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## Primary Saturday

Democrats of Three Townships Will Select Their Candidates for Highway Commissioner. Many are Seeking the Nominations.

Democrats of Sullivan, East Nelson and Jonathan Creek townships will select their candidates for commissioner of highways on Saturday.

In each of these townships the nominations will be made at primary elections. These primaries are being conducted by the candidates, in co-operation with the precinct committeemen.

While some other minor officials are also to be nominated, the big interest is in the commissioner office. All present incumbents are seeking renomination. The Republicans will make their nominations one week later. In the other townships of the county the Democrats also have decided to nominate on February 27th.

In Sullivan township Clarence Miller is seeking renomination on the Democratic ticket. He is making his campaign on his record in office. When he took office four years ago there was a debt of \$30,000.

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## SAW WOUNDS PROVE FATAL

George Bieber Succumbs to Injuries in Decatur Hospital. Leg Had Been Amputated. Funeral Services Held Wednesday.

George F. Bieber died Monday morning in St. Mary's hospital in Decatur. His death resulted from injuries sustained on Wednesday of last week when his right leg was caught in a buzz saw, operating at high speed.

The saw cut through the thick flesh below the knee. Several arteries were severed. Others with him at the time, tied a rope around the leg above the knee in an effort to stop the bleeding, but he had lost considerable blood before surgical aid could be secured.

The next day he was taken to the hospital. It was found that one bone had been severed. Gangrene and gas began to affect the wound and Sunday the leg was amputated above the knee in a last effort to save his life.

At 3:30 Monday morning he died. The remains were brought to this city and prepared for burial at the Robinson funeral home after which they were taken to the home of his brother-in-law J. E. Crowder where they remained until time of the funeral.

Funeral services were held on Wednesday at the local Methodist church and were in charge of Rev. E. J. Campbell, a former pastor, assisted by Rev. L. L. Lawrence. Interment was in Greenhill cemetery. The pall bearers were Roy Light, James R. Pifer, George Panches, A. R. Poland, Buck Fisher and Del Martin.

George Franklin Bieber was born March 16, 1879 and at the time of his death was 53 years, 11 months of age. He had lived in this community most of his life and at the time of his death was farming on the Jack Buxton place. He had made arrangements for a closing out sale to be held Tuesday of this week, and though death claimed him before that time, the sale proceeded as advertised.

In 1907 Mr. Bieber was united in marriage with Miss Uzella Williams of this community. She survives him. He also leaves the following brothers and sisters: Fred Bieber of this city; Henry Bieber of Farmer City; John Bieber of Grass Valley, California and Ernest Bieber of Marshall, Iowa; Mrs. Ed Myers of Moweaqua and Mrs. W. W. Wakefield of Cowden.

He leaves a large number of friends who mourn his early passing.

## ALBERT WALKER NEW HEAD CHRISTIAN CHURCH

At Monday night's meeting of the Christian church, Albert Walker was elected president of that body and C. R. Patterson was chosen vice president.

Carl R. Hill was re-elected treasurer and G. R. Fleming was re-elected secretary.

## YOUNG RESIDENCE SOLD

Mr. and Mrs. Farley Young have sold their beautiful residence place on East Jackson street to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shell. The deal was transacted through the D. G. Car-nine agency.

## MANAGER HAYS MAKES THEATRE IMPROVEMENTS

M. Chevalier, scenic artist, has been busy recently painting some new scenery for the stage at the Grand Theatre. A big new curtain has been painted with a balcony, seaside scene. New side pieces have also been painted.

The picture screen has been moved back several feet and all of this makes the stage better adapted for vaudeville. Several acts of vaudeville have been shown here recently and Manager Hays has several others booked.

## Sullivan Won Two; Lost One

Windsor Trimmed Dennis Reds, But Lovington and Arthur were Victims. Monticello Coming Here Friday Night for Season's Biggest Game.

Coach Dennis' Sullivan STHS Reds won two and lost one game during the past week.

Friday Arthur came here and in a snappy, well-played game kept the local boys worried until the final quarter. Sullivan's players were McDavid, Freeman, Shirey and Dwyer. In the first quarter Arthur made 4 points and blanked Sullivan; in the second quarter Sullivan started scoring and the half ended Arthur 9, Sullivan 8. Arthur maintained its lead 20 to 18 at the end of the third, but in the final rally Sullivan players held the opponents scoreless while they made seven points, ending the game 25 to 20 in favor of Sullivan.

Windsor Not so Bad At Windsor Monday night Coach Dunscomb's team won its 18th

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## EFFINGHAM MAN BUYS FAIR GROUNDS

Guy S. Little this week announced that W. B. Kneeder of Effingham has bought the old fair grounds tract at the northwest corner of this city from the Prudential Insurance Company. This tract was formerly owned by the late Lucas Seass. It is one of the famous old fair ground sites of the state, with plenty of shade and a real track. There are 37.5 acres in the tract.

The new owner expects to move here, after he has rebuilt the house and barns. He is now a resident of Effingham where he is conducting a big show house. He was twice mayor. He is much interested in horse racing and has 4 horses now with records under 2:10.

## S. S. CLASSES ENTERTAINED AT VALENTINE SOCIAL

Mrs. Barnett's and Mrs. Kellar's classes of the Christian church Sunday school entertained the boys of Rev. Barnett's class at a Valentine party, Saturday evening, Feb. 13 in the church basement.

Those present were: Rey. and Mrs. C. E. Barnett, Mrs. Agnes Kellar, Beatrice Hill, Adeline Elliott, Norma G. Clark, Mary Emalyn Clark, Marie Stallsworth, Paul and Olive Dazey, Genevieve Kiuwell, Alta Elder, Vonnie Leavitt, Evelyn Quinn, Vivian Reynolds, Grand and Levia Elder, Byron Brandenburger, Orville Seitz, William Seitz, Homer Johnson, Billie Fleming.

## SPECIAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

State of Illinois )  
Moultrie County ) ss.

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 25th day of February 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

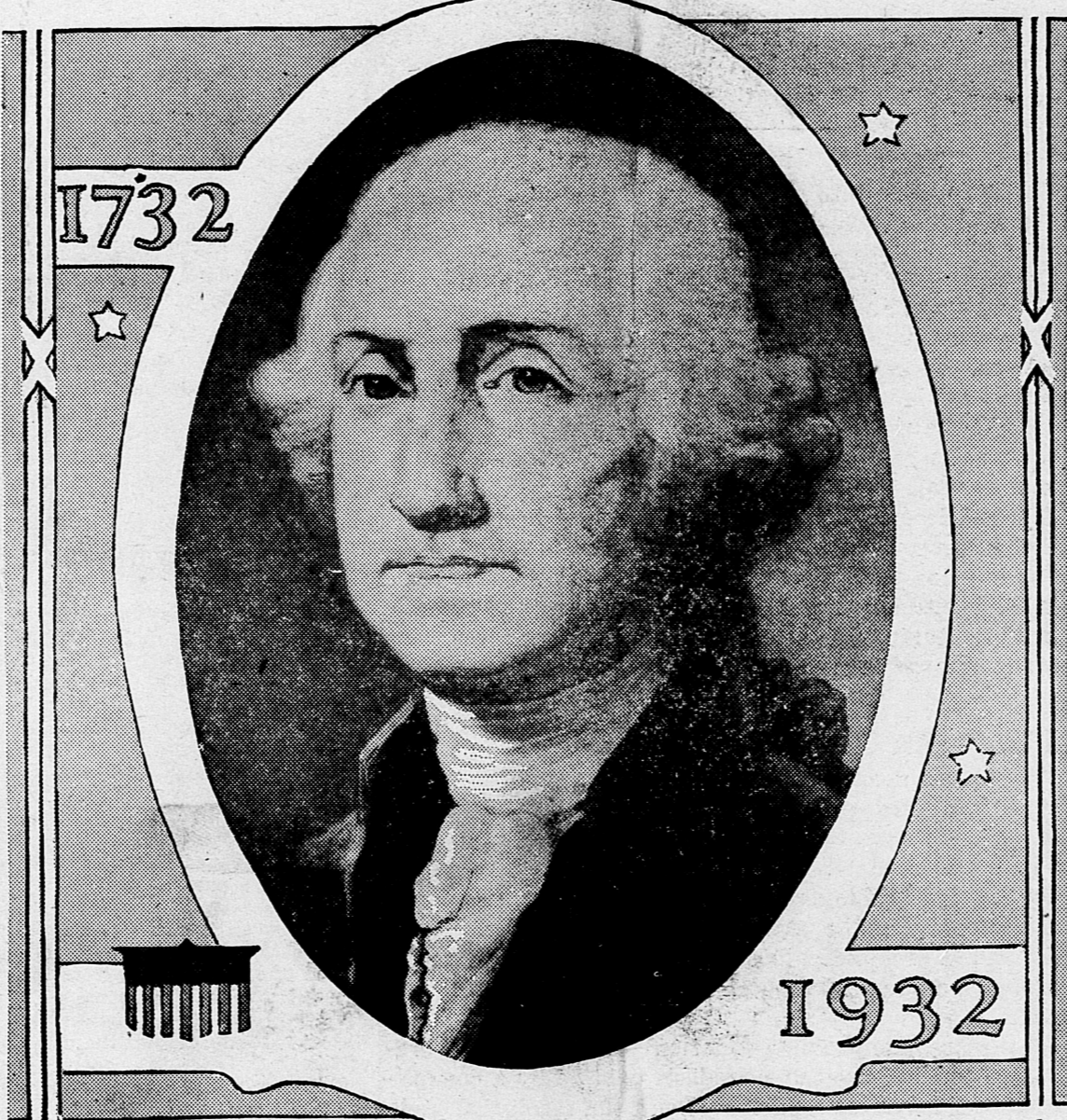
## REV. HOPPER PREACHER AT DALTON CITY WED.

Rev. W. B. Hopper went to Dalton City Wednesday night and preached for the Christian congregation. The church was well filled. The Dalton church has no regular pastor, but George Wagahoff is in charge and Sunday School and prayer meetings are well attended.

## DUNLAP MEMORIAL

In connection with the Household Science club meeting held on Tuesday afternoon a memorial service was held for Mrs. Henry M. Dunlap, who was the founder of the H. S. clubs of this state.

## The Nation's Greatest Son



This portrait of George Washington, highly prized possession of Marshall Solberg, Chicago, is claimed by him to have been painted by Gilbert Stuart. It bears the year 1794, and is signed by the master in an inconspicuous way. Some have thought that the earliest "Stuart Washington" was painted in 1795, but such is not the case, for John Jay gave Gilbert Stuart a letter to Washington which Stuart delivered while congress was in session in the year 1794 and Stuart refers to this in correspondence with relatives. It was then that one of the three sittings occurred. There were many portraits of George Washington painted by Gilbert Stuart, but there were only three sittings. So that many of the portraits were copied by Stuart from either completed pictures or sketches. It was, of course, not entirely unusual for great painters to make preliminary sketches of their subjects, although they did on many occasions entirely complete their paintings at sittings. This latter procedure was followed, it is thought, by Gilbert Stuart in this portrait. If this is so, it stands unique among the "Stuart Washingtons."

According to a volume in Mr. Solberg's library, Gilbert Stuart admired this picture so much that he retained it himself and would not part with it for many years thereafter. When it landed in the hands of Congressman Gilbert of western New York he loved it so much that he asked that it might be the last object for him to gaze upon in this life.

## ARREST OIL STATION ROBBER

Indiana Youth Held up Jim Dedman Wednesday Morning, While Customers Were Plentiful. Now Being Held in Monticello Jail.

Jim Dedman, manager of the Standard Oil Filling station across the street from The Progress office, was held up and robbed about 9 o'clock Wednesday morning.

Walter Williams, 23, who says his home is in Glenville, Indiana, was arrested about an hour later at Cerro Gordo and had admitted the robbery. Mr. Dedman went to Monticello, where the man is in jail and positively identified him.

Williams got about \$20 in the robbery.

He drove up to the station and asked Mr. Dedman to change his oil. While this was being done, he went into the station office. After making the change in oil Mr. Dedman came into the office and Williams told him to push the car up to the gas tank and fill it with ethyl. This done, Mr. Dedman again went into the office and told him the charge was \$3.60. While this was going on Cliff Miller, who (Continued on last page)

## DR. S. J. LEWIS HEADS COUNCIL 91

At a recent annual meeting and election for Sullivan Council No. 91, A. F. & A. M. the following officers were chosen for the ensuing year:

S. J. Lewis—T. I. M.  
Clarence Miller—I. D. M.  
C. F. McClure—P. C. W.  
Chester Horn—Treasurer.  
Carl A. Dick—Recorder.  
The Illustrious Master has made the following appointments:  
J. E. Pifer, Captain of the Guard  
D. K. Campbell, Cond. of Council.

Ray Bupp, sentinel.  
H. J. Sona, steward.  
W. B. Hopper, chaplain.

The Master also announces that there will be a special meeting on Monday, March 7th for the purposes of organization and selecting date for the annual banquet and get-together. The meeting will be in the asylum at 7:30 o'clock.

## MRS. E. O. DUNSCOMB RECEIVED BROKEN RIBS IN AUTO COLLISION

Wednesday evening about 5 o'clock, a Ford car driven by Earl Green crashed into a Ford sedan driven by E. O. Dunscomb at the intersection of Harrison and Hamilton streets, in front of the Grote garage.

In the car with Mr. Dunscomb were his wife and daughter Evelyn. They had been to Decatur and were on their way home. The collision upset the Dunscomb car and in the mixup Mrs. Dunscomb sustained a fracture of three ribs. Mr. Dunscomb and Evelyn escaped injury. The car was also considerably damaged.

Mr. Green claimed not to have seen the car, before it was too late to avoid the collision. He carried no insurance.

## HOBBIES

Have you a hobby? The Parent-Teachers Association is planning a Hobby Night the second Tuesday of March. We want you to join us. We want you to display your hobby. If it is cake baking, bring a cake; canned fruit, bring a can of fruit; quilts, let us have a quilt. Or maybe you make scrapbooks of poems, costumes, or interior decorating, or save old rare moneys, books, stamps, or make radios and hooked rugs or do wood carving, if so, let us display them. Mrs. F. W. McPheeters has charge of the display, so please report to her if we may use your hobby.

During the evening a Hobby program will be given, portraying hobbies in talks, music and acts.

If your son or daughter has a hobby or if they do not, perhaps this will give them an incentive to improve the one they are following or interest them in starting one. Following a hobby one learns to be careful, neat, accurate, and observant. A hobby helps a child to employ his leisure time in a wholesome way.

Have you a hobby?

## F. O. SHIREY NAMED EAST NELSON CLERK

Mrs. Frank Lee who was named town clerk of East Nelson township following the death of her husband, resigned that office recently. Last week the officials of East Nelson township met and appointed F. O. Shirey for the unexpired term.

## FEW CANDIDATES FOR CO. OFFICE

Cadell West and Ivan Wood for Circuit Clerk and R. W. Martin for States Attorney—all on the Democratic Ticket; Precinct Committee Candidates File.

Two more petitions for nomination for county office on the Democratic ticket were filed this week. They are R. W. Martin for states attorney and Ivan Wood for circuit clerk. Cadell West, present circuit clerk, has already filed for renomination.

No Republican candidates have filed for county office. There are a few days more in which this can be done. Petitions have been circulated to place Francis Purvis on the ballot for states attorney. There is a rumor that Homer Freeland of Bethany may be the Republican candidate for circuit clerk. No candidate for coroner has filed on either ticket, although it is generally understood that L. W. McMullin will file for the Democratic nomination.

The following have filed for precinct committeemen:

**Democratic**  
E. Nelson No. 1—W. A. Stokes  
Marrowbone No. 1—Geo. Reuss and A. W. Sharp.

Whitley No. 1—H. L. Harrison  
No. 2—H. C. Ledbetter.

Sullivan No. 2—Ed Brandenburger; No. 3—O. C. Worsham.  
No. 4—O. E. Lowe.

Low—No. 1—Hugh M. Rigney.  
Lovington No. 3—Virgil Brooks

**Republican**  
Sullivan No. 1—W. B. Hopper.  
No. 3—Roy Fitzgerald.

Dora No. 1—Geo. VanSickle and F. L. Noel. No. 2—T. M. Zook.  
Low No. 2—Fred Schuetz.

Whitley No. 1—Orval Roby.  
East Nelson No. 1—Chester Graham.

Marrowbone No. 1—W. E. Crowder.  
Lovington No. 1—Chas. Gregory. No. 2—Oscar Clotfelter and Don Ball. No. 3—Roy F. Dixon and Alex Simpson.

The final day for filing petitions for precinct committeemen is March 3rd. The names of all those filing will appear on the primary ballot April 12th.

## PLAY POSTPONED

The play that was to have been given by the Cushman P. T. A. on Friday night, Feb. 19th has been postponed to Friday night, Feb. 26th.

## BENEFIT SHOW FEB. 22 GRADE SCHOOL ATHLETICS

In order to raise money for the grade school Athletic fund the local management is giving a picture show "Alice in Wonderland" with a good comedy at the Grand theatre, Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

The price of admission will be ten cents to everybody. The school feels that although some persons will be unable to attend they can buy a ticket for some school child who will be unable to do so. An advance ticket sale is being staged by both schools this week.

