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Co. Board Legislates

Arrange for Funds to Buy Road Right of Way; Accept Officers Reports; Guy Little Reduces his Salary; Name March Grand Jury

Three items of major interest were up before the board of supervisors at its special meeting held here Thursday of last week.

The proceedings of the meeting, in full, appear in this issue. An abstract of some shows that the board by resolution abandoned the Sullivan to Dalton City state aid route, because of the fact that it is now paved and is under maintenance of the state highway department.

County clerk Paul Chipps was asked to furnish this information to District highway engineer C. H. Apple of the Paris office. The

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KIWANIS CLUBS TO OBSERVE 17TH ANNIVERSARY

The local Kiwanis club with 1,880 others in towns and cities throughout the United States and Canada will observe the 17th anniversary of the founding of Kiwanis International during the week of January 17-23.

In a special message to the Sullivan club, William O. Harris of Los Angeles, president of Kiwanis International states: "Seventeen years of constructive accomplishments—seventeen years of unselfish service is today our endowment. We can be proud of our accomplishments."

"The first Kiwanis club was organized in Detroit in 1915, and on January 21 of that year the first meeting was held," said Purvis Tabor, president of the local club.

"Throughout all Kiwanis, January 21 is recognized as the birthday date of the organization. Kiwanis has made a valuable contribution to community life during the past 17 years, but it is still in search of greater civic betterment and social welfare programs. We shall try to make our local observance of Kiwanis anniversary week a fitting and proper occasion, presenting our own achievements for the past year, and relating something of the general history of Kiwanis International."

A report on plans for club activities for 1932 will probably be heard at this meeting. The club will be engaged in underprivileged child work, agricultural and 4-H club projects, vocational guidance, and general welfare for this year, officers of the club declared.

Friday night of last week Geo. Franks of Urbana, Kiwanis district governor, and Lieut. governor Dil-saver of Mattoon met with the local club.

Though the club will lose several of its members this year, prospects are that those who will carry on the work will put back of it all the energy and ability they possess. It is planned to make Kiwanis work for the coming year an outstanding community achievement.

JONATHAN CREEK HOUSEHOLD SCIENCE CLUB

STHS Operetta Cast Is Rehearsing

An operetta "Up in the Air" will be given at the Township High school auditorium on the night of February 11th.

The cast has been chosen and is now rehearsing under the direction of Mrs. Susan Roney. The parts are as follows:

Shirley Kingston—Charlotte Baker. Joe Bennett—Hugh Grote.

Henry McCullom—Byron Brandenburger.

Mrs. McCullom—Mary Emile Lewis.

Anna McCullom—Elmina Scheer. Fannie McCullom—Evelyn Dunscomb.

George S. Burbank—Dean Harshman.

Mrs. Burbank—Beatrice Hill. Harold Post—Allyn Pattison.

Jennifer Johnson—Edmund Scheer.

V. F. W. WILL PRESENT BIG PROGRAM AT ITS HALL FRIDAY

The program to be given by Moultrie Co. Post No. 2200, V. F. W. Friday, January 22 at its hall on the east side of square, starting at 7:30 p. m. is as follows:

Address—Prof. R. A. Scheer in behalf of the Sullivan Township high school.

Dialogue, "The Flag" by grade school children.

Address—Prof. Loren Brumfield in behalf of the grade schools. Musical selections by Raymond Janes' orchestra.

Address—Ed C. Brandenburg representing the business men, "The Veterans Organization in its relationship to the Community as the Business man sees it."

Address—Hon G. A. Sentel representing professional men. "The Veterans Organizations from the point of view as the Professional men see it."

Musical selections by Raymond Janes' orchestra.

Address—Hon. J. L. McLaughlin in behalf of the Kiwanis club.

Address—By the mayor or his representative. "Welcome."

Address—by our Chaplin, Rev. L. L. Lawrence from the church point of view.

Solo—Harris Wood. Duet—John and Amanda Tichenor.

Address—Hon Harry S. Parker of Effingham who will speak on the subject, "The Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States."

The V. F. W. Radio hour program on Jan. 22, 1932 over NBC Network, 10:30 p. m. to 11:30 p. m. Central Standard time. Public invited.

Bugle Call—Assembly. "Over There"—U. S. Marine Corps band.

Senior Vice Commander-in-Chief Admiral Robert E. Coontz.

"Madelon"—Odette Myrtill. Obligation of Recruits—Commander in Chief Darold De DeCoe.

Paul Whiteman's band. National Auxiliary President—Mrs. Dora E. Raffensperger.

Rudy Vallee and His Connecticut Yankees.

Honorable Wright Patman. "Stars and Stripes Forever"—U. S. Marine Corps band.

Coon-Sanders Night Hawks. Junior Vice Commander in Chief James E. VanZandt.

"Star Spangled Banner"—U. S. Marine Corps Band.

The public is urged to attend. If anyone not at the hall will tune in on WENR at 10:30, he can hear the latter half of this program.

Lawrence L. Carroll, Commander.

SPELLING MATCH AT P.T.A. MEETING AT PURVIS SCHOOL

The spelling match at Purvis school Friday evening was greatly enjoyed.

Two Mile school was the winner in the Spelling Match. Marjorie June Spough, a fifth grade pupil of the Purvis school was the best speller of the pupils of both schools.

Music was furnished by Dave Spough, Pete and Glen Conwell.

A paper on "Character Building" was a feature of the meeting. Next meeting Feb. 19.

WIFE LEFT HIM; HUGHES WANTS DIVORCE

Charles M. Hughes has filed suit for divorce from his wife Mary E. Hughes. He states that he married her in Holly Bluff, Mississippi in January of 1928. In December of that year while he was employed with a construction gang near Oakland City, Indiana she left his home, taking \$175 and some of the furniture. He has not seen her since.

ARE IMPROVING

Judge Jennings who has been ill for several weeks is rapidly improving and may be in his office the beginning of the week.

Mrs. Jennings is showing gratifying improvement toward recovery from a paralytic stroke.

TEACHERS INSTITUTE

Superintendent Albert Walker is busily engaged in booking talent for a one-day teachers institute to be held here Feb. 5th.

MAKE CHECK OF AUTO TRAFFIC

Highway maintenance man Walter Birch on Tuesday made a check on traffic at the intersection of routes 132 and 32. During an eight hour period 347 passenger cars, 65 trucks and 18 out of state cars passed this point.

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REV. STEPHEN FISHER WILL SPEAK AT MEN'S S. S. ASS'N. MEETING

The Men's Bible school class of the First Christian church will be host Monday night to the Men's S. S. Association at its January meeting. Men from about 15 churches in this part of the state usually participate in these meetings.

The speaker of the evening will be Rev. Stephen Fisher of the Universal Christian church in Urbana. Rev. Fisher is one of the best known preachers in this part of the country and will have a message very much worth while.

The local class is extending an invitation to all the men of the community to attend the meeting and hear Rev. Fisher. Following the business session and Rev. Fisher's message refreshments will be served by the members of the Belle Hopper Missionary society. The charge for refreshments is 25c.

Monday night's meeting will start at 7:30.

BRUCE CAMPBELL Not Out Of Race For Governor

Belleville Man Spikes Rumors that He Has Withdrawn as Democratic Candidate for Governor. Campaign Pepping Up.

A disheartening rumor to downtown Democrats was circulated last week. It was to the effect that Bruce Campbell of Belleville, the only down state candidate for the Democratic nomination for governor, had had a change of heart and was going to run for congressman-at-large instead.

This was a false report. Mr. Campbell is still in the race with fair prospects of getting the nomination. Two other prominent candidates lives in Chicago. They are Mike Igoe and Judge Henry Horner. There is lack of harmony in Chicago's Democratic ranks. Mayor Cermak is opposed to Mr. Igoe's getting the nomination. All of which will rebound to the benefit of Mr. Campbell.

Bruce Campbell is a cousin of F. J. Thompson the local attorney and financier.

ROBBERY SCARE PROVED TO BE FALSE ALARM

Tuesday night a report reached the uptown that a safe had been blown in the office of the I. C. railroad. Officials hastened to the scene. Nothing was amiss in the depot.

A number of folks reported having heard the explosion. Sheriff Lansden investigated a car setting nearby and saw where a shotgun charge had plowed its way through the front part of the car, scattering on the engine. Investigation showed that the car belonged to a man from Decatur. While the investigation was going on the man appeared on the scene. He was a Wabash inspector and had been watching a few loads of coal on the tracks. He said that his shotgun had unexpectedly gone off as he was getting out of his car. This solved the apparent explosive mystery.

FACTORY PAYROLL WAS \$6505.87 THIS WEEK

The Brown Shoe factory this week had one of the biggest payrolls in its course of operation locally. The sum of \$6505.87 was paid to the shoe makers. The most cheerful sight these days is the plume of smoke that majestically waves from the smokestack at the factory.

TAXES COMING IN

County treasurer Newbould and aids are busy taking in taxes. Several changes in the tax law have caused confusion. The statements as printed and mailed out give February 1st, as delinquent date for first installment. A later tax bill, signed by the governor has extended this time to May 1st. See the adv. on page 3 of this issue.

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CHURCH OF GOD STARTS WORK ON NEW BUILDING

The Church of God congregation which for some years has used the Baptist church building on Hamilton street, this week broke ground and started work on the basement of a church building on Water street. Only the basement will be built at this time, but it is anticipated that a complete church building will be erected as soon as the congregation is financially able to undertake that project. The Baptists will use their own building after April 1st and this necessitates new quarters for Church of God of which Mrs. Castang is the pastor.

In order to realize funds for immediate use the church will hold a bakery sale this Saturday in the Shasteen meat market. Your patronage will be appreciated. A solicitation is also being made by some of the leaders of the church for funds to finance the expenses of the work now under way.

Many Democrats After Congress Nomination

Dobbins of Champaign and Borchers of Decatur Circulating Petitions. Other Prominent Democrats Have Matter Under Consideration.

While Congressman Charles Adkins seems to have a clear field in his race for Republican renomination, Democratic candidates are popping up all over the district.

One avowed candidate who is out in the open and whose petitions are in circulation is Donald C. Dobbins of Champaign. Mr. Dobbins is a prominent attorney and has long been identified with the affairs of his party in Champaign county. He was here in Sullivan last Thursday in company with Mayor Mullikin, Francis E. Williamson, and Cass Clifford. Mr. Dobbins' candidacy seems to be meeting with a favorable response on the part of the voters.

Decatur papers say that Charles Borchers is having his petitions circulated. Mr. Borchers at one time represented this district in Congress as a Democrat. In 1928 he became a follower of Mr. Hoover but two years later again filled the place on the Democratic ticket as a Congressional candidate. He had no opponent in the primary at that time. Mr. Borchers has quite a following in Decatur where he has also served as mayor.

Other Decatur men heard mentioned are Howard Doyle, at present in the General Assembly, and Carl Weillepp a well known attorney.

In Moultrie county the names of Raymond D. Meeker and George Fulk are heard in connection with talk for this nomination. Mr. Meeker seems to be in a passive mood. He has been the candidate heretofore when there was not much prospect for success. That is why his friends are urging that he be considered now. George Fulk made an unsuccessful try to secure the nomination some years ago but lost to Ed Poorman who was defeated in the general election.

The first day for filing petitions for this office with the Secretary of State will be February 6th. Final day for filing is February 22nd. The primary will be April 12th.

ALBERTA HARSH IS BRIDE OF GEORGE WIARD

Miss Alberta Harsh and George Wiard, well known local couple were united in marriage Saturday night at the Christian church parsonage by Rev. C. E. Barnett. The attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Poland.

The bride is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Harsh and a graduate of the '31 class of the local high school.

The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Wiard and has for some years been associated in business with his father.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiard will reside in this city.

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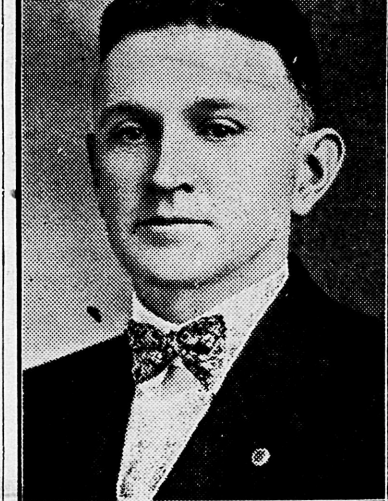
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Seeks Re-Election

In this issue appears the official announcement that Clarence Miller is seeking re-election to the office of Highway Commissioner of Sullivan Township.

Mr. Miller is now serving his fourth year, having been elected



CLARENCE MILLER

in 1928. When he took office, he took with it an indebtedness of over \$30,000 in the road and bridge fund. In the first three years of his term, he handled the finances of his office in such manner that this indebtedness was all wiped out and at the same time the road work was not neglected.

With the old debt out of the way the tax levy for road and bridge purposes for the coming year was reduced from 33c to 25c on the \$100 of assessed valuation.

FRIENDS IN COUNCIL MET; OFFICERS FOR DISTRICT MEET FEB. 1

The F. I. C. club met at the home of Mrs. G. R. Fleming Monday afternoon. The following program was given

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### The Editor's Chair

And I say unto you, Ask, and it shall be given you; seek and ye shall find; knock, and it shall be opened to you. For every one that asketh receiveth; and he that seeketh findeth; and to him that knocketh it shall be opened. —9th and 10th verses of the 11th Chapter of the Gospel according to St. Luke.

#### LET HIM KNOW IT

When a fellow pleases you,  
Let him know it;  
It's a simple thing to do—  
Let him know it.  
Can't you give the scheme a trial?  
It is sure to bring a smile,  
And that makes it worth the while—  
Let him know it.

You are pleased when anyone  
Lets you know it.  
When the man who thinks "Well done!"  
Lets you know it.  
For it gives you added zest  
To bring out your very best—  
Just because some mortal blest  
Lets you know it.

When a fellow pleases you  
Let him know it;  
Why, it isn't much to do—  
Let him know it.  
It will help in the fray,  
And he'll think his efforts pay;  
If you like his work or way,  
Let him know it.

—Author Unknown.

### Watch Your Tongue -- Use Your Brains

Steady—Steady now! Watch your step. Do not rock the boat.

This depression is really depressing. We honestly believe it has about hit bottom.

The air is full of rumors. Many are absolutely unconfirmed.

Those who like to peddle idle gossip now have a fertile field and plenty of listeners.

Throughout the country things are bad. There is no denying that. But no matter how bad things may be, some people like to make them appear worse through exaggeration.

There is too much irresponsible talk. Too much plain falsehood in circulation.

People like to make their gossip interesting by special embellishments. Where facts themselves are perhaps not exactly startling and interesting, gossip peddlers draw on their own ingenuity—on their inventive ability—to create and tell stories that are fabricated mostly out of their imagination.

Unless you are absolutely certain of your facts as they pertain to financial and other conditions in this community, please do not pass them on. This is your community. This is your home. Have some pride in it. Have some pride in the honesty of your word. Do not be a busy-body running to and fro and saying things that some other irresponsible party has whispered to you.

Face the music—keep up your morale. You've got the best community of its size in the state. Show your faith and your pride in it. Pull together. Keep Sullivan money in circulation here by spending it with the home-owned stores. That will prove the best protection for you and those dependent on you.

Use your common sense. Lay off peddling gloom. Buck up! When better times come, Sullivan will lead the way.

