against Dale Holsapple.

In the suit to set aside will, Dale Yarnell et al vs. Della Hull and others, a motion was made to dismiss the suit at complainant's costs.

Roy Foster was named guardian ad litem for minor and incompetent heirs in the partition suit of Effie McCune Lofland vs. Charles M. McCune and others. John M. Floyd, C. A. Florey and Lyman Donnell were named commissioners in this case.

Mrs. Cecil McCullar was given a divorce from William McCullar and the custody of her child.

J. Roy Bolin was given a divorce from his wife, Cecil Bolin, and was also given the custody of the couple's two children.

In the divorce case of Maude Martin vs. Guy Martin a decree was granted. Mrs. Martin gets the custody of the two children and \$10 a month alimony. Guy must pay her \$50 solicitor's fee by November 1st.

The case of Alice Linebaugh vs. Joseph T. Gaugh and others to quiet title was referred to the master for evidence and conclusions.

Francis Purvis was named guardian ad litem for minor and incompetent heirs in the foreclosure suit of the Lovington Building & Loan Associations vs. Kate Duval and others.

A decree "pro confesso" was entered in the divorce case of Cecil Taylor vs. Lillie Taylor.

WOMAN FORGER CASHED \$45 CHECK HERE THURS.

Thursday morning a young woman appeared in the M & F bank and presented a check for payment to F. W. Wood. The check was for \$45 and made out to June Taylor. It was signed with the name of G. W. Bryant, the Lovington automobile dealer and owner of the Capitol Chevrolet Sales in this city. It was marked "labor" and was indorsed by June Taylor.

After Mr. Wood had cashed the check which was on the Lovington State Bank, he became suspicious and took it to Paul Bryant at the local garage. Mr. Bryant immediately called his father and verified the suspicion that the check was a forgery. Mr. Bryant does not carry an account at the Lovington State bank. Sheriff Lansden was notified and started search for the woman but at time of going to press she was still at large.

HARD ROAD INSPECTION

On Wednesday morning Arlo Chapin, accompanied by Sept. Guy S. Little of the county highway department, C. E. McPheeters, local postmaster and the Progress editor made a tour of inspection over the Sullivan to Bethany part of route 132. The work is progressing nicely and the touring party has expressed itself as being well pleased with progress made.

TO ADDRESS VETERANS

James Hamilton Lewis and Edward J. Barrett will address the Illinois veterans Sunday afternoon at the St. Nicholas hotel in Springfield.

COLORED MUSICAL AT M. E. CHURCH TUESDAY

On Tuesday evening, October 21, there will be a special musical program given at the Methodist church by a quartette of black southern boys. If you like to hear colored folk sing—and they sing like no one else can sing—come to this musical. The boys are representing the Piney Woods Colored School of Mississippi. They will not ask anyone to give toward the school. That is not their purpose. The musical is entirely free, and only a free-will offering for the boys will be taken.

SCHOOLS CLOSED

The High school and Grade schools of this city are closed today (Friday) as the teachers are attending the Institute being held in Mattoon.

At Washington D. C.



Rev. C. E. BARNETT

Rev. C. E. Barnett of the local Christian church left Monday for Washington D. C. where he is attending an international meeting of the Disciples of Christ. He will be gone more than a week and there will be no preaching services at the church Sunday. Other services will be held as usual.

TWO BETHANY COUPLES TELL OF THEIR MARRIAGE

Marrowbone township folks this week learned that their telephone operator and assistant have deserted single blessedness and attached a "Mrs." before their names.

On September 9th Bob Hampton and Miss Edith Harned were married while Mr. Hampton was somewhere up north with his trained dogs. The new Mrs. Hampton is manager of the Bethany telephone exchange.

It was also learned that Opal Standerfer, assistant to Mrs. Hampton was married to Ralph Leeds Sept. 19th. The two young men are chums and have at times been associated in the entertainment business. At present Ralph is working on the hard road.

When the news of the marriages spread their friends decided to give them an old fashioned charivari. They caught Ralph and his bride all right Monday night, but word reached Bob as to what was afoot and he had a great time evading the merry-makers. He and his bride dodged around the country roads and finally turned in at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Hampton. He put the car in the garage at about 2 o'clock in the morning, thinking that the serenaders had given up. Hardly had he done this however, when a big graders truck was heard coming up the road. His father hurried out and got the Ford out of the garage again and drove it down the road a ways. When the men on the big truck saw the garage still empty they gave up, at least for the time being and peace and quiet reigned over that part of the township of Marrowbone in the early hours of Tuesday morn.

—TO MEET AFTER CHURCH; TO EAT AFTER CHURCH; OR EVEN IF YOU HAVEN'T BEEN TO CHURCH; THERE IS NO PLACE BETTER THAN THE NATIONAL INN.

TAKE UP A CLAIM

Mr. and Mrs. John Cazier have received word from their daughter, Mrs. George Elkins stating that the Elkins family has taken a claim in Arizona, about 17 miles from Liberty and they have erected a house thereon to live in. The younger children are going 4 miles to school.

NOVEMBER ELECTION DRAWS NIGH

County Officials Race and Lewis-McCormick Battle Aaken interest of the Voters; Who's Who on County Ticket.

Two weeks from next Tuesday is election day. On that day the voters will choose a United States Senator to serve a six-year term; a state treasurer for a two-year term; a superintendent of public instruction to serve four years; four University trustees; two Congressmen at large, one congressman for the 19th district; three representatives in the Legislature and five county officials.

These county offices to be filled are County Clerk; County Judge; Superintendent of Schools; County Treasurer and Sheriff.

Both the Democratic and Republican parties have candidates for all these county offices. These candidates are making a very thorough campaign and will doubtless have seen nearly all the voters and personally solicited them before the day of election.

County Judge
The only candidate not able to make a personal call on the voters is John E. Jennings, the Democratic candidate for county judge. Mr. Jennings although at his office every day in the practice of law, is afflicted with a rheumatic

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DEWITT BILLMAN TO ADDRESS KIWANIANS

The speaker at Friday's noonday luncheon of the Kiwanis club will be DeWitt Billman of Springfield. He will speak on the proposed tax amendment to the constitution. Mr. Billman will present the arguments in favor of this amendment. Mr. Gillespie who spoke at the Community Club meeting Monday night presented arguments against the amendment.

Mr. Billman is a brother of the late Elliott Billman and is well known here. He occupies a position of great importance in legislative matters at the state capitol. Kiwanis members are asked to bring friends with them who may be interested in this tax matter.

FOUR 2-ROW PICKERS

Homer Hawkins reports that four of the McCormick-Deering two-row corn pickers that he sold this fall are now busily engaged in gathering this year's crop. Charles Shuman got his picker on Tuesday and started operations on the Masonic Home farm. Others who have bought pickers are W. E. Phipps near Gays, William Niemeyer of near Findlay and Garry Armantrout of Coles.

Olive Elder Bride Of Rev. McColl in Church Ceremony

Popular Young Couple Have Gone to Washington for Honeymoon. Will Live in Adrian, Michigan, Where Groom is Pastor of a Church.

Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock Miss Olive Elder became the bride of Rev. Duncan D. McColl in a very pretty wedding service in the Jonathan Creek church.

Rev. McColl, a former minister of that church met his bride during his ministry, she being one of the church's most active workers. The wedding ceremony was performed by Rev. D. K. McColl of Indianapolis. The single ring ceremony was used, Jonna McColl a niece of the groom bearing the ring in a large white lily.

Miss Maurine Elder of Bethany, a cousin of the bride presided at the piano. Mrs. Lotta Hausman of Arthur, also a cousin of the bride sang "O Promise Me" and "I Love You Truly."

Miss Fern Garrett was bridesmaid and wore a dress of blue chiffon and carried a bouquet of Talisman roses. William Elder, a brother of the bride, who is a U. of I. student, was the best man.

The church was beautifully decorated with ivory bask of yellow chrysanthemums tied with white tulle. The altar was an embankment of ferns lighted with tall yellow tapers. The bride wore a gown of ivory satin back crepe trimmed in lace with accessories to match and carried a shower bouquet of white roses and white swansonias.

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A. A. HOLLONBECK HAS LARGE QUANTITY HIGH GRADE SORGHUM

A. A. Hollonbeck who farms southeast of this city planted 17½ acres to sorghum cane and harvest is now on. The cane is being cut and stripped and Frank Bragg's sorghum mill, which has been moved to the Hollonbeck farm is busily engaged in extracting the juice and boiling it down to the proper thickness to make delicious sorghum. It is being put up in gallon cans and a large quantity has already been sold in this community. Miss Catherine Hollonbeck is acting as sales manager for the sorghum venture. Just how much sorghum the 17½ acres will make, Mr. Hollonbeck does not know at this time. The first acre harvested made 130 gallons and he expects the rest to do as well or better, which would make the harvest about 2000 gallons.

LAMBRECHT RULES IN COLLINS-POUND CASE

In the court of Judge L. Lambrecht Friday morning Joe Pound was being sued by Judge R. A. Collins for settlement of damage done in an auto collision. Both cars were damaged. Collins' cost most to repair. After hearing both sides of the case the Judge ruled that both drivers were doubtless to blame for the collision and ordered Mr. Pound to pay the difference in the amount of the two repair bills. It amounts to about \$38

COLORED 15; WHITE 3

The supremacy of the white race was given another sock in the ribs Sunday at Bruce. The colored boys from Decatur ran all over Ott Kinsel's Sluggers. The visitors made runs so fast and so numerous that it is doubtful whether the score keeper got a record of all of them. The Sluggers acted like Cardinals at Philadelphia and puny three runs was all that they could get.

The conclusion of the whole matter is this. The gentlemen of color played the game and the Bruce boys played along.

Next Sunday the Sluggers will play the Smith team, made up of Gays and Windsor's best independent players.

SULLIVAN DEFEATED VILLA GROVE 18-6 HOME-COMING GAME

Sullivan Township High's football eleven continued its string of victories for the season when it defeated the big, husky aggregation of boys who came here from Villa Grove to play the Home-Coming game Friday.

The visitors looked very formidable and made the first touchdown of the game. It proved to be their only counter. Sullivan, after having taken the visitors measure, deliberately proceeded to annex a victory by scoring touchdowns in the second, third and four quarters. The final score was Sullivan 18, Villa Grove 6. Cummins, Dunscomb and Freeman carried the pigskin across the line for the home boys.

This is Sullivan's third victory for the season, having previously played and defeated Assumption and Lovington. Next Friday the strong Bemert team will play here.

The summary for Friday's game is as follows:

Villa Grove (6) Sullivan (18)
Hamilton, le -----re, Cummins
Reinhart, lt -----rt, Ashbrook
R. Sprinkle, lg -----rg, Brumfield
B. Allen, c -----cg, O. French
Muscell, rt -----rg, Shirey
Lincoln, rl -----ll, R. French
Watkins, re -----le, Grote
Wilson, qb -----qb Dunscomb
Hunt, lh -----lh, McDavid
Clemmens, rh -----rh, Freeman
Cravens, fb -----fb, Hoskins

Score by quarters:
Villa Grove ----6 0 0 0---- 6
Sullivan -----0 6 6 6---- 18
Scoring: Touchdowns—Clemens
Cummins, Dunscomb, Freeman.

RAN OVER MOTORCYCLE

Friday of last week while motorcycle officer Charles Hochstetler was flagging down cars to stop them while a culvert at the intersection of routes 32 and 132 was being dynamited, one car in which were several ladies, failed to see the officer and in running around another car, ran smash-bang over the officer's motorcycle. It went to the repair shop.

REAL ESTATE DEAL

Webb Tichenor has sold to Earl Nighswander for \$1500 the property described as lots 7 and 8 of block 20, original town of Sullivan.

GETTING READY FOR HALLOWE'EN STUNTS

Sullivan is all set to put on one of the biggest and best Hallowe'en parties in its history. Committees are working on arrangements and publicity.

List of prizes offered appear in this issue in an adv. on page 8. Clip this list. Decide on what character you want to represent and then get busy on your costume. Anybody can look on have some fun, but the biggest thrill of all is that which the masqueraders enjoy, especially if they win some of the very substantial cash prizes.

Albert Walker County Supt. of Schools Of Moultrie County

The candidacy of Albert Walker for County Superintendent of Schools of Moultrie county is creating



ALBERT WALKER

wide spread interest among the voters throughout the county.

Mr. Walker was born in Whitley township, Moultrie county and has been identified with the educational work of Moultrie county pupils for a period of twenty-five years. His varied experience as a successful teacher in rural, grade and high schools fits him especially well for the office of County Superintendent of Schools.

Mr. Walker has been a member of the Illinois State Teachers' association for twenty-five years and at different times has served as delegate to the state convention of teachers in Springfield. During the twelve years that he was principal of the Arthur township high school, he was a member of the Illinois high school principals' association and was also a member of the National Association of Secondary school principals. For three years he served as president of the Okaw Valley high school conference.

He is a student of educational problems, and while serving as principal of high schools attended the various summer terms of the University of Chicago and the University of Illinois.

His work as high school principal has given him an excellent opportunity to study and understand the needs of pupils entering high schools.

Mr. Walker is a man of strong personality, pleasing, friendly and convincing, and if elected to the office of County Superintendent of Schools he will give to the schools of Moultrie county the same careful attention that has characterized his work as teacher and school executive.—Arthur Graphic-Clarion.

ODD FELLOWS DISTRICT MEETING HERE TONIGHT

The monthly meeting of I. O. O. F. district No. 68 will be held here tonight in the hall of the local lodge. Les Atchison, Orman Foster and D. D. Kingrey constitute the local committee in charge of arrangements.

At Tuesday night's meeting of the lodge D. D. Kingrey resigned as recording secretary and Lawrence Carroll was elected to fill the vacancy. Ira Goodwin was named warden in place of Mr. Carroll.

VISITED IN VANDALIA

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Dazey and daughter Olive and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Thomason motored to Vandalia Sunday and visited with latter's daughter, Mrs. Leonard Tevis and family. Another daughter Mrs. Wilbur H. Gaffner and family of Greenville met them there and all had an enjoyable day together. Other visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gaffner of Greenville.