## Burr E. Wood Found Dead

Prominent Young Farmer Passed Away in his Sleep Thursday Night. Found Saturday by neighbors. Funeral Held Monday.

Burr E. Wood, was found dead in bed Saturday morning by two neighbors, at his home south of Bethany. He was last seen alive Thursday afternoon by Amos Bankson, his neighbor. Mrs. Wood spent last week in Mattoon at the home of her brother Homer Frantz and family. When she left home to go on this visit, her husband was in apparently good health, although he had recently had some heart trouble.

Friday his father-in-law John Frantz, who lives northwest of this city, tried to get Mr. Wood on the phone to tell him to come to Mattoon Saturday night. Saturday morning the efforts to get into phone communication with him were again made and when there was no response, Mr. Frantz talked (Continued on last page)

## EXPLODING OIL STOVE CAUSED FIRE AND SMOKE

Tuesday evening about 6 o'clock while Harold Shanks was starting a fire in his oil stove, in a room in the basement of the I. O. O. F. building the oil tanks blew up and for a time there was grave danger of fire. The contents of the room occupied by Shanks were badly damaged by fire and water.

Smoke from the oil and from a burning rug, poured out of the doors and penetrated into the three upper stories of the building. The firemen had no trouble locating the trouble and in preventing a spread of the flames.

Shanks got burned on his arm. His room fixtures are a total loss, for he had no insurance. He is a shoe factory employe.

The Barnes barber shop that adjoins the Shanks room suffered some water damage.

## NELLE WHITMAN AND HUGH BROWN MARRIED

Miss Nelle Whitman and Hugh Brown, both well known in this city, were united in marriage February 5th in Lincoln, Illinois at the M. E. parsonage, with Rev. Bloomer officiating.

Miss Whitman is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Whitman of this city and is one of the teachers of the Kirksville school. Mr. Brown was formerly employed at the I. C. depot in this city as operator. From here he went to Beardsville north of Decatur and several months ago was given the I. C. job as agent and operator at Lincoln.

Mrs. Brown will continue to teach until the end of her term and will then go to Lincoln where they will go to housekeeping.

## MASONS PARTY WAS WELL ATTENDED

The Masonic hall was crowded to capacity Tuesday night for the big Bi-Centennial celebration. All Masons and wives and Stars and husbands had been invited. Many were present from out of town.

An excellent program had been prepared for the occasion. Many appeared in Colonial costume and prize for the best such costume was awarded Mrs. Genevieve Lowe.

## OPERETTA A SUCCESS

The High School operetta given Thursday night of last week under the direction of Mrs. Susan K. Roney made a big hit with its audience. Between the 1st and second acts the director was given a bouquet by the members of the cast.

## BROKE RIGHT ARM

Cliff Baker suffered a fracture of his right arm Friday when he was cranking his car at his home near Lovington. Mr. and Mrs. Baker reside on what is known as the Cook farm.

The Church of God will have a bakery sale at Shirey & Hankla grocery for benefit of Church Building fund Saturday at 9 a. m.

## Report On M&F Bank

Depositors of Closed M. & F. Bank Hear From Committee Which Was Appointed January 30th.

About 200 depositors of the closed Merchants & Farmers State bank met Saturday afternoon in the circuit court room to hear a report from a committee named two weeks ago to represent them in the work of liquidating the bank's assets.

The bank which closed December 24th has since January 16th been in the hands of Charles A. Gregory as receiver. Mr. Gregory was appointed by State Auditor Oscar Nelson. George A. Sentel has been named attorney for the receiver.

At the first meeting of depositors, held January 30th, a committee consisting of Raymond D. Meeker, Fred Harmon, George Elliott, J. B. Craig, Jr., and L. N. Craig was appointed. The meeting then adjourned to the call of this committee.

At this reconvened meeting on Saturday all members of the committee except L. N. Craig were present. R. D. Meeker was spokesman. The meeting was called to

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## SULLIVAN GRADES FINISHED SECOND

Coach Whitchurch's Boys Made a Good Showing in Arthur Sectional. Three Boys Place on All-Star Selection.

(By Coach Whitchurch)

All Star Players  
Forwards—Arterburn, Sullivan; Akins, Hammond, McHenry, Brocton; Kinney, Arthur.

Guards—Dixon, Sullivan; English, Sullivan; South, Hammond; Shaw, Arthur.

Centers—Taylor, Arthur; Bailey of Brocton.

## Championship Game

Winning from Brocton in the Semi-final round of play on Friday afternoon the Sullivan Heavyweights were entitled to play in the Championship contest against Arthur who had won from Hammond. This final game proved to be a close one for the score was tied 2 to 2 at the quarter; Sullivan 4, Arthur 8 at the half; Sullivan 6; Arthur 8 at the third quarter; final score Sullivan 8; Arthur 12.

Careful play was followed by each team during the half with all shots taken close in. Arthur missed a lot of baskets the first half while Sullivan did the same the second half. Sullivan shot long ones the last half, two of them counting, but the forwards failed to follow the shots.

**Sullivan's Lineup:**  
English, Barger, guards; Dixon center; Bathe and Arterburn, forwards.

## Sullivan-Brocton Game

Brocton won over the strong Atwood five 17 to 12 on Wednesday night. This brought Sullivan and Brocton together in the semi-finals. Brocton had a strong team as shown by the fact they had only been beaten once this year. Over confidence perhaps helped in their second defeat. McHenry their big star forward was ably handled by English, Sullivan guard. The Brocton lad had to be satisfied with one field goal against Sullivan, while in the Atwood game he made ten points. Bailey, Brocton center and stellar player was held scoreless by Dixon of Sullivan. Each team lost a man by the foul route in the last two minutes of play. The following is the box score by periods:

Sullivan	1	3	6	11
Brocton	0	1	6	10

For third place in the tournament Brocton defeated Hammond by a large score.

The Sullivan teams were the only ones in this section to win two trophies this year, the Lightweight team winning a second place honor at Lovington recently.

## DORA DEMOCRATS NAME T. F. SHEEHAN

At the primary elections held in Dora township Tuesday the Democrats chose former supervisor T. F. Sheehan as their candidate for highway commissioner. The Republicans nominated Oscar Wagahoff the present commissioner.

## FOUR SCORE AND EIGHT

Felix Fiest, an inmate of the county farm, is very seriously ill. He is obsessed with one ambition, however. He wants to live until Sunday, that being his 88th birthday anniversary.



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## SEE SULLIVAN SUCCEED

### The Editor's Chair

Ye shall do no unrighteousness in judgment; thou shalt not respect the person of the poor, nor honor the person of the mighty; but in righteousness shalt thou judge thy neighbor.  
Leviticus XIX—xv.

Be hopeful, friend, when clouds are dark  
And days are gloomy, dreary;  
Be hopeful even when the heart  
Is sick and sad and weary.  
Be hopeful when it seems your plans  
Are all opposed and thwarted;  
Go not upon life's battlefield  
Despondent and faint-hearted.  
And, friend, be hopeful of yourself.  
Do by-gone follies haunt you?  
Forget them and begin afresh,  
And let no interest daunt you.  
Though unimportant your career  
May seem as you begin it,  
Press on, for victory's ahead;  
Be hopeful, friend, and win it —Ex.

### Banks Act --- Government Dilly-dallies

Prosperity must begin at home. You can't expect the government to do for you those things which you can do for yourself.

Let us cite an example.

Some weeks ago you heard bank doors slamming shut, all over this part of the country. They slammed shut, the latch caught and the directors decided not to reopen them.

The government was awfully sorry. The state auditor's department helped out the unemployment situation by hiring more and ever more men to examine these closed banks. Then they placed other unemployed in charge as receivers and attorneys.

People were really alarmed. They asked each other: "What protection have we? Why does not the government do something to protect our bank deposits?"

The government in all its branches was helpless. Down in Lawrence county a banker had a bright idea. He suggested to his associates a plan for limiting withdrawals from banks of certain inactive accounts. "That" said he "will protect all accounts. It will prevent hasty and ill-advised withdrawals." The plan was put into effect. The people approved of it. It restored confidence in banks.

That same plan has been sweeping over the state. You seldom hear of a bank closing its doors now and directors wiring the auditor for boys to come and take charge. The new plan has changed all that.

So you can readily see, that the future of your business depends on you. The sooner the people get the idea out of their heads that government can legislate them into an era of prosperity, the better it will be for all concerned.

Downstate Democratic legislators at Springfield had an indignation meeting the other day. The cause of it was the Democratic State Central committee meeting in Chicago last week end. At that meeting a slate of candidates was indorsed. The slate is by no means perfect. It does reflect the wishes of Mayor Cermak of Chicago. His friend Judge Henry Horner is indorsed for the nomination for Governor. We do not believe that the Mayor really expects Judge Horner to be nominated. His main aim is to defeat Michael Igoe of Chicago who also seeks that nomination. All of which means that the probable candidate will be Bruce Campbell of Belleville. Michael Igoe is quite a power in the Legislature. He is a genial, likeable kind of man and it is no wonder that his friends rallied to his support to adopt resolutions of indignation. Judge Horner, Mr. Igoe and Mr. Campbell are, however, good Democrats only; if they abide wholeheartedly by the decision of the voters of their party at the April primary. Any one of the three would make a good governor. It is unfortunate that Mayor Cermak and Mr. Igoe cannot settle their Cook county differences without dragging the whole party into the fray.

### New Constitutional Amendment

Government to function properly must be made responsive to the wishes of the majority. After many battles, the Democratic House of Congress this week passed the so-called "Lame Duck" bill. The Senate had already passed it. After a few compromises between the two houses it will be submitted to the 48 states for ratification. To become law, three fourths of those states must ratify within the next seven years.

What is the "Lame Duck" bill? A "Lame Duck" is a congressman or senator who has been defeated for re-election. The bill, if enacted into a constitutional amendment, will retire all congressmen and senators on January 4th following their defeat in November. It also provides that the president and vice president shall be inaugurated January 24th instead of March 4th.

Under the existing law, a congressman or senator elected in November does not begin his duties until 13 months

after his election. The defeated men continue to function and legislate until March 4th following their November defeat. That is what is known as a "Lame Duck" session of Congress. Under the proposed amendment the newly elected men will get on the job January 4th. The will of the people as expressed in November will not be thwarted another 13 months by continuing the defeated in office. While the terms of the defeated end March 4th, there is now no regular session of Congress in which the new representatives can participate until the following December.

Just why the country has staggered along all these years under a handicap of this kind is inexplicable. One reason advanced is that, the late Speaker, Nicholas Longworth, aided and abetted by his Republican friends, was able to side-track this measure whenever it came up for consideration. While in its final passage it had the support of many Republicans, it is nevertheless one of the outstanding achievements of the Democratic majority in Congress.

The newspapers of the world can settle the Japanese-Chinese question. They have more power than all armies or navies or other methods of bloodshed and destruction.

If every newspaper would advise its readers to say when making a purchase: "If it comes from Japan, I do not want it" the cocky, warlike little yellow men would speedily come to their senses. Japan must sell its goods or it cannot exist as a nation.

A buyers' boycott against Japanese goods, backed by the whole-hearted support of the newspapers of all nations which do not want to become embroiled in another world war, can secure a speedy end to hostilities.

A world league of newspapers, dedicated to the principles of peace could achieve that result. But here the question arises—do the sensational-mongering metropolitan sheets really want peace? Next to the armament and munition manufacturers, the most persistent seekers after good and strife are, sad to say, the hearst type of newspapers.

### On Dangerous Ground

Republican desperation over the prospect of a democratic national ticket headed by Franklin D. Roosevelt is shown in the probe proposed by the republican-controlled New York state senate.

At best it is a dangerous political expedient, emphasizing the intensity of the "Anything to beat Roosevelt" campaigns, and so prejudicial to a spirit of fair play as to insure resentment on the part of both republican and democratic voters.

This star-chamber "investigation" of the state government over which Roosevelt presides would be by a committee composed solely of republicans and the resolution seeking to authorize it is so phrased as to eliminate its review by the governor.

What the findings of such a purely political probe would be are not difficult to imagine. The report would be prepared with the single purpose of use in the fight to prevent Roosevelt from getting the nomination, and in the national campaign should he head the democratic ticket.

It is not to be wondered at that this proposal to involve the good name of a sovereign state in political trickery caused State Senator McNaboe to warn the republicans that "on next election day you will find out how smart you are."

The willingness of republican leaders to go to such lengths is explained by the increasing momentum of the Roosevelt campaign. Thursday's news dispatches carried reports of the optimism of his friends following conferences in New Hampshire, Florida and western states.

Franklin Roosevelt's name now dominates political discussion, both republican and democratic, throughout the country. Similar pre-campaign prominence has seldom failed in the past to be a forerunner of success in achieving the nomination and the presidency.

It is this lesson of the past that has brought the republican leaders to desperation in their efforts to "stop Roosevelt."—Atlanta Constitution.

Occasionally some firm that deals with the printing business shows so little tact as to mail its letters to the printer in envelopes that Uncle Sam has printed. Uncle Sam's envelope printing department is the most unfair competition that the printing business has to contend with.

Believe it or Not—one major cause for the depression is the fact that chain stores and mail order houses have been sucking the money out of the rural sections of America and investing the profits elsewhere. It has decreased property values in every village, hamlet and town. It has taken money out of circulation in the rural communities. It has made enormous profits for corporations who never re-invested any such profits in communities like ours.

While we are laboring under an enormous debt incurred during the World War, we add to that debt in our government fight on depression. The coming generations will not praise their ancestors, but will curse them for their idiotic and cowardly habit of piling up debts for their children and grandchildren to pay. Sometime, somewhere, payment will have to be made.

### Ten Years Ago

John R. McClure veteran groceryman died Tuesday.  
—Miss Margaret Finley was hired to finish the three months of school at E. Stringtown. The former teacher, Miss Hostetler died.  
Dewey Clark had accepted a position with a Chicago bank.  
Center school P. T. Association had an interesting art exhibit on Feb. 10.  
Wm. Henneberry and Mary A. Bresnan of Dalton City were licensed to wed here.  
Leroy Martin was employed to finish the school term at Henton school.  
Mrs. Leta Wirth and Miss Grace Wallace entertained with a Val-

entine party Tuesday evening. The temperature on Monday was 10 above zero.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Miller returned the latter part of the week from Mayo Brothers in Rochester, Minn.

Word was received here of the birth of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Clark Spitzer in Colorado. Mr. Spitzer formerly lived in Sullivan.

### MY NEIGHBORS

My neighbor on the left, named Jinx (a pessimistic man), says from the first day of his life his trouble all began. The winter time he finds too cold, in summer it's too hot; in spring and fall he'll find some cause to grumble at his lot. He's always discontented, the look

### WAY OF LIFE

By Bruce Barton

#### THE FORGOTTEN ANANIAS

Some years ago a chicken thief committed a series of robberies on big estates outside New York. He got away with some very fancy stock.

Finally, one of the gentleman farmers, whom we shall call Van Norton, hired a private detective and caught the miscreant.

Sitting in a New York club a few nights later, Van Norton received the congratulations of his neighbors. "You did a fine thing," they said. "Now we hope you'll send the rascal over the road for a good long stretch."

"What do you mean, send him over the road?" Van Norton asked. "Why, prosecute him. Send him to jail."

"Prosecute him? I don't intend to prosecute him."

They were incredulous. "Surely you're going to see that he is punished for all the loss and worry he has caused us."

"Just a minute," Van Norton responded quietly. "Suppose I do prosecute him. Suppose I get a conviction and a jail sentence. What will happen? Ten years from now my name will be mentioned in a gathering such as this, and somebody will say vaguely, 'Van Norton? Van Norton? Let's see. Wasn't he mixed up in some chicken stealing business a little while ago?'"

It is a curious fact of human nature that we forget the best in our fellow men, while a single stain of scandal clings to our memories forever.

If I were to mention to any reader of this newspaper the name Judas, he would tell me immediately who Judas was. "He was the treacherous apostle, the betrayer of his Lord."

If I were to mention the name of Ananias, I should get a response almost as prompt. "Ananias? Why, Ananias was the man who claimed to have sold all his property and turned the proceeds over to the apostles. But he held some of it back, and for telling that lie he was struck dead. He was the prince of liars."

But how many readers remember this story?

When the apostle Paul saw the vision by which he was converted, he was divinely guided into Damascus to the house of a faithful disciple. What was the disciple's name? Judas.

Another disciple was sent to Paul to minister to his needs. What was his name? Ananias.

Everybody remembers Judas the betrayer and Ananias the liar. Nobody remembers the other Judas and the other Ananias—quiet, unselfish men who aided Paul in his hour of need and helped to start him on his great career.

A very wise and good friend of mine had a motto. Said he: "Every man has a right to be judged by his best."

Will some psychologist explain why it is so hard for us to remember the best?

And so easy to remember the worst?

### DEMOCRATIC COMMITTEE SELECTS CANDIDATE SLATE

Chicago, Feb. 13.—Tentative nominations for the state Democratic ticket were placed before the state central committee today by the nominating group.

Probate Judge Henry Horner was recommended for governor after the nominations committee failed to persuade Mayor Anton J. Cermak to become the candidate.