There have been depressions and troubles in the past; pessimists and gossips have predicted disaster—they have gone the way of all humanity and have taken their load of gloom with them. The pessimist hurts nobody but himself and when he passes on the old home town, the grand old state of Illinois—these wonderful United States of America and the whole world keeps on doing business through periods of prosperity and periods of depression. They at times climb the heights of opulence and then again dip into the vales of despair.

Carry on! Chins up! Better days are ahead. Treat the old home town and its institutions fairly and it will come through the present days of adversity with colors flying.

Do not only live in Sullivan—live for it. Give the old home town the best you've got. Treat its home-owned stores right. They deserve it. By helping them, you help yourself.

#### SHE TOLD FATHER

Miss Lovely was indignant. "If you kiss me again," she declared firmly, "I shall tell father." The bold, bad young man smiled knowingly. "Applesauce and horsefeathers," he replied. "Anyway, it's worth it," and he kissed her again.

Miss Lovely sprang to her feet. "I am going right up and tell father," she said, and tripped lightly up the stairs to her father's den. "Father," she said, "Mr. Bolder is calling, and he wishes very much to see your new automatic shotgun."

"All right," answered pater, delighted at the opportunity of displaying his treasure. "I'll be right down with it."

A few minutes later, Mr. Bolder, while admiring himself in the mantle mirror, caught a glimpse of the old gentleman hurriedly de-

scending the stairs with a shotgun laid fondly across his left arm. There was a crash of breaking glass as the bold, bad young man dived head first through a window, and before even the clinking echoes had died away he had disappeared far into the obscure shadows of the night.

### When Republicans Fail -- Try Democracy

"Politics is rotten. We need a third party." You hear this remark quite frequently. Usually it comes from some disgruntled Republican brother.

We do not need a third party. A third party could do nothing but cause confusion in the minds of the voters. It would have no chance of success at the polls. It would be a distinct Republican advantage and might result in a continuance of Republicanism in power.

What we need is thinking people. What we need is honest and fearless leadership in both political parties. We need a new deal, new ideas and plans to cope with the situation that confronts us.

The Republican ideas of government have failed. In a crisis, they have not stood the test. They have brought this nation to the brink of chaos.

This has been the result in national, state and municipal government.

Let us cite just a few outstanding instances: As a nation we have millions of unemployed; our finances are in a deplorable condition; the nation faces a yearly deficit of over \$2,000,000,000 and an increase in taxation is necessary to meet it; governmental expenditure has been ever on the upgrade; these and other uncomfortable developments have resulted during unhampered and uninterrupted Republican rule.

Illinois is borrowing money to pay its bills. New ways of taxation are being sought. There has been no cutting down of the political payroll; the government of Illinois has been a spendthrift; its chief executives have been weak and vacillating and its other law-enforcement officials have permitted the Chicago taxing system to get into an awful muddle that bids fair to bankrupt the state and the city.

Chicago, plundered for years by Big Bill Thompson and his parasitic politicians; with a Sanitary District board that has stolen \$6,500,000 of the people's money; with teachers and other hard working public employes unpaid; with its taxing powers in a condition that borders on hopelessness and despair—great Chicago—wonderful Chicago victimized, looted and betrayed by city hall pirates and weak and vacillating servants in high office in Springfield—look at her, humiliated and shamed before the universe!

There are your three instances of Republican misrule. Nationally incompetent—in state matters catering to the politicians and payrollers—in municipal affairs crooked and vicious—aiding and abetting the looters and thieves.

For twelve long years the nation has been under Republican administration; for sixteen years the Republicans have held sway at Springfield and it is but a short time since Big Bill Thompson and his henchmen were turned out of the Chicago city hall, leaving an empty treasury and a big deficit.

Is there any doubt as to where some of the responsibility for present day condition lies? Can any legitimate excuse be brought forth to mitigate these offenses of misgovernment?

Chicago is leading the way out of the slough of corruption and misgovernment; Mayor Cermak is fighting hard to remedy the evils which his administration inherited. Success to him; success to Chicago!

The state government at Springfield is still a pathetic and servile creature of machine politics. The old clique of Custer, Carlstrom, Nelson, Sterling et al, is making its last stand against an outraged and scandalized electorate.

At Washington a Democratic House is doing battle for the people and insisting on the passage of laws that will be remedial for the conditions that confront us.

The depression is not entirely political; it is an economic condition mainly; but that does not excuse inefficiency, stupidity and rank dishonesty as is practiced by some of those in power.

People are demanding a change. A change in political control will help to restore confidence; confidence will restore stability and this state of mind is necessary before manufacturers and capitalists will start the wheels of industry humming and the workmen will get their weekly pay envelopes.

The old regime has failed—utterly failed. It will come back pleading for another chance. Even Congressman Charley Adkins will expect people to re-elect him. All kinds of arguments and pleas will be presented to the voters to induce them to remain faithful to the party leaders who have directly and indirectly helped to make the unholy mess of things that confronts us today.

Do we need a third party? Hardly. The Democrats have long predicted the results that would accrue through a lengthy regime of Republican misrule. They have pointed out the mistakes of those in power. We firmly believe that the time has come when the voters will listen to the call of Democracy and will turn over to the Democratic party the national and state governments. It will be a hard job to tackle. It will mean re-building on Republican ruin, but the Democrats are ready. They are willing. If they too fail to make good, then by all means let us junk both of the old time vehicles for political expression and have that much-talked of third party.

### Main Street Looks at Broadway

#### Forced Sales

Visitors to New York cannot fail to notice the enormous number of fire sales, bankrupt stocks offered and other types of forced sales being held here at all times. For a time it creates a feeling that half of the small business men here are on the financial rocks.

Instead of that, it seems to be a regular way of doing business. People in strange neighborhoods fall for the glaring signs just as

much as visitors from other cities. It is only in their own districts that they are able to detect the fake sales. That many of them are fakes is plain. One only has to look at the dirt on some of the signs to realize that they were originally nailed up years ago. But it seems to attract trade.

#### Free Beer

One men's wear shop on West 42nd Street hit on a new plan recently to attract trade. It placed a picture of a foaming stein of beer in its window under the legend, "Free beer." One goes in, gets a big glass of beer and a handful of pretzels without charge and

then wanders around and selects items.

The place is doing a rushing business as a result, although a few steps down the street one can get the real article in a speakeasy.

#### Page Mr. Volstead

New York is franker about its evasion of the prohibition law than any other big city in the country. Just head of the holidays some of the newspapers devoted a column or so to giving the current prices of Scotch, rye, bourbon whiskies, and gin and other liquors. Whiskey was quoted at from \$1.50 a quart to \$4 for the best imported, other prices being in line.

No places were listed by street numbers but intending purchasers used the list to prevent being overcharged—and the bootleggers themselves not only stood by the prices but, we learned, are the men who went around to the paper and named the prices.

#### Indirect Advertising

Quite a few bootleggers here have a novel scheme for advertising. They send men around who place a price list of liquors in your mail-box, nothing else being on the card or in that envelope.

But, and here is the catch, one finds in the same box another envelope, probably advertising an expensive French hand laundry, a place obviously too expensive for general patronage. But on it the name "Tom's Place" or some other indication that one would never find on a laundry.

And that's one way New Yorkers discover where to buy drinkables.

#### City Kindness

Police Commissioner Mulrooney got a letter the other day in which he was told he was no good if he didn't call in Patrolman Christopher Mitchell and shake him by the hand. The letter told him exactly what he ought to do—and the Commissioner did it.

The whole thing was caused by the fact that the little daughter of the writer of the letter—a married man out of work with four children, met the Officer, practically a stranger to her, on Christmas Eve. The cop asked her what she was going to have to eat for Christmas. When she sadly told him nothing he took her by the hand, led her to a butcher's and bought her two chickens and then filled a huge basket with other things and sent her home paying for everything out of his own pocket.

And so Patrolman Mitchell unexpectedly received the personal thanks of Mr. Mulrooney. And he's been promoted since, in addition.

### WAY OF LIFE

By Bruce Barton

#### TREMBLING ON THE VERGE

The United States is a famous trembler. There has never been a time in its history when some one was not ready to announce that it was "trembling on the verge."

Washington despaired of it. Lincoln despaired of it. Many present-day prophets assure us that it passed over the peak in 1929, and is now definitely on the way down.

Yet within the past few months I have enjoyed some interesting experiences. I have attended the annual sales conventions of a number of major industries. Their business, when I visited them was terrible. But what took place at the conventions?

In one of them, an electrical industry, the head of the research department revealed plans for a new household utility which promises to banish one disagreeable feature of housework. It is certain to have a tremendous sale.

In a furniture company, the "planning department" displayed a whole new line of improved floor coverings.

In a third, an optical concern, the scientists told us of work now going on which may give all of us better eyesight.

Everywhere I found men's backs turned upon present discouragements, and minds busy with better goods, better methods, better ideas, better living.

I spoke to the head of one company about it. He said he had recently been holding a meeting of their English representatives. He told them casually that the company had hired an engineer and assigned him the task of making a world survey of their sources of raw materials for the next twenty-five years.

One of the Englishmen exclaimed: "Confound you Yankees! What English company would ever think of hiring a man to look ahead for twenty-five years?"

Coming to the end of all these meetings, I concluded that it is a waste of time to worry about the future of American business.

We have an asset more fundamental than gold supply, or raw materials, or electric power, or climate. That asset is a restless dissatisfaction with the past, a spirit of continuous improvement. As long as we are inspired by that spirit I believe that our future is secure. We shall not go down to destruction.

No matter how often we may tremble on the verge.

### BENJAMIN FRANKLIN ONE OF AMERICA'S GREATEST SONS

On January 17th occurred the 226th anniversary of a great American who should not be forgotten amid the nation's tribute to George Washington this year; for this noted American was not only a glory to our history but without him Washington might not have been able to achieve our independence.

This great American was Benjamin Franklin, who became, next to George Washington, the best known American of the 18th Century. Wherever enlightened men gathered during Franklin's lifetime, they accounted him foremost in philosophy, politics, and diplomacy and to this day his name is secure in history as that of a pioneer in science.

Franklin was one of the most versatile men of our history. His clear thinking and good common sense won him fame everywhere. As for his winning personality, it proved a tremendous asset to the American cause. The final victories of Washington on the battlefield would never have been possible but for Franklin's skill in the field of diplomacy and his ultimate winning of the French nation to America's side.

Benjamin Franklin was born in Boston, on Jan. 17, 1706, the U. S. George Washington Bicentennial Commission reminds us. His father wanted him to learn the trade of candle-making, an occupation that he disliked so much that he threatened to revolt. To forestall his running away to sea, the boy Franklin was apprenticed to his half-brother, James, a printer; and here Franklin's rapid self-education got its start. In his brother's shop he met intelligent people, he eagerly read the best books, and he soon tried his hand at writing for his brother's newspaper, called the "first sensational sheet in America."

Quarreling with his brother, Franklin set out for Philadelphia at the age of 17, to make his own way. There he soon caught the attention of Governor Keith at whose suggestion he went to London. There, in spite of many hardships, he soon obtained employment and his agreeable personality brought him many influential friends. One of them, a Quaker merchant named Denham, offered Franklin a job in a store that he planned to open in Philadelphia. Within a short time Denham died and Franklin again was without a job, but his next step was important.

With Hugh Meredith he established a printing shop in Philadelphia and in ten years he had made it the most important business of its kind in the country. Next he bought the Pennsylvania Gazette, which soon gained a circulation of 10,000 and became one of the outstanding papers of the time. In this paper he began those pithy maxims to be gathered under the title of "Poor Richard's Almanac," which lives today in lasting fame.

Meanwhile Franklin's interest and activities had broadened in every direction. He founded the American Philosophical Society, organized the first fire company in Philadelphia, and became the city's postmaster and clerk of the Pennsylvania Assembly. His interest in science also developed, and he invented a stove and began those experiments in electricity which have made his name a household word in the scientific world.

Every schoolboy knows the story of Franklin's suspicion that the lightningbolt was simply a larger specimen of the spark he drew from a Leyden jar. He proved the likeness with his historic experiment of the kite and the key during a thunder-storm. The invention of the lightning-rod soon followed.

Franklin's diplomatic feats make too long a list for a newspaper column, but it was he who first sought to bind the colonies together in union. He performed many saving services for the Colonies before the Revolution, and during that struggle his influence in France provided the factor that turned the Revolution to victory for America.

Even at 81, Franklin's deeds for his country were not yet ended for in 1787 he performed the culminating service of his long and great career with the fitting act of becoming a member of the Convention that wrote the Constitution.

Throughout his life he was a devoted admirer of George Washington, and the friendship of these two men is one of the fairest pages in early American history. On his death, on April 17, 1790, Franklin willed his cane to Washington, with the famous words: "My fine crab-tree walking stick with a gold head curiously wrought in the form of a cap of liberty, I give to my friend and the friend of mankind, General Washington. If it were a sceptre, he has merited it and would become it."

Work will start shortly on a new \$100,000 manual training shop for the Ottawa high school.

Corn has been the leading crop in Illinois as far back as records are available.

### Brandy Sauce

Heywood Brown says "We are an intelligent people. But we need to have things pointed out. Facts must be emphasized. And more than that, they must be dramatized." Which in plain everyday language means that if a grocer wants trade he's got to say in black and white "We are selling so many cans of such or such a product for so much money." That is emphasizing—that's dramatizing. That's one way of getting increased business.

One tobacco company uses a Durham Bull in its advertising. The other companies don't use such a picture—but how they do throw around the male of the bovine species in making their silly claims!

A thunderstorm was raging outside. Junior had been sent upstairs to bed.

His frightened voice was heard at the top of the stairs: "Mommy, I'm afraid, up here all by myself." "Now don't be afraid Junior. Go back to bed. Remember God is up there with you."

A little later: "Mommy, I'm still afraid. Will you come up here and stay with God and let me come downstairs and stay with Daddy?"

Says an exchange: "If you want to call a fellow a liar, first make sure that he really is one, then tell him over the telephone."

I want a job, a steady job: a job with decent pay, Where I can work and earn enough to keep the wolf away; To have a roof above my head, a fire to keep me warm; Where I can take a nightly rest, that strength renew my arm. —Father Jas. R. Cox.

#### JUST PLAYING AT BUSINESS

"Can we play at keeping store in here, Mamma?" "Yes, but I have a headache, so if you do you must be very, very quiet." "Oh, all right, mamma. We'll pretend we don't advertise." —The Colorado Editor.

#### WHY WORRY?

"I wonder why folks worry. There are only two reasons for worry!

"Either you are successful or you are not successful. If you are not successful there are only two things to worry about. Your health is either good or you're sick; if your health is good there is nothing to worry about; if you are sick there are only two things to worry about. You are either going to get well or you are going to die; if you are going to get well there is nothing to worry about; if you are going to die there are only two things to worry about. You are either going to heaven or you are not going to heaven; and if you are going to heaven there is nothing to worry about; if you are going to the other place you'll be so busy shaking hands with old friends you won't have time to worry—so why WORRY?" —Contributed by Sam Elder.

#### PRACTICE MAKES PERFECT

A southern negro, whose eyes were bulging with fear, shuffled into the office of a Chicago dentist to have a bucking molar extracted. As the dentist started to collect his instruments for the operation he found it necessary to assure the darkey repeatedly that it would not be nearly as painful as the "tools" would seem to indicate. "Mah Lawd, doc," exclaimed the shivering black hulk, "Ise had toofs pulled befoh, an' I knows what I knows."