High School Home-Coming Big Success; Weather Was Ideal

Mary Emily Lewis Chosen Queen; Villa Grove Got Licked; Black-Eyed Susie Won Race; "Sonny Jane" was Good; 300 were Fed.

Home coming festivities were opened with a rousing pep meeting in the assembly at 11:00 a. m. Inspiring talks were given by Dr. A. E. Turner, Judge Sentel, "Jobey" Dunscomb, Coach Dennis, and Homer Hoskins. There could be no mistake from the nature of the cheering and singing, but that the entire student body had been touched with a large portion of school spirit.

Following the pep meeting the turtle race was held in the parking place. The jockies were restricted to a small circle within a fifty foot circle. They were faced outward with turtle placed on the small circle, scratch line and at the signal the turtle was released to make his race toward the goal. Some turtles were reluctant to move, others traveled in a small circle; while some few shot straight forward in a desire to reach the large open spaces. Black Eyed Susie, who belonged to Russell Ashbrook was declared win-

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ROBINSON WILL HAVE MODERN FUNERAL HOME ON HARRISON ST.

W. R. Robinson, local undertaker and coroner of this county, closed a deal this week with the Steele heirs whereby he becomes the owner of the old hotel property on Harrison street, known as the Birchfield house. It is located on the corner east of the public library.

This building has not seen much use in recent years since John Parker moved out of it after conducting a rooming house there for many years. J. E. Crowder, seed man has been using it for storage purposes.

Mr. Robinson had Apollis Hagerman make an examination of the building and it was found to be in fairly good shape. It will be given a new roof and the interior of it will be rebuilt to make it suitable for the purpose for which it is to be used.

This will be another big improvement in Sullivan's uptown as this building and corner has been an eye-sore for a number of years.

MOTHER'S PENSION

In the county court this week a mother's pension was granted Mrs. Lyda E. Butts to assist her in the support of her three children, Lucile, Mildred and Edward.

Masonic Home Man Struck and Killed On Route No. 132

R. M. Gramblin's Car Hit Ernest Hasselbring Sunday Night. Coroner's Jury Returns Verdict of Accidental Death.

Ernest Hasselbring, an aged member of the Illinois Masonic Home who came to the Home from Chicago about four months ago, met death on the slab of route 132 Sunday night when struck by a car which was being driven by R. M. Gramblin of this city.

Mr. Hasselbring who was 73 years, 10 months and 5 days of age at time of death, had been walking along the slab with Curtis Rhoads, another Home member. The men were on the north side of the slab headed eastward.

The Gramblin family in two cars was headed east toward Jonathan Creek where they expected to have a weinie roast and outing. The time of accident was about 6:30. Near the Masonic Home Mr. Gramblin started to pass the car ahead which was being driven by Robert Payne of Lexington, Illinois, a roomer at the Gramblin boarding house. In the Payne car the driver and Mr. and Mrs. Carol Walker.

As Mr. Gramblin started around the Payne car, he failed to see the two old men on the slab and the

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TO GRAND LODGE

Hugh Roney, representing the local I. O. O. F. lodge and Mrs. B. C. Monroe and Mrs. Flora Creech, representing the Rebekah lodge will go to Springfield next week to attend the grand lodge sessions.

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Editorial

Hast thou not known? hast thou not heard, that the everlasting God, the Lord, the Creator of the ends of the earth, fainteth not, neither is weary? There is no searching of his understanding.

He giveth power to the faint; and to them that have no might he increaseth strength.

But they that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength; they shall mount up with wings as eagles; they shall not run and not be weary; and they shall walk and not fall.

—Isaiah XL: 28-29-31

If you strike a thorn or rose,
Keep a-go'in'!
If it hails or if it snows,
Keep a-go'in'!

'Tain't no use to set an' whine
When the fish ain't on yer line,
Bait yer hook an' keep on tryin',
Keep a-go'in'!

When the weather kills yer crop,
Keep a-go'in'!
When you tumble from the top,
Keep a-go'in'!

S'pose you're out o' every dime,
Bein' so ain't any crime;
Tell the world you're feelin' prime
Keep a-go'in'!

When it looks like all is up,
Keep a-go'in'!
Drain the sweetness from cup,
Keep a-go'in'!

See the wild birds on the wing;
Hear the bells that sweetly ring;
When you feel like sighin', sing!
Keep a-go'in'!

—Frank L. Stanton

WHO IS WET? WHO IS DRY? \$2,000 PER DAY FOR ATTENDING CONGRESS TEN YEARS IN FARM VALUATION.

James Hamilton Lewis is opposed to saloons. He is opposed to the present system of Federal prohibition. He contends that it has proven unsuccessful, unenforceable. He urges that some other method be adopted to handle this question. Because of this attitude his opponents brand him as "dripping wet".

Mrs. Ruth Hanna McCormick says that she is dry. She was nominated as such. During her primary campaign there was no doubt about this matter. There were no Ifs or Ands. Since her nomination she has stated that she will abide by the result of a vote on the liquor question. Such vote will be taken at the general election November 4th. The general opinion is that the majority vote will be Wet. Such being the case Ruth Hanna McCormick will by her promises be bound to vote Wet on any liquor question that may come before the Senate, should she be elected and admitted.

Why did Mrs. McCormick take such an attitude on this matter? Because the Chicago City Hall crowd, (Big Bill Thompson's political machine) demanded it. She was ready to do what that machine dictated in order to get its support. That machine will dictate how Mrs. McCormick will vote.

Either Mr. Lewis or Mrs. McCormick will be elected November 4th. Mrs. Lottie Holman O'Neill is the Dry candidate. She approves of prohibition as now part of the law.

Taking for granted that Illinois will vote WET on the referendum, the stand of the three candidates for the Senate is as follows:

Mrs. McCormick will be bound to support all wet measures.

Mr. Lewis, opposed to the present brand of prohibition, will vote and work for a new solution of this vexing problem.

Mrs. Lottie Holman O'Neill is uncompromisingly Dry, no matter what the result of the referendum may be.

Take your choice. If you want a Wet senator (though she professes to be personally dry) vote for Mrs. McCormick.

If you believe that prohibition does not solve the drink question and that better legislation may be enacted, vote for Lewis.

If you are uncompromisingly dry and opposed to any change whatever in the Prohibition laws and Volstead act, vote for Mrs. O'Neill.

In his campaign for the Republican Senatorial nomination last spring, Senator Charles S. Deneen is quoted as saying that his opponent, Mrs. McCormick spent ten days in Congress during a two year term to which she was elect-

ed as congressman at large from Illinois. Doubtless this is true.

For her two year term as Congressman, Mrs. McCormick was paid \$20,000. Besides this she was given an appropriation for secretary hire and other expense.

The evidence seems to disclose that this great and mighty nation paid Mrs. McCormick \$2000 per day for each of the ten days that she served actively in her capacity as Congressman. That's quite a big wage to pay these days, isn't it? Especially does this seem big when we consider that the lady is rated as being worth about \$40,000,000 already.

But her friends will argue, she was not paid for attending Congress but for other service that her office as congressman gave to her constituents. That's a good argument, but please do not forget that all of the expenses of conducting her office were also liberally paid by the government, in addition to the \$20,000 paid her.

What did Mrs. McCormick do during those two years?

She spent most of her time campaigning for the office of United States Senator, first to defeat Senator Deneen for the nomination and now to defeat her opponents, Mr. Lewis and Mrs. O'Neill.

In view of past service given, is Mrs. McCormick entitled to a seat in the United States Senate?

In March 1921 a Republican president succeeded a Democrat. Warren Gamaliel Harding was inaugurated as president. Woodrow Wilson's tenure of eight years in office had ended.

Since that March there has been no break in Republican rule. In both the Senate and the House the Republican party has had substantial majorities. It could and did enact into laws any measures that it deemed for the good of the country.

Present day conditions, inasmuch as they can be affected by legislation, are a credit or a discredit to the Republican party's brand of government.

In 1920 the census was taken. After a lapse of ten years, it was again taken in 1930. The Bureau of the Census, Department of Commerce, Washington D. C. is now engaged in making official reports of the 1930 census. It also gives the 1920 figures for comparison.

These figures disclose an interesting story.

We have before us the official figures of the Farm Census as it applies to Coles county, our neighbor to the south-east.

These are government statistics, not issued for political purposes. Read them carefully:

In 1920 the average value per acre of Coles county farm land was \$228.39. In 1930 the average value was \$127.28. This shows a decrease of \$101.11 per acre in ten years.

The total value of farm land in Coles county in 1930 is put at \$36,925,188. In 1920 it was \$65,364,104. This shows a decrease of almost \$30,000,000. The value of the farm buildings shows a slight increase. In 1920 it was \$7,169,000. In 1930 it was \$8,081,433. This increase is due to the fact that cost of building materials increased during the ten years that value of farm lands decreased.

These figures tell the story as to what is wrong with farming. Moultrie county's official figures have not yet been made public. They will be similar to those of Coles county.

While the value of the farms has been thus deflated, how about other things entering into farm life? Have taxes been proportionately decreased? You know they have not. In fact they continue on the up grade. Have the other things the farmer buys, such as implements and clothing, etc., seen a decrease like farm values? They have not. Special tariff legislation, enacted by the Republican Congress and signed by a Republican president has boosted the price of what the farmer has to buy.

The farmers appealed to congress for relief legislation. The kind of legislation farm leaders wanted was denied them. Republican politicians framed the kind of legislation that they thought the farmers needed and today wheat is selling for the lowest price in 24 years. Sec'y. Hyde is urging farmers to feed the wheat to their livestock. If this is done, what will farmers do with their corn?

The Hoover administration has made a mess of farm relief. It has followed in the footsteps of Coolidge and Harding and today millions are out of work. The farmers have grain that is a drug on their hands. The laborer, out of a job, can't buy what the farmer has to sell, even at the low prices now prevailing.

And in view of all this, the Republican spokesmen have the nerve to ask you to "Thank God" that in these depressing times a Republican administration rules at Washington. They ask that you give your endorsement at the polls to the ruinous policy that has prevailed for ten years past.

If the Republicans continue in undisputed power at Washington for another ten years, what will farm land be worth? What price will you get for your wheat? Experience is a dear teacher. You have ten years of dear experience back of you now. Will you profit by it, or will you believe the sugared promises, the alibis and excuses that they are handing out and be inveigled into voting for a continuance of Republican rule?

Ten Years Ago In Sullivan

(From Progress Files)

The Farm Bureau election resulted in W. B. Shirey being chosen president. Lucas Seass and C. O. Patterson headed an insurgent faction that backed Edgar McKenzie.

Announcement was made of the marriage on June 14th of Opal Ray, cashier at the city light office to W. E. Weaver.

Elzie Travis was selected by the board of supervisors to succeed Ira Curry as superintendent of the county farm.

The Republicans had a big political rally with Harry Green

of Champaign as the main speaker.

The Moultrie County Fairgrounds Association was incorporated by Lucas Seass, Clyde O. Patterson, F. E. Pifer and R. C. Parks.

Joe H. Wood Jr., had completed building a new race track east of this city.

John Ponder was in Chicago buying merchandise for the Ponder-Dunscumb store.

The high school was selling season tickets for a Festival series of entertainments.

The Democratic committee was appealing through the Progress for funds to help finance the campaign.

Illinois is maintaining a road construction program of over 50 miles per week.

Main Street Looks at Broadway

By Ernest Camp Jr.

NEW YORK—Your average New Yorker is an animal wholly devoid of any moral indignation or reforming fervor. Try as you may, you cannot excite him with tales of political scandal, bribery and graft.

Possibly he has built up a protective crust that prevents him from working up any emotional steam over such matters. Without such protection, in a town like this, he would simply emote himself to death.

"Take it easy, you'll last longer" seems to sum up the whole town's attitude.

Corrupt and Contented

Outsiders marvel that the people of such a great city would put up with the corruption, graft, and hokum that has been foisted upon them by the present city administration. In any smaller city, the sturdy burghers would rise in righteous wrath and demand that someone be run out of town.

But in New York? A New York newspaper had its reporters go out and quiz a number of average, typical New Yorkers as follows: "Will the present political scandals influence your vote in this coming election?" Only one out of six answered "yes."

One person replied as follows: "No. Prior to election time one party is always loudly trumpeting the so-called scandals of the other. There has always been corruption and, in my opinion, always will be."

Another: "No. We all know that there is a certain amount of graft in politics in all large cities. But the question of whether one did or did not pay a higher-up for obtaining the position should not enter."

In other words, it's quite all right, and a little swank, you know, for a judge to buy his appointment to the bench! The only crime lies in being stupid enough to get caught.

That gives you a rough idea—

Lighting the Fighters

New York City's consumption of electricity takes a big jump every time a big prize fight is staged, it was shown recently by representatives of local power companies before the state Public Service Commission. New Yorkers stay up late

burning lights and keeping radios going.

The wallops that Jack Dempsey bestowed upon Gene Tunney in that seventh round in Chicago are said to have boosted New York's light bill just 118,000 kilowatt hours.

It has been suggested that such occasions also put the electric refrigerators through a severe workout.

He had spent several weeks looking for a job—had made a desperate search. But the longer he tried, the more hopeless the quest appeared. Finally, a young man of twenty-two, he dropped in at the office of a New York newspaper.

"I don't like to be spectacular about my job hunting," he said, "but I've got to do something. I've only got fifty cents left. Will you please say for me in your paper that I will pledge myself to work conscientiously for anyone, in any capacity I am able, in exchange for a livelihood and an opportunity to study a little. If that fails, I'm going to auction myself off to the highest bidder."

A Human Auction

Impressed by his resourcefulness and courage, the paper printed his unique appeal. Within a few hours, offers began to come in by mail and telephone. One enthusiast went so far as to send in a \$10 check—which was welcome indeed—while another, a woman physician, offered a home and meals until such time as he might obtain employment. A lawyer's firm offered a position, as did several department stores and others.