The slate as recommended to the Central Committee included: U. S. Senator—William H. Dietrich, Beardstown, present congressman-at-large.

Lieutenant-Governor—Thos. F. Donovan, Joliet, Central Committee chairman.

Secretary of State—Edward J. Hughes, Board of Review member.

Attorney General—Circuit Judge Otto Kerner.

State Treasurer—John C. Martin, Salem.

Congressman at Large—Walter Nesbit, Belleville.

State Auditor—Edward H. Barrett, present State Treasurer.

Clerk of Supreme Court—Adam Block.

More than 1,000 precinct committeemen gathered for a luncheon to ratify the list of candidates.

Coal has been mined in Illinois for more than 200 years.

upon his face is mostly glum and sad and blue, a smile is out of place. He hates himself and all the world, of that there is no doubt; and with his surly grumbling ways, he's always down and out.

My neighbor on the right, named Binx (an optimistic man), is always ready to help you out, and do the best he can. He's never gloomy, never sad—quite often he could be, for he, no doubt, has worries, too, the same as you and me. Whenever I am out of sorts, not feeling extra prim, I drive my troubles all away by acting just like him. His cares he hides behind a smile, his troubles he won't tell, so with his pleasant, cheerful ways, he gets along real well.

—W. E. Carpenter.

### Main Street Looks at Broadway

#### Never See America

New Yorkers are generally condemned for sticking to the seaboard and never going west. A young woman who has traveled all over Europe and crossed the ocean many times, recently remarked that she had never passed a night in a Pullman car.

Under questioning, she admitted she had never been more than a couple of hundred miles away from the city in this country; had never been to California or even to Chicago, and knew next to nothing about her own country.

There are millions of New Yorkers like her, even in these days of fast travel, although the condition is changing in recent years. The writer lived here for seventeen years before he ever got a hundred miles away from the Atlantic Ocean, although he had visited nearly all of the coast cities.

#### New York Opportunities

Gotham is beyond question the greatest city in the world for any man to make a fortune—or to lose it. Recently there died here a man named 80, Leopold Zimmerman. He went broke when 71 and made another fortune and paid off all his debts.

Zimmerman's speciality was buying exchanges on foreign money. There is always a shade of difference between the currencies of the great nations and he used to buy in London and sell in New York by cable, pocketing the difference. It sounds simple but it really takes the finest kind of brains, which explains why Zimmerman enjoyed what amounted to a monopoly in his field.

#### Victorian Art

A certain five story building on lower Lexington Avenue has the most curious decorations that exist on any building in the world. The structure is built of brownstone and, over each one of its sixteen windows, appears a head of one of the earlier presidents.

The heads stand out from their different niches and are remarkably lifelike. One curious thing is that the architect or sculptor, had his choice of about twenty-four presidents when the building was put up and he skipped around including Cleveland but leaving out a lot of others.

#### Canal Boatmen

Few visitors to New York ever find one of the strangest colonies here. The colony is one of the canal boats and their inhabitants. It is located almost at the foot of the island and whole families live on the boats, sending their children to school when they can, and hanging out the family washing on the lines, just like the ordinary dweller does in the backyard.

Recently tug boats have put up their charges so high that it costs more to be towed back to the Erie Canal than the money received for freight, so many canal boats have been tied up for two years at their piers here, waiting for lower rates. Meanwhile the families feel as though they have become regular residents.

#### One Big Slash

Everybody knows that prices of many things have come down but the biggest shock we have received for months came the other day when we noted a truck carrying a big sign through the Times Square district saying "Penny-a-Dance."

The movies have made us all acquainted with the Dime-a-Dance establishments, where one can grab a more or less charming partner and amble about the room for a few minutes but we are still curious as to how long a cent will entitle one to swing a girl around a dance floor.

It's worth more than that in shoe leather alone.

### HOW AUTO LICENSE FEES HAVE INCREASED

The following table shows how the automobile license-fees in this state have increased since 1911. A feature of the depression is shown in a decrease both in amount of license fees and number of cars in 1931 as compared to 1930.

Year	Fees	Number of Motor Vehicle Licenses
1911	\$ 105,344.28	42,615
1912	375,716.22	78,124
1913	507,134.77	107,870
1914	703,403.70	147,190
1915	924,905.74	198,000
1916	1,242,509.85	266,221
1917	1,587,772.69	357,777
1918	2,762,567.53	404,083
1919	3,262,176.57	494,318
1920	5,893,586.02	585,948
1921	6,776,781.17	679,448
1922	7,861,211.21	794,211
1923	9,630,367.77	981,415
1924	11,513,957.05	1,136,970
1925	12,936,882.63	1,278,114
1926	14,047,207.86	1,384,697
1927	14,839,593.29	1,453,203
1928	15,521,529.88	1,518,475
1929	17,087,209.14	1,630,816
1930	18,447,246.79	1,656,214
1931	18,426,496.74	1,631,747

Students from every state and from 28 foreign countries are enrolled at the University of Illinois.

### Brandy Sauce

#### BOOSTING BUSINESS

(By Daniel S. Wentworth)  
Let's sit down and wine  
Until business is good.  
Let's grumble and pine  
Until business is good.  
Let's kick and complain  
And display our disdain,  
From all boosting refrain,  
Until business is good.  
Let's quit eating meat  
Until business is good.  
Let's turn off the heat  
Until business is good.  
Let's buy no more clothes,  
Or attend no more shows,  
And shut off the hose  
Until business is good.  
Let's pay no more taxes  
Until business is good.  
Let's lay down our axes  
Let's build no more schools,  
Nor obey traffic rules,  
And pawn all our jewels  
Until business is good.  
Let's not shine our shoes  
Until business is good.  
Let's holler for booze  
Until business is good.

Let's blame all our cares  
On the bulls and the bears  
And rest in our chairs  
Until business is good.  
Let's hide all our cash  
Until business is good.  
Let's live upon hash  
Until business is good.  
Let's stop paying bills  
And quit taking pills  
And shiver with chills  
Until business is good.  
Let's quit paying rent  
Until business is good.  
Let's live in a tent  
Until business is good.  
Let's go without socks  
And quit winding clocks  
And invest in no stocks  
Until business is good.  
Let's stop driving cars  
And quit smoking cigars  
Until business is good.  
Let's stop eating pie  
And lay down and die  
So the undertaker will cry:  
"My! business is good!"

A store in a neighboring city got in some new stock. The advertising man called the newspaper and said "Put in an ad that we have a new line of Sox and ties to please the most fastidious."

The adv. when it appeared read: "An elegant line of new Sox and ties to please the most fast idiots."

"Well Harry," remarked the farmer "what are you doing in this part of the country?"

Harry Bath: "Oh, just getting the lay of the land."

Farmer: "You're one of these business scouts, are you?"

Harry: "No, I'm just an egg collector."

Student: "Mr. Dennis, you're quite a hunter. Did you ever hear a rabbit bark?"

Prof. Dennis: "Nonsense, rabbits do not bark."

Student: "Oh yes, they do. It says here in my biological book that rabbits eat cabbage and bark."

A friend of ours—that's close enough, isn't it, for a true story?—was riding a few days ago in an auto on the National Road. Ahead was a fellow standing beside the road who had a big sign on his back: "If you don't pick me up I'll vote for Mr. Hoover." They picked the fellow up and he said he has ridden all the way.—Toledo Democrat.

A man in Bethany bought a second hand car and drove it two years and then proudly said to his wife: "I've had this car two years and never had a wreck."

To which she replied: "You mean you've had this wreck two years and never had a car."

The city man was looking around the farm. "And tell me," said he, "Isn't it unhealthy to have the poultry yard and the pigsty so close to your house?"

"Oh no, not at all!" said the farmer's wife "Why our chickens and pigs are always in best of health."—Lustige Blaetter.

They were having a "white elephant sale" at the church. The preacher in announcing it explained: "A 'white elephant' is something you women have around the house, that has some value but that you really don't want any more. Everybody is invited to come and bring something. The ladies are especially invited to come and bring their husbands."

According to the 1930 Census, residents of Illinois on an average spend \$23.90 per capita in the 8,851 restaurants and other eating places of the state.

There is an average of 136 people per square mile in Illinois. The national average is 41.3.

Approximately one-third of the 97,074 retail stores in Illinois are classified as food stores.



# The Mother of George Washington

LIKE other mothers of great men, Mary Ball Washington sought divine guidance through prayer and through her Bible and other deeply religious writings. Her associations from early childhood were of a deeply religious nature, for the early settlers stanchly adhered to church doctrine and to the established custom of family prayers.

Mary Ball was imbued with reverence and religious fervor. This, supplemented by adequate training in domestic routine and her sense of responsibility for the duties of home life, admirably fitted her for the role of motherhood.

It was in 1730 that she came as a bride to the Washington home at Bridges Creek, later known as Wakefield, which had been without a mistress since the death of Jane Butler, Captain Washington's first wife and mother of his three children.

The greatest joy and pride of Mary Washington's life came on February 22, 1732, when her first born was placed in her arms. She chose for her child the name of George in loving regard for her guardian, George Eskridge, an eminent lawyer of Virginia. George was only eleven when his father died, but upon him she placed the old patriarchal duty of saying grace at table and prayers at night and morning. From this early age his mother expected him to assume and carry such responsibility as the circumstances of life brought to him. Under her pious guidance he could not have evaded any service that she deemed his duty.

She was a wise and loving mother who set her face against every diversion in life to devote herself entirely to her children. Her entire interest was centered in and revolved around the care and development of the best that was in them.

The steady rise of her first born from one position of responsibility to another of leadership was accepted by the "Spartan" mother as a matter of course, as a part of his duty. She is never recorded as praising him. She took his superb valor under fire, his unflinching patriotism, all in his day's work. Her fear for his safety was put aside in the challenge she gave him herself—"The mothers of brave men must themselves be brave."

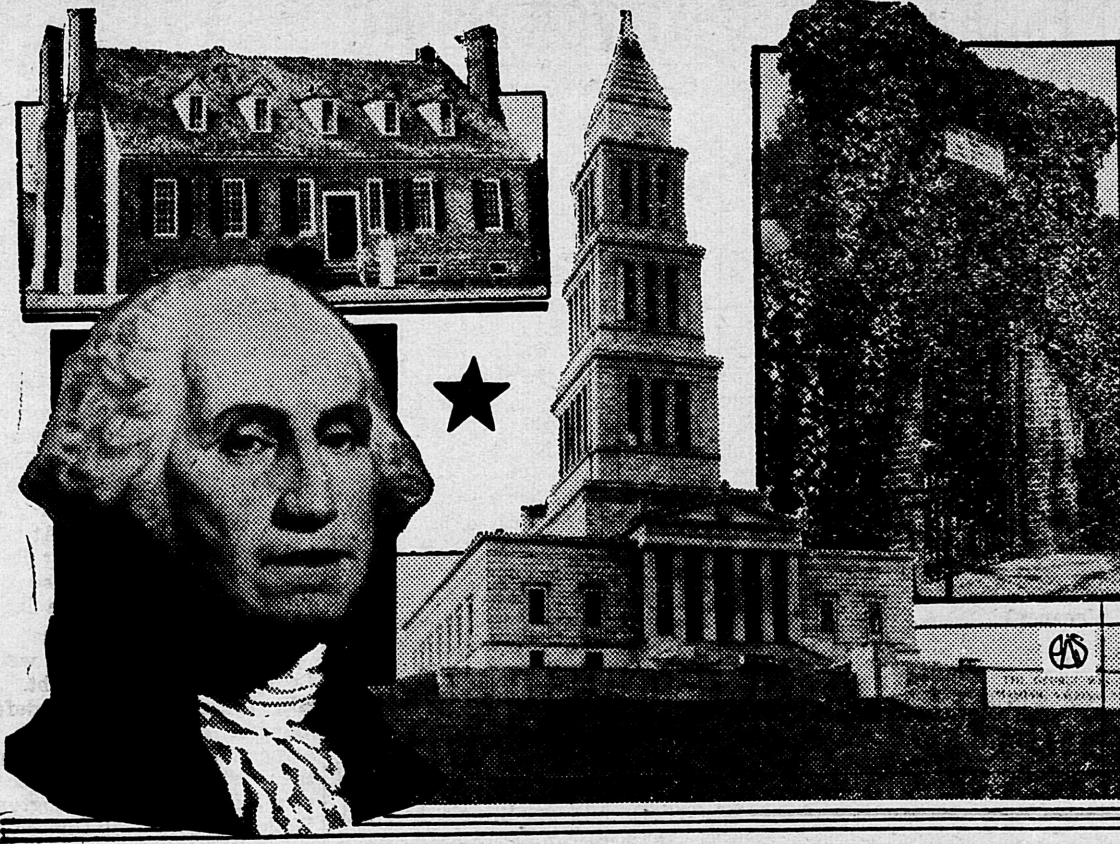
General Washington's election to the Presidency, the first Executive of the young Republic, brought no added elation to his mother. It was his duty. She saw nothing else for him to do. When he came to tell her of it, all his future honors were shadowed by her realization that this was her last meeting with the child of her heart. Her mother love sought to enfold him in all the love, protection and security that her prayers and blessings could invoke.

Mary Ball Washington typifies the highest example of American motherhood and is a most illustrious prototype of Colonial home maker. Like Martha of old, she attended well to the ways of her household.

—Mrs. Irma Carter of Houston, Texas arrived Saturday to be at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. J. B. Tabor, who is seriously ill at Jacksonville.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jordan and daughter Etha visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Ward in Decatur Sunday.

## Washington Still Lives in the Hearts of His Countrymen



All America is celebrating the two hundredth anniversary of George Washington's birth this month. Above is shown the new national Masonic memorial named in his honor; his birthplace, which was recently restored; his tomb, built according to plans laid down in his will, and Gilbert Stuart's famous portrait of the First President.

### Morgan Community Club Calendar . . . . For Year 1932

- January 14**  
Hostess—Mrs. Rose Emel  
Annual reports  
Election of officers.
- January 28**  
Hostess—Mrs. Marie Wood  
Leader—Mrs. Hattie Weger  
Poultry program  
Roll call: "My Favorite breed of chickens."
- February 11**  
Hostess—Mrs. Stella Dazey.  
Leader—Mrs. Etha Davis.  
February Specials.  
Roll Call—A kind deed performed by a man whose birthday is in February.
- February 25**  
Hostess—Mrs. Susie Bayne  
Leader—Mrs. Rose Wood  
Washington Bi-Centennial.  
Roll Call—Historical Event.
- March 10**  
Hostess—Mrs. Lucy Thomason.  
Leader—Mrs. Nettie Cazier.  
Gardening.  
Roll call—Irish wit.
- March 24**  
Hostess—Mrs. Lottie Elzy.  
Roll call—Signs of Spring.  
Easter program by committee—  
Mesdames Kellar, Williamson,  
Jenkins, Ashbrook, Hoffman.
- April 7**  
Hostess—Mrs. Marie Pifer.  
Leader—Mrs. Pauline Peadro.  
All about Women.  
Roll call—A noted woman.
- April 21**  
Hostess—Mrs. Lillian Gustin.  
Leader—Mrs. Foy Williamson.  
Nature study.  
Roll call—A native tree.
- May 5**  
Hostess—Mrs. Foy Williamson  
Leader—Mrs. Clara Ashbrook.  
Health.  
Roll Call—A helpful home remedy.
- May 19**  
Hostess—Mrs. Clara Ashbrook  
Leader—Mrs. Marie Wood.  
Thrift.  
Roll call—Something I have learned to do without.
- June 2**  
Hostess—Mrs. Agnes Kellar.  
Leader—Mrs. Hilda Hoffman.  
Showers and Anniversaries.  
Roll Call: "My happiest birthday."
- June 16**  
Hostess—Mrs. Nettie Cazier.  
Roll Call—My Favorite Band selection.  
Patriotic program by committee: Mesdames Marie Wood, Cazier, Weger, Emel, Davis.
- June 30**  
Hostess—Mrs. Hattie Weger.  
Leader—Mrs. Rose Emel.  
Recreation.  
Roll call:—A place I long to visit.