For some minutes the dentist busied himself injecting the anaesthetic gently but deeply around the offending tooth, and before the patient was aware of it, the tooth was out.

"Now, my friend," said the dentist, "just run your tongue around where that tooth is and tell me how it feels."

The patient cautiously obeyed. At last when he realized that the aching molar was no longer there, he let out a sizzling exclamation and leaped from the chair.

"Seben debbils, man! Hot dog! How you all do dat anyhow, wid-out me catchin' on? You shuan oughter go down t' Alabam' where us poah cullud folks dies wid mortal agony ebery time we has toofs pulled."

"So you think I would do well if I went down to Alabama to practice do you?" asked the dentist with a smile.

"Practice? Practice did you say! shouted the darkey. "Why, man, you don't need no practice. You is good now!"

The Illinois Power Company, Springfield announces that it will spend \$617,800 in 1932 on new construction and improvements.

The State of Illinois has acquired the famed beauty spot, Apple River Canyon in Jo Daviess County, for a State park.



### Radio Cowboys At Grand Theatre Wednes., Jan. 27

Otto Gray and his Oklahoma Cowboys, sensational NBC broadcasting feature will be the attraction at the Grand theatre on Wednesday night only, Jan. 27th. Otto Gray and his inimitable group of cowboy musicians and entertainers are coming here from station WGY, Schenectady, where they have been the station's outstanding hit. They have been recently heard as a regular presentation of the National Broadcasting Company over WEAF and WJZ, New York and as a special feature on a Pleasure Hour over the coast to coast hookup. The boys all fiddle, sing and play the different musical instruments in their own peculiar style. No radio feature in recent years has caught the popular fancy or gripped the imagination like the program offered by these boys from the plains of Oklahoma.

Otto Gray and his boys are all honest-to-goodness cowboys, recruited from Mr. Gray's own ranch near Stillwater, Oklahoma. "Whenever we entertained," says Otto in his pleasing drawl, "we just acted nacheral, givin' the folks the same kind of fun we enjoyed among ourselves on the ranch." And now radio, in its never ending search for new and novel attractions has brought them to the big broadcasting stations in the East, and they have been heard over the Red and Blue networks of the National Broadcasting Company by millions. Otto Gray and his Oklahoma Cowboys are making a limited number of personal appearances before returning to New York for their regular broadcasting season. So ten gallon hats, high-heeled boots and furry chaps will be in order when the cowboys are in town.

The personnel includes, Otto, Himself; Mrs. Otto "Mommie" Gray; "Zeb" Gray the Uke Buster; "Zeke" Allen, who plays the fiddle; "Hy" Allen, the handy man; and Chief Sanders, Half-breed Cherokee Indian. "Rex" the Radio Dog" also plays a prominent part in the stage offering.

#### WILL HAVE QUILT SHOW

The Ladies Aid Society of the Christian church will have a quilt and antique show Feb. 4th, 1932 in the Household Science club rooms. Premiums for the following quilts will be offered. The oldest quilt, Grandmothers Flower Garden, Double wedding ring, Friendship quilt and scrap quilt. Further announcements later.

MRS. C. A. CORBIN is invited to be a Progress guest at the Grand some night this week. Thursday visitors at the Dan Robinson home were Mrs. S. A. Lilly and children Hubert, Mildred and Homer of Cooks Mills, Mrs. Everett Lilly of Litchfield. Mrs. Bert Greg of St. James, Missouri was here this week visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. McCune.

Ralph Shirey and family have moved into the Luther Lowe tenant property and have also rented the farm.

### CHURCH HAD ITS MEETING

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The school's collections during the year amounted to \$380 and birth-day offerings totalled \$20.27.

Chester Horn, treasurer for the Sunday School reported total receipts, regular and special collections, regular and special collections \$531.03; expenditures were \$19.20.

Miss Mary Patterson for the Loyal Women's class reported receipts of \$175.96 of which sum a balance of \$9.56 remains in the treasury.

Mrs. Nettie Dolan reported that the Loyal Daughters had a balance of \$115.89 at the beginning of the year. This and the year's receipts amounted to \$549.40. The class pledged and paid into the church treasury \$500 and after paying incidental expenses started the year 1932 with a balance of \$5.48.

Mrs. Albert Walker reported that the Belle Hopper Missionary Society had a membership of 30 and an average attendance of 22. Mrs. Nettie Dolan made a report on the organization's finances.

Norma Jean Clark reported for the Triangle club a membership of 14 and a missionary pledge of \$15. Alta Elder reported for the Christian Endeavor a total yearly attendance of 1452; lowest attendance was 15 and highest was 47, with an average of 30. Collections during the year were \$58.50, expenditures \$43.53 leaving a balance of \$14.97 on January 1st.

G. R. Fleming, secretary of the church board reported receipts during the past year of \$3561.85; expenditures were \$3543.72, leaving a balance of \$22.75. In the receipts is included an increase of \$250 in the church's note indebtedness, bringing that item up to \$1,050.

Carl R. Hill's report as treasurer showed that the church operated for \$900 less than its estimated budget last year and would have its total indebtedness almost paid up if all pledges for 1931 were all paid.

The report of Rev. C. E. Barnett the pastor, showed that 83 preaching services had been held in the church during the year. A number of Sunday services had not been held because of vacation, illness and other conflicting services in this community.

The total church attendance for the year was 8686. The attendance at morning services averaged 108 and at night services 97.

He officiated at 8 weddings and 38 funerals. He preached 11 times at the Masonic Home and also made a number of the public addresses, during all of which, including the church services, he spoke to a total attendance of 16,015 persons. He also made 510 church calls.

The church membership on the rolls at this time is 441 local and 146 absentee, making a total of 587. During the past years there have been 10 additions; 7 have died and 15 have placed their membership elsewhere.

Mrs. Emily Ward reported for the Ladies Aid, that after paying \$100 into the church treasury there remained a balance in the Aid's bank account of \$31.81 on

### COUNTY BOARD LEGISLATES

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necessary funds out of the gas tax refund were appropriated to reward payment for the necessary right of way and damages.

#### Reduces His Salary

Mr. Little informed the board that as a matter of economy for the county, he would suggest that his salary agreement of \$150 per month be terminated and that beginning January 1st of this year he be paid \$5.00 per day and 5c per mile for work and travel that he may do as county superintendent of highways. This proposal met with the hearty endorsement of the county board and this rate of payment is now in full force and effect.

Official reports were received from all county officials, who are to make them as of Dec. 1st, 1931, except from the States Attorney and the county clerk was instructed to request of that official that such report be submitted.

#### Filsons Re-employed

The county farm committee made its report on the affairs at the farm and manner in which Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Filson have been conducting the place. It was recommended that Mr. and Mrs. Filson be re-employed for the coming year. The report of toe committee was approved. Several applications for the job which were on file were not read.

A committee consisting of John G. Albright, F. F. Fleming and G. D. Edmonds made a report to the board of an inventory of county property that they have made with a view of determining the adequacy of the insurance carried.

#### Local Bank Depository

On motion by Supervisor Wiser, seconded by Supervisor Edmonds the First National Bank of Sullivan was designated as depository for county collector's funds.

#### Grand Jury Named

The grand jury named for the March term of court consists of the following: Sullivan township—Alfred L. Lindsay, Wm. H. Walker, J. Edward Cazier, Finis Graham and Harley Wood.

Low township—Harry H. Hoover and Ira Robinson.

Jonathan Creek—John Higgenson and Clovis L. Milam.

Marrowbone—Herschel Reedy, Marion H. Rhodes and Lee Murphy.

Whitley—Willard Winnings, George Findley and Ray Reed.

Dora—Archie E. Stocks and Jay F. Foley.

Lovington—John Snyder, Wm. Earl Dawson, Floyd Wacaser and Thomas Carr.

East Nelson—Ray Misenheimer and Clem Messmore.

January 1st of this year.

While these church reports were being given, as called for by Olive Dazey, representing the church, Beatrice Hill as "Opportunity" would appear and point out where improvements could be made in the coming year's work.

As a climax of the dramatic presentation of these church reports, Billie Fleming appeared in the guise of Father Time. He removed the placard with the figures 1931 and showed the figures of a new year—1932 and Jacqueline Patterson representing the youthfulness of that year appeared on the stage, while Mrs. Barnett's class of girls sang the closing song.

#### COLES

Mrs. Nellie Layton and Mrs. Mary James spent Thursday with Mrs. Anna Davis and Mrs. Fern Bouck.

Mr. and Mrs. Graham have moved to the Pierce farm.

Frank Buser and family, Hutch Davis and family and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hinton spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Clay Davis and family.

Doris Hinton and Marie Feller who attend teachers college in Charleston spent the week end with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fowler spent Sunday with Roy Gearheart and family.

Elmer Cooley and family spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Bud Davis.

Ted Rardin and family who had spent the past week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Rardin returned home Sunday.

Geary Armantrout and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gass.

Bud Ritter and family spent Sunday with Joseph Hinton and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Omer Messmore spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bud Davis.

Anna Pearl Thompson who spent last week with her aunt, Mrs. Charles Henderson returned home Sunday.

Clay Davis and family spent Wednesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Norman Burwell and family. Revival meeting is in progress at Coles church. Everybody welcome.

—Marvin Queen of near Bethany, who recently underwent an operation in St. Mary's hospital in Decatur whereby he had one of his eyes removed, expects to be able to return to his home the latter part of this week.

## CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

**JOB WANTED** on farm by an experienced married man. Leave word at the Progress office. 3-1f

**WANTED**—Dead animals of all kinds. Quick and sanitary removal. Call Dr. A. K. Merriman, Phone 9, Sullivan or Decatur rendering wks. Phone 2-2986, Decatur, Ill. 17-45

**LOST**—Lady's gold, full jewelled Elgin wrist watch. Reward if returned to Mrs. John Lucas. Phone 462. 3-tf

**FOR SALE**—Two 10x6 brooder houses in good condition. Phone 695. 1t

**FOR RENT**—Light housekeeping rooms for girls, 3 blocks from factory. Phone 414. 4-2t

**FOR RENT**—Eight-room modern house with garage. F. J. Thompson. 4-tf

**FOR RENT**—Five room upstairs apartment. Close in. Private front and rear entrance. Modern except bath. Would furnish. Phone 397. 4-2t\*

**CUSTOM HATCHING**—at 14c an egg. What will hatch on or before Mar. 10. Tray holds 160 eggs. Hatch every Thursday for baby chicks see me or write me for price list. S. B. Herschberger, Arthur, Ill. 4-4t.

**USED BATTERY RADIOS**—One Crosley, 5 tubes, \$5.00; One Zenith, 6 tube \$7.50; one Atwater Kent 5-tube, \$7.50; one Federal, 6 tube, \$7.50; one Radiola, 25, 6-tube, \$10.00; one Crosley, 3-tube, \$3.00. One Edison phonograph, \$10.00. Several speakers \$1.50 to \$5.00. one A. R. C. used electric console radio, \$25.00. Eveready batteries, RCA Radiotrons. Tubes tested free. L. T. Hagerman & Company, Phone 116, Sullivan, Ill.

**FOR SALE**—Second hand Stovetop hammermill, 45 H. P. gasoline motor; very cheap. Walker Company. 2-tf.

**FOR RENT**—6 room house, modern with bath, on paved street. Inq. Myrtle Dunscomb, Phone 350. 1-tf

**TIRES AND TUBES**, new and used, right-prices.—W. H. Walker

**LEHIGH** soil sugar, the leading brand of limestone for fertilizer purpose can be bought from us. See us for prices. Moultrie County Hatchery, Sullivan. 40-1f

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

**I MAKE ANGEL FOOD CAKES** anytime ordered. Price \$1.00. Phone Arthur 5912, Mrs. Ross Thomas. 29-tf.

**SECOND HAND** stoves and furniture. At the W. H. Walker store, two blocks north of the Square, Sullivan. 43-tf.

**FRIES**—Fine, plump, milk-fed poultry for the family dinner. We furnish them dressed or undressed. Call Phone No. 6 and tell us how many you want. Moultrie County Hatchery. 32-tf

**INSURANCE**, real estate and houses rented and for rent. Mrs. Tella M. Pearce, Phone Res. 321w, Office 503, 1420 Harrison St. 32-tf

#### 4-ACT PLAY SATURDAY NIGHT AT MINOR SCHOOL

The Minor P. T. A. will give a four act play Saturday night, Jan. 23 at 7:30. The name of the play is "The Road to the City" time 2 hours. The cast of characters consist of

Robert Darnell, a county physician—Russell Ashbrook.

Richard James, a man from the city—Carl Riley.

Jud Judkins, a young farmer—John Kenny.

John James, Richard's invalid father—Vernon Campbell.

Duke, a man of mystery—Kenneth Kenney.

Jet Sanderson at the crossroads—Vela Freese.

Toto Lee, her cousin—Ruth Ashbrook.

Lilly Morton, a girl from the city—Laura Casteel.

Mrs. Sanderson, Jet's widowed mother—Mabel Campbell.

Marie, a lady's maid—Doris Riley.

Entertainment between acts You are invited.

—Miss Pearl Garrett who has been in the employe of The Progress as office girl since November, has quit her job on account of ill health and has gone to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ward Garrett near Mattoon to recuperate.

—Mr. and Mrs. John McClure have rented the tenant property formerly known as the Wright residence on Harrison street. Mr. and Mrs. Will Holston vacated this property a few weeks ago.

### MRS. W. B. WOMACK DIED IN MICHIGAN; FUNERAL SATURDAY

Mrs. Francis Lavina Taylor Womack died at the family home near Edwardsburg, Michigan, Jan. 14th. She was 84 years, 10 months and 28 days of age. Until 1926 the family resided in this community. Mrs. Womack had prepared her own obituary sketch and it was found pinned in her Bible. It is as follows:

She was born in Clermont Co., Ohio on the 18th day of February 1847.

Having been reared and educated by Christian parents and surrounded by the very best Christian influence, she obeyed the gospel in 1865 at Mulberry, Ohio under the ministry of Rev. Frederick Butts of Kentucky. Here her membership was until she came to Illinois in 1872 where she united with the church at New Liberty near Sullivan. Here she taught school for several years.

On the 15th day of August 1875 she was united in marriage with W. B. Womack. This union was blessed with two children, Blancee now the wife of Jesse C. Pearce and Clarence Joseph who died in infancy.

In 1926 the family came to Michigan where they have since resided.

Besides her husband and daughter she leaves four grandchildren, namely Mrs. Charles W. Gams of Kalamazoo, Gerold, Ruth and Jean Pearce; also three brothers and four sisters, William Taylor of Richmond, Ind., Spence and Thos. Taylor of Cincinnati, Ohio, Mrs. Lyde Stookey of near Columbus, O., Mrs. Susie Dale, Mrs. Sam Philhower and Mrs. Alice Philhower all in or near Cincinnati, Ohio.

In the Bible also was found her wish that the 23rd psalm be used as her funeral text. This wish was complied with.

Funeral services were held in the J. C. Pearce home Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock and burial was in the Dewey cemetery near Dowagiac, Michigan.

W. B. Womack the aged surviving husband is in fairly good health and is making his home with the daughter Blanche, wife of J. C. Pearce of near Niles, Michigan.

#### EAST COUNTY LINE

Melvin Watson is driving a Chevrolet coupe.

Mrs. Glen Roley and Billy of Sullivan spent Friday night at the home of A. J. Sexton.

Mr. and Mrs. John Heerd visited Sunday afternoon with Jacob Stock and family of Lovington.