The youngster finally accepted a job with a Manhattan dress goods house, with a substantial salary and the opportunity to pursue his studies.

It's a big-hearted town—in spots.

A certain New Yorker of my acquaintance is named—let us say—Ralph Waldo Brown. He had a twin brother named Waldo Ralph Brown, who died in infancy leaving doubt in the minds of the parents as to just which one it was that died—Ralph Waldo or Waldo Ralph.

To this day my friend goes by the name of Ralph Waldo, but he is still undecided whether he is the one or the other. And his parents do not know.

Dashed embarrassing, you know skidding all the way through life wondering if you are yourself or somebody else!

The Way of Life

BY BRUCE BARTON

DULL MEN

I am getting old enough now so that some of the little acorns which I saw planted are beginning to show up as quite sizeable oaks.

For example, there was an office boy in the place where I worked after leaving college. He was not a bright office boy. We did not think that he would ever amount to very much. He did not think so himself. He had none of the Vision which we read about. He just kept on keeping on.

Well, the other day I picked up a trade paper, and there was a big photograph of our ex-office boy, and the announcement that he had just been elected president of a rather important company.

As years go on, and the business of the country expands, his company will expand with it, for he will be a careful administrator. And some day his associates will give him a dinner and hail him as a great leader, and his picture will be hung in the Board Room.

Perhaps you have read Mr. Woodward's biography of General Grant. If so, you remember that he stood low in his classes at West Point, and was later discharged from the army. When the Civil War broke out he was such a failure that his letter offering his services to his country was not

even answered by the War Department.

The army was full of more brilliant men. Halleck, for instance, knew all about tactics. In any crisis he could tell just what Napoleon would have done. McClellan had a touch of genius. What did Grant have?

He had a superstition. When he started out on anything he hated to turn back. It applied even to small things. If, when he left the house in the mornings, he found he had forgotten something he never retraced his steps. Always he went forward. And when he came to command armies he did the same thing. Doggedly, ploddingly, but inexorably he pushed ahead.

When I was in college, the President said, "Henry Ward Beecher, when a student in Amherst College, stood at, or near, the foot of his class. Nearly a hundred years have passed, and Amherst College has produced no second Henry Ward Beecher, though many men have stood at, or near, the foot of their class."

Just being dull, or standing at the foot of the class, is no assurance of success, of course. On the other hand, it is nothing to be discouraged about—a fact of which I see more evidence almost every day.

A Scotchman found it necessary to notify his wife that he might be home late that evening, in which case he would phone her. This is what he told her:

"I'll ring ye at 6 o'clock. When ye hear the bell ye'll know it's me. Dinna anwer it, and I'll ge ma nickel back."

Doctor: "Did you follow my advice and drink hot water an hour before breakfast?"

Patient Patient: "I tried to, Doc, honest! But after the first 10 minutes I couldn't get any more down."

Professor Otto Funk of Hillsboro, Illinois, played a violin every step of the way, walking from New York City to San Francisco in 183 days. He is 62 years old and weighs 110 pounds.

One thousand more Illinois residents reached the age of 80 in 1929 than in 1928.

Cook parsnips with stewed pork which is seasoned with onion and chopped parsley.

For the woman who sews well and has time, it is often an economy to make wash suits for small boys under six. A careful selection of a trouser pattern is essential. The Bureau of Home Economics has some helpful suggestions on this point in Leaflet 52-L. Suits for the Small Boy.

Lettuce is sometimes cooked. A head of iceberg lettuce may be cut in four sections, leaving a portion of the center core one each to hold the leaves together, and braised for 30 minutes in 4 tablespoons of bacon fat, or until the lettuce is tender. The saucepan should be covered. Serve sprinkled with salt and pepper, and if desired, a little melted butter.

Water containing iron can usually be improved for laundry purposes by adding a little lime-water or washing soda to the water. Stir it thoroughly, let the iron settle to the bottom, and draw off the clearest water. It is better to filter the water through cloth or other material.

Wahrheit und Dumheit

Aged lady at the Sullivan Greenhouses: "Mr. Reed, excuse me, but I see in a magazine where it says that florists send flowers by wire. Can you do that?"

Mr. Reed: "Why certainly, madam, certainly. What will your order be?"

The Lady: "Oh, I don't want to buy any flowers but I got a potted begonia and geranium in my car, and I want you to wire them to my daughter in Detroit."

Sick looking individual: "Doctor, can you help me? My name is Smith?"

Dr. Scaggs: "Well now I'm real sorry, but I suppose you were born with it and I don't see that I can do anything about it."

They say a Sullivan family recently got home and found the place burglarized. On the center of the kitchen table lay a dollar bill with this note: "I looked this place all over and can't find anything worth taking. In fact you seem to be so poor, that it's made me feel bad and I'm leaving this dollar for you."

A fellow from Allenville was going to Mattoon to spend the day. A friend told him where to go to eat if he wanted a good meal. A few days later he saw the man and asked how he liked the restaurant. "Oh, I guess it's all right," said he "but it was closed when I was there."

"Closed, why that place never closes?"

"Oh, don't it though! There was a sign right on the front door that read 'Home Cooking'."

Old lady at Bruce ball game: "Mr. Kinsel, why are those men way out there in the field for?"

Ot Kinsel: "They're fielders. They catch flies."

Old Lady: "Say Ot, don't be so sarcastic. I was asking you a civil question."

Little Francis: "Ma, how come the canary don't sing any more?"

His mother: "He's molting dearie."

"Then" said he "I wish that neighbor girl that takes singing lessons would molt too."

Down in Arkansas a man was tried for assault and battery with intent to kill. The state produced as evidence the weapons used: a rail, a gun, saw, and rifle. The defendant's counsel exhibited, as the other man's weapons, a scythe blade, pitchfork, piston, dog, razor and hoe. After being out several hours the jury gave this verdict: "We, the jury, would have given a dollar to see the fight."—Exchange.

It was up in the suburbs of Chicago. Officers stopped a car in which a number of boys and their flapper friends were riding.

The officers searched around on the floor of the car until one young lady asked: "What are you looking for, Mr. Officer?"

"Arms" replied the cop. "Why?" remarked she "It's all legs down there where you're looking."

Seasonal Sauce
Mrs. McCormick says that you can't buy a landslide in Illinois. No, you can't Ruth, but with \$317,000 you can come very close to hiring one.

J. Hamilton Lewis says that this will be a gentlemanly campaign but a Ruth-less election.

Charley Adkins remarks that the Senate would not have enough intestines to throw out Ruth Hanna. Now we're surprised. We always thought that "guts" were plentiful in the Senate and that it was brains that there was a shortage in.

To the Roosevelt program of another term as Governor of New York the Republicans replied with a Tut-tut-tut. And they closed their G. O. P. convention singing the Stein song.

Bishop Cannon's son has been arrested for passing bad checks in California. Well, what else could you expect? The old man has been too busy minding other people's business. His son doubtless grew up wild. Such events will happen even in the best reformers' families.

Chicago officials are still hunting Lingle's murders. But are they? Do they really want to find them? Not until Chicago sends to the electric chair one murderer for each murder committed will the rest of the world give it much credit for sincerity.

Please don't throw your empty booze bottles into the Progress back yard. The Prohis think little enough of us as it is, without you booze-fighters surrounding us with incriminating evidence. Quit it. We don't want our premises cluttered up with your empties.

Church Notes

ST. COLUMBA'S CHURCH
Church will be held Sunday at 10 a. m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Bible study 10 o'clock; Worship eleven. Let us hear the conclusion of the whole matter; Fear God and keep his commandments; for this is the whole duty of man.—Ecc. 12:13.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
A. E. Turner, Minister

Bible school—9:30 a. m.
Morning worship—10:45.
Junior Y. P. Society directed by Mrs. C. V. Grote—4 p. m.
Senior Y. P. Society directed by Aileen Lansden—6:30 p. m.
Evening services—7:30.
Morning subject—"The Lesson of the Leaves." Autumnal decorations and singing of Joyce Kilmer's poem "Trees" will be special features.
Evening subject "Living on Tip-toe." A male chorus will sing Van Berge's "Quit Ye Like Men."

CHURCH OF GOD

Corner Route 32 and Adams St.
Ruth Castang, Pastor.
Sunday school at 9:30.
Preaching at 10:45.
Young Peoples meeting at 6:30.
Children's meeting at 6:30.
Preaching at 7:30.
The revival is going fine. The good interest that has been shown already is very much appreciated. Three conversions, one other seeker, and several hands raised for prayer mark part of the results of the first week's services. We are endeavoring to do a thorough, clean work for God. Trafficking in souls is important business. We feel the responsibility keenly. Bible salvation brings satisfaction in life and can be depended upon in death. Pay the price, get it. Come each evening at 7:30.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
C. E. Barnett, Pastor

Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. and Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. will be the only service held

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at the First Christian church next Sunday. Following the session of the Sunday School communion will be held, and the service dismissed early that those desiring may attend services elsewhere. Go to church Sunday.

The pastor will be in attendance at the International Convention of Disciples of Christ which convened in Washington, D. C. Oct. 14, and continues until the evening of the 19th. On this date the World Convention of Churches of Christ will begin, continuing until Thursday, Oct. 23. This convention will also be attended by the pastors, who will return in time for all regular services of the church on Sunday, Oct. 26.

Christian Endeavor next Sunday evening will be led by Paul Dazey, the subject being "Christians and Sunday."

METHODIST CHURCH

L. L. Lawrence, pastor

Church school—9:30 a. m.
Morning worship at 10:45.
Epworth League—6:30 p. m.
Evening worship at 7:30.
Morning sermon subject—"The Christ Who Failed."
Evening sermon subject—"The Proposal."
Sunday morning, October 26, is our Old Gold service for the old members and friends of the church. They will be our guests at that service. Sermon subject, "Old Gold." That evening will start our series of sermons based on famous stage and screen plays. "The Way of All Flesh" in which the great German actor, Emil Jannings, was starred, will be the basis for the sermon.
The Young People's meeting on Sunday evening will be led by Miss Gertrude Pence and there will be a free discussion concerning the winter and late fall meetings, programs and socials.
Professor Moore and Miss Vivian Clark will meet the orchestra, and Choral Chorus Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock for rehearsal.
The adult choir meets Thursday night for rehearsal under the direction of Rev. Lawrence. Time for rehearsal 7:15.

GOSPEL MISSION

9:30 a. m. Sunday school.
6:30 p. m. Young People's service.
7:30 p. m.—Evangelistic services.
7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting on Thursday.
Bro. Martin's subject Sunday evening will be "The Day of Miracles." All welcome to each service.
Is. 40:31—They that wait upon the Lord shall—walk, and not faint.
Many different phrases are used to express the Christian life, and one of these is "The Christian walk." Enoch walked with God and he was not, for God took him. While Paul's was a race home, Enoch just walked in home, and it was not a tiresome walk from which one would grow faint, for it was a holy walk, a happy walk, and a homeward walk. And if we will make our walk with God a holy walk and remember that it is a homeward walk, I know that it will be a happy walk, and we will not grow faint because the holy walk will have its periods of wait-

ing on the Lord for the renewing of our strength. Evidently Enoch's walk with God was a very quiet unassuming walk, we would never have known that he was one of the old prophets had not Jude revealed it in the 14th verse and he prophesied of the Lord's second coming. Unless our spirit is subdued, often a quiet walk with God would be more tiresome than a fast race. Waiting on the Lord is the only way of subduing an anxious spirit.

SPENT WEEK END WITH BRIG. GENERAL FORD

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Robinson spent Sunday at Macomb, Ill., where they attended the funeral of J. S. Heinline, a friend and visited with Mrs. Robinson's aunt, Mrs. J. M. Pace.

Mrs. Pace's guest was her son in law Brigadier General Ford of Washington D. C. General Ford's wife was Mrs. Robinson's cousin.

He has but lately been promoted from the rank of Colonel to that of Brigadier General and assigned to the American Embassy in France. He expects to leave soon for his new post and will be absent from this country for four years.

Mr. and Mrs. Robinson returned home Monday night.

—Mrs. J. L. David entertained the Twentieth Century Club at her home Sunday.

—Miss Daisy Yarnell left for Chicago Monday where she is spending the week visiting with friends.

—Sam Palmer was confined to his home the beginning of the week on account of illness.

—Harold Martin attended the Home Coming at Normal Saturday. He also spent Sunday in that city.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hawley spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives at Springfield and Greenville.

—Mr. and Mrs. John S. Crowder of Hillsboro, Ind., Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Brown also of that city spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Crowder of this city. They also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Doughty and Jim Bolin.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Wood went to Iola Sunday where they visited at the home of Mrs. Wood's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Mitchell, both of whom are seriously ill.

—Mr. and Mrs. Vic Landers, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Poland and Mrs. G. C. Hines of Hammond motored to Maple Mills, Fulton Co., Saturday where they attended a birthday party of Mrs. Poland's brother, H. O. Black who was 76 years of age. They returned to this city Sunday evening.

—Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hollis who spent about a week at the home of Mrs. Elvira Strickland returned to their home in Terre Haute Friday.

—Mrs. Glen Wright who recently underwent an operation in Decatur was able to return Friday.

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INTERESTING SERIES BY REV. L. LAWRENCE

The sermon series that will be started by Rev. Lawrence at the Methodist church, Sunday evening, October 26, contains a list of the most famous dramas ever presented on the American and European stage and screen. Each drama was based by its author on some Bible passage, and the thought of that passage runs entirely through the play. One of these, "The Way of All Flesh," is based on that verse, "The soul that sinneth, it shall die!" The drama that follows this one, to be given the following Sunday night, "The Enemy," is based on the Christmas words, "Peace on earth, good-will to all men." And so they run, the greatest teachings ever known, found in these dramas. Each one will be presented in sermon form and much of each play will be given. Rev. Lawrence will base his Armistice Sunday morning sermon, Nov. 9, on some of his actual war experiences, and will climax Armistice Sunday with the drama photoplay, "The Big Parade," at night, describing the Big Parade as he actually saw it on the Western Front during the World War. One of the outstanding services for the year will be held Sunday morning, November 2, for young people, engaged couples, and young married couples. "On Falling In Love" is the sermon for that morning, a very plain and direct and frank sermon of interest to all young people contemplating a home of their own some day.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Culp

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who have been living at Houston, Texas have moved to 400 North Gardner Street, Los Angeles, California. Mr. Culp has had a promotion in his work. Mrs. Culp is the former Corma Tabor of this city.