- July 14**  
Hostess—Mrs. Hilda Hoffman.  
Leader—Miss Charity Chaney  
The American Dollar.  
Roll call:—My best buy.
- July 28**  
Hostess—Mrs. Cora Horn.  
Leader—Mrs. Nellie Murray.  
Music.  
Roll call:—My Favorite song.
- August 11**  
Hostess—Mrs. Etha Davis  
Leader—Mrs. Stella Dazey  
Fruits and vegetables.  
Roll call:—How to use Fruit juices.
- August 25**  
Hostess—Mrs. Nellie Murray.  
Leader—Miss Anna Chaney  
School Days.  
Roll Call—Memories of my favorite teacher.
- September 8**  
Hostess—Mrs. Pauline Peadro  
Leader—Mrs. Cora Horn  
Poets and Authors.  
Roll call:—Original Poem.
- September 22**  
Hostess—Chaney Sisters.  
Leader—Mrs. Lucy Thomason.  
Around the clock.  
Roll Call—Exchange of quilt patterns.
- October 6**  
Hostess—Mrs. Marie Wood.  
Leader—Mrs. Lottie Elzy.  
The Home Beautiful.  
Roll Call—My dream home.
- October 20**  
Hostess—Mrs. Elma Jenkins  
Leader—Mrs. Marie Pifer.  
Our Government.  
Roll call—A President I Admire
- November 3**  
Hostess—Mrs. Rose Wood.  
Leader—Mrs. Lillian Gustin.  
Textiles and Sewing.  
Roll Call:—A Sewing Problem.
- November 17**  
Hostess—Mrs. Stella Dazey  
Leader—Mrs. Susie Bayne.  
Thanksgiving program.  
Roll Call:—A Thanksgiving dish
- December 1**  
Hostess—Mrs. Lucy Thomason.  
Leader—Mrs. Elma Jenkins  
Illinois Day.  
Roll Call—An Illinois Governor.
- December 15**  
Hostess—Mrs. Lottie Elzy.  
Roll Call:—Christmas Candies.  
Christmas Program by Committee—  
Mesdames Rose Wood, Thomason, Elzy, Murray, Dazey, Miss C. Chaney.
- December 22**  
Hostess—Mrs. Rose Emel.  
Stunt program by committee—  
Mesdames Pifer, Peadro, Bayne, Horn, Gustin, Miss Anna Chaney.
- Officers for 1932**  
President—Mrs. Agnes Kellar.  
V. Pres.—Mrs. Clara Ashbrook  
Sec'y.—Miss Charity Chaney.  
Treas.—Mrs. Lucy Thomason.

### The Very Latest By Mary Marshall

Bunnies, chickens, kittens or ducks—you'll find them all well represented in the shops and departments where you go to buy clothes for babies and very little folks. This season they are especially well represented and if you want your baby's wardrobe to



be really up to date be sure that these small creatures are part of the decorative scheme.

On blankets, crib covers, carriage robes and bonnets you may use applique animals cut from white eiderdown. Turn in the edges and sew into place around the edges, taking care that your stitches are small enough to hide unseen in the soft material.

On knitted sweaters or caps the decoration can be made with cross stitches done in heavy silk or fine wool yarn in contrasting color. On a white sweater you may work with yellow, red, pink or blue, while a tan or beige sweater may be trimmed with brown.

Simply thread the yarn or silk into a coarse needle and work the cross stitches as you would on linen, taking one cross stitch in each stitch of the knitting. The diagram shows how to take the cross stitches for a duck two inches in width. If you are uninterested in ducks and prefer some other device, you can work out the arrangement of cross stitches without too great difficulty. Simply draw intersecting lines on a piece of paper and then experiment with the crosses until you have a design that pleases you.

sugar, 2 pounds raisins, 1 pound currants, 1 pound citron shredded, 3 oranges and 3 lemons, juice and grated rind, 4 teaspoons cinnamon, 2 teaspoons mace, 1 teaspoon clove and 1 quart boiled cider, 5 quarts chopped apple. Cook together 30 minutes, seal in fruit jars and keep in a cool place. This rule makes 8 quarts of mince.

—Little Miss Ann Temple of St. Louis is spending several weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Carnine. Ann's mother, Mrs. Paul Temple was called to this city on account of the illness of her mother, Mrs. J. B. Tabor.

—Frank Shell was confined to his home the first of the week on account of illness.



Manager Hays says that nervous people, and folks who are easily upset by thrills are advised not to see "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde" the super-thriller that is the feature picture at the Grand Thursday and Friday nights of this week. He says that compared to ordinary thrillers this picture is like a world war battle compared to a society tea. If you like that sort of picture, don't fail to see it—none better was ever filmed.

**Zane Grey's Rainbow Trail**  
Zane Grey stories and pictures are always good. They take your mind away from troubles nearer home and with the heroes and heroines you go riding madly over the western trails. You get a smell of sage brush and you can see the blue misty tops of mountain peaks. You can sympathize with the hero and you can hate the villain. And then when the grand climax is followed by the words "The End", after the hero and his bride fade-out into a life of happiness, you come back to earth, feeling better for your soaring into the realm of the great, wide open spaces.

The Rainbow Trail Saturday matinee and night, will answer all your specifications for a thrilling equine opera. George O'Brien is the hero and he's hitched up with a lot of good actors, one of whom is Roscoe Ates, the stuttering comedian. Whoops, my dear—don't miss this Saturday show.

The Vanishing Legion is a horse opera in installments. Hear the mysterious voice "The Voice has spoken." It's hot stuff, plenty of fighting, a girl who loves the hero but he suspects her of being untrue; besides these features already described there will be a "Flip the Frog" cartoon and Novelty spoofs.

**Janet and Charles**  
One of the best pictures of recent years was "Sunny Side up." It registered a heart-throb with all who saw it. Likewise it was the making of Janet Gaynor and Charles Farrell. All their other pictures are usually compared to this big hit.

Sunday and Monday Miss Gaynor and Mr. Farrell will appear at the Grand in their new Fox picture "Delicious." It's got a number of real good song hits. In the cast is El Brendel, another "Sunny-side" star, also Raul Roulien. Janet as a little Scotch waif—Charlie a millionaire playboy—in a peach of a romantic story—with lots of laughs by El Brendel. The whole family will wanna see this. And you can't blame them!

There are a lot of other good things on this Sunday-Monday program. Your friends Krazy Kat and Roscoe Ates will perform and there is a Liberty Short Story thriller of the 3-star type.

**How does a Gold Digger Dig—and Why?**

You can get some first-hand dope on this momentous question if you come to The Grand Tuesday or Wednesday nights and see "Good Sport." The heroine is Linda Watkins, who landed right among the topmost stars of Hollywood way in her portrayal of the reporter in "Sob Sister." Then there is John Boles who can sing—and how! Also Greta Nissen, Minna Gombell and Hedda Hopper. The theme of the play is that the heroine "knew that if kisses wouldn't hold a husband, tears wouldn't bring him back—being a good sport might be just the thing." You girls who are afraid of hubby's love cooling off, gather around and learn something useful. Let Linda show you how she handled the situation. Do not take life too seriously but say a "Good Sport."

Manager Hays says he is showing Tom Patricola, some relative

of the Coca Cola family in a comedy "The Tamale vender" and a screen novelty.

**"My Sin"**  
If everybody had his or her pet sin screened, it would make good looking, although it might prove shocking and just a bit silly. The dope sheet says "My Sin" is really a good picture. Two high class performers have the title role—Tallulah Bankhead, the "Electrifying star America has taken to its heart" and "America's most brilliant young actor" Frederic March. The stuff we run in quotation marks is not our opinion but that of the press agent. "My Sin" is a gripping drama, filled with thrilling incidents, varied scenes and strong dramatic action. Let's give you a hit of the story: Where the scum of the earth congregates on Panama's waterfront, Frederic March, once a respected member of the legal profession, now a bum meets the singing hostess of a low-class cabaret, a woman fleeing from her past and her husband. From this lurid beginning there unfolds a tale that will hold your interest until the final kiss. See it.

If you attend either of these nights you'll also see some good comedy. And by the way—when Mr. Hays picks his comedies, they are usually good ones. You'll have to admit that he knows his stuff, or as the high brow professors would say—"Mr. Hays heads the class in knowing his onions."

—Miss Kledus Harris of St. Louis is spending a few weeks with relatives here. Her sister, Mrs. Charlotte Murphy entered a St. Louis hospital Monday and underwent a tonsil operation.

**WHAT A BLADDER PHYSIC**  
Should do. Work on the bladder as castor oil on the bowels. Drive out impurities and excess acids that cause irritation which results in getting up nights, frequent desire, burning, leg pains or back-ache. BU-KETS (5 gr. tablets) is a pleasant bladder physic. Get a 25c test box from your druggist, after four days if not relieved go back and get your money. You will feel good after this cleansing and you get your regular sleep. Adv.

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State of Illinois  
Office of Auditor of Public Accounts

The undersigned Auditor of Public Accounts hereby gives notice that he has appointed CHAS. A. GREGORY Receiver of MERCHANTS AND FARMERS STATE BANK, Sullivan, Moultrie County, Illinois, and that the said CHAS. A. GREGORY has given bond and is the qualified and acting Receiver of said bank.

All persons having claims against said bank are hereby notified and requested to present the same to said Receiver forthwith and to make legal proof thereof.

All persons indebted to said bank are requested to make immediate payment to the Receiver.

Dated this sixteenth day of January, A. D. 1932

OSCAR NELSON  
Auditor of Public Accounts of the State of Illinois.

### Hints for the Home by Nancy Hart

- Pineapple Pudding**  
1/2 cup corn starch  
1/2 cup sugar  
1 tsp. salt  
1/2 cup cold water  
2 1/2 cups pineapple juice and water  
1 tbsp. lemon juice  
1 cup crushed pineapple  
3 egg whites beaten  
Mix cornstarch, sugar and salt and dilute with the 1/2 cup cold water. Add pineapple juice and enough boiling water to make the 2 1/2 cups, and cook in double boiler, stirring constantly until mixture thickens. Cool slightly, add lemon juice, pineapple and beaten egg whites and pour into mold to chill and set. Serve with custard or whipped cream.
- **With Sausage**  
An appetizing sausage dish is the following—sometimes called

birds' nests. For this we shall require half a pound of sausage meat and five eggs. Boil four of the eggs for fifteen minutes, then put into cold water, and when cool enough remove the shells.

Now put on a frying pan with plenty of fat. While it is heating, divide the sausage meat into four portions, and cover each of the eggs with a portion. Mould them into oblongs with flat ends. Beat up the remaining egg on a large plate, and on another plate put some browned bread-crumbs. Cover the rolls with first the egg, and after with the crumbs, and then fry in deep fat to a golden brown.

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**With Fresh Fruit**  
Four pounds lean beef from neck, cook in a little water for 3 1/2 hours. Remove gristle and bone and when cold chop fine. Reduce liquor to 1 pint and add to chopped meat. Combine with it the following: 1 1/2 pounds suet chopped fine, 4 teaspoons salt, 2 pounds



JONATHAN CREEK

Bert Lane and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Pierce were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Bolin. Mrs. Homer Johnson of Sullivan spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. John Higginson. Ray Purvis of Mattoon and Mr. and Mrs. Will Powell visited Sunday with Nathan Powels and family. Mr. and Mrs. George Ault of Lake City spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Crowdon. Rev. and Mrs. Hopper were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Piper. Charles Lane and Hugh Righter spent Sunday with Leland and Loyle Davis. Mrs. Dunkin McColl is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Elder while Rev. McColl is in Rodney, Ontario called there by the death of his grandfather Dougald Kennedy. Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Davis called on Mr. and Mrs. Will Crozier Sunday evening. The Jonathan Creek church board held a business meeting at the church Tuesday night. Reta and Hubert Powell spent Monday in Decatur. Mr. and Mrs. Everett Higginson spent Sunday with John Higginson and family. Mr. and Mrs. Oral Dolan, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Crane and Mr. and Mrs. Orville Powell and their families spent Sunday together, it being near the wedding anniversaries of each couple. Mrs. Clarence Crowdon and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Crowdon. Will Collard moved last week from the tenant farm of Willie Elder to the tenant farm of Charley Dailey. Mr. and Mrs. Loren Monroe and son of Sullivan visited with Ernest Ozier and family. Omar Davis and Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Martin visited Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Davis. Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Elder and Mrs. Duncan McColl visited Sunday evening with Walter Crane and family. The Jonathan Creek Unit of the Farm Bureau held their monthly meeting Thursday, at the town hall. The program consisted of short talks and music. Committees appointed were. Program—W. K. Bolin, Mrs. J. E. Righter and Mattie Landers. Refreshments—Mrs. J. H. Hughes and Mrs. Bertie Elder.

YOUNGS BRIDGE

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Ledbetter and Letha Ledbetter were Sunday evening callers on J. W. Rauch and family. Jake Marble and family and Besie McCracken spent Sunday with Charley McCracken and wife in Decatur. Herman Spencer and family were Saturday night and Sunday visitors with his parents, William Spencer and wife. Frank Rauch and family were Sunday guests of Bud Jeffers and family. Tilman Johnson and family spent Saturday with Dr. and Mrs. S. W. Johnson in Sullivan. Mrs. Blanche Rauch and granddaughter Betty Joan, Mrs. Dora Marble and daughter Maurine visited Baker school Friday afternoon. Frank Jones and Beulah Hinder were Saturday dinner guests of his sister Mrs. Viola Bundy and family. Earl Rauch and wife, Frank Rauch and Hollis Gebhart were Tuesday evening callers on Walter Purvis and family and to see Orville Purvis who has been real sick with pneumonia. Mrs. Viola Bundy and daughter Beverly spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Shieks while Mr. Bundy attended a meeting there. Mrs. Mary Duncan spent Sunday with Lowell Rees and family. Arthur Cain and family moved Friday to the farm made vacant by Glen Nichols and family who have moved to Decatur. Sunday is the regular appointment of Elder J. V. Brady at New Liberty Church of Christ. Charley Erwin and wife, and son visited Baker school Tuesday. Oral Bundy and family spent Tuesday with Albert Bundy and wife near Mattoon. Mrs. Lowell Rees and children spent Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Herman Spencer and daughter. Dean Sampson spent Saturday with Bart Tull and family. Bart Tull and wife spent Friday with Paul Edwards and family.

GREGORY FAMILY IN W.D.Z. LEGION BROADCAST

The third of a series of programs sponsored by American Legion posts will be broadcast over Station W.D.Z. Tuscola Sunday, Feb. 21st from 1:30 to 2 p. m. This program is sponsored by Community Post No. 429 of Lovington and will feature the Gregory family in musical selections, consisting of violin, voice, piano and ensemble numbers. The Gregory Family Ensemble consists of Mrs. Charles A. Gregory and three children Ruth, Emery and Ema-dee. The Sunshine Club will meet today (Friday) with Mrs. Elizabeth Shirey.

PRIMARY SATURDAY

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000 in the road and bridge and oil funds of the township. In his first three years in office, he retired all this indebtedness and in 1931 the town board was able to cut the tax levy for road and bridge purposes from 33c to 25c.

Mr. Miller's opponent is also well known to Sullivan township residents. He is W. J. Elzy who some years ago served in the office of commissioner. Two Republicans who have so far announced for this office are L. A. Crockett, also a former commissioner and William Holston.

The Sullivan primary polls will be in the Armory in Sullivan and in the Evans store in Kirksville. The polls will open at 12 o'clock noon and close at 4 o'clock. Those in charge of the Sullivan poll are H. J. Sona, Ivan Wood, Bun Murphy and Mrs. Mattie Gardner. At Kirksville O. E. Lowe and W. L. Matheson will have charge.

East Nelson

In East Nelson township there are four candidates. Carl (Shim) McDaniel is seeking renomination and asserts that all the township's road and bridge and oil fund debts have been paid and there is a working balance remaining from last year taxes. He has handled the finances so that the town board was able to reduce the levy to 25c for 1931.

Other candidates are M. E. Shaw a former deputy sheriff; Dave Spaugh who has heretofore been a candidate for the nomination, and J. L. Pierce. All of these men are well qualified for the office and they and their friends are confidently predicting nomination.

The polls will be in both town halls and will open at 12 o'clock and remain open until 5.

Other nominations to be made are for school trustee for full term and for school trustee to fill vacancy, as T. J. McIntire is moving out of the township. Candidate for full term is J. E. Howard and for vacancy W. I. Maartin. Sherman Burcham is candidate for cemetery trustee.

Jonathan Creek

Five men are seeking the commissioner nomination on the Democratic ticket in that township. Russell Fresh who is now commissioner is pointing to an efficient and economical record for his term. He has gotten his department of township affairs out of debt and made possible a reduction in tax levy.

The other four candidates are Glen Fabert and John Bolton of Cadwell and Ernest Davis and Cleo Spaugh of the south part of the township. All have made a very thorough canvass of the voters and a record Democratic turnout is anticipated. The poll will be in the town hall and will be open from 12 o'clock noon to 4 o'clock.

MANY HELP CUT WOOD FOR MRS. M. FREEMON

On Tuesday of last week friends and neighbors gathered at the home of Mrs. M. Freemon east of this city to cut her year's supply of wood. She desires to express her thanks for this kindly service to all who helped and especially to Emmett Bracken who furnished the wood. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Spaugh and son Herschel, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Osborn and 2 sons, Mr. and Mrs. Silas Ringo, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Crowdon and son Clarence, Mr. and Mrs. Don Huey, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ballinger, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Webb and Fern, Mr. and Mrs. Will Crist and son William, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Carnine, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Leeds.

George Purvis, Bill Miller, Clem Messmore, James Bracken, Emmett Bracken, Don Higginson, Ray Hughes, Jim England, A. Wooley, Jim Epperson, Jesse Butler, Robert Purvis, Sheridan Mathias, Geo. Davidson, Chalmer Pifer, Dave Spaugh, Mason and Don Isaacs, George and Mary Daughterty, Gertrude Freemon, M. Freemon, Chas. and Will Bolin, Ella Bolin, Walter Bolin, Bill Purvis, Arlie Craig.