Doris Marie Watson spent Sunday with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Epling and Don Arthur visited Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. John Craig Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Watkins spent Friday in Arthur with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Watkins.

Mrs. Margaret Welch returned to her home in Mattoon Thursday after spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. James Ryan.

Orville Bright and family of Arcola visited Friday with Russell Freesh and family.

Mrs. Rosie Chapman of Champaign is visiting at the home of William Lilly.

Mrs. Clarence Watson spent Monday and Tuesday with Earl Craig and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Wynne of Decatur, Jonas Sexton and family, Charles Sanders and family and Francis Bright and family of Arcola and Burgess Harden and family brought dinner Sunday to the home of A. J. Sexton in honor of his birthday.

#### PALMYRA

Miss Wilma Rhodes spent Sunday with Beulah Sutton.

Raymond Henderson spent the week end with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Misenheimer and Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Hollonbeck spent Thursday with Forrest Misenheimer.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Shaw spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. John Black.

Mr. and Mrs. Roe Cochran and Mrs. Rose Bolin spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Hollonbeck.

D. L. Maxedon was a business caller in Sullivan Tuesday.

W. W. Graven spent Tuesday with Tilden Selock.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Edwards were Sullivan callers Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Carmine and daughter spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Seth French.

A farewell party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Pierce Monday night in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Don Ryan who moved on Tuesday.

#### Eleventh Birthday

Sunday, January 17th was the 11th birthday anniversary of Jean Hollonbeck. The event was celebrated with the following attending: Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Leiman and sons, John Hollonbeck, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Hollonbeck and family, George Purvis and Doris McManaway of Effingham. The boys killed a snake in the afternoon which no doubt will be an event for Jean to remember the occasion.

### GREGORY IN CHARGE

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they took charge of the bank after its close, except that no irregularities were uncovered.

There is an undercurrent of feeling in this community that it would be advisable to have the depositors assert themselves and secure a local man as receiver.

An effort was made for a time to induce the Auditor to look with favor on appointing John A. Webb, former president of the closed bank, as its receiver. The auditor has emphatically stated that no official of the bank can be so named.

The law provides that two-thirds of the depositors in number and in amount of money on deposit can petition to have their own selection for receiver named. They can also hire the attorney and make what other arrangements they may deem to be the best interest of themselves.

#### Bolin Petitions

Petitions are now in circulation asking for the appointment of S. T. Bolin as receiver. The petitioners have no list of depositors however and are working under that handicap. It is stated unofficially that the number of depositors in the closed bank and in the Lovington State bank which consolidated with it some weeks before its close is well over 2000. It will be quite a task to get the necessary two-thirds in signatures unless the names of these depositors and the amounts they have on deposit are known.

#### Depositors Committee

There have been plenty of suggestions that a depositors' meeting be held. That at such meeting the depositors organize and select an executive committee of three or five from among their number, who are not indebted to the bank, nor hold stock, to act with Receiver Gregory or any other who may be named if two-thirds of the stockholders so petition.

It is unofficially stated that Receiver Gregory is to get \$200 per month for his services. No fixed amount seems to have been set for attorney's fees.

#### Hold Down Costs

It is contended that if a local receiver be named, the work can be done at much less expense. It is also apparent that advance arrangements could be made with some attorney as to what compensation he is to get for his services, rather than leave that matter to the mercy of the court or auditor.

In connection with this matter—if any move is made to organize the depositors for their own protection and interest—it is suggested that the stockholders of whom there are over 100 also organize to protect their interests in this case. A receiver for stock holders liability will doubtless be named by the court. Mr. Gregory's appointment does not include these duties. Some of the stockholders feel that it will be to their interest to keep in close touch with the situation. According to law they are respon-

sible for the face value of their stock. This means that a man holding a \$100 share of stock will have to pay in \$100 into the stockholders' liability fund. This fund will not be expended to liquidate the affairs of the bank unless such action is found necessary. If the money realized out of the other assets of the bank is not sufficient to pay depositors, then the stockholders liability funds are used.

There has been little discontent or excitement in this community over the bank's closing. There is some fear however that the cost of liquidation will be too heavy. That is why it might be advisable to have an agreement right now at the beginning of the receivership as to what the approximate cost will be. If the Depositors and Stockholders through committees could act with the receiver,—Mr. Gregory,—or any other that might be named, it would be much more satisfactory all around and would kill the many silly rumors and gossip that otherwise will be floating around until the final settlement of the banks affairs can be made.

#### COMING EVENTS

Public sale of J. W. Sporleder, living on M. L. Lowe place east of Wyman park, Tuesday, February 2nd.

—We want BURL JEFFERS to see a good show at The Grand, as a guest of The Progress. Here's the invitation.

#### HUNTER'S NOTICE

Hunting and trespassing on my premises is strictly forbidden. Kindly keep off.

ORAL BUNDY CHARLES SHUMAN MASONIC HOME FARM ADDIE AND EMMA EVANS (Names will be added to this notice to run until January 1st for 50c. Telephone in your order if you can't come to the office.)

#### Dr. E. C. Thurman

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## SPECIAL DEMONSTRATION

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Have you callouses, cramped toes or burning sensations at the ball of the foot? How to get relief from this or any other Foot Trouble will be demonstrated at our store

Wednesday, February 3rd, 1932

by a Foot Comfort Expert of the Chicago Staff of Dr. Wm. M. Scholl, noted Foot Specialist—No Charge for His Services!

If you suffer from your feet, it will be to your everlasting benefit to visit our store on the above date. You will receive an analysis of Pedo-graph prints of your stockinged feet and be shown exactly what your foot trouble is. The Dr. Scholl Appliance or Remedy you need is then demonstrated so that you may know how completely comfortable it will make your feet. All this without cost to you!

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WE'LL DELIVER PASTEURIZED MILK AT YOUR DOOR.

There is no better food available for the children or any member of the family.

SULLIVAN DAIRY

## PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned will sell household furniture for 5 rooms, one lot of canned fruit and other miscellaneous articles at her place of residence 2 miles East of Alleville on the old John Powers place, on

Wednesday, Jan. 27

Sale starts at 12 o'clock.

TERMS CASH.

Mrs. Elizabeth Powers

# S. T. H. S. NEWS

Mr. Erwin and the Ag club went to Vandalia, Tuesday.

The Chemistry class is going to give an Assembly program in two weeks.

The Girls' Glee club sang at the Friends-in-Council club Monday afternoon at Mrs. Fleming's house.

The operetta cast is now practicing for the operetta.

The Retrospect Staff is making an interesting Alumni section which will be well worth the while of all alumnae to buy. There will be a record of Alumnae back to 1879. There will be a record of this year's high school events also.

The new semester opened this week. Two new students started in this week. They are Robert Sims and June Elkins.

Evelyn Carmine Reporter.

## MERRITT

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

Mrs. Archie Daugherty and son Charles called on Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jones Wednesday.

Mrs. Ross Thomas, Mrs. Ed Durr, Mrs. Fay Taylor and Mrs. Herman Ray helped Mrs. Ray Wilson with her butchering Monday.

Mrs. Clifford Davis and son, Mrs. Frank Stillians, Mrs. Orval Taylor, Mrs. Orval Beals and son and Mrs. John Floyd and son spent Thursday with Mrs. Harry Stillians in Lovington.

Mrs. Russel Yaw and daughter spent Thursday with Mrs. John Bathe.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Bilbrey spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Thomas.

Mrs. Herman Ray spent Wednesday with Mrs. John Warren.

Ross Thomas Jr. entertained the following guests Wednesday evening: Misses Frances Davis, Helen and Esther Goddard, Violet Preston, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Drew and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Davis and son.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kanitz and family and Mr. and Mrs. Fay Taylor and son spent Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ray.

Mrs. Ray Wilson spent Friday with Mrs. Fay Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Thomas and son spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stillians.

Clifford Davis and family and Ross Thomas and family spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Pickle and son and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pickle spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Leland Hughes.

Ed Durr and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jenne.

Clifford Davis and family spent Sunday in Mattoon.

## DUNN

J. D. Shasteen is on the sick list at this writing.

Rev. Bandy of Lovington filled his regular appointment at Oak Grove Sunday.

W. R. Wood was in Bethany on Wednesday.

Mrs. Goldie Shasteen and daughter, Mrs. E. A. Silver, Mrs. Cora Wright spent Wednesday with Birdie Atteberry.

Walter Shipman and Bruce Standerfer were in Sullivan Wednesday.

Miss Luella Wood spent the week end with her parents, Mrs. W. R. Wood and family.

Billie Atteberry visited with his grandmother, Mrs. E. A. Silver on Saturday.

Wayne Wood called in Bement Friday.

Robert Sanner and family visited L. R. Baker and family Sunday. John and Walter McClure called in Sullivan Friday.

Mrs. Walter Shipman and Ruby, Mrs. Bruce Standford, Mrs. Ann Elliott spent Sunday in Decatur with relatives.

K. M. Wood was a Bethany caller Saturday.

Alick Bragg was in Sullivan on Saturday.

Dr. Donovan and wife of Bethany attended church at Oak Grove Sunday night.

## CUSHMAN

Mrs. O. A. Foster spent last Friday with Mrs. Burley Fultz.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Queen and Billie spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Sharp near Bethany.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Valentine and son called on Mr. and Mrs. Fred Foster Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Bozell, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Valentine and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Harmon and family and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Foster and son spent last Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Freese.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Hamblin were Sullivan visitors last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Cole visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Cummings.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Atteberry spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Reynolds.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Valentine were Lovington callers Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Rosa Champion of Champaign is visiting her sister, Mrs. Henry Harmon and family.

## BIRTHDAY SURPRISE FOR MISS ALICE KENNEY

Miss Alice Kenney was pleasantly surprised at her home on Saturday evening when a number of friends gathered in. Her mother, Mrs. George Kenney planned and carried out the party.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Jessie McClure and sons, Burnice, Tommy and Charley Hawbaker, Lula and Lucille Freese, Doris and Frances Riley and John Shull.

Refreshments of Fruit Punch and cake were served.

The latter part of the evening was spent playing games.

## Ten Years Ago

(Jan. 20, 1922)

Deaths reported were Finley Pifer, Jan. 18; Cleo Thompson, Jan. 15; Rev. Logan, Jan. 12.

"Bo" Wood had accepted a position in the M. & F. bank succeeding Duane Farrell.

Miss Alice Preis entered the Macon County hospital Wednesday to fit herself for duties of nurse.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Guy Booker the 1st of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Patterson gave a house party in honor of Miss Moore of Atwood.

Cream was 26c; eggs 26c; corn 35c; oats 26c.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Robinson were in Chicago taking post graduate courses in embalming and funeral directing.

## DEMOCRATIC MULE TAKES A WALLOP AT HOOVER BLACKSMITH

As is quite generally known a long-eared mule is the party emblem of the Democrats. The mule has, seldom however, been known to take part in politics.

Vern Siron the blacksmith has lately been calling himself names because he voted for Herbert Hoover. His friends have, of course, been sympathetic with him. In some way or other, however, Mr. Siron's confession as to how he voted in 1928 must have reached the ears of a mule that he shooed the other day.

The mule has been docile while new shoes were being fitted. Then in some way he got a good look at Vernie. The eyes of the mule opened with surprise and his ears started twitching with indignation. When Vernie, unsuspecting stooped over to put the finishing touches on one of the new shoes on a front foot, the mule reached out with his right hind leg and gave the blacksmith an awful wallop on the thigh of his right leg. He then heaved in a hilarious way. Of course the mule had to pay for his meanness.

In the future when anybody brings a mule into the Siron shop Vernie will ask "Did you tell this critter that I voted for Hoover?" and if the owner says "yes" he will keep a very close watch on the hind legs of the Democratic party emblem.

## ALLENVILLE

Mrs. Elmer Maxedon, Mrs. Mary Pettit and Mrs. Paul McDaniel were Mattoon callers Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Black, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pierce, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Gibson, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Hollonbeck and family and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Misenheimer spent Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Misenheimer.

Bill Abell of Mattoon spent the week end with N. S. LeGrand and family.

Mrs. Hattie LeGrand, Marguerite Newlin, Bill Abell called on Mr. and Mrs. John Turner and family Sunday.

Charles Hoskins and John LeGrand were Sullivan callers Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Gibson entertained the following guests to a chilli supper Saturday night: Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Daily and family, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Moran and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Misenheimer.

Mr. and Mrs. James Evans spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. James Evans Sr.

Dorothy Blackwell and Virgil MacDowell of Sullivan spent the week end with Fern Black and Beldon Turner.

## SUNDAY SCHOOL WORKERS MET HERE THURSDAY

District officers of the Board of Religious Education held a meeting Thursday night of last week in the First Christian church with Mrs. Helen Bundy of Gays, county superintendent in charge. Work for the coming year was assigned to the various officers, who are namely:

Dist. president—Orville Powell. Supt. Adult classes—Mrs. Claud Anderson.

Sec'y.—Treas.—Mrs. Mabel Nichols.

Budget officer—John Dolan. Supt. of Young people—Miss Olive Dazey.

Supt. Children's Department—Mrs. Mabel Nichols.

Supt. Vacation Bible school—Rev. C. E. Barnett.

Committees will visit the Sunday schools in this district and extend assistance where it is needed.

## Local News

Chalmer Newbould was on the sick list the first of the week.

J. R. Hagerman made a business trip to Springfield Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Harris and daughter Norma Jean spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Harris in Decatur.

The Sunshine club met at the home of Mrs. Les Atchison Friday afternoon. They "listened in" on the program from W. J. B. L. in Decatur, when Mrs. R. B. Foster spoke on International Relations. Mrs. Mabel George gave two musical readings and Miss Ruth Tabor gave a vocal selection with Mrs. George Sentel at the piano.

D. W. Carmine and sons Elmo and Guy and D. G. Carmine motored to Bloomington Sunday where they called on their mother, Mrs. Carmine.

Appolis Hagerman, E. M. Hagerman and Rufus Harshman went to Chicago Monday where they attended the electrical Show. They returned Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Eays, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Compton of Weldon spent Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Barclay. Miss Ethel Campbell who spent two weeks at the Barclay home returned home with them that evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Creech visited with relatives in Shelbyville Sunday.

J. A. Sims and Morris Floyd spent Tuesday in Decatur on business.

Miss Helen Cummins and her friend Miss Helen Murphy, both students of the U. of I. in Urbana spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Cummins.

Andrew Creech of Monticello visited at the home of Mrs. Flora Creech Sunday.

Miss Lou Phelps was called to Wilmington Thursday on account of the death of an aunt, Miss Lucy Morey. Miss Phelps returned to this city Monday. During her absence, Miss Ella Baker acted as librarian, which position Miss Phelps holds.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Robertson visited with relatives in Decatur Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Hoke is on the sick list.

Mrs. W. R. Robinson and daughter Clara left Monday for Kinkaid where Clara will put on a show the 26th and 27th of this month. Mrs. Robinson expects to stay until that time.

Mrs. Anna Kennedy student nurse in Chicago spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Anna Hanrahan and her daughter Patsy Kennedy.

Luther Lowe who spent several weeks at the home of his daughter Mrs. Will Eden in St. Louis returned Monday. While in St. Louis, Mr. Lowe was quite ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Glasgow and daughter of Indianapolis, Ind., came to this city Saturday for a week's visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Newbould. Their small daughter took sick shortly after they arrived here, and they cut their visit short and returned home Sunday.