Miss Audrey Woods of Decatur is spending this week at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. L. C. Messmore.

—Mrs. Etta Ray and Mrs. Hugh Murray went to Peoria Sunday where they called on Mrs. Hugh McDonald.

—Mrs. Nan Miller, daughter Lela Mae and Miss Mayme Alexander went to Mattoon Sunday where they spent the day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Book.

—Mrs. Catherine McDonald, Mrs. Mabel Nichols and daughter Catherine spent Saturday evening in Mattoon.

—Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Feuerborn and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gibson and daughter all of Effingham spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Holzmuller.

ATTEND EPWORTH LEAGUE MEETING IN CHARLESTON

Several members of the Epworth League will motor to Charleston Friday afternoon to attend the Fall District Rally of the Epworth Leagues of the district. At 4 o'clock a Game Demonstration hour will be given for the purpose of instructing Leaguers in social and recreational programs for their local leagues. At 6 o'clock the great Fall Banquet will be held at which time there will be many League yells, songs, and an address by Rev. Clifford Northcott of the First Methodist church of Champaign. All the young folks are invited whether or not they are members of the League.

—Mr. and Mrs. Vance Murphy of St. Louis arrived Sunday for a visit at the home of Mrs. Murphy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Harris. Mr. Murphy returned Monday evening but his wife remained here to spend the rest of the week.

P-T PROGRAM TONIGHT AT UNION SCHOOL

The Parent-Teachers Association of the Union school district will have a meeting and program tonight at the school beginning at 7:30.

A broadcasting musical organization will play. There will be several readings and a play "Brown and the Agents." This play truly portrays the average husband. Everybody is invited.

Mrs. Lee Vice is teacher at the Union school which is southwest of this city.

—Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Finley spent Sunday in Neoga.

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Electric franchises have been granted your company in 18 communities, 17 municipalities have granted street lighting contracts for a period of ten years, and 11 have entered into contracts for energy to operate their municipal pumping stations.

Gas franchises have been granted the Company at Sigel, Arthur, Humboldt, and Neoga. These four cities will be served from gas transmission mains on which preparation for the necessary construction work is well under way.

During the last quarter your company has been granted authority by the Illinois Commerce Commission to serve Orleans, Ripley, and Stockland, none of which heretofore have had electric service.

Agriculture is America's most highly powered industry, excepting only the railroads. Its aggregate capacity is about 50,000,000 horsepower—greater than the capacity of all the prime movers in factories and electric generating stations combined.

But most of the farmer's array of power is wasteful of money, materials, time and attention. Except for his electric motors and wind-mills, the farmer's power machines demand almost constant attention, and require time and labor to put them into action. They consist of more than 24,000,000 small units. Of these, 18,750,000 are animals with 35 per cent of the total power capacity.

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From all his power the farmer in any year gets only about four per cent of the capacity if it were working and earning its keep all the time. The manufacturer gets at least 13 per cent of the entire working capacity of his engines, and electric generating stations deliver better than 30 per cent of their possible yearly output of power.

The electrification of agriculture, then, cannot be viewed as merely a process of bringing power to the farmer. The farmer has power—lots of it. But he has not the kind of power which can do small, scattered jobs with a minimum of human attention. He has not the kind of power which can work at a high percentage of its capacity as an interconnected electric system can. Those are characteristics of electric power, but not of the farmer's present power resources and consequently, those are the benefits which the increasing electrification of agriculture is accomplishing.

On the last page of this folder is a photograph showing the Public Service Building as of September 22, showing the rapid progress that has been made in the construction work.

That portion of the building in which your company's general offices will be located will be completed the latter part of this year and present plans call for the moving of the Company's offices into their new quarters between Christmas and New Year's.

Respectfully yours,
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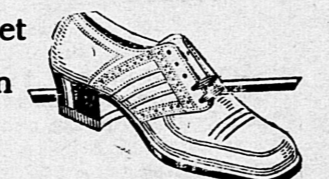
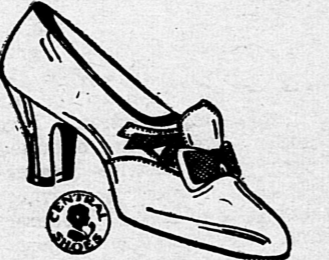


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OLIVE ELDER BRIDE OF REV. McCOLL IN CHURCH CEREMONY

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Following the ceremony, which was witnessed by about thirty of the near relatives of the contracting parties, a two course dinner was served at the home of the bride by Jennie Margaret Cummins, Martha Elder, Helen Cleaver and Mrs. Bernadine Curtis. Table decorations were roses in bud vases.

Following the ceremony the couple left for Washington, D. C. where they will attend the International Disciples of Christ convention. Following this, they will go to Adrian, Michigan, where the groom is pastor of the First Christian church.

The bride is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Elder Jr. She is a graduate of the Charleston Teachers College and the University of I.

The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McColl of Windsor, Canada. He is a graduate of the theological division of Eureka college. The parents of the groom and another relative from Windsor were present for the wedding, as also were Rev. and Mrs. D. K. McColl and daughters of Indianapolis.

KIRKSVILLE

Lola Barns and little daughter spent the week end with Ray Bruce and family.

O. C. Yarnell and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Job Evans.

Mrs. Dea Ritchey and daughter Ola spent Sunday with H. H. Ritchey and family. Wallace Ritchey spent Friday night in Findlay.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter LeCrone of Sullivan, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Woods and daughter of Decatur spent Sunday with Otto LeCrone and family.

Mrs. Russell Wheeler of Bethany spent Saturday with Mrs. E. West.

Elva Clark and family and Wes Clark and family spent Sunday in Sullivan with Charley Clark and family of Sullivan.

Mrs. Nola Hoke, Mrs. Ethel Clark spent Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Bill Pressey.

Mrs. Nola Hoke and Mrs. Mary Clark and daughter Lula helped Mrs. Ethel Clark cook for bean threshers Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clem Messmore spent Sunday with Ray Evans and family.

George Bruce and family and Ed Jecers and family surprised Mr. and Mrs. Othello Bruce with a chili supper Tuesday night.

Mrs. Maude Harding and children of Bethany spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. George Bruce.

Several attended the funeral services of John Lee at Findlay on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Leeds spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Hal Leeds in Decatur.

CUSHMAN

Mrs. O. A. Foster spent Thursday and Friday in Decatur.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Taylor and family spent the week end at Coles with his sister.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Myers spent two days last week in Decatur.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Valentine of Paris spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Valentine.

Mrs. Kate Dedman and daughter Dollie are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Leo Murphy.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Devore spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Stairwalt.

Cleo Spaugh and family were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Burley Fultz.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Miller and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Foster and son and Harlie Wood spent Sunday in Arthur with Mr. and Mrs. Lefe Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wood entertained friends from Canton Sunday night and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Sheeks and daughter of Mattoon and Mrs. Albert Myers of Sullivan spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Foster.

Mrs. Elizabeth Potter spent a few days last week in St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Manier and son and Mr. Anderson and daughter of Casey spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Myers.

Mrs. Margaret Foster and Mrs. Addie Dawson spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Cummings spent Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Cole.

Mrs. Fred Foster was a Mattoon visitor Wednesday.

JUVENILE LIBRARY BOOKS

- "Red Feather Adventures."
- "Red Feather Home Coming."
- No. 1 Stories of Belle River.
- No. 2 Stories of Belle River.
- No. 3 Stories of Belle River.
- "Indian Legends."
- "Happy Hunting Grounds."
- "Our Holidays."
- "Never Grow Old Stories."
- "Stories In Trees."
- "Children in the Pines."
- "From Columbus to Lincoln."
- "From Lincoln to Coolidge."

HIGH SCHOOL HOME COMING BIG SUCCESS: WEATHER WAS IDEAL

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ner. Second place was won by Jethro, belonging to Ruth Ashbrook and Merle Fisher. Breezer belonging to Glen Conwell came in third. Others gave these good competition. A total of 40 entries were registered, but some were scratched. An only criticism was, they ran too fast.

The parade assembled at the school house and started forward at the firing of the salutes down town. They moved forward in the following order: High School Band, Senior float, Junior float, Sophomore float, Freshman float, rural schools floats and decorated cars, groups of students from rural schools, Lowe school, Powers school, the Home Economics float, the City Churches float, Patron-teachers, Kiwanis, Alumni, Alumni Band, Friends in Council, High School Board and other decorated cars of student groups. It was estimated that the parade was ten blocks in length. An especially large turn out from rural schools added much to the extent and color of the parade. The tiny tots from the elementary grades dressed as wooden soldiers, in patriotic costumes and as brownies, gave particular color to the parade.

Among the rural schools present were Purvis, Two Mile, Strickland, Morgan, Union, Titus, New Castle, Hinton, Alleville, Morning Star, Minor and East Hudson. There may have been others who were not represented in the parade.

The football game began at the firing of the salutes at 2:30 p. m. The game was one of the high spots of the day. While the weather was comfortable for spectators the players suffered rather intensively from the heat. Villa Grove had a finely balanced and well polished team. At the opening of the contest they played with great smoothness. Their early score threatened to spoil the hopes of a Sullivan victory, but beginning with the second kick off the Sullivan team settled into routine and determination on its way to victory. They were not satisfied until they piled up three touch downs. The game resulted with a score of eighteen to six in favor of Sullivan.

The next feature of paramount interest to the people was the Homecoming supper, which was served cafeteria style in the gymnasium. Some three hundred people were served in the course of an hour and a half.

The climax of the festivities came with "Sonny-Jane" the All-School Play, which was given in the High School auditorium at 8:00 p. m. A large and appreciative audience witnessed the presentation of the comic show in three acts under the direction of Miss Martha Hursh. Francis Wits, very ably presented a bouquet of roses to Miss Hursh in behalf of the play cast.

Special numbers were given between acts by the Alumni orchestra, Betty Foster, "Bill" Heacock and "Gerd" Newbould. The Homecoming Queen, Mary Emily Lewis, who was elected by votes cast on the play tickets, was presented to the audience between the second and third act. Also between the second and third act Mr. Scheer extended in behalf of the school the appreciation of the splendid response and support that the individuals and groups of the entire community gave in making the Homecoming a success.

LOVINGTON

Mrs. Mae Cheever, Worthy Matron of the local Eastern Star attended Grand Lodge in Chicago last week.

The Woman's club met at the home of Mrs. Ada Conn Tuesday. Several friends and relatives met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Reedy west of town Sunday and surprised Mr. Reedy in honor of his birthday. Forty-three were present and a pot luck dinner was served at noon.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. June Wood, Oct. 3. She has been named Vivian Ellen.

Mrs. Leo Smith and children and Mrs. Frank Smith and children spent Thursday with relatives in Bement.

Mrs. R. D. Bundy of near Mattoon spent last week with her sister, Mrs. W. M. Stricklan.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Stricklan and children of Lovington and Mrs. Clara Swisher of Sullivan enjoyed an ice cream supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bundy near Mattoon.

Mrs. J. S. Strohman accompanied her daughter Mrs. L. M. Nye to her home in Ploughkeepsie, N. Y., and will remain for an extended visit.

S. A. Poff visited Sunday with his family in Champaign.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira McBride and son spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pickett near Homer.

The Kearney homestead north of town was destroyed by fire Tuesday. The house was an old landmark.

Leo Smith delivered a load of stock to St. Louis Tuesday.

JONATHAN CREEK

Mrs. Ella Bolin spent Saturday with her daughter Mrs. Felix Elder and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Piper visited Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Mike Buxton and family of Lovington.

Sunday guests of Nathan Powell and family were Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Deckard of Decatur, Ralph Powell of Chicago, Mr. Phelps of St. Louis, Mr. Edrington and Hubert Powell of Litchfield, Merle Powell of Decatur and Mr. and Mrs. Will Powell.

Vern Righter spent the week end with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Freese spent Sunday with Harry McClure and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rhodes and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Davis spent Sunday in Springfield.

Mrs. Walter Bolin and daughter Bernice called on Mrs. Ruth Pound Saturday afternoon.

Delmar Elder and family spent one evening last week with Mr. and Mrs. Orville Powell.

Ed Slover and family visited on Sunday with Charlie Webb and family.

Sunday callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Elder were: Jasper Littleton and son Bernard and daughter Emma, Mildred and Bernice Wilhelm of Mattoon, Dr. and Mrs. Byron Trexler of Charleston and Walter Crane and family.

Clifton Bolin attended the home coming at Bloomington Friday and Saturday.

Pearl Pierce, Pauline McCaulley and Mrs. Glen and daughter of Champaign and O. W. Powell and family were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Pierce.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Piper called on Arthur Sunday evening.

Mrs. Stella Bolin, Mrs. Rhue Bolin and Mrs. Fern Righter assisted Mrs. Ella Bolin cook for bean threshers Monday.

Lulu, Lucille, Lurene and Estel Freese spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Freese.

Jim Pound called on Frank Pound Sunday morning.

Leland and Loyal Davis spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. D. K. McCall and daughters of Indianapolis, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McCall and Mr. McKinley of Windsor, Canada and William Elder of Champaign spent Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Elder and attended the wedding of their daughter Olive Elder to Rev. Duncan McCall on Tuesday.

Ralph Powell and Dewey Dackard called on Orville Powell on Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Emery Righter, Hugh Righter, Mrs. Walter Bolin and children, Frank Pound and family and Jim Pound and family were Sunday afternoon callers at the home of Walter Mathias and family.