BIRTHDAY DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Garrett entertained several guests to a duck dinner in their home Sunday. The party was in the nature of a birthday dinner for Paul Blackwell of Arcola who observed his twenty-third birthday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Lee Vice and son Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Blackwell, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Blackwell of Arcola and Miss Ida Collins.

MAUDE WILL HELP

A general invitation is extended to all Odd Fellows to attend the district meeting to be held here Friday night. The second degree will be conferred on several candidates. Through the efforts of the team captain Donald D. Kingrey the services of "Maude" a famous degree character, have been enlisted to help in the important work of the evening. The refreshments will be holes with doughnuts baked around them and plenty of coffee.

MARRIED BY LAWRENCE

Russell Young and Marjorie White were united in marriage Sunday by Rev. L. L. Lawrence. The groom is a factory worker. The couple will reside in this city.

Official Ballot Democratic Primary

TOWN OF EAST NELSON Polls at Both Town Halls Open 12 o'clock noon to 5 p. m. SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 20TH

FOR COMMISSIONER OF HIGHWAYS

- M. E. SHAW
DAVE SPAUGH
J. L. PIERCE
CARL (SHIM) McDANIEL

FOR SCHOOL TRUSTEE (Full Term)

- J. E. HOWARD (To Fill Vacancy)
W. I. MARTIN

FOR CEMETERY TRUSTEE

- SHERMAN BURCHAM

Official Ballot Democratic Primary

TOWN OF JONATHAN CREEK Town Hall - Saturday, Feb. 20, 1932 Polls open 12 o'clock noon to 4 o'clock p. m.

FOR COMMISSIONER OF HIGHWAYS

- GLEN FABERT
RUSSEL FRESH
ERNEST DAVIS
CLEO SPAUGH
JOHN BOLTON

FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE (to fill vacancy)

- [Blank box]

FOR CONSTABLE (To fill vacancy - Vote for Two)

- FAY TAYLOR
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FOR SCHOOL TRUSTEE

- JAMES POUND

FOR CEMETERY TRUSTEE

- [Blank box]

Official Ballot Democratic Primary

SATURDAY, FEB. 20, 1932

FOR COMMISSIONER OF HIGHWAYS OF SULLIVAN TOWNSHIP

- W. J. ELZY
CLARENCE MILLER

PALMYRA

Mr. and Mrs. Austin and daughter were Sullivan callers Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Delana were Sullivan callers Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ansil Howard spent one day last week with relatives in this vicinity.

Helen Basham and Merle Carder spent Saturday with Wilma Shaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Dolan and daughter were Mattoon callers Friday.

Mrs. Ellen Temple is sick at the home of her daughter Mrs. Roy Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Delana spent Sunday with their daughter Mrs. Lawrence Carroll.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Gravens, Mrs. Ray Dolan, Mrs. Leo Carnine, Mr. and Mrs. Ansil Howard, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Hollonbeck attended the funeral of Burr Wood Monday.

Monroe Shaw was a Sullivan caller Saturday.

Adlai Maxedon spent Sunday with D. L. Maxedon and sons. John McMullin and John Kirkendall moved to the W. I. Martin farm last week.

Valentine day was observed at Palmyra school Friday. A number of the patrons attended.

Mrs. Tilden Selock is in Mattoon visiting her daughter, Mrs. Homer Frantz and family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Gibson, Ray and Jean Hollonbeck spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Misenheimer.

Rose Mary Edwards spent the week end with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Edwards.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Frank of Peoria arrived Friday for a visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. Nan Miller. They returned to that city Monday.

DICK ASHBROOK TRADES FOR SHELBY CO. FARM

An agreement of trade between C. C. Firebaugh of Windsor and Dick Ashbrook of this community was placed on record in the recorder's office this week. Dick Ashbrook gets the 52 acre Del Bennett farm in Ash Grove township south of Gays and Mr. Firebaugh gets the Ashbrook residence property on North Worth street in this city.

AT NICHOLSON HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Almond Nicholson entertained at a bridge party at their home on West Harrison St., Monday night. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Foster, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Worsham, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. McCortie, Dr. and Mrs. A. D. Miller, Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Lawson, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. McMullin, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Palmer.

McILWAIN ENTERTAIN

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer McIlwain entertained a number of friends from this city and Bethany to a card party at their home in that city Friday evening. Those present from this place were as follows: Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Woods, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. David, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Isaacs, Mr. and Mrs. Levy Dickerson and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Palmer.

LEGION MEETS MONDAY

The Moultrie County American Legion will have a meeting Monday night, February 22nd at 7:30 in the local Legion rooms. There will be a big feed.

Speakers will be Edwin F. Meitsch of Tuscola and William Muntz of Bloomington. All Legion members are urged to attend.

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DEFEAT BILL TO ABOLISH HIGHWAY SUPERINTENDENTS Springfield, Feb. 6—A proposal to abolish the office of county superintendent of highways was defeated by the House of Representatives, special session of the General Assembly, when a motion to strike the enacting clause from the bill prevailed by a vote of 65 to 19.

The measure was introduced by Rep. James T. Burns of Kankakee designed to reduce the cost of government. He lead an almost single-handed fight to advance the bill to third reading.

SULLIVAN MARKETS

Wheat 45c; oats 17c; corn 24c; soybeans 35c. Butterfat 18c; eggs 10c per doz; hens 7c to 12c; springs 6c to 10c; stags 5c to 7c; cox 4c to 6c.

OIL STATION ROBBED

Lovington—The Standard Oil filling station was robbed Monday at 6:15 a. m. The manager Clarence Richardson was alone when the bandit entered and commanded him to open the safe. \$25 in currency was secured.

IN HOSPITAL

Millard Monroe went to Decatur Monday where he entered the Decatur & Macon county hospital for treatment for heart trouble. Latest reports are that he is getting along very well and may soon be able to return home.

NOT IMPROVING

Mrs. J. B. Tabor who is a patient in Norbury's Sanitarium at Jacksonsville is reported slowly sinking.

CADWELL P-T-A

The Cadwell Parent-Teachers Association will give a play Saturday night, February 20th. Everybody is invited.

Miss Coral McIntire of Chicago spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. McIntire and sister, Miss Mary McIntire.

Mrs. Kittie Green who has been visiting in southern California left there this week for Seattle, Washington where she will visit her sister, Mrs. Frank Hewes. T. A. Murphy the dry cleaner had the misfortune of falling and cutting his hand last week. Several stitches were required to close the wound.

The University of Illinois has developed a new process for sweetening condensed milk with corn sugar that is expected to consume 3,000,000 bushels of corn annually.

Richard J. Oglesby, 14th governor of Illinois, was the only governor to be elected for a third term.

SULLIVAN WON TWO; LOST 1

victory out of 24 starts for the season. Sullivan was the 18th victim. Coach Dennis used the following boys in the line-up, but could not worry the Windsorites much: McDavid, Poland, Dunscomb, Kinsey, Freeman, Dwyer, Grote, Shirey and Ashbrook.

Windsor took the lead 6 to 3 in the first period; raised that to 13 to 7 at the half; 20\* to 10 at the quarter and finished off the final with 7 points to 3 for Sullivan, making the grand score—Windsor, 27, Sullivan 13.

Grades Win

Coach Whitechurch's grade school players brought some consolation to the Sullivan fans when they beat Windsor 21 to 10. The boys playing for Sullivan were McLaughlin, Elder, Barger, Dixon, English and Blackwell. At the half Windsor had 7 to 6 for Sullivan, but the local lads pepped up and did a lot of scoring in the final half.

Lovington Lost

The Dennis Redmen went to Lovington Tuesday night. They still smarted under the defeat at Windsor and decided to bring home the bacon from the town to the north. They did. The score was Sullivan 33, Lovington 10. With McDavid and Dunscomb at forward; Freeman at center and Shirey and Dwyer at guard the Sullivan machine moved along smoothly. It took the lead in the first quarter 7 to 1; at the half 13 to 3; three quarter stretch 16 to 5 and at the close topped the list 33 to 15.

Monticello Coming

Tonight (Friday) will be one of the most interesting games of the entire season. As this is written Monticello has moved along without a defeat being chalked up against it. Sullivan is ambitious to wreck that record. In past encounters this season Monticello got the best of Sullivan, sometimes by a very narrow margin. The Dennis Redsters ought to be able to make

things interesting for the Pepsin Sages when they get them here on the home floor.

SHOWER GIVEN FRIDAY

FOR MR. AND MRS. G. WIARD Mr. and Mrs. George Wiard who were married recently were given a shower at the J. J. Harsh home Friday night by Mrs. P. G. Wiard and Mrs. Harsh. They received many beautiful and useful gifts. Those present were as follows:

Mrs. O. J. Gauger, Miss Cora Gauger, Mrs. Cora Elliott, Mrs. Grace Foster, Mrs. Fern Monroe, Miss Beulah Wisely, Miss Mary Patterson, Mrs. Orr Hilliard, Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Wiard, Miss Ola Reedy, Mrs. W. S. Reedy, Mrs. Dora Magill, Mrs. Tella Pearce, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Baker and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Poland and daughter, Mrs. W. S. Patterson, Mrs. John Poland, Miss V. England, Mrs. Helen Walker of Decatur, Mrs. Mildred Handley, Mrs. Pierson, Mrs. Guy Bokav of Decatur, Mr. and Mrs. Haste and daughter of Sullivan, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Lundy and Mrs. F. O. Watkins of Findlay.

JONATHAN CREEK HOUSEHOLD SCIENCE

The Jonathan Creek Household Science club will meet at the home of Mrs. James Pounds Wednesday, Feb. 24. It will be an all day pot luck dinner and meeting.

Leader—Mrs. L. D. Seass.

Subject "The Heritage of Youth."

Roll Call: "Something to Help Personal Appearance."

Current Events—Mrs. Ralph Seaman.

—Mrs. F. O. Watkins of Findlay spent the week end with her sister Mrs. P. G. Wiard. Saturday Mrs. Wiard and Mrs. Watkins went to Arthur where they visited the former's daughter, Mrs. Willie Ohlson. The Ohlsons recently moved to Arthur from Garrett.



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# S. T. H. S. NEWS

Miss Wilson spent the week end in Chicago two weeks ago. Miss Dixon spent last Saturday in Champaign.

Miss Barrick spent last Saturday in Decatur.

The operetta "Up in the Air" was well attended last Thursday.

The new members of the student council met last Tuesday and organized for the next two semesters. The following were chosen officers: President, Dorman Shirey; Vice President, Merle Fisher; Secretary, Beatrice Hill.

Plans are under way for the appointment of committees and officials to make arrangements for the District Tournament. The sessions will probably begin Tuesday evening, March 8 and continue in evening sessions only on the 9, 10 and 11. General admission with the exception of the Championship session will be 35c. The final will be 50c. It is hoped that some kind of arrangement can be made for admitting students to the sessions at 25c. Arrangements for these District Tournaments are somewhat controlled by the State Association. The schools assigned to Sullivan are: Bethany, Findlay, Hammond, Lovington, Shelbyville, Stewardson and Windsor.

Monticello, the meter of the Okaw Valley Conference will play here tonight. There will be two games. The first game starts at 7:00. It is generally reported that the Sages are the hardest working team in Central Illinois. Come and see for yourself.

Evelyn Carnine, Reporter.

## COLES

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gearheart and daughter spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fowler and assisted them with their butchering.

Mr. and Mrs. Kimery of Texas spent Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. M. D. Rardin.

Quite a number from this vicinity attended the funeral of Mrs. Betty Fulton Friday afternoon in Mattoon.

Mrs. S. W. Johnson who has been suffering from ptomaine poisoning is improving.

Mrs. Fern Bouck who has been confined to her bed the past week with an attack of appendicitis is some better.

Mrs. Laura Fugate and children Nellie and Bruce spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. Anna Armantrout and daughter Ruth.

The Junior class of the Sunday school enjoyed a Valentine party Friday evening in the home of Frank Buser. Refreshments of popcorn balls, candy and peanuts were served.

The Senior Sunday school class enjoyed a Valentine and birthday party in honor of John Bartlett on Saturday evening at the home of his mother Mrs. Bill Ritter. Quite a number were present.

Ellison Crouch spent Saturday night with Roy Gearheart and family.

The Young Married people had a Valentine party at the home of Everett Beals Saturday evening. Weiner sandwiches and coffee were served. The evening was spent in playing games and exchanging of valentines.

Mr. and Mrs. Hutch Davis spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Reub Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Henderson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Waverly Mathias.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Burwell and family, Mr. and Mrs. Alva Edwards, Paul and Hugh Dolan were Sunday visitors at the home of Bud Davis.

Mrs. Lillian Davis, Mrs. Zula Gearheart and Miss Ruth Armantrout called on Mrs. Fern Bouck Monday evening.

## TWIN BRIDGES

Mary, George and Laban Daugherty entertained some of their friends and neighbors to a music party Saturday evening. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Pete Conwell, Mr. and Mrs. George Isaacs, sons Mason and Daniel, B. H. Butler and family, Silas Ringo and family, Dave Spbaugh and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Chalmer Pifer, Frank Pifer, Delbert and Sethie Devore.

Ira Lee and family visited Sunday with Silas Ringo and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Chalmer Pifer visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. F. Waggoner.

E. B. Kirby and family, Potter Arterburn and family and Oscar Lewis and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kirby.

Mr. and Mrs. George Isaacs and son Mason spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Truman Isaacs of near Windsor.

Frank Pifer spent Sunday with Daniel Isaacs.

Mrs. Francis Waggoner spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. Chalmer Pifer.

—G. S. Peters and daughter Sara Jane returned to their home in Oregon Tuesday. Mrs. Peters remained here until Friday. They had been called here on account of the death of Mrs. Peters' mother, Mrs. Sara Soná.

—Dr. and Mrs. W. P. Davidson of Decatur spent Tuesday evening in this city.

## REPORT ON BANK

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order by chairman Ed Brandenburger and secretary Charles Edwards read the minutes of the previous meeting.

The committee was then called on for its report. Mr. Meeker reported as follows:

**Committee Report**  
 "We have learned some things. Some we do not know and the folks at the bank do not know. Mr. Gregory was very nice and accommodating in our meetings with him."

"We asked about the cost of the receivership. Mr. Gregory is to get \$200 per month. J. F. Gibbon who is assisting is to get \$100 per month. Fred Wood, who is also helping, volunteered his services without pay, but Mr. Gregory says he will be paid something."

"We were told that the cost of the receivership would be less than the ordinary cost of operating the bank if open and doing business. Information given us was that generally the cost of liquidating the affairs of a bank was less than 5 per cent. The interest on notes that the bank holds, while in course of liquidation will, if collected, pay more than the cost of the receivership."

"Judge Sentel's fees as attorney will be adjusted by the State Auditor. He is to report monthly what work he has been called upon to do and his compensation will be based on such reports."

"When will a dividend be declared and paid and how much will it be? Mr. Gregory says that he will pay a dividend as soon as he has funds sufficient to pay 5 per cent. Before a general dividend will be declared, however, there are a number of preferred claims that must be taken care of. One such claim is a U. S. Government draft for \$908; another is a National Guard claim for \$60 and an American Legion claim that amounts to about \$75. The International Harvester Company has a claim of \$300 on note sent here for collection. Drafts sent out before the close of the bank constitute a preferred claim and amount to about \$2500. All such preferred claims must be paid first."

"As to the matter of overloans that may have been made by the bank (loans in excess of what the law permits) we have no information, neither has Mr. Gregory. Such information is in the Auditor's office in Springfield and has not been returned to the bank."

"The matter of reorganizing the bank is also up to the State Auditor. There is a lot of old paper in the bank. It is also impossible to say at this time what the assessment on stock will be."

"We held several conferences with Mr. Gregory. We could not secure any very definite information on many things. We could not get a list of the depositors."

"How much will the bank pay on deposits? That it is impossible to estimate at this time. It depends entirely on collections and on what can be realized on the bank's real estate."

### Not Much Cash

Interest on time certificates stopped on January 16th, the day the receiver took charge. There are some difference relative to cash on hand when bank closed. Some parties in the meeting said that they had been told it was about \$1700. The committee had figures showing that it was over \$3000 and that credits in Chicago, Decatur and St. Louis banks made the actual cash resources a little over \$10,000.

John Denton asked whether at the time of reorganization in 1921 all stock subscribed was paid in? The committee had no information on that point. It has been rumored that some of the parties who subscribed at that time only took part of their stock subscriptions and that the bank for a time carried the unsubscribed stock and that later, on insistence from the State Auditor's office, it was assigned to some of the bank directors, who now carry that load.

S. T. Bolin reported that he had done nothing more toward securing signatures of depositors to petitions asking to have him chosen receiver. He said he had "between 200 and 300 names" and had done nothing in this matter since the January 30th meeting.

Col. Meeker stated that his committee had learned that there were about 2800 depositors—this includes those of the Lovington State bank which consolidated with the local bank last fall.

**Another Receiver**  
 The chairman asked what the committee had found relative to the suit filed some time ago by R. W. Martin and J. L. McLaughlin to have Francis Purvis named receiver for stockholders liability. Mr. Meeker stated that Mr. McLaughlin was in the ante-room and willing to appear before the meeting.