Three Sullivan ladies delighted their listeners Friday of last week with a broadcast from Decatur. The Progress invites all three.

MRS. LUCILLE FOSTER, MRS. MABEL GEORGE and MISS RUTH TABOR—to be its guests at one of the shows adv. this week. Present this at the Grand as your invitation. Select, individually, any night you may prefer.

Mrs. A. S. Bowers of near Lovington who underwent a major operation in the Presbyterian hospital in Chicago last week and who was in a serious condition is now a great deal better. Mrs. Bowers is a daughter of Mrs. Cynthia Newbould and mother of Mrs. Ellabelle Kenny.

O. C. Worsham, H. H. Hawkins, Albert Walker, Cadell West and Ed Brandenburger of this city and George Fulk of Bethany represented Moultrie county at a meeting of the Shelby County Jeffersonian club in Shelbyville Friday night.

Mrs. Lee Taylor went to Mattoon Wednesday morning to enter the hospital for an operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Coy went to St. Louis Sunday where they are doing their spring buying for Coy's Central Shoe store in this city. They attended a taylor show and school of instruction and returned home Wednesday.

Miss Alice Chaney, who is employed at the Forrest Sewing rooms is enjoying a vacation.

Mrs. T. A. McAllynn of New York City, N. Y. spent last week with her sister, Mrs. J. A. Reeder and family. Saturday Mrs. Reeder and her sister went to Casey to visit with their brother, John Smith. Mrs. McAllynn left for her home in New York Sunday.

Dr. F. T. Taylor of Carbondale who preached the sermon at the Installation held at the Presbyterian church Sunday spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Gauger and daughter Cora.

The Junior Card Club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wolf Tuesday evening.

The Sew a Bit club was entertained at the home of Mrs. C. R. Hill Thursday afternoon.

The Domestic Science club

will meet at the home of Mrs. Bert McCune Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Reich of Mattoon visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Levy Dickerson Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Bartley visited at the home of Mr. Bartley's daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Askins in Mattoon Sunday.

M. A. Gifford and son George motored to Danville Sunday where they visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Orris Gifford. Mrs. M. A. Gifford who spent the week at the home of her son, returned to this city with Mr. Gifford and George Sunday evening.

Mrs. Aaron Blackwell underwent an operation Wednesday in the Memorial hospital in Mattoon.

Mrs. Glenn Wright and infant daughter who have been at the Frank Newbould home, were taken to their country home at the Ansel Wright residence Wednesday.

## CANDIDATE ANNOUNCEMENTS

Clarence Miller has authorized The Progress to announce that he is a candidate for Highway Commissioner of Sullivan township subject to the wishes of the Democratic voters. 2-t.

M. E. SHAW has authorized The Progress to announce his candidacy for Commissioner of Highways of East Nelson township, subject to the Democratic primary. He solicits your vote and support. 2-t.

The Progress is authorized to announce that DAVE SPAUGH is a Democratic candidate for Highway Commissioner of East Nelson township, subject to the primary. He respectfully solicits your vote and support. 1-t.

The Progress is authorized to announce that ROY B. MARTIN is a candidate for HIGHWAY COMMISSIONER of EAST NELSON township subject to the wishes of the Republican voters. 2-t.

## FOR LEGISLATURE

The Progress is authorized to announce that F. J. MAILANDER of Monticello is a candidate for Representative in the General Assembly from the 24th Senatorial district, subject to the will of the Democratic voters at the April primary. Your vote and support is solicited.

## YOUNGS BRIDGE

Elder and Mrs. J. V. Brady were Sunday guests of T. H. Carter and family.

Bonnie and Maurine Marble spent last Wednesday night with Juanita and Joyce Spencer.

J. C. Reynolds and family were Sunday guests of Lowell Rees and family. The occasion was Mrs. Rees' birthday.

Herman Spencer and family spent Saturday with Wm. Shuck and family.

Frank Jones and friend of Decatur were Saturday night and Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Oral Bundy.

Eugene Hidden and family of near Allenville, Will Moore and wife of Sand Creek and Roscoe Selock and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Selock.

Mrs. Dora Marble and Maurine attended a quilting party Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Reta Wilson.

Herman Spencer accompanied a truck load of his cattle to St. Louis last Wednesday.

Edward Briscoe and family, Archie Bradford and wife of Decatur spent Sunday with Durward Briscoe and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Martin spent Tuesday with Tilman Johnson and wife.

Herman Spencer and family and Tony Knapp and family spent Tuesday with Elmer Selock and wife.

Jake Marble and family, Truman Marble and family and Miss Bessie McCracken were Sunday dinner guests of I. N. Marble and wife in Sullivan.

Miss Doris Daum spent Tuesday night with Mary Johnson.

Jake Marble and family spent last Wednesday with Otto Frederick and family.

Betty Joan little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rauch has been quite sick since Friday, but is some better now.

Jake Marble and family, Truman Marble and family and Mrs. Oka Nichols spent Monday with Edward Briscoe and family.

Mrs. Hilda Harden spent Friday with Mrs. Blanche Rauch.

Miss Juanita Spencer spent Monday night with Miss Mary Johnson.

## SULLIVAN MARKETS

Elevators Thursday were offering 44c for wheat; 27c for corn; 19c for oats and 32c for soybeans. Produce houses were paying 11c for eggs; 19c for butterfat; hens 8c to 13c; springs 7c to 12c; stags 6c to 8c; cox 4c to 6c.

## MARRIAGE LICENSE

George Wiard 25; Alberta Harsh 18.

Mrs. George Purvis is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Spillman of Neoga.

# Rapture Beyond

SIXTH INSTALLMENT

A few moments later she stood outside on the pavement with Jock. He hailed a taxicab.

At the door of Nick's lodging house Jock let her in and in spite of her repelling gesture, sort of instinctive protest against her own confused submission, he mounted with her.

As Jock turned to rejoin Nick Lynda approached him and offered him her hand. It was an unconscious gesture of trust and forgiveness. Over her hand, his fingers closed strongly.

Lynda felt a rapture of body and blood. It was sweeter than honey, more heady than red wine. She felt his lips moving, she heard him say "I love . . . I love . . ."

And she was conscious of what he said, of its meaning, of the havoc that it caused. She lifted her eyes as though for help.

(Continued Next Week)

## LOCALS

Mrs. Lucy Bathe, Burnice, Tommy and Charley Hawbaker, Evelyn Campbell, Francis, Lynn and Edna Riley, Cecil and Lloyd Campbell spent Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Freese and family.

John Hollonbeck who is stationed in Missouri spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Hollonbeck.

Tim Edwards of Whitley was a business visitor here Monday.

The Mothers study club will meet at the Library Monday, January 25th at 2:30 o'clock. Any mother wishing to join is invited. There are no dues.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Valentine and son, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Foster and son, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Harmon and family, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Bozell and family spent Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Freese and family in Jonathan Creek township. Refreshments were served. It was in the nature of a neighborhood farewell party as the Freese family on Monday moved to the Dennis Landers farm west of this city.

Mrs. Tella Pearce received word this week that Mrs. Ella Eschelmann had died at the home of her son in San Bernardino, California. Mrs. Eschelmann was remembered here from having visited with the Dr. Bateman family. She was Mrs. Bateman's grandmother. The Batemans now live in California.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Lundy of Argenta visited with their daughter Mrs. Bertha Lundy, Monday.

Miss Jessie Buxton who has been ill the past week at the National Inn, is better now and able to be up part time.

Miss Jennie Margaret Cummins entertained several friends to a dinner party at her home Tuesday evening.

ARTHUR LOSE'S MAIL ROUTE

On January 31st Frank F. Fitts, rural carrier on Route 3 out of Arthur will be retired on a pension. Route three will then be discontinued and its patrons will be served by the other two routes. Originally Arthur had four rural mail routes.

## FULLERS POINT

Mrs. Ted Roy and infant son returned to their home last week from the Mattoon hospital.

Mrs. Jesse Mingo who is a patient in the Mattoon hospital is improving.

Miss Rosamond Crane student of Utterback's business college of Mattoon spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Crane.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Carmine and family called on John Furness and family.

Evelyn Carmine student of the Sullivan Township high school spent a few days vacation from semester exams with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Carmine.

Mt. Zion Sunday school tendered Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Rominger and family a farewell surprise on Sunday. A dinner was served at noon. Mr. and Mrs. Rominger will move soon to a farm near Dorans. Clifton Carmine and Elmer Furness were callers in Sullivan Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Lizzie Rightsell was a caller in Sullivan Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Carmine were callers in Mattoon Monday.

The dirt roads are impassable for cars as the mud is very deep owing to much rain.

Why Get Up Nights?

Heed Natures Warning

Make this 25c test. Drive out impurities and excess acids that cause irritation resulting in leg pains, backache, burning and bladder irregularities. Bu-kets, containing buchu leaves, juniper oil, etc., works pleasantly and effectively on the bladder as castor oil on the bowels. Get a 25c test box (5 grain size) from any druggist. After four days, if not relieved of getting up nights go back and get your money. You are bound to feel better after this cleansing and you get your regular sleep.

## GRADE BASKETEERS LOST TO MOWEAQUA

Moweaqua grades playing return games with the Sullivan teams were victorious at the Army on Friday night. The Lightweight score was 18 to 15 and the Heavyweight division 15 to 11. Each contest showed that the teams were about evenly matched.

The Lightweight game was the one showing the closest playing. Moweaqua led 7 to 3 at the half. Raymond Shasteen substituting for Wayne Elder in the third period was efficient in helping his teammates hold the visitors until the fourth period when with Elder in the game again a rally was staged, Sullivan tying the score as the game ended 13 to 13. In the opening of the overtime period a field basket by Elder put the locals in the lead. Moweaqua then scored from the field Another foul on Elder caused him to leave the game. Moweaqua scored the free throw, which was soon followed by a field goal. This ended the scoring of the game. Final score, Moweaqua 18, Sullivan 15.

The Sullivan Heavyweight team was composed of Bathe and Arterburn, forwards; Dixon center; English and Barger, guards; Jimmie Smith, sub. guard. These boys were losing under a 7 to 4 count

at the half, but a third quarter comeback put them in the lead 10 to 8. The final period Sullivan weakened and Moweaqua scored frequently, winning 15 to 11.

The Heavyweight squad plays the Gays boys here Thursday night. We are hoping a victory for Sullivan will result as Gays won easily from us 25 to 7 early last fall.

## Fat Girls! Here's A Tip For You

All over the world Kruschen Salts is appealing to girls and women who strive for an attractive free from fat figure that cannot fail to win admiration.

Here's the recipe that banishes fat and brings into blossom all the natural attractiveness that every woman possesses and does it SAFELY and HARMLESSLY.

In the morning take one half teaspoon of Kruschen Salts in a glass of hot water before breakfast—cut down on pastry and fatty meats—go light on potatoes, butter, cream and sugar.

"It's the little daily dose that takes off the fat" and "brings that Kruschen feeling" of energetic health and activity that is reflected in bright eyes, clear skin, cheerful vivacity and charming figure.

But be sure for your health's sake that you get Kruschen. A bottle that lasts 4 weeks costs but little. You can always get Kruschen at all druggists and money back if not satisfied with results after first bottle. Adv.

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## Housewives Insist on Sullivan Bread

"We have other bread here. Shall we send you that?"

"No, I do not want it. I want Sullivan bread. Please send me that kind always. Do not substitute an out-of-town bread."

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Official Publication Proceedings Moultrie County Board of Supervisors

STATE OF ILLINOIS, ) ss. Moultrie County, )

Be it remembered that the Board of Supervisors of the county of Moultrie and State of Illinois, met in special session at the Court House in the City of Sullivan, Illinois, on Thursday, the 14th day of January, A. D. 1932 at the hour of ten o'clock a. m. of said day pursuant to a notice in writing having been addressed to and filed with the Clerk of said Board and signed by at least one-third of the members thereof, and a notice of said meeting having been published in a newspaper published in said County as required by law.

The Board was called to order by the Chairman, U. G. Dazey, at ten o'clock a. m. of said day.

The roll was called by the Clerk and the following members responded to the call of their respective names:

- U. G. Dazey of Sullivan township, chairman. John Albright of Dora township. C. A. Lane of East Nelson township. Walter Wiser of Jonathan Creek township. B. N. McMullin of Lovington township. F. F. Fleming of Lowe township. A. Mayfield of Marrowbone township. F. C. Newbould of Sullivan township. G. D. Edmonds of Whitley township. Absent: None.

PAUL L. CHIPPS, Clerk. There was a quorum of said Board present and the following proceedings were had and entered of record as follows, to-wit:

Petition for Special Meeting of Board of Supervisors

State of Illinois ) ss. Moultrie County, ) To Paul L. Chipps County Clerk of Moultrie County, Illinois:

We the undersigned members of the Board of Supervisors of Moultrie County, Illinois, and being at least one-third of the members thereof, respectfully request and petition you to call a special meeting of said Board of Supervisors of Moultrie County, Illinois to convene on Thursday the 14th day of January, A. D. 1932 at the Court House in the City of Sullivan, Illinois, at the hour of ten o'clock a. m. of said day for the purpose of the transaction of any business that may come before said meeting.

Walter Wiser U. G. Dazey C. A. Lane G. D. Edmonds John G. Albright. Filed: Jan. 4, 1932. Paul L. Chipps, County Clerk.

SPECIAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

State of Illinois ) ss. Moultrie County, )

Notice is hereby given that in accordance with a request in writing addressed to the undersigned county clerk of Moultrie County, Illinois, and being signed by at least one-third of the members of said Board of Supervisors of said county and state aforesaid, a special meeting of said Board of Supervisors of Moultrie County, Illinois, is hereby called to convene on Thursday, the 14th day of January A. D. 1932, at the hour of ten o'clock a. m. of said day, at the court house in the city of Sullivan, Illinois, for the purpose of transacting any business that may legally come before said meeting.

Paul L. Chipps, County Clerk of Moultrie county

PUBLISHER'S CERTIFICATE OF PUBLICATION

I, Ed. C. Brandenburger, hereby certify that I am the publisher of THE SULLIVAN PROGRESS, secular Newspaper of general circulation, printed and published in the City of Sullivan, in said Moultrie County, Illinois; and I also certify that the notice hereto attached relating to the matter of SPECIAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS has been published in said paper and every impression thereof each week for one successive weeks of the issues commencing Jan. 8 A. D. 1932 and ending Jan. 8th, A. D. 1932 which are the dates of the first and last papers containing the same. I further certify that the above named paper has been published regularly each week for more than six months prior to the first publication of said notice in said newspaper.

Given under my hand this 14th day of January, A. D. 1932. THE SULLIVAN PROGRESS, By Ed C. Brandenburger, Publisher. Filed Jan. 14, 1932. Paul L. Chipps, County Clerk.

State of Illinois ) ss. Moultrie County, )

Board of Supervisor's Special Term, January 14, 1932. Mr. Chairman, and Gentlemen of the Board of Supervisors:

Your Committee on County claims would beg leave to report that they have examined all claims presented before them, and recommend the payment of the following, and that the Clerk be directed to issue orders for the several amounts to the several claimants, to-wit:

Table with 3 columns: Names, For What, Amt. Includes entries like 'The Worrell Mfg. Co., court house \$12.50', 'Frank Thornbor & Co. county clerk 24.19', 'Iva Ashbrook, testimony of coroner, R. O. Waggoner 7.00', etc.