Mr. and Mrs. George Ault of Lake City visited Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Crowdon.

Mrs. Hattie Bolin and Mrs. Agnes Davis assisted Mrs. Frances Powell cook for bean threshers on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Mathias of Decatur, Raymond Hughes, Lel and Hughes and family, Charles Flanigin and family, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pickle and Charles Hughes were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Crowdon.

Doris Graven will lead the Endeavor meeting Sunday evening.

CORN CANNING SEASON OVER

The 1930 canning season at the Crites factory came to an end last week when the final consignment of corn grown for the factory by farmers was brought in and canned. The factory had run only apart of last week, having suspended operations for the more complete maturity of some late planted corn.

The pack this year was the lightest in the history of the factory, less than 13,000 cases of corn having been put up. In some past years as high as 36,000 cases have been canned.

The small pack was due to the fact that the drought had cut the sweet corn yield more than in half, through the acreage this year was as large as it had been in any years in the past.

The irregular way in which the corn ripened made it impossible to keep the factory running steadily at any time this summer, making the situation unsatisfactory for the owners, the farmers and those who were employed at the plant.—Tuscola Review.

—Mrs. Frank Corkins of Danville left Tuesday for her home after a visit here with Mrs. W. L. Landers. On Wednesday Mrs. Corkins, Mrs. Landers, Mrs. Harmison and Mrs. Raymond Shasteen visited with Mrs. J. E. Harris and Mrs. Oscar Piper in Jonathan Creek township.

—Friday evening callers at the home of Mrs. W. L. Landers were Mrs. J. E. Harris, Mrs. John Floyd Mrs. Eunice Sipes, Mrs. Lyman Donnell of Kirksville and Mrs. Laura Zook.

—Mrs. Lucille McFarland is having a garage erected on her property.

FEED SHORTAGE CAN BE BLOCKED BY SUBSTITUTES

Urbana, Ill., Oct. 15.—Illinois farmers will be up against it both for hay and pasture in 1931, as a result of the past season's drouth, but the emergency can be met by careful planning, says H. C. M. Case, head of the farm organization and management department of the College of Agriculture, university of Illinois. In the study of many hundreds of farm records, examples have been found where men in such situations have used a wide variety of substitute crops and thus avoided breaking up a rotation and hurting their profits he said.

"Recently many Illinois farmers have adopted good field arrangements and rotations of crops which fit into their plans of business. Weather conditions of the past year, however, have been discouraging to the man who is trying to follow a good rotation. In many parts of the state, clover fields have been killed by the dry weather. Such conditions have led some farmers to give up a good cropping system after they once had it established. It is easy to put land which should have been in clover back to corn, following a year when the clover crop has failed, and to break up the rotation in that way.

"A good system of farming should include plans for handling such a situation. Careful consideration should be given to selecting emergency hay crops such as soybeans or emergency pasture crops which in general had best be a companion crop of small grain and legumes. Grain crops perhaps supplemented by rape give early feed in the spring and will be needed with the short supply of feed that will be on hand. Spring-sown legumes and sudan grass may give good summer and fall feed. Pasture land may be divided, using part for spring pasture and part for fall pasture. In such an arrangement some crops will provide early pasture, while others will provide later pasture.

"No matter what has to be done to keep a good cropping plan going, it should be remembered that such a plan has helped many Illinois farmers increase their earnings by making it more economical for them to operate their farms and at the same time supplying them with needed feed. A good cropping plan helps provide for the best use of labor, power and equipment, helps to maintain fertility of the soil, provides for the proper feeding of livestock and makes it easier to control weeds, insects and crop diseases."

DRILL AGAIN AT OIL WELL

After having considerable trouble in replacing several hundred feet of casing that had been drawn from Windsor township oil well, because of water conditions and a "lost" drill, the casing was satisfactorily replaced and water pumped out.

Then at 10 o'clock Sunday night the big drill started chugging away again, and has been going downward steadily since day and night. The well is now around 2,000 feet deep.

Everybody connected with the enterprise show their old time enthusiasm and even at the most discouraging times seemed to take delays as a matter of course, and never lost their optimism.

Harry Hamilton, second driller, who is in charge of the night force resumed work Sunday night. He had been off duty two weeks because of injuries, having received a big gash on the back of the head from some of the machinery, and also other injuries.—Windsor Gazette.

Chocolate pie filling is a favorite in winter time. Melt a square of unsweetened chocolate in the double boiler and pour into it a pint of scalded milk. Mix 2½ tablespoons of cornstarch with 6 tablespoons of sugar and add to the hot milk and chocolate. Beat until smooth. Allow this mixture to cook in the double boiler for ten minutes, remove from fire and add 1 teaspoon of butter, ½ teaspoon salt, ¼ teaspoon vanilla and 2 beaten egg yolks. Fill a prebaked pie crust with this mixture and cover the top with a meringue made of 2 egg whites stiffly beaten and 2 tablespoons sugar, ½ teaspoon vanilla, and a pinch of salt. Bake the pie in a slow oven for about 20 minutes or until the meringue is delicately brown.

—Miss Mary Corns, Miss Edith Pearce and Zada Harmon of Warrensburg called on Annabelle and Nora Devore Sunday evening.

—Miss Ida Collins is spending this week in Lovington.

—Dr. A. D. Miller has bought a new Chevrolet coupe.

—Mrs. Lizzie Wallace will go to Evanston, Ill., to spend the winter.

Old Shawneetown is the oldest existing town within the borders of Illinois.

To make old-fashioned rice pudding put a tablespoon of washed rice in a baking dish with one quart of milk, 1-3 cup of sugar, ½ teaspoon of nutmeg, and ½ teaspoon of salt. Cook very slowly in the oven for 2 or 3 hours, stirring often. A cup of raisins may be added.

CHILD SUSTAINS BURNS FROM CARBOLIC ACID

Eugene, the 2½ year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Cole of near Bethany was painfully burned on Monday morning when he spilled a bottle of carbolic acid over his legs. It was thought for a time that he drank some of the poison, but such was not the case.

A crew was threshing beans at the Cole home at the time this happened. Eugene was sitting in the car watching the threshers. In rummaging around the car he found the bottle of acid in a side pocket where his father had put it after treating an injured horse. He pulled the cork and spilled the fluid over him. His shrieks attracted the threshers and medical aid was speedily summoned. He is said to be getting along nicely at this time.

BETHANY IS PLANNING FOR MORE HARD ROAD

Some of the men who have been interested in the hard road from the beginning, met in the parlor of the Scott State Bank Monday evening and discussed the question about connecting the hard road with another hard road through town. The plan talked of was to start a hard road from the route 132 east of town, come west along Main street to the railroad then go north and connect with route 132 at the C. D. Esry corner. This will make another hard road almost a mile long and will connect with 132. Just how it will be done is not known yet. A man will be brought to this community who knows about this kind of work and he will explain just how you go about to carry out the plan. Such a road will certainly bring more people into the business part of town.

—Bethany Echo.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Burns and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shipman spent Sunday evening in Decatur.

WIND VELOCITY JUDGED WITHOUT INSTRUMENTS

A "rule of thumb" system devised by the United States Weather Bureau enables anyone to make a fairly accurate estimate of the wind velocity, even when he is miles from a weather bureau station.

When the wind blows less than 1 mile per hour, smoke rises vertically. A wind of 1 to 3 miles causes smoke to drift but does not move a wind vane. A light wind of 4 to 7 miles makes itself felt on the face, rustles the leaves and moves a wind vane, while a gentle breeze of 8 to 10 miles an hour keeps leaves and small twigs in constant motion and extends light flags.

A moderate wind of 13 to 18 miles an hour raises dust and loose paper and moves small branches, while a "fresh blow" of 19 to 24 miles causes small leafy trees to sway gently and forms crested wavelets on inland waters.

A strong wind of 25 to 31 miles an hour moves large branches of trees, whistles through the telegraph wires and makes it difficult to hold an umbrella open, while a wind of 32 to 38 miles velocity sets whole trees in motion and retards anyone walking against the wind.

A wind blowing 39 to 54 miles an hour is known by the Weather Bureau as a gale. When a gale does not exceed 46 miles an hour it breaks twigs off of trees and generally impedes progress, but when stronger it causes slight structural damage, blowing off chimney pots and slate shingles.

The wind seldom blows 55 to 75 miles an hour inland, but such a velocity is known as a "whole gale." When blowing at a velocity of 55 to 63 miles an hour, a "whole gale" uproots trees and causes considerable structural damage and a 64 to 75 mile "whole gale" very rarely experienced, causes widespread damage.

A hurricane blowing faster than 75 miles an hour, makes itself known with a fury understandable only by those who have lived thru such an experience.

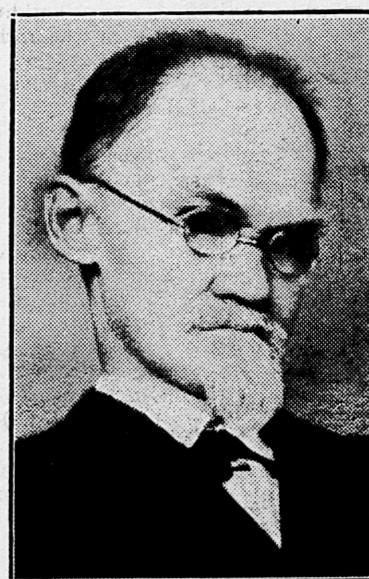
CENSUS SIGN BOARDS

Springfield, Ill.—Census signs, along the highways, at the corporate limits of 22 Illinois cities in the 25,000 to 100,000 population class, are being revised by the division of highways, to conform to the 1930 enumeration. Director H. H. Cleveland has obtained the figures from district census supervisors, subject to revision in the final re-check by federal officials. The population signs at borders of the cities under 25,000 and over 100,000 will be revised as soon as figures are available.

Of all common foods cheese is one of the richest in calcium. Many Americans do not get in their foods enough calcium to furnish their bodies with the quantity of this mineral needed for building and repairing teeth and bones. Cheese made from whole milk also contains a considerable quantity of fat. The protein of cheese is the same efficient kind as that in meat. A cheese dish is therefore high in food value.

Some fellows are always trying to do something that can't be done—and failing.

For County Judge Elect



John E. Jennings

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In every way qualified to serve the best interests of the people of Moultrie Co.
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No charge for this service—You pay for new grease only.

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**NOVEMBER ELECTION
DRAWS NIGH**

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condition that precludes an active personal canvass of the voters. This condition, his friends all concede, will not in any way prevent his giving to the office of county judge all of the time and attention required to administer the affairs of that office, if elected. Besides looking after a large law practice, Mr. Jennings is now serving as city attorney, an appointive office which he has filled from time to time within recent years. In such capacity he has handled successfully all legal matters for the city.

While Mr. Jennings is not making a personal canvass of the voters, he is nevertheless busy campaigning. He is using the mails to carry to the voters his letters of solicitation. He conducted a similar campaign last spring before the primary and was successful at the polls on primary day. He stands high among the legal fraternity of central Illinois and is local attorney for the Illinois Central Railroad.

Mr. Jennings opponent is one of Moultrie county's best known men, Judge O. F. Cochran, son of an illustrious father. He has for many years held office in this county. From 1916 to 1920 he served as county judge and since that time he has been master in chancery, which office he now holds. Judge Cochran is calling on the voters. The name Cochran is one that stands high in Republican circles in Moultrie county.

County Treasurer

The race for county treasurer has seen several innovations this year. A woman is a candidate. She and her husband, D. G. Carnine the present holder of the office are campaigning together while Oliver Dolan is looking after the affairs in the office. Mrs. Carnine is the Republican candidate. Her husband, elected four years ago, cannot be elected at this time as the law provides that a treasurer shall serve only one term and four years must then elapse before he is again eligible to election. Mrs. Carnine who has been serving as her husband's deputy, accordingly became the candidate this year. If elected her husband will serve as her deputy and the affairs of the office will be conducted as they have been for the past four years. Mr. and Mrs. Carnine are making an intensive campaign, seeking support.

Newbould Opposes

The Democratic candidate opposing Mrs. Carnine is Orman Newbould. He is new in county politics although he has served as alderman of the second ward here in Sullivan. Mr. Newbould is known to many people through his connections as clerk and later as part owner of grocery stores in Sullivan. He is of obliging disposition and counts as his friends all who have ever had the pleasure of knowing him. He is receiving much encouragement in his race and his friends are predicting his election by a large margin.

For Sheriff

In the office of sheriff the same conditions exist as in the office of county treasurer, only the deputy who seeks to succeed the present sheriff is, of course, a man.

In making laws pertaining to county offices the legislature many years ago decreed that a sheriff shall serve but one term and then lay off a term before he can be again elected. Charles Lansden is sheriff now. His son Halac is deputy. The deputy is a candidate for sheriff this fall, with a promise to the voters that if elected, he will retain his father as deputy. This would mean that there would be no change in the office of sheriff, except only in a transfer of the titles of sheriff and deputy. Halac Lansden is an ambitious young man who is making every possible effort to win the office.

Foster's Friends Aid

For the first time in many years Lovington township has a candidate on the ticket this fall. J. N. (Nick) Foster has been nominated for Sheriff by the Democrats and

his friends, not only in Lovington township, but all over the county have rallied to his support. Nick Foster will get a tremendous vote in Lovington township where the people know him best. He will run well in all the other townships and his friends predict that when the votes are counted on the night of November 4th, Nick Foster will be found near the head of the ticket. Mr. Foster's friends have not contented themselves with expressing approval of his candidacy-but they have aided in getting out campaign posters and taking them over the county for him. Mr. Foster is getting over the county in his solicitation for votes. He is well qualified for the office he seeks. He has never before asked for a county office, but has always taken an active interest in county affairs.

Supt. of Schools

Albert Walker is the Democratic candidate. He made the acquaintance of most of the voters last spring in his primary campaign. He has friends and supporters in practically every part of the county. During his experience as a teacher in rural schools he taught in many of the townships. He later spent 12 years at Arthur as principal of the high school there. Since last year he has been a resident of Sullivan. If elected, and his friends all predict that he will be, he will administer the affairs of the office he seeks with an understanding and ability that will meet with the approval of the people whose children attend Moultrie county's schools.