Mr. McLaughlin then appeared and explained the law pertaining to appointment for stockholders liability. He stated that a receiver named by the State Auditor did not have anything to do with the stockholders liability, but that such action must be started in the circuit court in the county where the bank is located and that it then comes the duty of the

## Judge to name such receiver.

He stated that the stockholders had nothing to lose by signing the entry of appearance blanks which had been mailed to them and that by so signing they would save cost of service.

He also stated that the suit was started for the protection of all depositors and that it served as legal notice that a stockholder could not make a property transfer merely for the purpose of evading payment of assessment on his stock.

### Judge Sentel replies.

Judge Sentel did not agree with Mr. McLaughlin in this matter. He objected to the appointment of another receiver, saying that if Mr. Gregory were also appointed receiver for stockholders liability, that phase of the matter could be handled with less expense than if another man were named receiver for that part of the work. Furthermore he stated that there was no need for such action at this time. There is no certainty that the stockholders will be called upon to make payment on their stock. According to Judge Sentel, getting service on all 150 stockholders at this time would entail an unnecessary expense. He contended that the Judge would act to name a receiver on petition of 3 or five depositors, just as quickly as he would if all depositors were served or entered their appearance in writing.

He declared that there were many stockholders who objected to having the court enter judgment against them, without first giving them a chance to pay their liability on request. He said that he saw no objection to entering judgment at a later term of court against stockholders who did not pay when requested.

He urged that all receivership be vested in one man. He said that he knew of one, two or three cases where the court named a special receiver for stockholders liability but stated that quite generally the regular receiver was also delegated this duty. When this is done it can be done cheaper. "I want the costs kept down" concluded the Judge.

Mr. McLaughlin stated his disagreement with Judge Sentel on several of the issues raised.

### Meeker Agrees with Sentel

Mr. Meeker of the depositor-committee stated that he had no objections to Francis Purvis being named receiver, but that he was of the same opinion that Judge Sentel was, that one man acting as receiver for depositors and for a stockholders liability could do that service for less money.

At this stage of the proceedings—no definite action or expression from depositors relative to the matter under discussion being called for—J. B. Craig Jr. of the depositors' committee made a motion that the committee be discharged. He stated that he thought the committee had done all that was expected of it. Fred Harmon, another member of the committee seconded the motion.

### Committee Retained

In discussion of the motion Judge Sentel pointed out the urgent need of a committee of depositors to confer and co-operate with the Receiver. John Denton endorsed the Sentel sentiments and stated that "Mr. Gregory welcomes a committee's co-operation." The chairman stated that it was his understanding that the committee was named to continue on the job and not to make one report. John Wolf also gave that as his opinion in the matter. A vote was taken on the motion to discharge the committee. Nobody voted in favor of it. Frank Martin then made a motion that the old committee remain on the job indefinitely. The motion carried by a unanimous vote and the meeting adjourned.

## FULLERS POINT

Mr. and Mrs. John Turner and family near Allenville called on Mr. and Mrs. John Furness Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Carmine called on Mr. and Mrs. Howard Summers and family Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Rominger and family moved last week to a Howman farm near Dorans.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Carmine called on Mr. and Mrs. John Furness Saturday evening.

Logan Crane and family and Mr. and Mrs. Chester Carmine and son Clifton, Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Lawson and children were guests to a farewell party given to Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Powell Monday.

A. B. Hall was a business caller in Mattoon Tuesday.

Mrs. Jesse Mingus began teaching at the Fullers Point school after several weeks of illness. Mrs. Cook of Mattoon was substitute teacher during her absence.

Chester Carmine was a caller in Mattoon Tuesday.

Mrs. Nathan Powell called on Mrs. William Powell Tuesday.

Mrs. Chester Carmine called on Mrs. A. B. Hall Tuesday evening.

### G. H. COUCHMAN HERE

G. H. Couchman of Hooposton, Illinois, a candidate for the Democratic nomination for clerk of the appellate court, 3rd district, was a Sullivan caller Thursday, in the interest of his candidacy.

## 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-tf. Primary, Saturday, Feb. 20th.

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. Primary, Saturday, Feb. 20th.

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-tf. Primary, Saturday, Feb. 20th.

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

### 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.

The Progress is authorized to announce that CADELL WEST is a candidate for re-election to the office of CIRCUIT CLERK. His candidacy is subject to the Democratic primary April 12th. He respectfully solicits your vote and support. 1-tf.

Carl (Shim) McDaniel is a candidate for re-election to the office of Highway commissioner of East Nelson Township, subject to the Democratic primary. If you approve of the economical way in which he has handled the affairs of his office, he asks your vote and support. It will be appreciated. Primary, Saturday, Feb. 20th.

We are authorized to announce that RUSSELL P. FREESH is a candidate for the office of Highway Commissioner of Jonathan Creek Township subject to the Democratic primary or town meeting. 5-tf. Primary, Saturday, Feb. 20th.

J. S. BOLTON of Cadwell has authorized The Progress to announce that he is a candidate for Highway Commissioner of Jonathan Creek township, subject to the will of the Democratic voters at the primary, Feb. 20th. He will appreciate your vote and support. 6-tf.

The Progress is authorized to announce that ROBERT W. MARTIN is a candidate for STATES ATTORNEY, subject to the will of the Democratic voters at the primary election April 12th. Your vote and support will be appreciated.

J. L. PIERCE has authorized The Progress to announce his candidacy for HIGHWAY COMMISSIONER of East Nelson township, subject to the Democratic primary to be held Saturday, February 20th. 6-tf.

L. A. CROCKETT announces that he is a candidate for the REPUBLICAN nomination for Commissioner of Highways of Sullivan township subject to the wishes of the Republican voters as expressed on February 27th at which time the nomination is to be made. He will appreciate your vote and support. 3-tf.

The Progress is authorized to announce that W. D. HIGDON, former editor of the Monticello Bulletin is a candidate for Representative in the GENERAL ASSEMBLY from this (the 24th) Senatorial district. His candidacy is subject to the wishes of the Democratic voters at the primary election April 12th. He respectfully solicits your vote and support.

D. C. DOBBINS, of Champaign, has authorized The Progress to announce to the Democratic voters of Moultrie County his candidacy for the office of Representative in Congress from the 19th District, subject to the general primary election on April 12th.

W. J. ELZY has authorized The Progress to announce his candidacy for the Democratic nomination for Commissioner of Highways for Sullivan Township, subject to the primary, Saturday, February 20th. He will appreciate your vote and support. 7-2t.

FRED A. GILMORE, of Atwood in Piatt county, has authorized The Progress to announce that he is a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Representative in the General Assembly. His candidacy is subject to the will of the voters to be expressed at the primary.

mary election April 12th. He solicits your vote and support. 7-tf.

W. C. HOLSTON announces his candidacy for the REPUBLICAN nomination for Commissioner of Highways of Sullivan Township, subject to the will of the voters of that party as expressed at the mass convention to be held in the circuit court room Saturday, February 27th at 2 o'clock p. m. He solicits your support. 8-2t\*

### DORIS AND FRANCES RILEY ENTERTAINED FRIENDS

Doris and Frances Riley entertained a few friends at a party in their home, Saturday night, Feb. 13.

The evening was spent in playing games and with music. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served at a late hour.

Those present were: Ruth Ashbrook, Vella Freese, Mildred and Alice Kenney, Lula and Lucille Freese, Lucille Bathe, Bernice Hawbaker, Helen and Esther Goddard, Doris, Frances and Edna Riley, Russell Ashbrook, Oral Buxton, John Kenney, Dewayne Reedy, Ora Fultz, Elvin, Edwin, Floyd and Junior McClure, John Shull, Floyd Freese, Fred Fultz, Carl and Lynn Riley, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Riley and son Donald and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Riley.

### FRIENDS IN COUNCIL

The F. I. C. club met at the library club room Monday afternoon. The meeting was fairly well attended. At this time a nominating committee was appointed to elect officers for the next club year. Those on the committee are Mrs. Paul Hankla, Mrs. F. M. Harbaugh and Mrs. Gladys Whitfield.

The following program was presented:

Vocal Solo "A Gypsy Maid" by Miss Ruth Tabor, with Mrs. G. A. Sentel at the Piano.

A paper written by Mrs. A. E. McCorvie entitled, "Life of Longfellow," was read by Mrs. Clyde Patterson.

Selections from Longfellow's work was read by Mrs. C. C. Barclay and Mrs. W. Tichenor. The next meeting will be held at the Township High School auditorium, March 1st at which time the High School girls will be invited to attend the meeting.

### MARRIAGE LICENSES

Russell Young, 21, Sullivan. Marjorie White 18, Sullivan.

Ira Nihiser, 34, Dalton City. Leona Orr, 21, Dalton City.

### HIGHWAY SHORT COURSE

The annual Highway short course, given by the U. of I. in cooperation with the State Highway Department will take place at Urbana Feb. 22, 23, 24th. All parties engaged in this line of work are invited to attend.

### Nice Spring Materials and READY MADE DRESSES now in stock.

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## Local News

—Carl G. Sona of Hammond, Ind., returned to his home Tuesday having been called here on account of the death of his mother, Mrs. Sara Sona.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. C. McKown visited their son Wm. McKown who is a student at the U. of I. at Champaign, Sunday.

—The regular monthly church night supper was held at the Christian church Wednesday night. A social time followed. White elephant gifts were exchanged.

—For Buckeye oil and coal Brooders call on J. M. Cummins & son. 7-2t

—Mr. and Mrs. Vic Clark of Chicago came Tuesday to visit relatives here also to call on Mrs. Wes Clark who is a patient at St. Mary's hospital in Decatur. They returned to Chicago Thursday.

—The Standard Bearers will have a Washington Tea Monday evening at 8 o'clock at the Methodist church. A playlet will also be given by the girls.

—The Domestic Science club met at the home of Mrs. J. H. Smith Friday afternoon.

—Col. Clarence Ritchey returned Monday from a northern trip during which he was the guest of Decatur relatives and friends.

—Miss Vene Millizen entertained the 20th Century club at her home Tuesday afternoon.

—Mr. and Mrs. Orris Gifford of Danville arrived Thursday for a visit at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Gifford.

—Mrs. A. E. McCorvie was hostess to the Sew-a-Bit club at the Masonic Home Thursday afternoon.



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**PERMANENT WAVE**  
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 Call and make appointment.  
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These shoes are built according to specifications from Boy Scout headquarters. Only the best materials are used in their construction.

**Coy's Central Shoe Store**

Come in today. Get your pair of Official Boy Scout Shoes.

**The Brown Shoe Factory**  
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through the unselfish donations made to the Factory Fund by Sullivan merchants. Chain stores, mail order houses and big city stores did not give any help.

**If Sullivan Merchants had not Helped Liberally**

There would be no Shoe Factory in Sullivan — there would be no shoe factory jobs — there would be no factory payroll — the city would be full empty houses and empty store rooms.

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Be fair to these merchants who made it possible for you to have work in Sullivan when there is no work elsewhere.

The Progress donates this ad to the Merchants of Sullivan.



SAYS EDWARDS HEIRS VICTIMS OF "RACKET"

New York Governor Takes Steps to Thwart Promoters. Asks that Heirs Not Contribute to Hopeless Cause.

That the Edwards and Mercer heirs of whom there are many scattered throughout the Middle West, some in nearly every county, are being swindled by heartless promoters, is indicated in the action of Governor Roosevelt of New York in discouraging all further contributions towards establishing rights to priceless areas in the heart of Manhattan island.

Governor Roosevelt, as a result of an investigation, characterizes the promoters as frauds, of a kind who have been draining various heirs for a half century. He states there is no basis for action to establish title to New York City land.

Governor Roosevelt of New York has taken steps to thwart promoters of an international racket who have extracted thousands of dollars from credulous persons by duping them into the belief they have claims to valuable land on Manhattan Island, where New York City stands.

Victims of the racket have communicated with the governor from points throughout the United States, Canada and Great Britain.

They have asked his assistance in establishing their supposed claims to land on which Trinity church stands, and the lands upon which are the Woolworth Building, Times Building and Empire State Building, as well as to property within the boundaries of Central Park.

Most of the inquiries concern a mythical "Buchanan" estate. Others relate to the Edwards, Horn, Anneke Jans, Bogardus and Emerich estates.

Through co-operation of Surrogate Foley of New York county, it has been learned the estates do not now exist.

The governor asked that persons who believe they have some claim to any part of these estates be not persuaded by lawyers or other promoters to advance money in a hopeless cause.

Litigation with regard to other estates has been determined adversely to the claimants.

Most of the victims have been duped out of amounts ranging from \$15 to \$250. In some cases claimants have been imposed upon to the extent of traveling from Texas to New York.—Toledo Democrat.

ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE Estate of Myrtle Rhoda Hoover Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed Administratrix of the estate of Myrtle Rhoda Hoover late of the County of Moultrie and the State of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that she will appear before the County Court of Moultrie County at the Court House in Sullivan, at the April term on the first Monday in April next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted.

All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this first day of February, A. D. 1932.

Goldie Hoover, Administratrix. Marion Watson, Attorney. 6-3.

CARD OF THANKS We desire to express our sincere thanks and appreciation for the assistance and sympathy given us in the illness and death of our beloved mother, Mrs. Sara Sona. Especially do we thank Rev. Lawrence, the pall bearers and all who sent floral offerings.

The Children —Mr. and Mrs. Clint Coy visited with relatives in Mattoon Sunday afternoon.

Dr. E. C. Thurman DENTIST Offices over Meeker's Candy Kitchen. Hours: 8 a. m. to 12; 1 p. m. to 5. Evening by appointment. Phone 40

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U. S. Beauty Queen



Mabel Ellis was chosen as the most beautiful girl in the country by judges named by the national association of operators of beauty parlors. Thousands submitted photographs in the contest.

INCOME TAX HELPER AT TUCOLA AND MATTOON

O. G. Addleman, Collector of Internal Revenue, Springfield, Illinois has completed preparation to render assistance to all income taxpayers who are expecting to file returns on or before March 15, for the year 1931. The following itinerary has been arranged for territory in this immediate vicinity.

- March 4—Tuscola—First National bank. March 5—Marshall—Dulancy National bank. March 6—Sunday. March 7-8—Paris—Post Office. March 9—Charleston—Court House. March 10-15—Mattoon—Post Office.

HE DOES NOT LIKE RATS

It is very strange, to one un-schooled in the methods and manners of the rat family, to see what a rat finds to eat in a newspaper office. Yet, the Bulletin office has the biggest rats in town. If this is not true, we will stand corrected, but it is no use coming around to show a rat in competition unless it is bigger than a St. Bernard dog.

Ours, we think, it just about the size of one of the larger dogs of that make, although it is possible that we have seen only the smaller ones. It is a fact that it is dangerous to come into the Bulletin office at night for fear of the hordes of malicious rats that make the composing room their playground.

A former editor, Mr. Glasner (we have it on his word) came down to the office one morning to find a hole gnawed in the steel safe. Mr. Glasner also claimed that the rats printed some sort of a fraternity paper on the large press here and that it was common occurrence for him to come down and find that the rats had changed forms on the press.

This can hardly be believed, however, and there are some who think Mr. Glasner was mistaken in his last statement. Rat poison has no effect whatsoever upon these rodents which infest the Bulletin office and it is said that steel traps are of no avail.

Mr. Higdon, it is said, once set a large tom cat loose in the building, and in the morning found neither hair nor hide of the cat—which without doubt had been killed and eaten by the rats. This writer himself is a former rat-sniper, having earned considerable money in his younger days by stalking rats with a .22 calibre rifle, lying under barns in wait for the rats to poke their noses out of their holes, and also was a clubber of rats in corn cribs, but it is a well-known fact that it would take nothing less than a U. S. Army high-power rifle to bring down the huge vermin of the Bulletin office.

Only the other day Nelson Trumbauer missed the line-type machine and finally found it halfway down a rat-hole. Suggestions for getting rid of these animals will be appreciated.

MERRITT

Mrs. Reuben Bilbrey spent Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Ella Crawford.

Louis Daugherty and son Archie spent Tuesday in Georgetown visiting Mrs. Clement Murphy.

Mrs. Lewis Daugherty spent Tuesday with Mrs. Archie Daugherty.

Mary Kathryn and Coral Durr spent Wednesday afternoon with Maxine and Mary Kathryn Yaw.

Mrs. Genevieve Drew was unable to teach this week on account of illness.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hardesty and Perry Davis spent Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Davis.

Mrs. Helen Davis and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Newbould spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Davis and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Thomas and son and Mrs. Raymond Shasteen spent Saturday in Decatur.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jenne spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Durr. Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Bilbrey spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Thomas.

Chester Morgan spent Sunday with Ross Thomas Jr. Miss Dorotha Bathe spent Sunday at the home of Verna Campbell.

ILL. POSTS BEST FOR 625,000 MILES OF STATE'S FENCES

Urbana, Ill., Feb. 16—Illinois has about 625,000 miles of farm fences in which about one-tenth, or 20,000,000 of the 200,000,000 posts have to be replaced each year, according to L. E. Sawyer, forestry extension specialist of the College of Agriculture, University of Illinois and Illinois State Natural History Survey. In some sections of the state where timber is yet plentiful, posts can be bought for as little as 10 to 15 cents each, while in other parts of the state they usually cost from 35 to 50 cents apiece.