Table with 3 columns: Names, For What, Amt. Includes entries like 'Court House 1.61', 'David Hardware, mdse 12.68', 'Court house 13.75', 'Albert Walker, office exp. 13.75', 'Paul L. Chipps, tax extension and court 1455.84', etc.

Table with 3 columns: Names, For What, Amt. Includes entries like 'bor at Co. farm 3.25', '1028 Co. Highway, C & E I R. Co., Jonathan Creek fill 45.00', '13909 E. R. Yeakel, salary last half Nov. 45.00', etc.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVE, that the County Clerk be and he is hereby authorized and directed to indicate on the map the highway so vacated and abandoned as aforesaid as State Aid Route No. 132 of county of Moultrie and forward said map with his signature thereon attesting to the validity of the same, together with a certified copy of this resolution to the Division of Highways through the District Engineer, Mr. C. H. Apple, Paris, Illinois.

It was moved by Mr. Newbould and seconded by Mr. F. F. Fleming that said resolution be adopted. Motion carried.

The following resolution was presented: Resolution Covering an Addition to the State Aid System of Moultrie County.

RESOLVED, by the Board of Supervisors of Moultrie County, State of Illinois that public interests demand the improvement as a State Aid Road a Highway located as follows:

Beginning at a point near the center of the west half of Section 4, T. 13 N., R. 6 E. of the 3rd P. M. and extending in an easterly direction following the general location of the existing road through the middle of Section 4, T. 13 N., R. 6 E. of the 3rd P. M., to a point near the center of said Section 4; thence in a southerly direction, following the general location and relocations of the existing roads through the middle of Sections 4 and 9, T. 13 N., R. 6 E. of the 3rd P. M. to a point near the center of the east line of said Section 16; thence in a southerly direction, following the general location and relocations of the existing road along the east line of Sections 16 and 21, T. 13 N., R. 6 E. of the 3rd P. M. to a point near the center of the east line of the southeast quarter of said Section 16; thence southeasterly, following a relocation and approximately parallel to the Illinois Central Railroad through Sections 22, 27, 26, 35, and 36, T. 13 N., R. 6 E. of the 3rd P. M.

It was moved by Mr. Newbould and seconded by Mr. Fleming that said resolution be adopted. Motion carried and so ordered by the Board.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the County Clerk be and he is hereby authorized and directed to indicate on the Official State Aid Map of Moultrie County the aforesaid Highway, and forward said map with his signature thereon attesting to the validity of the same, together with a certified copy of his Resolution to the Division of Highways through the District Engineer, Mr. C. H. Apple, Paris, Illinois.

This Resolution is passed in accordance with the provisions of Article Four, entitled "An Act revising the Law in relation to Road and Bridges", approved June 27th, A. D. 1913 and all amendments thereto.

It was moved by Mr. Newbould and seconded by Mr. Fleming that the foregoing resolution be adopted. Motion carried and so ordered by the Board.

The following resolution was presented: Right-of-Way Resolution

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of Supervisors of Moultrie County, at its meeting this 14th day of January A. D. 1932, that there is hereby appropriated the sum of \$8000.00 dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary from the said county's motor fuel tax allotment of 1931, for the purchase of Right of Way, together with all court costs, and jury awards in necessary condemnation proceedings, required for State Aid Route No. 3 and No. 3A (also known as State Bond Issue Route No. 132).

When detailed costs for each tract, or condemnation are known, the County Superintendent of Highways is hereby authorized to send a statement of such cost to Mr. C. H. Apple, District Engineer, of Paris, Illinois, with request for payment from aforesaid motor fuel tax allotment.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this resolution be submitted to the Department of Public Works and Buildings, State of Illinois, to guarantee payment of all costs for right of way needed on said State Aid Route No. 3 and No. 3A, also known as State Bond Issue Route No. 132, the detailed location being described as follows:

Beginning at a point near the center of the west half of Section 4, T. 13 N., R. 6 E. of the 3rd P. M. and extending in an easterly direction following the general location of the existing road through the middle of Section 4, T. 13 N., R. 6 E. of the 3rd P. M., to a point near the center of said Section 4;

thence in a southerly direction, following the general location and relocations of the existing roads through the middle of Sections 4 and 9, T. 13 N., R. 6 E. of the 3rd P. M. to a point near the center of the south line of said Section 9; thence southeasterly, following a relocation through Section 16, T. 13 N., R. 6 E. of the 3rd P. M., to a point near the center of the east line of said Section 16; thence in a southerly direction, following the general location and relocations of the existing road along the east line of Sections 16 and 21, T. 13 N., R. 6 E. of the 3rd P. M., to a point near the center of the east line of the southeast Quarter of said Section 16; thence Southeasterly, following a relocation and existing roads northeast of and approximately parallel to the Illinois Central Railroad through Sections 22, 27, 26, 35, and 36, T. 13 N., R. 6 E. of the 3rd P. M.

It was moved by Mr. Newbould and seconded by Mr. Fleming that said resolution be adopted. Motion carried and so ordered by the Board.

On motion Board adjourned until 1:00 o'clock P. M.

Board convened at 1:00 o'clock pursuant to adjournment. All members present, U. G. Dazey, Chairman, presiding.

Guy S. Little, County Superintendent of Highways made a report on the 1932 Road program. He feels the work this year will not require his full time and suggested the following agreement be put into effect:

That his present contract with the County as County Superintendent of Highways be terminated and that the County allow him compensation at the rate of \$5.00 per day and 5c per mile for use of his car for what time he spends in the duties of his office.

It was moved by Fleming and seconded by Newbould that the aforesaid agreement be adopted. A ye a and nay vote was taken. Dazey, ye a; Edmonds, ye a; Newbould, ye a; McMullin, ye a; Wiser, ye a; Lane, ye a; Albright, ye a; Fleming, ye a; Mayfield, ye a. 9 yeas, 0 nays. Motion carried.

And now comes the County Farm Committee and makes the following report to the Board.

Sullivan, Illinois, January 4, 1932.

To the Board of Supervisors of Moultrie County, Sullivan, Illinois. Gentlemen:

We, the County Farm Committee, upon investigating the operation of the County Farm under the supervision of Supt. R. L. Filson and Matron, Mrs. Filson, of the County Farm find the following inventory on December 1st, 1931:

- 26 steers, 8 cows, 1 bull, 2 calves, 56 hogs, 1 boar, 31 pigs, 1 heifer, 2500 bu. corn, 320 bu. beans, 175 bu. wheat, 800 bu. oats, 61 bu. clover seed, 10 ton Timothy Hay, 12 ton Bean Hay, 65 Bale Clover Hay, 130 Bale Oat Straw, 2500 Qts. fruit, 5 Bu. sweet potatoes, 35 Bu. Irish potatoes, 120 bu. turnips, 100 lbs. sugar, \$30 tobacco, 30.90 chickens.

Upon checking the cost of keeping inmates to date we have arrived at 35c each per day as being the approximate cost of keeping inmates for the period ending December 1, 1931, and recommend that each township be billed for keep of their respective charges.

We find in checking policies that the County is unprotected as to the following Casualty and Surety Lines.

1. Loss arising from liability to employees for personal injuries as the result of accidents suffered by them in their work.

2. Loss arising from liability to members of public for personal injuries and damage to property as the result of accidents occurring on insured's premises, or elsewhere if caused by an employee while engaged in the performance of his duties as such.

3. Plate Glass- Replacement of broken window, door or other fixed glass in building.

We submit the information attached hereto and the itemized inventory to the Board for their disposal as a whole.

John G. Albright F. F. Fleming G. D. Edmonds Committee.

MOULTRIE COUNTY PROPERTY, SULLIVAN, ILLINOIS

This policy being for \$- covers its pro rata share upon each of the following items and amounts:

Table with 3 columns: No., Property insured, Fire Tornado & Hail. Includes entries like '1. Two story brick and frame building known as Main Building No. 1 \$3300.00 \$3300.00', etc.

from July 1st, 1931. We recommend that Mr. and Mrs. Filson, Superintendent and Matron be retained for 1932.

We further recommend that inmates whose relatives are able to keep the dependent, be billed for keep at the rate of 50c per day.

John G. Albright C. A. Lane G. D. Edmonds Walter Wiser

It was moved by F. F. Fleming and seconded by F. C. Newbould that the foregoing report be accepted. Motion carried and so ordered by the Board.

And now comes the Special committee on County Inventory and present their report to the County Board.

Chairman of the Board, Supervisors and Members, Moultrie County, Illinois.

We, the Committee on insurance make the concluding comments and recommendations, at our meeting as of September 21, 1931.

Submitted herewith under separate cover an itemized inventory of the several offices, buildings and farm equipment as appraised by the committee.

The insurance policies now in force were checked. We find a large number of fire and tornado policies to cover this entire property, as there is no uniformity in the written part of the many policies, we were in some doubt as to the coverage on certain buildings. We recommend that insurance be readjusted as to amounts and specific coverage as listed in the following pages.

We recommend the adaption of printed forms to be attached to all fire and tornado policies. Two forms to be used, one to cover all County Farm property real and personal; and the second form to cover Court house, contents, jail, dwelling and garage, all located within the City of Sullivan, Illinois. The printed forms recommended will make all policies concurrent and insurance can readily be checked hereafter. We find that the Illinois Inspection Bureau have changed the numbers on the fire maps covering County Farm property, and that new printed forms suggested would eliminate any possible chance of confusion as to exact property covered by insurance.

We recommend the attaching of these forms to existing policies and do not recommend the rewriting of the entire line, although it may be necessary to make slight changes in a few of the existing policies. The new insurance forms recommended covers all the County property with the exception of two buildings on the County Farm, one a cob house and the other an oil house; and brick garage pump house which is situated near the jail building at Sullivan. This brick building has little value, as to its size, and only a small part of same is used as a garage.

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2. One story brick building known as Men's Dormitory Bldg. No. 2 1000.00 1000.00

3. One story frame building known as Men's Dormitory Bldg. No. 2B 200.00 200.00

4. One story frame building known as Coal shed, Bldg. No. 2A 50.00 50.00

5. One story frame building known as garage Bldg. No. 3 100.00 100.00

6. One story frame building known as Oil House, Bldg. No. 3A None None

7. One story frame building known as Meat house & Light Plant Bldg. No. 4 600.00 600.00

8. Light Plant, located in Bldg No. 4 200.00 200.00

9. One story frame building known as Cob House, Bldg. No. 5 None None

10. One story frame building known as Wash House, Bldgs. No. 6 100.00 100.00

11. One story frame building known as chicken House, Bldg. No. 7 100.00 100.00

12. One story frame building known as Brooder House, Bldg. No. 7A 50.00 50.00

13. One and one-half story frame building known as horse barn, bldg. No. 8 1000.00 1000.00

14. One story frame building known as Corn Crib Bldg. No. 9 1000.00 1000.00

15. One story frame building known as Hog house, Bldg. No. 10 50.00 50.00

16. One and one-half story buildings known as implement shed, Bldg. No. 11 250.00 250.00

17. One and two story building known as Cattle barn Bldg. No. 12 500.00 500.00

FARM PERSONAL

18. On Tractor 500.00 500.00

19. On Grain 1500.00 1500.00

20. On harness, saddles, robes, blankets, whips, buggies, carriages, sleighs, wagons, including hay racks, and all other farm vehicles and fancy driving vehicles (excluding steam of (Continued on page 7)

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motor vehicles) while on or temporarily off the premises	300.00	300.00
21. On Hay & Straw in building	300.00	300.00
22. On mowers, reapers, harvesters, farm implements, tools, empty sacks and bags, utensils, and farm machinery (excluding threshing machines, windmills, tractors, electric motors; gasoline, kerosene and steampower engines, and machines) on or temporarily off the premises	500.00	500.00
23. On horses	337.00	337.00
24. On cattle	450.00	450.00

**MOULTRIE COUNTY PROPERTY SULLIVAN, ILLINOIS**

**FIRE INSURANCE ONLY**

This policy being for \$ \_\_\_\_\_ covers its pro rata share upon each of the following items and amounts:

No.	Property insured	Amount.
1.	Court House & Jail	\$25,000.00
2.	Contents of Court House	10,000.00
3.	County Jail & Dwelling, 1108 Hamilton Street	10,000.00
4.	Garage & Pump House	None

**MOULTRIE COUNTY PROPERTY SULLIVAN, ILLINOIS**

**TORNADO & HAIL**

This policy being for \$ \_\_\_\_\_ covers its pro rata share upon each of the following items and amounts:

No.	Property insured	Amount
1.	County Court House, Public Square	\$10,000.00
2.	Contents of Court House	4,000.00
3.	County Jail & Dwelling, 1108 Hamilton Street	10,000.00
4.	Garage & Pump House	None

**SUMMARY OF INSURANCE AS NOW STANDS AND PROPOSED**  
The policies as now stands on County Farm property cover real and personal property against the hazards of fire and lightning to the amount of \$13,887.00 and against the hazards of tornado, etc. \$9,762. The new proposed form suggested \$12,887.00, fire and lightning insurance and \$12,887.00 on tornado insurance. This means \$500.00 reduction on the fire and lightning, and an increase of \$3125.00 on the tornado coverage.

The policies as now stand on real and personal within the City of Sullivan, against the hazard of fire and lightning to the amount of \$47,500.00 and \$25,000.00 on tornado, the new form suggested \$45,000.00 on fire and \$24,000.00 on tornado, making a reduction of \$2,500.00 on fire and \$1,000.00 on tornado.

In considering both the county and city property the new form will be for \$3000.00, less fire and lightning insurance and an increase of \$2115.00 on tornado insurance.

It was moved by F. C. Newbould and seconded by A. Mayfield that said report be accepted. Motion carried and so ordered by the Board.

Now comes the Committee on Officer's reports and makes report and presents to the Board the Semi-Annual reports of Halac Lansden, Sheriff, Cadell West, Circuit Clerk; and Paul L. Chipps, County Clerk, and also the annual report of John O. Newbould, County Treasurer, and recommend that said reports be accepted.

**SEMI-ANNUAL REPORT OF OFFICIAL FEES AND EMOLUMENTS RECEIVED AND EXPENDITURES MADE**

By Halac Lansden Sheriff of the County of Moultrie and State of Illinois.

**TO THE CHAIRMAN OF THE COUNTY BOARD OF MOULTRIE CO.:**

I, Halac Lansden Sheriff in and for the County of Moultrie and State of Illinois, respectfully present the following report of all the fees and emoluments of my office, and also of necessary expenditures therefor, for and during the half year ending December 1, 1931, wherein I state the gross amount of all fees or emoluments by me earned by official service during said half year, the total amounts of receipts of whatever name or character, and all necessary expenses for Deputy Hire, Stationery, etc.

<b>NATURE OF SERVICE</b>	<b>Earned during Half Yr.</b>	<b>Rec'd during Half Yr.</b>
For Miscellaneous Services	\$ 7.40	\$ 7.40
County Clerk	285.00	285.00
Auto hire for Apr. May, June, July, Aug. Sept.	655.50	655.50
Foreign Summons	80.00	80.00
State Auditor	25.00	25.00
Pre. earned Co. Clerk	240.15	240.15
Circuit Clerk	505.65	505.65
Pre. earned Circuit Clerk	119.85	119.85
<b>Total earnings of half year</b>	<b>\$1303.85</b>	<b>\$1918.55</b>
<b>EXPENDITURES</b>		
Sheriff's Salary	\$ 600.00	
Deputy Hire	600.00	
Special Deputy Hire	30.50	
Stationery and Office Expense	6.13	
Miscellaneous	5.40	
Livery Account	533.55	
	\$1775.55	

Receipts \$1918.55 June 1, \$339.90 Balance. Expenditures \$1775.58 Balance \$142.97. Balance Due \$196.93 Dec. 1, 1931.