Brumfield a Candidate

Prof. Loren Brumfield has been selected as the Republican party's candidate for this office. Mr. Brumfield is not letting his candidacy interfere with his duties as a school man. He did some campaigning during the summer vacation and is out calling on voters on Saturdays. Before coming to Sullivan several years ago, he had been principal of the grade schools at Bethany.

Chippis for Clerk

Much interest attaches to the race for the election to the office of county clerk. J. B. Martin is at present the holder of that office. He is finishing his third full term, or 12 years. If again elected he will have served 16 years in this office. Opposing him, as the Democratic candidate, is Paul Chippis, better known to his friends as Pete Chippis. Mr. Chippis has made a very thorough campaign. Although not opposed in the primary for the nomination last spring he, nevertheless, made visits to many parts of the county at that time, lining up support for the real battle, which is now on.

Mr. Chippis' friends are confident that he will win. They have come to his support and the four-color campaign cards that have a donation of good will on the part of these friends.

He is qualified by education and experience to make a good county clerk. During the war he served in the navy. Prior to the war he had a good job in Chicago. Following his discharge from service, he decided to remain here and make his home with his parents, both of whom were aged and in ill health. He took over the management of the Chippis farm in Jonathan Creek township and has conducted it since that time. His father died several years ago. Mr. Chippis and his mother reside on Jefferson street in this city.

The campaign for the office of county clerk is attracting the attention of many. Mr. Martin, the victor in three previous campaigns is stressing the point that the main interest of the voters is to have the affairs of the county offices efficiently conducted. He claims to have given that kind of service. Mr. Chippis friends contend that three terms in a county office is long enough in Moultrie. They also claim that the affairs of the office can be just as efficiently conducted under Mr. Chippis' management. In the early part of the campaign Mr. Chippis met with occasional discouraging advice.

The tide seems to have swung the other way now, and his friends are confident of his success.

Votes Will Decide

Candidates on both sides are reluctant to give the impression that they are absolutely sure of election. They feel that if such impression should become general, voters who favor them, may stay at home on election day, feeling that their votes are not needed.

Lewis Will Win

In the race for United States senator, the drift seems to be toward James Hamilton Lewis, the Democratic candidate. Mr. McCormick's squabble about campaign finances and her compromise with the Chicago wet element has put her in bad with thousands who voted for her in last spring's primary, when she defeated Senator Deneen.

It is not expected that the rest of the Democratic state ticket will run as well as Lewis, although he may win by a margin large enough to carry some of them to victory.

The Democratic and Republican tickets in this county this fall will have on them the following names:

Democratic Ticket

U. S. Senator
JAMES HAMILTON LEWIS
State Treasurer
EDWARD J. BARRETT
State Supt. of Schools
EVA B. BATERTON
Congress at Large
WALTER NESBIT
WM. H. DETRICH
Rep. in Congress 19th District
CHARLES BORCHERS
Rep. in General Assembly
Wm. E. GILMORE
County Judge
J. E. JENNINGS
County Clerk
PAUL CHIPPIES
For Treasurer
ORMAN NEWBOULD
For Sheriff
J. N. FOSTER
Supt. of Schools
ALBERT WALKER

Republican Ticket

U. S. Senator
RUTH HANNA MCCORMICK
State Treasurer
CLARENCE F. BUCK
State Supt. of Schools
FRANCIS G. BLAIR
Congress at Large
RICHARD YATES
FRANK L. SMITH
Rep. Congress 19th District
CHARLES ADKINS
Rep. in General Assembly
W. Z. BLACK
ROGER LITTLE
County Judge
O. F. COCHRAN
County Clerk
J. B. MARTIN
For Treasurer
IDA CARNINE
For Sheriff
HALAC LANSDEN
Supt. of Schools
LOREN BRUMFIELD

—Mr. and Mrs. Webb Tichenor and family motored to Shelton, Indiana Saturday and spent the week end at the home of her father. C. S. Stark and helped him to celebrate the observance of his 79th birthday anniversary. Among others present were Mrs. Tichenor's brother Clyde Stark and family of Benton, Illinois. It was also his birthday anniversary. Upon their return to Sullivan the Tichenor family was accompanied by Mrs. Goldie Lane who is spending the week here.

—Mrs. Blonson Crockett attended a birthday party given for her grandmother, Mrs. Rose in Windsor Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Chaney of Shelbyville spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Chaney.

—Mrs. A. F. Batman of Decatur spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Harris.

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**MRS. McILWAIN HEADS
LEGION AUXILIARY**

At a meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary held Monday night, October 6th at the home of Mrs. Ruth Billman, the following officers were chosen for the ensuing year:

President—Lois McIlwain.
First Vice—Christine David.
Second Vice—Gertrude Taylor.
Secretary—Margaret Todd.
Treasurer—Susan Roney.
Sargent at Arms—Jessie Gibbon.
Historian—Helen Dickerson.
Chaplain—Nina-Gale Hawley.
Pianist—Susan Roney.
Rehabilitation—Ruth Campbell, Josephine Roney, Ada Collins.
Child Welfare—Rose Lewis, Alice Reed, Faye Williamson.
Membership—Theo. Sona, Jessie Gibbon, Leone Miller, Helen Dickerson.
Publicity—Ruth Billman.

**M. E. OFFICIAL BOARD
POT-LUCKED TUESDAY**

The Official Board of the Methodist church had its first fall meeting Tuesday night at the church, at a pot-luck supper. There was a good attendance and much business was discussed, passed on, and promoted. Rev. Lawrence again presented his program for the year which had some added plans. The Every-Member canvass for the budget will be gotten under way very soon. The plan adopted is to seek a pledge from every member, young and old. The First Quarterly Conference will be held in the church Friday night Oct. 31, with Dr. McCarty presiding.

—Miss Fern Brown of Champlain came Friday to attend the Home coming at the high school, and also spent the week end with home folks.

—Miss Marguerite Barber of Decatur spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Brown.

—Mr. and Mrs. Curt Weger and the Chaney Sisters spent Sunday at the home of W. R. Chaney in Mattoon.

—Mrs. S. H. Purvis entertained a number of relatives at her home Sunday in honor of Mrs. R. C. Parks who observed her birthday anniversary on that day. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Sam Purvis and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Myers, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Leeds, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sona, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Edwards and Miss Ora Purvis.

—Mrs. Will Barton entertained the D. D. N. at her home Thursday afternoon.

—Miss Coral McIntire of Chicago spent the week end with home folks.

—Mrs. M. B. Whitman, Mrs. Harry Willis and Mrs. Genevieve Lowe visited friends in Mattoon Saturday.

—Mrs. Sarah Trowbridge who has been visiting here the past two months left Thursday for Mattoon where she will visit for two weeks before leaving for her home in Los Angeles.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Whitchurch and Mr. and Mrs. J. Johnson of Centralia parents of Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Whitchurch came Thursday to get acquainted with their new granddaughter, Esther Laverne.

—Mrs. Hugh McDonald, formerly of this city but now residing in Peoria underwent an operation for appendicitis in a hospital in that city Friday.

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**JOHN BURKNER LEE DIED
AT FINDLAY THURSDAY**

Funeral services for John B. Lee who died Thursday night of last week at his home in Findlay, was held Sunday afternoon and burial was in White cemetery.

The deceased had been a resident and farmer in Findlay vicinity for the last forty years. He was seventy-three years old at the time of his death. He was born at Sullivan, Ill., the son of George and Lunicia Lee. He had been in poor health for several years but had been in a serious condition for only three weeks.

Surviving are his widow and the following children: John, Wardy, Amos, Ira, Harry, Homer, Orville, Emma, Lunicia, Bertha and Martha.

**NORMA SHEARER STARS
IN SMART COMEDY**

"Let Us Be Gay" with Norma Shearer in the starring role, will be the attraction at the Grand Theatre for two days starting on Sunday, October 19th. The picture was adapted from the New York stage success by Rachel Crothers which ran for ten months at the Little Theatre with Francine Lawrence in the role portrayed on the screen by Miss Shearer.

Robert Z. Leonard, who produced the star's last success, "The Divorcee" directed the current production and gathered together an unusually important supporting cast which includes Rod La Rocque in the leading masculine role, Marie Dressler, Gilbert Emery, Hedda Hopper, Raymond Hackett, Sally Eilers and Tyrell Davis.

The story is an amusing tale of a woman who loses her husband's affection because she neglects her appearance in an over-efficient absorption in household duties. A few years in Paris, however, teaches her a number of things she had never thought of before and she returns in time to prevent her ex-husband from marrying a charming but entirely unsophisticated debutante.

The plot offers Miss Shearer plenty of opportunity for smart comedy as well as straight drama while humor of a more ribald type is offered by Marie Dressler in the role of an erratic dowager.

The scenes are laid in attractive society settings and include vistas of country gardens, wooded nooks and luxurious interiors. Miss Shearer is seen in a wide variety of smart costumes and reveals a number of new coiffures.

The combination of an intriguing plot, clever characterizations, witty dialogue and a particular effective performance upon the part of the star are said to make this picture unusually good entertainment.

—Mr. and Mrs. Scott Woods of Decatur spent Sunday at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Messmore. Mr. Messmore accompanied them on their return and is spending the week in Decatur.

—Mrs. Ella Blair and daughter Mittie left Monday for Ohio and expect to spend a week or ten days visiting with relatives and friends in Northern and Eastern Ohio.

BIRTHS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Glen Sager, a daughter Sunday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Collard Monday a son.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. James King, a son. The new arrival has been named Wm. James King, Jr.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McClure left Sunday for Quincy where they are spending several days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oelklaus.

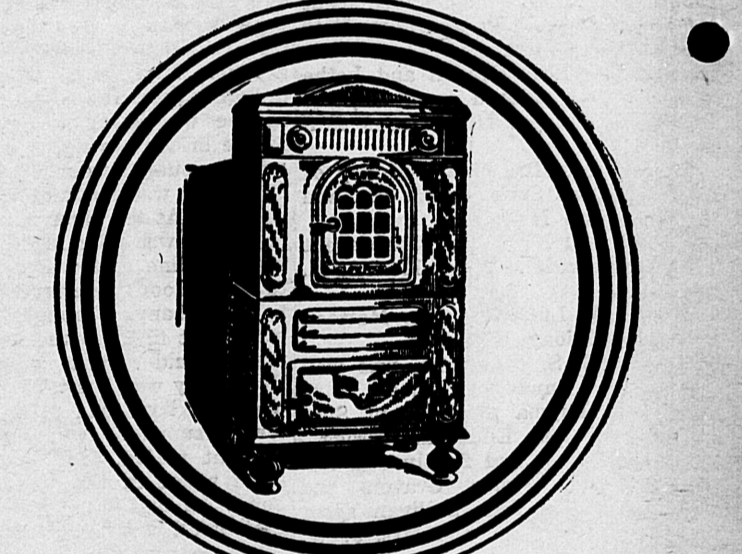
—Dr. and Mrs. Don Butler and family spent Sunday with Mrs. M. Munsie and daughter Mae in Decatur.



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EIGHTH INSTALLMENT

"Oh, an old friend by now," declared. "We've known one another quite a week and love each other dearly. Bim doesn't approve. She says that Sadie is common and bad form, and a wrong influence for me! Did you ever hear of such rubbish?"

"I should think Miss Lennox is right," Giles answered, then stopped aghast at the admission. His own wife!—"And does Miss Barrow share your views on life, that you and she are such friends?"

"As a matter of fact, she doesn't," Julie answered. "She's inclined to be morbid, and nobody can accuse me of that."

"Morbid!"

"Yes. She's got weird ideas on some subjects. For one thing, she's mad on this latest spiritualistic craze."

"Nonsense!"

"You're not very polite. Ask her yourself if you don't believe me. That's why she's in London now—to see Chryer, the new medium."

"You're not serious?"

"Of course I am! There's a seance tomorrow, and we're all going. You'd better come along too."

Her eyes challenged him. "Or are you afraid that they may read the secrets of your inmost soul?"

"There is only one secret in my soul for any one to read," Chitttenham said.

She laughed.

"How touching! The tragedy of your marriage, I suppose."

"No," said Chitttenham. "The tragedy of my love for you." For a moment Julie seemed taken aback. Her lips quivered, and she bit them sharply, then she turned and called to Schofield:

"Lawrence, come here! Mr. Chitttenham is talking to me about his soul, and I'm almost reduced to tears."

Giles had forgotten Doris until suddenly she spoke:

"I saw you talking with Julie. Was it she who made you angry?"

"Good heavens, no," Giles answered, too eagerly for absolute conviction. "She was talking about spiritualism."

"About Chryer, the new medium? That little American, Sadie Barrow is most enthusiastic. She says that she wants to know the future, and that Chryer can tell her."

"Sadie is a little fool," Chitttenham said unthinkingly. Then he flushed dully, and hastily apologized.

"I should not have said that. I beg your pardon, and hers. Let us talk about something else."

"Very well. Say—have you met the other Julie yet?"

"Yes. A night or two ago. I was agreeably surprised," he said at last.

"You know she has gone abroad?"

"I saw something about it in the paper."

"Of course every one is saying that she has gone with some man." Chitttenham made a swift gesture of anger, but he instantly controlled himself.

"I know that is absolutely untrue," he said.

Doris flushed.

"I am only telling you what

people are saying."

"People are too charitable!" Giles said with a sneer, and he thought of the woman whom he had left crouching by the fire in that lonely room. "I suppose if I allow myself to be identified with this menagerie much longer, they will credit me with a scandal of my own."

"I think they have done that already," Doris said lightly. He turned and looked at her. "Really! may I ask what it is?"

"I hardly know the facts myself, but I know it was something to do with Julie Farrow—this Julie Farrow—She watched him closely as she spoke.

Giles managed to laugh.