There is no reason why farmers should pay the high prices for their fence post materials when these posts can be so easily and economically grown at home, Sawyer said.

"There are very few farms in the state that do not have an acre or so of rough or waste land that could well be planted with desirable post material. In the course of a few years the value of the posts that could be cut would make the plot one of the most profitable areas of the farm.

"Two or three of the best fence post trees grow native in the state. These are the osage orange, black locust and western catalpa. Any of these, if planted in a grove and given proper attention, will produce fence posts that can not be surpassed by any of those usually sold on the market.

"Black locust and catalpa should be planted about six feet apart each way, while the osage orange may be planted in rows eight feet apart, the trees being from two to three feet apart in the row.

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"The number of years required to produce good fence post material will depend entirely upon the type of soil. An average of 12 to 15 years is required to produce posts from catalpa, 10 to 15 years for black locust and a minimum of 15 years for osage orange or hedge."

THE LUTHERAN HALF HOUR

The Lutheran Half Hour is broadcast over W.D.Z., Tuscola each Wednesday afternoon from 4:00 to 4:30 o'clock. It is sponsored by the Lutheran church of the Missouri Synod in Eastern Illinois.

Lenten Services February 24—Immanuel English Lutheran church, Charleston, Ill., "Jesus Betrayed."

March 2—St. Paul's Ev. Lutheran Church, Sadorus, Ill., "Jesus on Trial before the High Priest."

Speaker—Rev. Wm. H. Schweppe. March 9—Trinity Ev. Lutheran church, Danville, Ill., "Jesus on Trial before Pilate." Speaker, Rev. A. C. Bernthal.

March 16—Immanuel Ev. Lutheran church, Osman, Ill., "Jesus on the Way to Golgotha." Speaker—Rev. C. L. Bliss.

March 23—St. John's Ev. Lutheran church, Champaign, Ill., "Jesus on the Cross." Speaker—Rev. G. Stiegemeier.

March 25—Good Friday Broadcast. St. Paul's Ev. Lutheran church, R. 1, Mattoon, Ill., "Jesus in the Grave." Speaker, Rev. J. G. Kaiser.

March 30—Easter Broadcast—Immanuel Ev. Lutheran church, Broadlands, Ill., "Christ is Risen." Speaker—Rev. Wm. E. Knautsch.

The Lutheran Half Hour will continue at the same time after Easter.

A word of Comment or Appreciation concerning these broadcasts, sent to Rev. J. G. Kaiser, Station W.D.Z., Tuscola will be gratefully received and acknowledged.

GAYS SHIPPERS DECIDE TO DISBAND ASSOCIATION

Gays, Ill., Feb. 12—At the annual meeting of the Gays Shipping Association, the stockholders voted to disband and to wind up the affairs of the association. Many of the farmers seemed to prefer trucking their stock direct to market and thus the association did less and less business. The shipping association surrendered its lease on the Big Four stock yards.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harley Bartley visited with the former's daughter Miss Ruth Mae Bartley, at the nurse's home in Mattoon. Ruth Mae observed her birthday anniversary Sunday.

—Mrs. Minnie Rhodes was called to Chicago Monday on account of the death of a niece. Mr. and Mrs. Jake Landgrebe and son Earl accompanied Mrs. Rhodes to that city.

—Dr. Don Butler left Saturday for a week's visit with his brother, Dr. Ed Butler, in Buffalo, N. Y. Dr. Ed Butler who recently underwent an operation, is now at home, convalescing.

Thomas Sunday afternoon. Don Ryan and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wisner.

ANDERSON WACASER 95 DIED IN LOVINGTON THURSDAY; BURIED SAT.

Anderson Wacaser, aged 95 years and two months, passed away at the home of his daughter, Mrs. John Tracy on South State street in Lovington, Thursday morning, Feb. 11 at 8 o'clock. In spite of his advanced years he was able to be up until within a few days of his death. Tuesday night he took his bed for the last time. The infirmities of age had claimed their natural toll.

Funeral services were held at the Christian church in Lovington, Saturday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock conducted by Rev. J. E. Franklin of Blue Mound, a former pastor of the church. Six grandsons acted as pall bearers. Burial was in the Hammond cemetery.

Anderson Wacaser was the oldest citizen in this community and perhaps in Moultrie county. He was born on Dec. 11, 1836 at Lincoln, North Carolina, a son of German parentage and one of a family of 13 children. He was the last survivor of this large family.

When a babe of one year his father moved to Spring Place, Georgia and that was the family home until after the father's death. The mother and children then came to Illinois, locating at Pittsfield, in Pike county, in 1850. It was at this place in October, 1860 that the deceased and Emma A. Ross were united in marriage. They continued to reside there until 1865, when they moved to Lincoln.

In 1874 they located in Hammond and Moultrie county and this community had since been the family home. To this union 10 children were born, only four of whom are living. They are Frank W. Wacaser, George W. Wacaser, Emma wife of John Tracy, all of Lovington and Emit Wacaser of Cuba. The latter made his last visit to this community 26 years ago.

The deceased was a farmer by vocation and at one time owned nearly all of the ground that is now the side of Hammond. He had been retired for the past thirty years. Mrs. Wacaser passed away at Hammond on Feb. 14, 1900 and since that time Mr. Wacaser had spent much of his time living with his children.

Anderson Wacaser, besides being the community's oldest citizen, had other interesting distinctions. His father was born in 1770 which means that he was six years old when the Declaration of Independence was signed. In fact Anderson Wacaser's father lived six years under the British king. He was 67 years old when the son Anderson was born and it is a rare person today who can say that his father was born 162 years ago.

The deceased leaves besides his four children, 26 grandchildren and about 35 great grandchildren. —Lovington Reporter.

INEZ REEDY WANTS DIVORCE

Mrs. Inez Reedy has filed suit to divorce her husband Ralph Reedy. In her bill for divorce she sets forth that they were married October 10, 1928 and have one son, James Harvey Reedy. She charges her husband with cruelty, intoxication and neglect. The case will be up for the March term of court.

—A. G. Cochran who spent some time in this city where he was called by the death of his father W. G. Cochran, left Saturday for his home in Tulsa, Oklahoma.

LEON REEDER MAKING GOOD AT U. OF I.

Urbana-Champaign, Ill., Feb. 16 Distinguished for high scholarship during the first semester, W. Leon Reeder, Sullivan was one of 33 students in the University of Illinois School of Music who had grades better than "4." Director F. B. Stiven announced here today.

The "4" indicates the second highest possible attainable grade, "5" being perfect. Reeder's average for the first semester was 4.27, equivalent to B plus.

Reeder a sophomore in the University is obtaining musical education at one of the finest training schools in the state, or nation. Headed by Director Stiven, the School of Music faculty is a superb training body for young musicians.

Here the students not only improve their musical technique and knowledge, but make frequent public appearances. Frequent student recitals are given. Many of the students present recitals over the University radio station, W. I. L. L. Reeder appears frequently on the W. I. L. L. program.

"One of the pressing needs of the School of music is more scholarships," Director Stiven said. "If we had more I am sure that many more superior scholars would continue their musical education here. Our few available ones do not meet the demand."

The School of Music is housed in one of the most beautiful buildings on the University of Illinois campus. The building was presented to the University by the late Captain Thomas J. Smith as a memorial to his wife.

The interior is finished in marble and walnut. The building has a recital hall for concerts, a radio studio for W. I. L. L. and many practice rooms for the students.

ILLINOIS COLLEGE MAKES SCHOLARSHIP OFFER

Seniors of the local high school have received a scholarship offer from Illinois College at Jacksonville, Illinois. A stipend of \$120, when applied on tuition at Illinois College, accompanies the award. The scholarships will be granted to the boy who ranks first or second among the boys of the graduating class, and to the girl who is first or second in her group. The determination of the rank of a student is to depend on his average percentage for the whole school course, provided that the average grade for the last year is at least 90.

These offers of scholarship are sent each year to a selected number of high schools chosen by the College for the high standard of work they maintain. Because the enrollment at Illinois College is limited and special encouragement and aid are given students who have shown marked ability in their high school work, the scholarship on the Jacksonville campus is unusually high.

—Mr. and Mrs. Russel Armatrout spent Monday with relatives near Mattoon.

RUSSELL FRESH AUCTIONEER Farm sales a specialty Phone 5213, Arthur Address, Sullivan, Ill., Route 2

WARRANTY DEEDS

Susan G. Otto and husband to Barbara E. Otto \$10,000, e 1-2, sw 1-4, sec. 21, T. 15, R. 6.

Josephine B. Kellar to Elizabeth Reed \$300, 100x100, sec. 2, T. 13, R. 5.

Joel Neely Martin and wife to Rose Ellen Martin, lots in Sullivan, Sec. 11, T. 13, R. 5.

Martha Ellen Bolin to Otis E. Biesecker 33400, nw, se, sec. 33, T. 14, R. 6.

—Mr. and Mrs. Everett Hays made a business trip to St. Louis, Monday.

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The following business and professional interests of Arthur are striving earnestly to serve the surrounding territory and they will appreciate your patronage.

Well Known Farm Machinery represents Dependable Quality

In this entire part of the state, there is not an establishment that surpasses that of The Arthur Implement Company located at Arthur, Ill., their phone number being 16.

They handle a very complete line of implements and McCormick Deering machinery, manufacture their harness. When you buy of them you get the best. During the time that they have been in business they have built a wonderfully large trade from this and adjoining counties and it is safe to assert that the name and business is probably better known among the farmers of this section than any other similar establishment in the nearby towns and cities.

In addition to farm equipment they carry a complete line of seeds of the highest grades. Also clover and Timothy seeds. Their farm implements and McCormick-Deering machinery need no compliment. Every farmer in the country knows their line and that it represents the most dependable quality, most scientific construction and the greatest all around efficiency.

This firm specializes in continuously endeavoring to eliminate distribution costs of farm necessities and implements. We handle any and all kinds of property as part payment on articles bought of us. The products and implements handled by this firm are obtained in most cases direct from the factory of manufacturer, thereby cutting down distribution costs on these products and materially reducing the cost to the consumer on all products which they handle.

A Complete Service Offered By Local Organization

It is without a doubt necessary that a large stock of goods be carried by the up-to-date auto parts and service station if it is to be successful and keep pace with its hundreds of customers.

In this present day of hurry and rush the patron insists that his call for a gallon of gas or a hub cap be given the same attention as as though he were buying a full tank of gas or a full new set of tires. Just such careful attention to the little details and always rendering the most courteous service has won for Frank Albers Filling Station located at Arthur, Illinois his phone number being 18, the reputation among autoists as being the real parts and service station in this section of the state.

Every auto part carried by this reliable concern is of the highest quality. They also sell gasoline, oils and greases. In fact the Albers Station lives up to their slogan—"We have what you want when you want it." Therefore Albers Filling Station is conducted along the lines of real service. Mr. Albers is a well known business man and a progressive booster for his community, and ready at all times to help any worthy cause for the betterment or the advancement of his and surrounding community.

Highest Prices Paid For Poultry and Eggs

There is no firm in this section that is more widely known as extensive in poultry and eggs, than the Wadley Company located at Arthur, Illinois their phone number being 47 of which Mr. Short is the manager.

Through his forward and above board policies he has established an enviable reputation in these parts and the farmers and the people generally have come to look upon his establishment as one of the prominent concerns of this section that always pays the highest prices.

Through his extensive dealing in poultry and eggs, he has afforded farmers of this community a most advantageous market, where they are able to secure the best prices for their products, and in addition are saved the trouble and expense of shipping.

Here the farmers can obtain from phone the latest market quotations, and this firm invites every farmer of this section to avail themselves of this service.

In this publication we wish to compliment this firm and Mr. Short upon the way that this establishment is conducted. Mr. Short is a public spirited gentleman ready at all times to help any worthy cause for the betterment of his community. Hence we are very glad to refer this reliable company to all our readers.

New! Modern! Service Just Recently Opened

The Gables Filling Station located in Arthur, Illinois is a very popular place for motorists to stop for gas and oil; also to have their car Greased or Washed.

Mr. Reeves the owner of the station has just recently installed a modern Auto Washer. It washes your car with warm or cold water one of the latest machines that can possibly be bought.

In this day of hurry and rush the consumers are making a demand for a modern and efficient service. Mr. Reeves realizing the need of a service of this kind has installed this machine and is offering the people of Arthur and vicinity a service that is modern and unique. The Mid-Continent Petroleum Company has realized that this gentleman is efficient and they have installed their gas and oil. The well known Diamond gas & oil. Mr. Reeves is really offering a complete service. No matter if it be only one gallon of gas or a full tank you receive the same courteous treatment.

Hence we are very pleased in this edition to compliment Mr. Reeves upon the service he is offering and refer the Gables Filling station to all of our readers.

Consumer's Saving Realized By Direct From Factory

The most influencing factor in the high standards of living is a beautiful home, and the beauty of a home is not so much of grandeur and lavishness in the structure itself, as it is a matter of good looking, modern and up-to-date, serviceable furniture. The Factory Sales Company Inc., buy their goods direct from the factory and sell them directly to you at the lowest prices.

They are now offering some very sensational buys to the people of this and surrounding territories. A few articles of interest to our readers are their modern bedroom suites, these are composed of three very attractive pieces of furniture, a bed, a vanity or dresser, and a chest of drawers, all for the extremely low price of \$59.00, which usually sells elsewhere for around \$80.00. Their dining room suites are very attractive for they are composed of eight pieces—a table, buffet, and six chairs, selling for the attractive price of \$59, which you will find selling around \$85.00 most any place else. Their interspring mattress for your bedroom suite are selling as low as \$17.00 and their slumber-deep, double deck, coil bed springs selling for the low price of \$10.00.

The things of interest to the farmer and almost every housewife such as farm machinery, hardware, rugs, linoleum, radios, paints, harness, roofing, and electrical supplies—these all make up their slogan "We Can Furnish Your House and All That Goes in it." They not only sell for cash but sell on the easy payment plan.

Hence we are very glad to call our readers attention to the very prominent establishment known as the Factory Sales.

Note—The above advertisements were compiled and sold by Hudson & Goetz of Indianapolis.

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# RAPTURE BEYOND

## KATHARINE NEWLIN BURT

TENTH INSTALLMENT

He laughed grimly to cover his furious astonishment, his growing fright. She seemed to him a changeling.

"Do you know what you've done? Do you even begin to know what you are up against? You, Jocelyn Harlowe, have been caught in the act of house-breaking and theft. You are in the hands of the law. Do you know anything about its power?"

"More than I did," quoth Lynda with Nick's cool irony.

Her master's spirit winced and hardened.

"You know very little as yet. Listen to me, Jocelyn, and don't dare to defy me. It is my generosity alone that can get you out of this ugly, this horrible fix. Do you want to go to prison? State's prison? There are still prisons, believe me, where insolent women prisoners are flogged. Tied up and flogged."

"You've sent other people to prison," cried Lynda, "people very much less guilty than I am."

His narrowed icy eyes probed her wide ones. Her face was like a pale lamp; his, like a blue sliver of steel. They glowed and glittered at each other for an instant silently.

"Whom have you in your mind? What secret influence has been at work in your life? What has led you to deceive me, Jocelyn? To deceive your mother? Do you remember that we are to be married tomorrow at noon?"

She shook her head and moistened her lips, trying to say "No."

"Yes. Nothing you can possibly do or say can prevent you now from becoming my wife tomorrow. I'll take you out of this and carry you home and when you've told me the truth of your ugly and wicked escapade, you can wash yourself and burn these horrible clothes. Where in heaven's name did you get them? And get some sleep and then you will put on your wedding dress and come to St. Peter's and . . . after you are Mrs. Felix Kent . . ."

He paused. Her brave wide eyes had filled.

"After you are my wife," he said and then with a cry he gathered her up into his arms and carried her about the room, kissing her wildly, ruthlessly, at his will, until she went limp and her head dropped back.

Then Felix laid her down on the floor and as soon as her eyelids fluttered he went out, locking the door.

He came, mopping his bitten lip and laughing to the desk.

"Look here, Cracken," he said. "This isn't at all the sort of case it looks like. The girl is one of these silly debutantes. She's been put up to a wild sort of prank by some of her friends and she's had her lesson. What name did she give you?"

"First Jimmie Grant and then Lynda May."

"Well, of course neither is her real name. I want to hush this thing up and withdraw the charge and take her home with me now. The poor kid is all in. She fainted."

"About them papers, Mr. Kent? Kent's laughter was difficult but it still came, a short hard laughter. "That's all right. I'll get them back. The little devil wanted to give me a scare. When I lay hands on the boy that helped her—"

His fist on the desk top whitened. The police officer who looked down at it whistled.

"Well, what do I have to do to get this child out of jug and to keep the whole silly business quiet?"

Cracken, with some unwillingness, explained what might be done. There was of course no accuser but Mr. Kent, the robbed man, himself. If he withdrew the

charge the young lady might walk out, provided . . .

The proviso being cared for, Felix returned to the locked room and found Jocelyn sitting dazedly against the wall, her head dropped forward on her knees. She seemed a mere limp bundle of old clothes. He helped her up and, getting her hat, pulled it down over her eyes and so, shielding her from amused and pitying observation, he half carried and half dragged her out to his waiting limousine.