Respectfully submitted this 15th day of December A. D. 1931.

HALAC LANSDEN, Sheriff.

**STATE OF ILLINOS, Moultrie County, ss.**

I, Halac Lansden do solemnly swear that the foregoing account is, in all respects, just and true according to my best knowledge and belief, and that I have neither received directly or indirectly, nor directly or indirectly agreed to receive or be paid for my own or another's benefit any other money, article or consideration than therein stated, nor am I entitled to any fee or emolument for the period therein mentioned, other than those therein specified.

Signed and sworn to before me, this 23rd day of December 1931.

PAUL L. CHIPPS, County Clerk.

Approved, January 14, 1932:

C. A. Lane  
F. C. Newbould  
B. N. McMullin  
John G. Albright

**SEMI-ANNUAL REPORT OF OFFICIAL FEES AND EMOLUMENTS RECEIVED AND EXPENDITURES MADE, By**

PAUL L. CHIPPS, County Clerk of County of Moultrie and State of Illinois.

**To the Chairman of the County Board of Moultrie County:**

I, Paul L. Chipps, County Clerk in and for the County of Moultrie and State of Illinois, respectfully present the following report of all the fees and emoluments of my office, and also of necessary expenditures therefor, for and during the half year ending Nov. 30, 1931, wherein I state the gross amount of all fees or emoluments by me earned by official service during said half year, the total amounts of receipts of whatever name or character, and all necessary expenses for Clerk Hire, and other expenses.

<b>NATURE OF SERVICE</b>	<b>Earned During Half Yr.</b>	<b>Rec'd During Half Yr.</b>
\$536.87 include: old fees \$328.50; Court fees \$208.37;		
Clerk's Fees in Probate	\$ 526.55	\$ 536.87
Clerk's Fees suits in Court	664.32	124.85
664.32 tax ext; \$852.00 court		37.75
Clerk's fees miscellaneous (\$1516.32 earned previous 6 months)	120.50	1636.82
<b>COUNTY SERVICE</b>		
Clerk's fees attending court, 131 days at \$6	786.00	
Clerk's fees attending tax sales and making Certificates, \$23.10 included in Miscellaneous)		
Clerk's fees recording Proceedings of County Board	30.00	
Clerk's fees copy proceedings for printer	30.00	
Clerk's Ex-Officio fee as County clerk	50.00	
Clerk's fee, settlement with County Treasurer, Abstract of Assessment and Abstract of taxes for State Auditor's Office, and Issuing County warrants and return of same	300.00	
	\$1967.90	\$2211.44
<b>EXPENDITURES</b>		
Clerk Hire	\$1200.00	
Clerk's Salary half year	750.00	
Office Expense (Stamps, etc.)	23.90	
Miscellaneous (Refund Docket fee, etc.)	8.30	
	\$1982.20	
<b>RECEIPTS</b>		
Fees in probate, (earned during last six months)	208.37	

Fees in suits in Courts (earned during last six months)	35.00
Fees Miscellaneous	120.50
Fees in Probate previously reported paid and not paid, (earned previous to June 1)	328.50
Fees in Co. Court previously reported and not paid (earned previous to June 1)	2.75
Fees miscellaneous (earned previous to June 1)	1516.32
<b>Total Receipts</b>	<b>\$2211.44</b>

**STATEMENT**

Total Expenditures	\$1982.20
Total Receipts,	2211.44
Amount Due the County	229.24

Respectfully submitted this 1st day of December 1931.

PAUL L. CHIPPS, County Clerk.

**STATE OF ILLINOS, Moultrie County, ss.**

I, Paul L. Chipps do solemnly swear that the foregoing account is, in all respects, just and true according to my best knowledge and belief, and that I have neither received directly or indirectly, nor directly or indirectly agreed to receive or be paid for my own or another's benefit any other money, article or consideration than therein stated, nor am I entitled to any fee or emolument for the period therein mentioned, other than those therein specified.

Signed and sworn to before me, this 1st day of December 1931.

(Seal) Cadell West, Circuit Clerk.

Approved, January 14, 1932:

C. A. Lane  
John G. Albright  
F. C. Newbould  
B. N. McMullin

**ANNUAL REPORT**

By John O. Newbould, County Treasurer of Moultrie County and the State of Illinois, to the Chairman of the Board of Supervisors of Moultrie County.

I, John O. Newbould, County Treasurer of Moultrie County and the State of Illinois respectfully present the following report of fees and emoluments by me earned by official service during said year the total amounts of receipts of whatever name or character and all necessary expenses for clerk hire and salary, stationery, fuel, and other expenses.

<b>Nature of Service</b>	<b>Rec'd during Year</b>
1% Dog fund, payout \$651.23	6.51
1% Dog Fund, take in \$717.00	7.17
1% Institute rec. \$476.13	4.76
1% Institute paid out \$238.00	2.38
1% Non High paid out	146.27
3% on general tax \$583,930.72	17,516.92
Interest on collectors books	1,964.07
Cost on collectors books	155.10
Special tax (3% Com.) \$5,917.34	177.53
1% on County funds rec. \$5725.73	57.26
1% on County funds paid \$101,603.08	1,016.03
2% Inheritance tax \$1,680.43	33.60
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$21,087.60</b>

Clerk Hire \$22,046.10

Treas. salary one year \$2400.00

To balance 1100.00

Total \$22,046.70

**STATE OF ILLINOS, Moultrie County, ss.**

I, John O. Newbould, County Treasurer, do solemnly swear that the foregoing account is in all respects just and true according to my best knowledge and belief, and that I have neither directly or indirectly received, nor directly or indirectly agreed to receive or to be paid for my own or another's benefit any other money, articles, or consideration than therein stated, nor am I entitled to any fee or emolument for the period therein mentioned other than those therein specified.

John O. Newbould, County Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of Dec. 1931.

(Seal) Paul L. Chipps, County Clerk.

**ESTATE FUND**

To the Chairman of the Board of Supervisors of Moultrie County:

I, John O. Newbould, County Treasurer in and for the County of Moultrie and State of Illinois, respectfully present the following report of Estate fund received and paid out by said County Treasurer from November 30, 1930 to Nov. 30, 1931.

<b>RECEIPTS</b>	
November 30, 1930	\$1528.68
O. F. Cochran, M. C.	2.52
Farley Young, Administrator	4.12
	\$1535.32

<b>EXPENDITURES</b>	
Admiral Dewey Hale	2.06
Russel J. Hale	2.06
Clara Ridgeley	11.13
Dellah Belle Clift	5.57
	\$20.82

Total Receipts \$1535.32

Total Expenditures 20.82

November 30, 1931 Balance \$1514.50

**STATE OF ILLINOIS, County of Moultrie ss.**

I, John O. Newbould, County Treasurer in and for the County of Moultrie and State of Illinois, first being duly sworn on oath state that the above and foregoing statement of Estate fund is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief and that the items and amounts as above set forth are of record in my office remaining.

John O. Newbould, County Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of Dec. 1931.

(Seal) Paul L. Chipps, County Clerk.

**UNCLAIMED WITNESS FEES**

To the Chairman of the Board of Supervisors of Moultrie County:

I, John O. Newbould, County Treasurer in and for the County of Moultrie and State of Illinois, respectfully submit the following report of unclaimed witness fees received and paid out by me as said County Treasurer from Nov. 30th, 1930 to Nov. 30th, 1931.

Balance Nov. 30th, 1931 \$27.20

Respectfully submitted this 30th day of November, 1931.

John O. Newbould, County Treasurer.

**STATE OF ILLINOIS, County of Moultrie ss.**

I, John O. Newbould, County Treasurer, in and for the County of Moultrie and the State of Illinois, first being duly sworn on oath state that the above and foregoing statement of unclaimed witness fees is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief and that the item and the amount as above set forth are recorded in my office remaining.

John O. Newbould, County Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of Dec. 1931.

(Seal) Paul L. Chipps, County Clerk.

**REPORT OF DOG FUND**

To the Chairman of the Board of Moultrie County:

I, John O. Newbould, County Treasurer and Ex Officio County Collector, of Moultrie County and State of Illinois, respectfully submit the following report of Dog license fund received and paid out by me during the year ending Nov. 30, 1931.

L. E. Winchester—East Nelson	\$ 70.00
Frank Pound—Jonathan Creek	90.00
R. E. Randolph—Whitley	109.00
S. T. Bolin—Sullivan	103.00
Roy Wilson—Dora	54.00
Chas. Dedman—Marrowbone	53.00
E. S. Foster, Lovington	63.00
W. E. Winnings—Lowe	136.00
Board of Review	39.00

Total \$717.00

**EXPENDITURES**

March Settlement	\$644.72
One per cent commission on \$651.23	6.51
One per cent commission on \$717.00	7.17
	\$658.40

Respectfully submitted this 30th day of November, 1931.

**STATE OF ILLINOIS, County of Moultrie ss.**

I, John O. Newbould, County Treasurer in and for the County of Moultrie and State of Illinois, first being duly sworn on oath state that the above statement of dog license fund is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief and that the items and amounts as above set forth are of record in my office remaining.

John O. Newbould, County Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of Dec. 1931.

(Seal) Paul L. Chipps, County Clerk.

**REPORT OF INHERITANCE TAX**

To the Chairman of the Board of Supervisors of Moultrie County:

I, John O. Newbould, County Treasurer in and for the County of Moultrie and State of Illinois respectfully present the following report of Inheritance Tax received and paid out by me as said County Treasurer from Nov. 30, 1930 to Nov. 30, 1931.

George Kercheval	\$ 12.73	\$ 25
Belle Standerfer	\$ 12.73	\$ 25
Mary E. Kearney	\$1,654.97	\$33.10

Respectfully submitted this 30th day of November, 1931.

John O. Newbould, County Treasurer.

**STATE OF ILLINOIS, County of Moultrie ss.**

I, John O. Newbould, County Treasurer in and for the County of Moultrie and State of Illinois first being duly sworn on oath state that the above and foregoing statement of accounts of the Inheritance tax is true to the best of my knowledge and belief and that the items and amounts as above set forth are of record in my office remaining.

John O. Newbould, County Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of Dec. 1931.

(Seal) Paul L. Chipps, County Clerk.

**REPORT OF NON HIGH SCHOOL FUND**

I, John O. Newbould, County Treasurer in and for the County of Moultrie and State of Illinois, respectfully present the following report of Non High School funds received and paid out by me as said County Treasurer for the fiscal year ending November 30th, 1930.

<b>RECEIPTS</b>	
April 1931	\$12,080.00
October 1931	\$ 2,585.73
Overdraft	107.50
	\$14,773.23

<b>EXPENDITURES</b>	
Overdraft	\$ 85.79
July 1, 1931—John Roney	21.00
J. L. Mays	21.00
James Morrison	21.00
Nettie L. Roughton	50.00
L. M. Draper	71.33
E. S. Combs	90.09
B. F. Harder	213.10
J. S. Weiss	1,085.05
Truman Storm	2,832.25
Ida B. Spidler	191.65
G. R. Fleming	3,354.34
P. A. Wilkinson	302.22
E. R. Duncan	67.45
J. S. Weiss	243.97
Mrs. Cecile Dawson	1,246.80
Sullivan Progress	2.75
Nov. 19, 1931 G. R. Fleming	1,677.18
Nov. 19, 1931 L. M. Draper	35.66
Dec. 1, 1931 B. F. Harder	106.55
C. E. Coventry	45.05
J. S. Weiss	542.52
Truman Storm	1,416.13
P. A. Wilkinson	151.11
E. R. Duncan	33.73
Mrs. Cecile Dawson	623.40
Ida B. Spidler	95.82
Nov. 30, 1931 County Treasurer 1% Com.	146.27
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$14,773.23</b>

Respectfully submitted this 30th day of November, 1931.

**STATE OF ILLINOIS, County of Moultrie ss.**

I, John O. Newbould, County Treasurer in and for the County of Moultrie and State of Illinois, first being duly sworn on oath state that the above and foregoing statement of Non High School fund is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief and that the items and amounts as above set forth are of record in my office remaining.

John O. Newbould, County Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of Dec. 1931.

(Seal) Paul L. Chipps, County Clerk.

# CHURCH NEWS

## CHRISTIAN CHURCH

C. E. Barnett, pastor

Coming events:  
Young people's week, Jan. 31-Feb. 7. The Christian Endeavor will present "Youth's Christian Quest" the evening of the latter date.

Okaw Christian Youth Association meeting at Dalton City, Monday evening, Feb. 1.

Men's Sunday School Association meeting in Sullivan church on Monday evening, Jan. 25th. Rev. Stephen E. Fisher, University Place Christian church, Champaign will deliver the address.

Next Sunday:  
Lesson study in the Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Supt. Ed Brandenburger promises a special number, advance information withheld? ? ?

"And all the people said, Amen" The pastor will use these words as a text for the sermon Sunday morning at 9:40. There is a special reason for doing so. You can best learn this reason by hearing for yourself. This requires attendance. Come!

Evening service at 7:30. The Young Peoples' choir, with Harris Wood cornetist, leading in song. Sermon by the pastor "The Christ of All Ages."

Christian Endeavor meeting at 6:30 with Bonnie Leavitt, leading. Most of us are followers. The subject and its discussion "What Leadership Should we Follow?" should aid us greatly in our following. Last Sunday Mr. Kilby brought the society a splendid message upon the home. We are indeed grateful for his interest and message.

We have almost forgotten what a railroad ticket looks like. We do remember these words printed thereon; "Not good if detached." As true of the church as of a railroad ticket. Tie yourself to the church.

## METHODIST CHURCH

L. L. Lawrence, pastor

Church school—9:30 a. m. J. A. Reeder, Supt.

Morning worship at 10:45. Sermon by Rev. Lawrence "Unto the Cross Unafraid."

Young People's meeting—6:30 p. m. in Methodist church.

Evening worship—7:30 with sermon by Rev. Lawrence, "The Demands of Jesus Today."

Wednesday evening mid-week service 8:00. Rev. Lawrence will speak on the subject "How Much More than a Man was Jesus?" Questions on the subject will be discussed and answered.

The church school orchestra meets Wednesday night at church at 7 o'clock. Prof. Moore directing. The Men's chorus meets Thursday night at the church at 7:00. The choir meets at 7:30.

The Monthly Adult social and frolic will be held in the church Thursday night immediately following choir rehearsal. All adults and friends are cordially invited.

Rev. Lawrence is to be Scout Master of a new Boy Scout Troop of the Methodist church. All boy scouts and others of the church who desire to be members, and are 12 years of age or older, are invited to become members. Word for the first meeting will be sent out soon.

## BAPTIST CHURCH

S. K. Skinner, Pastor.

Sunday school services will be held at 9:30 Sunday morning at the home of Mrs. J. M. Wolf.

Preaching services at the church at 3 p. m. Sunday afternoon. Rev. Skinner's sermon subject will be "When a Man Sees God."

Prayer meeting at the church Tuesday night at 7 o'clock with Mrs. Herman Lambrecht leader.

On Wednesday evening three people were baptized at the Baptist church in Mattoon.

## JONATHAN CREEK

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Behen visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Teddy Fifer.