"How futile! I never met her in my life till that night at the Faun where I met you."

She looked at him steadily.

"That is not what Mr. Lombard insinuates."

In spite of himself Chitttenham changed color.

"So Lombard is the liar?"

Mrs. Ardron floated into the doorway. Giles rose, glad of the interruption.

He wandered through the crowded rooms until he came across Lombard.

"I want to speak to you." Lombard looked up.

"Well—what is it?"

"Come outside—"

The two men went into the hall.

"What on earth—" Lombard asked again apprehensively.

Chitttenham told him.

"I understand that you've been talking about things that don't concern you."

"My dear old chap—"

"You know what I mean—Switzerland—"

"I assure you Chitttenham—"

Giles cut in ruthlessly.

"Don't let me hear any more about it, that's all, or I shall have something to say to you that won't be pleasant hearing."

Chitttenham turned on his heel and walked away.

"A new sensation," said Julie. She sat up in bed, letting the letter she had been reading slip down to the floor.

"It was a lovely morning when I came home," she said flippantly.

"The first time I've ever seen the sun rise, by the way—no, not quite the first time—" she added slowly.

There was a little silence. "The first time was in Switzerland," she added defiantly. "On top of an exceedingly high mountain, and the devil said unto me—"

Bim turned sharply.

"Julie, for Heaven's sake shut up."

"Oh, all right," Julie giggled, and leaning over the side of the bed grabbed up the fallen letter from the floor. "Listen to this!" she commanded. "It's from Mrs. Ardron, the mother of the one and only Giles Chitttenham! She says that she is quite willing for us to hold a seance in her house tomorrow, and bring the famous Chryer. You'd better come along, Bim."

Bim came to the foot of the bed. "Our friendship isn't what it used to be," she said rather sadly. "We don't seem to agree any longer. You like people whom I—well, I just can't stand them, you

know that! I detest Doris and that Sadie Barrow, and Marco Essen—and that poor weak little fool, Mrs. Ardron. No—it's impossible to detest her, she's too harmless—"

"I wish Giles Chitttenham could hear you."

Julie flushed.

"Are you in love with him?" she twittered Bim sharply.

Bim flushed to the roots of her closely-cropped hair.

"No," she said. "But you are."

There was a little silence, then Julie started up, her eyes blazing, her lips quivering with rage.

"Go out of my rooms," she commanded. "How dare you say such a thing? I've had enough of you and your saintly ways. The sooner you go the better. I'm sick of being dictated to and preached at. I— But Bim had gone, closing the door softly behind her.

Julie lay back on the pillows. She was trembling in every limb.

"How dared she say such a thing! How dared she?" she asked herself passionately. "In love with that man! I hate him—How dare she—how dare she!"

She shut her eyes tightly, afraid of the scalding tears that suddenly seemed to rise from her heart.

Hate him! the man in whose arms she had found the meaning of love; the man whose tragic mistake had broken her, body and soul. Until now she had hardly realized how much she had suffered since that evening in Switzerland when Chitttenham had told her the truth.

She was morbidly afraid lest Giles should guess how he had hurt her, and to counteract that fear she sometimes deliberately sought his society, crucifying herself in order to deceive him. And it had been all in vain, for Bim knew!

With a swift little movement Julie threw aside the bedclothes and caught up a wrap.

"Bim!" she went out of the room and to Bim's door. Julie flung it open. She entered with a little rush, and, running across to her friend, dropped down on her knees beside her.

"I didn't mean it. I'm sorry. Forget I said it—I'm a beast—a mean beast, but you made me angry."

"Give it up, Julie," Bim urged gently. "Come away with me. We've had good times together before, and the country is Heaven now—"

She turned round, her arms hanging limply at her sides, her hair ruffled. "I can't!" she said. "I've got to stay and face it out. He'll think I'm afraid—that I'm running away."

She spoke quickly and incoherently, almost as if some power outside herself was forcing the words from her.

"I'd rather die than that he should think that. I'd rather marry Lawrence Schofield."

"My dear, I don't understand in the least what happened between you," Bim said in her cool, smooth voice. "You would never tell me when I asked you. If I only knew perhaps I could help you better—"

Julie flung up her head with a violent jerk.

"He's married," she said defiantly.

Her head went down again on her outflung arms and she began to sob.

Bim sat quite still, her hand on the girl's hair till Julie was quieter, then she tried again.

"Don't be a coward, Julie. Cut it all out and come away with me."

"I should be more of a coward if I did that. He'd know I was afraid."

There was a little silence, then Bim asked:

"Julie, have you seen his wife?"

"Whose wife?"

"Mr. Chitttenham's?"

"Good Lord, no. He told me they were separated, or something, but if they are, I daresay it's his fault. He must be a brute to live with."

Bim got up slowly and walked into Julie's room.

"I suppose it's true?" she submitted hesitatingly.

"What is true?"

"That he is married?"

Julie turned round, her eyes wide, her lips parted.

"I suppose so," she said slowly, then the color blazed suddenly in her cheeks. "Do you mean that—you think he just said it—as an excuse—to get rid of me?"

"Well—"

Julie went on with her dressing, but her hands shook badly.

"If I really thought that—" she said.

"Perhaps I ought not to have suggested it," Bim said hurriedly. "But he makes love to you—asks you to marry him—"

"No, he never asked me to marry him," Julie interrupted ruthlessly. "He just said—oh, why need we go all over it again?" she asked passionately.

"I'm only trying to help you, Julie. If it is true that he is married, why did he make love to you?"

Julie laughed.

"Don't all married men make love to other women?" she asked cynically.

"I shouldn't have thought a man like Mr. Chitttenham would," Bim said.

Julie made a little sound of anger.

"I suppose I shall have to tell you all the truth," she said. "It all sounds so silly—like a cheap drama. He thought I was Jewel—I never told you that, did I? He had some quixotic idea of paying me out for what he thought I had done to Rodney—they all blamed Jewel because he killed himself, you know. Well, Giles thought it would be a good idea to make me fall in love with him and then laugh at me as a punishment. Funny, isn't it?" she submitted quiveringly. "Well, I fell in love with him all right—and then after he'd found out his mistake, and that I wasn't Jewel after all, he told me the truth. But first he said that he really loved me—he said that part of it wasn't pretense at all but the real thing—I remember I was fool enough to think it must be all right then. I was quite ready to fall into his arms again and forgive him—"

"And then he had to tell me the rest—that he was married!"

A maid tapped at the door and entered.

"Please, Miss Farrow, will you see Mr. Chitttenham?"

(Continued next week)

—Mrs. W. G. Hankla and sons William, George and Bradley of Riverton spent Sunday with Mrs. Susan Dunn and other relatives.

Ben Woodworth of Bluford, Illinois visited Thursday and Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Miller. He is the husband of one of Mr. Miller's cousins.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Donovan who have been visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orman Newbould and other relatives in this county returned to their home in Kokomo, Ind., Wednesday.

—Mrs. Mary Harsh of Shelbyville visited with relatives at this place Friday.

—Keith Grigsby of Chicago spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Paul M. Hankla.

EAST HUDSON

Mrs. Bruce Dedman and daughter Irene visited Friday with Mrs. Walter Henderson near Findlay.

Miss Mae Hinton of Decatur visited over the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Dedman.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Monroe and Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Patterson visited Saturday and Sunday with relatives in Terre Haute.

Fay Watson and Fred Poland spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Burks.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Hilliard and family of Decatur spent Friday with Miss Ann Elliott.

Miss Rosetta McKim visited on Saturday night and Sunday with O. M. Standerfer and daughter Lelia.

Miss Ruby Shipman, Miss Mae Herendeen and Mrs. Harry Standerfer visited Monday in Decatur.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Dedman and daughter were visitors in Decatur Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Monroe spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Tobias Rhodes.

MERRITT

Mrs. Herman Ray spent Tuesday with Mrs. John Warren in Arthur.

Mrs. Dean Pickle spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. Russell Yaw.

Mrs. Ray Wilson spent Monday with her sister, Mrs. Myrtle Chandler in Decatur.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Davis and Mrs. Helen Davis spent Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Davis.

V. D. Thomas threshed beans Saturday.

Mrs. Clifford Davis, Mrs. Russell Yaw and Mrs. Ross Thomas visited school Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ray and son spent Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Ross Thomas.

Mrs. Reuben Bilbrey spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. V. D. Thomas.

Misses Helen Thomas and Christine Ferguson who attends school at Normal spent the week end visiting home folks, Mr. and Mrs. Rolla Thomas.

Homer Thomas who attends school in Charleston visited over Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Thomas.

Edwin Craig who attends college spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James B. Craig, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Pickle and son, Mr. and Mrs. John Bolton and daughters visited Sunday in Bement at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Kanitz.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stillians entertained Sunday Clifford Davis and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Thomas and son and Mrs. Stella Harris.

EAST COUNTY LINE

Mose Sherman and family of Lovington, Donald Ryan and family of Allenville, Frank Hoffman of St. Louis, Will Chaney and family of Mattoon and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Conlin visited Sunday with J. J. Ryan and family.

Charles Sanders and family of Arcola visited Sunday with A. J. Sexton and daughter Bertha.

Mr. and Mrs. Burgess Harden and children spent Sunday in Arthur with Raymond Robinson and family.

The Jonathan Creek Household Science club met Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Dorothy Watkins.

Mrs. Harry McClure was taken to the Tuscola hospital Sunday evening. She was operated on Tuesday morning and is getting along as well as possible.

Miss Louise Steck of Lovington, Mrs. James Ryan and Mrs. Everett Higginson spent Monday with Mrs. John Heardt.

Miss Edith Otter of Lovington and Miss Mary Scheutz and Miss Lucille Epling of Arthur, Vincent

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Landers and daughter spent Saturday and Sunday visiting relatives in Canton, Ill.

Wilva Vee, Joyce, Jay and Jack Landers visited over the week end with Mrs. Carrie Landers.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Shasteen and sons spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Buck Harchous.

Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Thomas and son spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Ross Thomas.

—The W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Mrs. Philip Wiard, Thursday afternoon, Oct. 23. Miss Minnie Edwards of Bethany will give the report of the state convention at this meeting. Everybody welcome.

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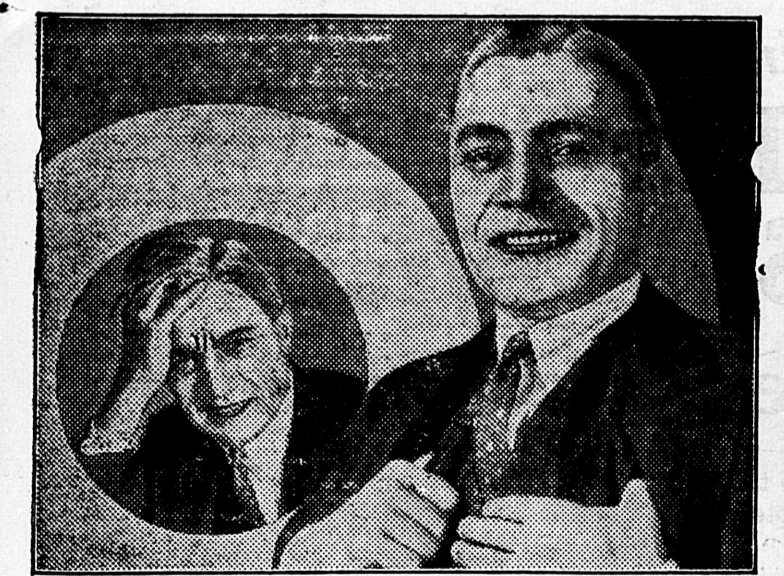
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TAX AMENMENT IS BITTERLY ATTACKED BY G. B. GILLESPIE

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stated that this meant equal taxation for all men and not taxation on any classified property valuation.

Who's Backing It?
Governor Emmerson is back of the present measure. "Who?" asked the speaker "is back of Mr. Emmerson?" He stated that it was difficult to find out who is sponsoring this legislation or to find out what it is all about.

He stated that the measure to place this proposed tax amendment on the ballot was only gotten through the Legislature through coercion. That the Chicago legislators were whipped into line to support it in order to get some measure of relief legislation to help Chicago out of the financial muddle in which it had found itself.

Another objection that he voiced to the measure was the way in which it will appear on the ballot. Instead of being on a separate ballot as has been the case with similar measures heretofore, this tax measure will appear on the big ballot in the left hand column.

Present Laws Not Enforced
Mr. Gillespie stated that the constitution as at present framed provides every possible means for fair taxation. It provides that anything of value may be taxed. It is all inclusive and covers anything and everything of value.

Governor Emmerson says that only 50 per cent of the property value of the state of Illinois is being taxed and that "intangibles" or invisible property, such as notes, stocks and bonds, etc., escapes taxation. He urges that the tax amendment be passed as the income of such intangible property could then be taxed through an income tax law. Mr. Gillespie demanded to know how the government can find the income of intangible property if it cannot find the property in the first place. He stated that the proposed tax amendment would grant immunity to the holders of intangible property from taxation and that they would pay a small and nominal income tax, instead of paying their just share. The owners of visible property such as farm lands, etc., would not only pay taxes on their property but would also have to pay taxes on any income they may derive from this already taxed property.

Political Taxation
He charged that the fault of the present system of taxation lay primarily with the assessors, politically elected and politically favoring the big owners of invisible property especially in Chicago. It is the Governor's duty to see that the laws of taxation as well as other laws are enforced. It is the duty of the Attorney General to start proceedings to see that the proper assessments are made. The report of a tax commission in 1927 shows that of the 600,000 automobiles in Chicago only 22,000 were assessed. Why? This is not invisible property. The records in Springfield show who owns these automobiles, but the assessors pass them up. The same holds good with practically all

other classes of property, visible and invisible.

Less Than 25% Assessed
In 1929 of the estimated wealth of \$37,000,000,000 in the state of Illinois only \$8,000,000,000 was taxed. Is there any good reason why the other \$29,000,000,000 should not pay its fair share of tax?