Ed Clark of Brazil, Ind., Fred Stickle and son of Taylorville and Edith Briney of Lovington were Sunday guests of Mrs. Mahala Freeman.

O. W. Powell and family, Glenn Landers and Paul Fulton spent Monday evening with Clovis Milam and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Martin visited Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Piper and Mr. and Mrs. Mason Piper visited with Mike Buxton and family of Monticello.

Thomas and Dwayne Pound visited with Jim Pound and family Sunday.

Mrs. Lucy Bathe spent Sunday with Mrs. Eugene Freese and family.

Clifton Bolin spent Sunday in Indianapolis.

Billy Richardson of Sullivan spent the week end with Wood-

## PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

A. E. Turner, pastor

9:45 a. m. Church school.  
10:50 a. m. Morning worship.  
4:30 p. m.—Vesper service.  
6:30 p. m. Young People's meeting.

The following officers of the church school were elected last Sunday for the ensuing year: Supt. Dr. Don Butler; assistant Supt. Art Ashbrook; secretary and treasurer, Hugh Grote; chorister, Eleanor Cummins; assistant chorister, Ruth Taber; pianist Sallie Bristow, assistant pianist, Valeria Lundy.

Subject for the morning sermon "What Next in Religion" A statement of some of the problems which the church must endeavor to solve in the near future, with special reference to the views of Prof. Harry E. Ward in "Which Way Religion." Dr. Justin Wroe Nixon in "The Moral Crisis in Christianity" and Prof. Brightman of Brown University in "The Problem of God."

The Vesper service will be introduced with a dramatization by Miss Coolman, Miss Cummins and Jamie McLaughlin entitled "One Day in India." A recent presentation of this sketch was very favorably received in the Presbyterian church of a not-distant county seat town.

It will be followed by a meditation on the subject "Can a Man Remain at Home and Yet Become a Prodigal?"

The attendance contest of the Men's Club led by O. C. Worsham and Arthur Palmer will be concluded this week and the final report made at the January meeting of the Club at the Masonic Home on the 25th inst. New officers of the club will also be elected at that time.

## GOSPEL MISSION

Time of services the same.  
Deut. 6:12 "Beware lest thou forget the Lord."

Our text is one of God's warning signals—one of his red lights. All through the written word of God has scattered the red lights. All along the highway of life, at every dangerous place swings the red light of God's warning. As we turn into the avenue of education, there is the red light, God's warning, beware lest thou go too far and forget the Lord. Man has delved into the mysterious of evolution only to find, that somewhere back there they passed the red light and lost their faith in Jesus Christ as Saviour of man. There is the red light swinging across the door to business, Beware, lest Christ be crowded out. Ere you reach the white lights of society, God's red light swings across your path. Even besides the alters of religious worship swings God's red light, for it is so easy to fall into forms and ceremonies and worship them. The Lord said, men ought always to watch and pray. We need prayer that our eyes be kept open, that they be not obstructed by things until we fail to see God's red lights.

## ALLENVILLE AND JONATHAN CR. CHRISTIAN CHURCHES

(W. B. Hopper, Pastor)

Our Bible school at Jonathan Creek is experiencing a great growth of interest these days. Come next Sunday and have a part in this great work. Young Peoples society meets each Sunday evening at 6:30.

Regular services next Sunday at Allenville.

Morning subject "Going Beyond Our Duty."

Evening: "Hindrances to The Growth of the Church."

## ST. COLUMBA'S CHURCH

Church services will be held at St. Columba's Catholic church on Sunday morning at 10 a. m.

row Spaugh.  
Mr. and Mrs. Everett Higginson and baby spent one day last week in Champaign.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Elder spent Saturday night and Sunday with Rev. and Mrs. Dunkin McColl in Atlanta.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Deckard and Mr. and Mrs. Brannon of Decatur and Orville Powell and family were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Powell.

Donald Ryan moved Tuesday to the McDonald farm in the Minor school district.

Wayne Righter spent Tuesday in Shelbyville.

Louise Bolin suffered a broken arm Thursday of last week when she fell while playing at school.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bracken and Helen visited Sunday in Bement with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Griener.

Mrs. Gertrude Freeman and daughter Dorothy and Cleo Freeman visited Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Melissa Potters of Allenville.

Mr. and Mrs. John Goodwin accompanied by Mary McIntire and

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is, in all respects, just and true according to my best knowledge and belief, and that I have neither received directly or indirectly, nor directly or indirectly agreed to receive or be paid for my own or another's benefit any other money, article or consideration than therein stated, nor am I entitled to any fee or emolument for the period therein mentioned, other than those therein specified.

Cadell West

Signed and sworn to before me, this 3rd day of December 1931.

(Seal) Paul L. Chipps, County Clerk.

### SETTLEMENT

Receipts for services rendered during last year ----- \$1,882.50

Total Receipts ----- \$1,882.50

### CONTRA

Total Expenditures and Salary reported and allowed ----- \$1,227.45

Excess fees ----- 655.05

Approved, January 14, 1932:

C. A. Lane  
B. N. McMullin  
F. C. Newbould  
John G. Albright

It was moved by F. C. Newbould, and seconded by G. D. Edmonds that report and recommendation of Committee on Officers' reports be adopted. Motion carried and so ordered by the Board.

It was moved by F. F. Fleming and seconded by G. D. Edmonds that "Committee on Officers' Reports" take action on failure of State's Attorney to file report of his office. Motion carried.

Committee on Officer's Reports instructed clerk to notify State's Attorney to file his report with the County Clerk.

The following resolution was offered:

### 15-D RESOLUTION

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of Supervisors of Moultrie County at its meeting this 14th day of January A. D. 1932 that there is hereby appropriated the sum of \$2712.60 or so much thereof as may be necessary, from the refund by the State of Illinois of \$2767.96 from Section C of State Aid Route No. 2 utilized in State Bond Issue Route No. 132, said refund having been made by the State Treasurer on April 19th, 1931, for the purchase of right-of-way together with all court costs and jury awards and necessary condemnation proceedings required for State Aid Routes No. 3 and No. 3A, (also known as State Bond Issue Route No. 132).

When detailed costs for each tract, or condemnation are known by the County Superintendent of Highways is hereby authorized to send a statement of such cost to Mr. C. H. Apple, District Engineer, Paris, Illinois and the County Treasurer of Moultrie County is hereby authorized to disburse the 15-D refund of \$2767.96 less 2% due the County Treasurer of Moultrie County of \$2712.60 when vouchers in proper form are issued by the County Clerk of Moultrie County against said fund.

It was moved by Mr. Newbould and seconded by Mr. Fleming that said resolution be adopted. Motion carried and so ordered by the Board.

### RESOLUTION ON GRAND JURY

Mr. Lane offered the following resolution selecting the Grand Jurors for the March Term A. D. 1932, of the Circuit Court as follows, to-wit:

WHEREAS, the MARCH TERM of the Circuit Court of Moultrie County, Illinois, will convene on the 1st Monday in March A. D. 1932, and it appearing that no Grand Jurors have been selected by the Board of Supervisors as required by law, to serve at said March Term of Circuit Court of Moultrie County, Illinois, and it further appearing that a Grand Jury will be required for said term of Court,

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Supervisors of Moultrie County, Illinois, that the following named persons selected

Helen Whitfield visited Sunday in Champaign with Omar Miller and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Robinson were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Freese.

Mrs. Betty Harris and Mrs. Gladys Logue called on Mrs. Oscar Piper one afternoon last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Bracken, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Sullivan and Emmett Bracken assisted John Bracken with his butchering Monday.

Walter Crane and family called on L. H. Crane and family Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Davis spent Saturday with Cleo Davis and family of Decatur.

Russell Yaw and family and Will Bryan and family were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Fifer. Mr. and Mrs. Everett Higginson called in the afternoon.

Guy Bolin spent Thursday and Friday in Champaign.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Freese spent Monday with Ed Slover and family.

Thomas Pound and Loyde Davis attended the judging contest in Vandalia Tuesday.

### DALTON CITY

The students of the Dalton City High School enjoyed a party in the school Wednesday evening.

Albert Stolle of this city was called to the bedside of his mother at Ohlman.

Lorene Lester of Galesburg is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Lester.

Glen Williamson visited several days the first of the week in Beth-

from the several Townships of the County, be and they are hereby selected to serve as Grand Jurors at the March Term A. D. 1932 of the Circuit Court of Moultrie County, Illinois, as follows, to-wit:

### Sullivan

1. Alfred L. Lindsay, 2. Wm. H. Walker; 3. J. Edward Cazier; 4. Finis Graham; 5. Harley Wood.

### Lowe

1. Harry H. Hoover; 2. Ira Robinson.

### Jonathan Creek

1. John Higginson; 2. Clovis L. Milam.

### Marroybone

1. Herschel Reedy; 2. Marion H. Rhodes; 3. Lee Murphy.

### Whitley

1. Willard Winnings; 2. George Finley; 3. Ray Reed.

### Dora

1. Archie E. Stocks; 2. Jay F. Foley.

### Lovington

1. John Snyder; 2. Wm. Earl Dawson; 3. Floyd Wacaser; 4. Thomas Carr.

### East Nelson

1. Ray Misenheimer; 2. Clem Messmore.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Clerk of this Board be and he is hereby directed to certify the names of the persons so selected as aforesaid, to the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Moultrie County, Illinois within five days from this date as required by law.

On motion by Wiser, seconded by Fleming, said resolution was adopted as read and it was so ordered by the Board.

It was moved by Walter Wiser and seconded by G. D. Edmonds that the First National Bank of Sullivan be the depositor for County Collector's funds. Motion carried and so ordered by the Board.

On motion it was ordered by the Board that the members of the Board be allowed the sum set opposite their respective names for their per diem and mileage at this meeting and that the clerk be directed to issue warrants on the County Treasurer therefor as follows, to-wit:

Walter Wiser, 1 day and 11 miles ----- \$5.10  
B. N. McMullin 1 day and 10 miles ----- 5.00  
John G. Albright 1 day and 15 miles ----- 5.50  
A. L. Mayfield, 1 day and 10 miles ----- 5.00  
F. C. Newbould, 1 day and 1 mile ----- 4.10  
U. G. Dazey, 1 day and 4 miles ----- 4.40  
G. D. Edmonds, 1 day and 15 miles ----- 5.50  
F. F. Fleming, 1 day and 16 miles ----- 5.60  
C. A. Lane, 1 day and 7 miles ----- 4.70  
Paul L. Chipps, 1 day clerk of board ----- 6.00  
On motion Board adjourned.

Attest: PAUL L. CHIPPS, Clerk.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Armstrong of Decatur spent Thursday in Dalton City.

The Ladies of the United Brethren church held a bakery sale in Decatur Saturday.

W. W. Cowger was in Decatur Wednesday.

Mrs. Nihiser and son were in Decatur Tuesday.

Miss Nedra Merold who has been away to school is here to spend the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Merold.

Paul Welsh of this city and Elizabeth Ann Rosback of Decatur were married Saturday.

Mrs. Grant Cole has been visiting with her son Hubert Cole.

The Home Bureau met at the Kenneth Cole home Tuesday.

Jack Saylor has returned home for a week's visit with his parents.

The Dalton City C. E. will have a penny frolic at the U. B. church basement January 30.

W. W. Cowger has 15 baby chicks the first of the season in Dalton City.

### FARMERS MOVE

The G. W. Freese family who resided in Jonathan Creek township for many years, on Monday moved into the Dennis Landers place west of this city.

Clifford Baker who has been living on the Cook farm north of this city will move to the Orville Hogue farm southeast of here.

Jim Sporleder, who will hold a sale on February 2nd on the M. L. Lowe tenant farm, will then move to the George Field tenant farm northeast of this city.

## THE WEATHER

The automobiles go squashing by, splashing mud in all directions; the sky is overcast with grey, discouraged looking clouds. Once in a while it tries to rain. This weather just isn't any too pleasant. It is an awful mess for January. People are showing the effects of it as they go sneezing and hawking along with dripping noses and laggard steps.



All that you can say for this weather is that it is about the most disagreeable that is ever dished up to us Illinoisians.

If all the sneezing that the writer of this report has done today were concentrated in one big sneeze, the blast of it would have power enough to rock the Empire State building on its foundations—leastways that's our opinion and we'll stand by it—kerchoo!

A lot of good, staunch Democrats in this community were overjoyed this week when the report reached here that Charley Borchers of Decatur would try to get the Democratic congressional nomination. Two years ago Mr. Borchers was the only available candidate and the Democrats did not have much choice but to vote for him. This time he'll have competition and the Democrats will amply reward him for his boasted support of Herbert Hoover in 1928. We're not encouraging this matter we'd have you understand—but we're just sort o' passin' the word along.

At the High School gym the other night there was an unfortunate occurrence. A local fan, quite prominent, was cheering things as they were when some miscreant up in the gallery egged him on. We are emphatically in favor of having that fellow barred for life from the high school building—the very idea—wasting a good egg in hard times like these!

Old Charley Dawes who's been wearing knee breeches and doing the swell society stuff in London at the Court of St. James is back in Chicago, where he can cuss and get it printed on the front page. We see he's going to head the commission that will hand out the \$2,000,000,000 relief funds that the government recently voted. We hope he don't offer us any—we hate to be bothered.

And in California it snowed—



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leastways we've seen pictures in the papers that are purported to be evidence of such a freak of unnatural weather. Here in Illinois we're all set and ready to give a snowstorm a nice reception—but no snow, no snow! We just bet they have no snowplows nor nicely painted red snow drift fences nor anything like that in Los Angeles.

Chester Horn and Bill Robinson say that this has been an easy winter, so far as fuel demands from the city's poor are concerned. It hasn't been cold and anybody who is able bodied can find himself a tree to make fuel out of.

The surveyors are said to have about finished the job of locating route 132 between this city and Mattoon. We look now for a substantial increase in real estate values along the proposed route. Let's hope the folks will be reasonable. Moultrie county hasn't got any too much money, even in the gas tax funds.

Yes, we have water aplenty. Our shoe factory is working along in great shape. The payroll this week was over \$6500.

The new store fronts on the west side of the square look fine and dandy; a new church is being built; the Tire and Battery building is near completion.

Alfalfa Bill Murray surprised the Anti-Saloon league the other day. The folks expected Bill to make a rip-snorting speech in favor of Prohibition, but Bill said there might be better things. That just goes to show, you can't trust these politicians; even bone dry Borchers is willing to be for wine and beer if that'll get him any votes. There were days when people were elected to office on just one qualification—they had to be dry politically. Well, those days are past. Folks are getting pretty much fed up with the whole wet-dry proposition. Do the fellows who want beer to put 1,000,000 men back to work think that all the family brewing plants will go out of business? We don't. There is no need for breweries. The need is supplied. When better and more beer is wanted the family home brew plants will make it.

We wouldn't be surprised if we had a killing frost some time soon. We wish it would freeze hard enough to put these box elder bugs out of commission. We don't like to have them taking a stroll on the back of our neck.

Cheer up! Times couldn't be much worse and that means that they'll have to be getting better soon.

Prosperity is coming—put on a smile and look like a reception committee!

—Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Newbould who have been residing in Decatur for a number of years are moving back into their residence on West Harrison Street Friday.

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THURS. & FRI., JUNE 28-29 The "Divorcee" Together Again! Norma Shearer & Robert Montgomery in "PRIVATE LIVES" The picture treat of the year. Shows 7:15 & 9:00—10c & 35c.

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