The new amendment, in the emphatic opinion of the speaker, would make legal this kind of tax-evasion.

That the proposed tax amendment would be a "Relief" measure he characterized as a "blatant lie." The adoption of the amendment would destroy any protection that the taxpayers now have.

He urged his audience to give this matter their most serious consideration before voting on it.

In introducing Mr. Gillespie, President Patterson stated that the Kiwanis Club will bring a speaker to this city prior to November 4th to speak in favor of the amendment, thus giving the people of this community the opportunity of hearing both sides of the question.

WESTERN HERDS IN TESTING ASS'N. TO BE VISITED OCTOBER 21

The annual tour of the Moultrie County Dairy Herd Improvement Association will take place Tuesday, October 21st. This is what is known as the Western tour. The Eastern tour was made last spring.

The yearly report of the association, issued in April, showed that 200 cows were tested for the year and they had an average of 7730 lbs. milk; 375.9 lbs. fat. The average feed cost was \$80.05 and the average returns above feed per cow was \$101.63.

For the second consecutive year there were no T. B. reactors in the herds.

During the past four years the Moultrie County Association has led the state in average production of butterfat. For the past year, ten of the 24 herds averaged better than 400 lbs. fat and seventeen cows made better than 500 lbs. fat.

The tour begins at the L. A. Wheeler home east of Bethany and those who will do the touring are asked to bring their lunches with them.

The places to be visited and the kind of cows are as follows:

- L. A. Wheeler—Jerseys.
- J. S. Smith—Jerseys.
- J. E. Cotner—Jerseys.
- A. D. Tipsword—Jerseys.
- W. M. Dennis—Mixed.
- Leslie Scott—Grade herd.
- H. G. Floyd—Jerseys.
- W. S. Ridgley—Guernsey.
- W. F. Farrell—Jerseys.
- V. I. Winings—Jerseys.
- H. P. Bicknell—Jerseys.
- Wessel Bolsen—Mixed herd.
- Henry Francis—Mixed herd.

The tour is slated to start at 8:30 o'clock and end at 4:00.

Any one interested in better dairying is invited to join in with the tourists and see what the owners of these herds are doing to improve their stock and make dairying profitable.

WINDSOR GUESTS AT MISSIONARY MEETING
Belle Hopper Missionary Society met at the home of Mrs. Eva Hill Monday evening at 7:30, division No. 4 having charge of the meeting. Mrs. Freda Horn was leader. The subject was Jamica. Devotional—Eva Hill. Phil 3: 12-16.

Paper, "In these we find hope of Jolico"—Mrs. Kibby.
Solo—"Mrs. Cora Fleming."
Prayer—Etha Lindsay.
Paper, "Publishers of glad tidings"—Mrs. Minnie Rhodes.
Paper, "Missionaries in Jamaica"—Mrs. Freda Horn.
Song and offering.
Benediction.
Refreshments were served to 21 members and 7 visitors.

The visitors from Windsor were Mrs. Dean Rankin, Mrs. M. E. Gibson, Mrs. Ralph Edwards, Mrs. Claude Davidson, Mrs. J. R. Moberly, Mrs. Beatrice Hamilton and Mrs. Margaret Robinson.

SULLIVAN COMMUNITY HOUSEHOLD SCIENCE CLUB
The S. C. H. S. club will meet Tuesday, October 22nd at two o'clock with Mrs. Esther Francis, Mrs. Olive McMullin, Mrs. Lelia Bupp and Mrs. Daisy Hankla as hostesses. Mrs. Leland Lawrence is the leader of this meeting.

The program will be about "Color Harmony in the Home."
Roll call is: "What I Have done to make my home beautiful. Mrs. Ella Jenne and Mrs. Coral Jenne will play a duet.

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THE WEATHER

Thursday is our busy day. Also it is the day on which the traveling salesmen from whom we buy paper come around to bother us. One such gent was in right now. His advice was "throw them all out and mail me your orders." We may decide to do that.

The weather looks rainish today. It sprinkled some. Folks say that a cold wave is predicted. It's about time for it, but we do hate to see the growing things killed off just when they are doing so well.

This has been a hot week for corn shucking. The temperature at times has been near the 90 mark, and imagine shucking corn on such days! The corn fields are all dried up and all that is needed to speed up the corn gathering is cooler weather.

Wheat fields are a beautiful green. The wheat is surely getting a good start, but this warm weather may also be rather favorable for the Hessian flies that delight to lay their eggs at this time of the year.

Kiefer pears are good eating right now. Sorghum is plentiful and it sure is good to eat, even though the hands and face get rather sticky when the youngsters spread it too thick.

The golf season is still on, with the boys all explaining why their scores are not as good as during the midsummer. Miniature golf has gone into hibernation until next spring on most of the courses.

This has been a great year for the farmers. They have been able to keep about four weeks ahead of the season with their farm work. The only thing they have not been able to keep up with has been Hoover prosperity. They hear talk of it once in a while but few of them ever get close enough to this prosperity to recognize it.

The campaign keeps romping along nicely. None of the boys and girls locally have started saying unkind things about each other. They are all a dandy bunch of folks and it's just too bad we can't elect them all. If they were all on the Democratic ticket we might do just that.

We also hear about tax amendments, conservation bonds, banking laws and lots of other things that the law makers of Illinois are going to ask your advice on when you go to the polls on election day. The voter ought to be a proud individual. Just to think that a lowly editor's vote counts as much as does Andy Mellon's, fills us to the bursting point with pride. Fear is expressed that there may be a flood in Illinois on election day. The flood is not water, it is not wine, but it is McCormick gold. Lots of fellows are scratching their itching palms waiting for the paymaster to show up.

Honestly we can't put much faith in such bunk. We don't believe the lady will scatter much of a bank roll. She may have bought the nomination, but we hope that she'll lay off that stuff on November 4th. We may be too truthful and optimistic, but we wouldn't be as grouchy as some folks, even though we got paid for it.

We predict colder weather, less haircuts for some of our friends and we furthermore predict that Thanksgiving and Christmas will come at about the usual time of the year.

4-H CLOTHING CLUB CHAMPIONS SELECTED

Miss Dorothy Lynch of the Extension Service, U. of I. met with the 4-H club leaders of this county Wednesday. One object of the meeting was to select the champions in clothing work for the three years.

Augusta Burtcheard was named 3rd year champion. She is a member of the Strickland-Palmyra 4-H club of which Mrs. Reta Wilson is leader.

Ruth Oliver of the Bolin 4-H club is Second year champion. Marjorie Bolin is leader of that club.

Thelma Burwell of the Purvis 4-H Hustlers is the 1st year champion of which Mrs. Susie Anderson is leader.

This was the last meeting of the year in this class of 4-H work.

BETHANY

Miss Mabel Black of Decatur spent the last of the week here with her grandmother, Mrs. Margaret McReynolds.

Miss Lucille Morrison of Windsor spent several days last week here with friends.

Oscar Roney and family of Mason City spent Thursday here with E. A. Roney and family.

Boyd Queen and family spent the week end here with relatives.

Frank Monroe and family of near Dalton City spent Sunday here with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McGuire.

Lewis Mitchell and family of Decatur spent Sunday here with the former's mother, Mrs. Hulda Mitchell.

Mrs. R. A. Sharp of Mattoon spent the last of the week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Mulholland.

Miss Mattie Black of Decatur spent Saturday here with her grandmother, Mrs. Margaret McReynolds.

Charles Ward and family of Decatur spent Sunday here with relatives.

C. K. Kellogg and family spent the week end in Mayview with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Matthews.

Mrs. Ross Heckler and children of Mt. Zion spent the week end with the former's sister, Mrs. Howard Heckler and family.

A daughter was born Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. Homer Marquis. She has been named Wanda Eileen.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Meyer spent Sunday afternoon in Decatur with Mrs. Ada Marlowe and children.

Walter Hugh Scott a student at the U. of I. spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Scott.

ARMORY NOTES

Major Davenport of Decatur inspected the local Headquarters Co. Monday night at the Armory. He was accompanied by Lieut. Forrest H. Kelly of the Service Co., at Decatur.

The Major and Lieut. Kelly judged a competitive squad drill within the company. The First Squad belonging to Corporal W. Nedden won the competition.

Major Davenport and Lieut. Kelly have just returned from Camp Perry with the state rifle team. The Major captained the team and Lieut. Kelly was a firing member.

The Lieut. gave the local men a talk on rifle firing, range work, etc.

S. T. H. S. NOTES

Miss Inez Matthew, who has been out of school the past six weeks because of illness, returned Sunday to resume her teaching duties of English III and IV.

Miss Martha Hursh, who substituted for Miss Matthew returned to her home in DeLand, Illinois, Friday night after the Home coming play. Miss Hursh had charge of the play.

The members of the Sullivan Township High School faculty will go to Mattoon, Friday for the annual meeting of the Eastern Illinois Division of the State Teachers' Association.

—The Christian Endeavor of the Christian church had a party in church basement Wednesday night. Olive Dazey, Adeline Elliott and Byron Brandenburger constituted the arrangements committee.

—Miss Jessie Buxton went to Chicago Saturday where she spent several days transacting business. She returned Tuesday evening.

SHELBYVILLE POOL HALL IS CLOSED BY POLICE

Shelbyville, Ill., Oct. 14—Del Osborn of Sullivan and Paul Walton of this city were arrested on Saturday by Chief of Police Mofield on a charge of operating a pool hall without a license. They were employed in the pool room owned and operated by F. O. Hawabker. They appeared before Police Magistrate Lefe Tallman, pleaded guilty to the charge and paid a fine of \$10 and costs, each.

Hawabker was granted a license several months ago, but this license was revoked by Mayor Knecht a short time ago, for violation of the pool room ordinance. An extension of time was granted Hawabker in which he was to settle up his business here and then close. When the time expired he continued to operate the pool room. The place has been closed.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Hartwell Wright 53 Olney, Ill. Daisy Brown 30, Marlow Tenn.
Joseph W. Harper, legal Toledo Lolita M. Lindsay legal Lovington.
A. B. Coblentz, 24, Yoder, Kansas.
Lillie Miller 26, Arthur.
Duncan McColl 27, Adrian Mich.
Sarah Olive Elder, 25, Arthur.
Olen Devore 21, Sullivan.
Minnie Lugar 21, Windsor.
Auston Wilcoxson 30, Cooks Mills.
Olga Moran, 23 Allenville.
Kenneth D. Pygatt 25, Mattoon.
Jennie Linder 20, Mattoon.

JONATHAN CREEK HOUSEHOLD SCIENCE CLUB

The Jonathan Creek Household Science club will hold a meeting at home of Mrs. Orville Powell Wednesday, October 22nd at 2:00 o'clock. The following program will be given:

Opening songs.
Paper, "Storing of Vegetables for winter"—Mrs. W. K. Bolin.
"Winter Care of Shrubby"—Mrs. Della Garrett.
Round table discussion "Brightening our homes for winter."
The roll call will be answered with "My favorite Pickle or Relish recipe."
Music.
Social hour.
Everyone interested are invited to attend.

WORD OF THANKS

Rachel H. Kinsel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Kinsel was the candidate of the Freshman class for queen of the home coming. She was elected by a large majority to be represented from class of one hundred. The Freshman class wishes to thank all who voted for Miss Kinsel.

Signed—A Freshman.

SULLIVAN MARKETS

Market prices this week are discouraging. Corn is down to 58c for No. 4. Some corn is reaching the elevators but little of it grades No. 4. It is mostly No. 5 or sample grade.

Soybeans are off another nickel and the elevators are paying an even dollar. Wheat is down to 64c per bushel and oats 30c.

Produce Prices
Butterfat is 32c per lb. and eggs are 22c per dozen.
Poultry prices are due for a drop of 1c on Friday. The Thursday prices were as follows: Hens 10c to 16c; springs 10c to 15c; old roosters 7c; ducks 8 to 12c; geese 6c.

Poor business conditions in the industrial centers has thrown millions out of work and they can't buy the farmers produce at any price. This, to a certain extent, is the cause of the panic prices.

—Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Isaacs and Mr. and Mrs. Will Isaacs of Gillespie were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Isaacs.

The GRAND THEATRE SULLIVAN, ILLINOIS

THURSDAY-FRIDAY OCTOBER 16-17
WILL ROGERS in
"So This Is London"
Bursting With Fun

SATURDAY ONLY OCTOBER 18TH
CHARLES DELANEY in
"The Lonesome Trail"
Thrilling Action

SUNDAY-MONDAY OCTOBER 19-20
NORMA SHEARER in
"Let Us Be Gay"
With Marie Dressler, Rod La Rocque and Others.

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 21-22
LON CHANEY in
"The Unholy Three"
His Last and Best

THURSDAY-FRIDAY OCTOBER 23-24
CYRIL MAUDE in
"GRUMPY"
Old and Young will Love It.

Selected Short Subjects on Every Show.
Admission 10c-35c (Except Saturday)
Saturday Matinee and Nite 10c-25c.
Children Always 10c.

They're at it Again! Doing what?

Getting Ready for a BIG CELEBRATION IN SULLIVAN Hallowe'en, October 31st

This is an invitation to the world to come to Sullivan on that night and participate in the frolic. Note the list of prizes:

- Best 5-piece Band \$10.00
- Best Masked Family \$10.00
- Best Hobo 3.00
- Best Animated Cartoon 3.00
- Best Negro Man 3.00
- Best Bride and Groom 6.00
- Best Clown 3.00
- Best Witch 3.00
- Best Negro Woman 3.00
- Best Rube 3.00
- Grand prize Best Masked Character 5.00
- Best Indian Man 3.00
- Best Decorated Window 10.00
- Best Indian Squaw 3.00

There will be plenty of music—plenty of fun. Sullivan has staged Hallowe'en festivals for a number of years and knows how.

There will also be a big Hallowe'en Dance at the Armory with Bill Heacock's famous orchestra furnishing the melodious harmony.

TELL YOUR FRIENDS—PLAN YOUR COSTUME—AND BE HERE.