As they moved silently up the city's crowded avenues, Felix presently remembered the conversation that took place as they drove fast seaward with the wind in their eyes. At the end of a careful reconstruction of this conversation he spoke and looked down at her white cramped face.

"U-hum . . . the Rappel parson's son . . . Jock Aylesward."

Felix leaned back. "Where and how did you meet him?" he asked quietly.

She said, "I met him in my father's rooms."

"Your—father's?"

"Nick Sandal. He is in this city. He came one night to see me in the apartment." But if Felix, if her mother, must know that Nick had visited her—what about the jewels?

"How long ago was that?"

Her eyes, deeply remorseful, deeply miserable, sought his.

"Just after our engagement was announced. He saw it in the papers."

Her eyes filled and overflowed silently. "I love Nick, Felix."

"You've been seeing your father often?"

"I've been to see him at night. I would climb down the fire escape from my bedroom window."

Felix stopped her with a despairing gesture and, bending forward, put his hands over his eyes. From this position he demanded in a smothered voice, "You met Jock Aylesward in your father's room?"

"Yes. I did not like him. I did not believe in him. I believed in you."

"Now," he said, breathing hard and speaking through his teeth, "you will give the whereabouts of this gentleman whom you did not believe nor like nor trust but for whose sake you made a spectacle of yourself in the New York streets at night, and lied and dressed like a lan and stole and would ruin me." He shook her fiercely as though he would have shaken her to death. "Give me his address. I'll get him."

But that she steadfastly refused to do.

At last they reached her mother's home.

Quickly and as noiselessly as possible Felix took Jocelyn through the outer room and down the passage and thrust her in at her own bedroom door. "Get into your own clothes; be quick," he commanded and managed to close her in and to be back in the front room by the time Marcella, with Mary at her heels, came into it herself.

Marcella was lined, livid, sick. He told where he had found Jocelyn.

"Felix, tell me—do you think that she knows anything about . . . Marcella's voice had an almost sinuous furtiveness as she looked about and behind her, then at him, "about my—jewels?"

Felix was startled for an instant away from his own biting preoccupation. He looked at the silver cross on Marcella's flat breast. She placed her thin hands over it. "No. No, my jewels."

"I didn't know—"

"Of course. I forgot you were not to be told. I have had some jewels . . . here, hidden. They are not mine. They are a trust. They've been stolen. I have a detective tracing them. You mustn't say a word," she excitedly told him.

Jocelyn stood and looked at the clothing on her bed and the blood in her body moved, strong and free. There lay the outer semblance of Nick's daughter, Lynda Sandal, and she began to know that it was not only the outer semblance that had returned. It was Lynda Sandal's self that stood there looking down at Lynda Sandal's quaint attire. The night's work with all the adventure and the pain and the wild furtive delight that had led her surely to it had killed, in spite of her own contrary intention, not Lynda Sandal but Jocelyn Harlowe. The convent girl, Marcella's prisoner, the young lady bride of Felix Kent had gone. Forever. Now lived and breathed a woman of strong will and vivid passion, with courage to face and to find, with the bitter courage for truth and for reality. A woman who loved Jock Aylesward, no other man; who would go to him through any barrier, to stand if she must at his dishonored side.

Rapidly and surely she got herself into the queer little symbolic



### LAKE CITY

M. M. Brohard and family and Alpha Hamm of Cincinnati visited Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Tillie Brohard and Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Hamm.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Smith of Long Creek visited Friday with Mrs. Emma Dickson.

Mrs. S. R. Ward was a Decatur visitor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Noel and son Jack spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Everett Ault.

T. F. Winings and daughters Grace and Maude were visitors in Decatur Monday.

S. J. Sallings who has been quite ill is able to be out again.

Mrs. Otis Gifford, Mrs. Earl Estes and Mrs. Will Rich and son Jean of Decatur visited Sunday with T. A. Dickson and family and Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Redfern.

Charles Woods and family and Mr. Mahoney of White Heath visited Sunday with Mrs. Ethel Wood and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Dawson visited Sunday at Lafayette, Indiana with Clarence Dixon and family.

### BETHANY

James Stables and family of Buckley spent the week end here with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stables.

Mr. and Mrs. John Smith spent Sunday in Decatur with their daughter, Mrs. Charles Huffman and husband.

Mrs. Cora Shipman spent part of last week in Dunn with Miss Flo Bragg.

Chester McKim of near Chicago called on his mother Saturday evening.

Ross Heckler and family of Mt. Zion spent Sunday here with Howard Heckler and family.

Leo Millsap and family spent Sunday with Frank Monroe and family near Dalton City.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McGee spent Sunday in Decatur with their daughter, Mrs. Boyd Queen and family.

Arthur Queen and family moved to the Laura Marlow house in the west part of town last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Hampton and son James of Windsor spent Tuesday here with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ward.

Mrs. Josie Sporeler and daughters of Sullivan and Omer Sporeler and family spent Sunday with W. C. Robertson.

Rev. and Mrs. D. E. Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ward spent Saturday near Windsor with Dallas Hampton and family.

Mrs. Charles Leedy and daughter of Springfield spent last week here with M. W. Sutton and family.

### EAST HUDSON

Arthur Herendeen and family entertained several relatives and friends to a pot luck supper Feb. 10, the occasion being the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Herendeen. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Swietzer, Mr. and Mrs. B. Tucker of Long Creek, Miss Ann and George Elliott.

Mrs. Elmer Burks and son Dean, Mrs. Vic Landers attended a wool picking at Mr. and Mrs. Chance Poland's near Lovington.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Monroe and Miss Ann Elliott spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Tobias Rhodes.

Elmer Burks and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hostetter, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Monroe and Joe Arthurs spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hostetter near Gays.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Chaney and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Robinson entertained several friends to a shower for Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Bushart Monday evening. Mrs. Bushart before her marriage Jan. 29 was Miss Mildred Chaney.

Mrs. J. E. Watkins visited Friday with Mrs. Jennie Landers.

Earl Meriss and family of Linton Station spent Wednesday with Orville Butts and family.

Mrs. Annie Jeffers and son Wayne of Kirksville spent Friday with Arthur Herendeen and family.

Mrs. Cora Shipman of Bethany spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Shipman.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Tucker and son Lloyd of Long Creek spent Sunday with Miss Ann Elliott.

George Elliott spent last week visiting relatives in Mt. Zion.

### CUSHMAN

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Myers entertained to dinner last Friday, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Queen, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Taylor and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Myers and Mrs. Ernest Martin and Marjorie.

John Murphy visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Leo Murphy.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Foster spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Valentine.

Mrs. John Frantz visited with Mrs. W. E. Peters Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Foster and Walter spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. John Foster in Lovington.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stairwalt spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Devore.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Monroe and son spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Valentine.

Mr. and Mrs. James Raynolds were Decatur visitors on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Cummings entertained to dinner Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Cole, Mrs. Eliza-

beth Potter, Mr. and Mrs. George Cogdal.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Queen and Billie were Bethany visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Foster and Orville called on Mr. and Mrs. C. Wood Monday evening.

Paul Smith and O. A. Foster were Sullivan callers Monday. Several from here attended the funeral of Burr Wood near Bethany Monday.

### KIRKSVILLE

Lettie West assisted Mrs. Odal Wade with her work Monday.

Mrs. Wallace Graven, Mrs. Ella Ritchey, Mrs. Dea Ritchey, Mrs. Ed Evans, Mrs. Manuel Sipe, Mrs. Jake Musser, Mrs. Job Evans, Mrs. Charity Green spent Tuesday with Mrs. Nora Ritchey and assisted her in quilting.

In honor of Merle Floyd's 23rd birthday Mrs. Rhoda Floyd gave a dinner Sunday. Those present were Mrs. Eunice Sipe, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stillens, Mr. and Mrs. Merle Floyd and John Floyd and family.

Ivory West and family spent Monday with Floyd West and family.

Erma Spencer spent the week end with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Niemyer spent Sunday evening in Windsor.

Era West who spent the last two weeks with home folks returned back to her work in Sullivan Saturday.

Helen Denson and Everett King visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Donnel Sunday.

Eunice Sipe spent Saturday with Mrs. Rhoda Floyd.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Everett visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Frederick.

Ralph Jeffers and family and F. Rauch and family were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bud Jeffers.

Odal Wade moved Saturday to the Isaac Alvey farm south of the Coal Shaft bridge.

Merle West spent the week end with home folks.

Mrs. Wes Clark who is in St. Mary's hospital in Decatur is improving.

Lettie West and son Joseph spent Saturday night and Sunday with Odal Wade and family.

Don McDavid spent Saturday night and Sunday in Sullivan.

George Bruce and family spent Saturday night and Sunday with Ray Bruce and family.

Edith West spent Saturday in Bethany.

Several from here attended Burr Woods funeral Monday.

John McMullen moved on Thursday from the Isaac Alvey farm to a farm near Allenville.

### BRUCE

J. R. Williamson is very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Normal Pressy and daughter Norma Jean of Sullivan spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Otto Kinsel.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Ledbetter of Sullivan spent Sunday with H. C. Ledbetter and family.

Mrs. Alta Minor of Windsor spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Reed.

Miss Ruth Kinsel spent Sunday afternoon with Mona Rose.

John Sharp and Mr. and Mrs. Roe Sharp and family and Doris Sharp of Sullivan and Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Bragg called on Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sampson Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Messmore and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Bragg.

Dean Sampson spent Saturday with his aunt, Mrs. Bart Tuill.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Bragg of Gays called on Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Bragg Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale McCulley and son of Gays spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jessie McCulley.

Mr. and Mrs. George King and Mrs. Jessie Sampson and son Olie spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sampson.

Ray Rose spent the week end with home folks.

—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sona and daughter, Mrs. Tella Pearce, and Miss Edith Reed of Windsor spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Martin in Mattoon.

## Stark Bros. Nursery

I HAVE SPECIAL RATES FOR FEBRUARY ORDERS.

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### PROGRAM FOR PURVIS

P. T. A. MEETING FRIDAY

The Purvis P-T Ass'n will have its meeting this Friday night, Feb. 19th, beginning at 7 o'clock sharp. Be there by that time. The program will be opened by music by the Jonathan Creek orchestra.

The audience will then sing, "America."

Mrs. Florence Leeds will read the "Monthly Paper."

Duet—J. B. Martin and Miss Charlotte Barclay.

Reading—Miss Enid Newboud. Speaker of the evening will be Mrs. J. A. Reeder whose subject is "Every Day Life."

Debate "Which is the more practical Horses or tractor?"

The closing song is "America, the Beautiful."

### TICE WILL RETIRE

Representative Homer J. Tice of Greenview, second oldest member of the Illinois house of representatives has announced that he will not be a candidate for re-nomination. Representative Tice, who is chairman of the appropriations committee, has served as a state representative for 26 years.

A 12 per cent increase in the number of hogs on Illinois farms was reported for 1931 by the Illinois and Federal departments of agriculture.

More new automobiles were sold in Illinois in January than in any other month since October, 1931.

## How One Woman Lost 10 Lbs. in a Week

Mrs. Betty Luedeke of Dayton writes: "I am using Kruschen to reduce weight—I lost 10 pounds in one week and cannot say too much to recommend it."

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# Church News

## PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

A. E. Turner, pastor  
9:45 a. m. Church school.  
10:50 a. m. Morning worship.  
6:30 p. m. Young People's meet-  
ing.

No vesper or evening service.  
The attendance contest in Men's class is warming up again. Your attendance may spell victory for your Company, Company "B" was ahead last Sunday.

Subject for morning sermon, is "George Washington, an Immortal." If an organization such as the French Academy had existed in America, when the Union was formed, there is little doubt that the name of George Washington would have been among its honored members. Extreme militarists might contest his title as "First in War" and self-hearted pacifists: might deny that he was "First in Peace," but it is doubtful if any would deny his first place in the "Hearts of his Countrymen." Certainly Edward Howard Griggs is right when he says "Washington had from the beginning the vision of a great United and Independent America and served that vision with unflinching fidelity and selfless devotion to the day of his death." Let us seek to appraise him more perfectly on this bi-centennial of his birth.

The sermon will be preceded by the advancing of the colors by a representative of the Scout troupe and the reading of a "Litany of Patriotism" prepared by the General Council of our church.

The motion pictures of "The Russian Lad" last Sunday evening were full of interest and the loan of the projector by the Pflie Camera Shop in Decatur was greatly appreciated.

The Communicants' Class organized last Sunday held its first regular meeting Wednesday afternoon following the devotional meeting of the Westminster-Circle.

The Presbytery of Mattoon holds a special meeting in our church at 10:00 a. m. Thursday, the 25th inst., to hear the report of a special committee, of which our pastor is chairman, on the revision of the Book of Discipline.

Please note that there will be no vesper or evening service next Sunday.

## BAPTIST CHURCH

S. K. Skinner, Pastor.  
Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. at the home of Mrs. J. M. Wolf.

Worship at the church at 3 p. m. Dr. Skinner's sermon subject is "God's Revelations."

B. Y. T. U. meeting at 7 o'clock Sunday night at the home of Velma Cecil.

Prayer meeting at 7 o'clock on Tuesday night at the church with Richard Grigsby as leader.

## ALLENVILLE AND JONATHAN CR. CHRISTIAN CHURCHES

(W. B. Hopper, Pastor)  
Bible school at Jonathan Creek at 10 o'clock. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30.

Bible school at Allenville at 10 o'clock. There will be no preaching service in the morning, but there will be a service at 7 o'clock in the evening.

## ST. COLUMBA'S CHURCH

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

## EAST COUNTY LINE

Donald Ryan and family spent Sunday with Walter Wisner and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Heerd visited Saturday in Arthur with Mrs. Minnie Heerd and daughters.

Mrs. Raymond Beals and son spent Friday with her mother, Mrs. Sara Drew of Sullivan.

A. J. Sexton spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Wynne in Decatur.

Homer Tohill and Richard Craig of Charleston spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Loren Cadwell and John Craig and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Watson and Claude Watson and family and Dan Shay assisted John Watson with his butchering Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fulton of Detroit is visiting with Walter Wisner and family.

Charles Sanders and family of Arcola spent Sunday at the home of A. J. Sexton.

Mr. and Mrs. John Craig Jr., visited Monday evening with Chas. Pflie and family of Arthur.

L. D. Seass, who has been in a Chicago hospital the past three weeks is some better.

A surprise birthday party was held Friday evening for Mrs. Clarence Watson at her home. Miss Lois Pifer and Vincent Ryan received the prizes for the evening. Refreshments were served. Those present were Miss Edith Otter of Lovington, Lois Piper, Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Maxwell, Mr. and Mrs. Sylvan Rominger of Arthur, Dan Beals, Melvin Watson, Vincent and James Ryan, Mr. and Mrs. John

## ARREST STANDARD OIL STA. ROBBER

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had his truck serviced and then put some air into a tire on his daughter Billie's car left. Dedman waited on another car and filled the gas tank.

When he went into the office Williams pulled his gun and remarked "what do you think about this?" Dedman's hands reached for the ceiling. "Put them down" said the robber "and open the safe." This was done and the robber took what cash was in the box and the change that Dedman had in his coin belt.

This transaction had hardly been completed when Claude Wiley came into the station. "Act as if nothing had happened" said the robber. Wiley left, not suspecting what was going on. Mr. Dedman's brother Bill ramblod in about that time. All the time Williams kept Dedman covered, concealing the weapon beneath his coat. Another car drove up and again Dedman was ordered to give service. When he came in then Williams asked "Do you want to stay here or take a ride with me." "I'd prefer to stay here" was the reply. "All right, then step along out and look at my radiator." While this was being done the robber coolly got into his car and drove away. As soon as he was out of sight Dedman notified the officials. A general roundup alarm went out and the arrest was the result.

Since his arrest it has been proven that Williams had stolen the Dodge he was driving in Decatur. He also has confessed other car thefts and station holdups.

While Williams was still in custody in Monticello Thursday there seemed to be nothing to hold him on there and the prospect is that he will be returned to this county for trial on the robbery charge.

## TAKE NOTICE NOW IF YOU WANT THAT PRIZE

The Merillat Road Supply Company of Monmouth, Illinois gives a complete layette to the first baby born in Illinois to a highway commissioner, road superintendent or other party who makes a living working on roads after Jan. 1st of each year.

This year that prize went to William Thomas Baugher, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Baugher of Whitley township. The newcomer's birthday was on January 10th.

The company in making the award states: "In order that no one may complain that they did not have sufficient notice, we hereby announce that this contest will be repeated next January."

## GRADE BASKETEERS DEFEATED BETHANY TWICE

Wednesday night Coach Whit-church's lightweight and heavy-weight basketball teams of the grade schools went to Bethany to play teams in like divisions there.

The Sullivan lightweight were victorious 12 to 10 and the heavy-weights won their game 18 to 12.

Invitations have been sent out by the local school for an invitational grade school tournament to be played at the Army on Mar. 3rd, 4th and 5th. Four games will be played the first night; 2 the second night and two on Friday night, when the championship will be determined. Trophies will be awarded for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place.

## FAREWELL PARTY FOR NATHAN POWELL FAMILY

Monday evening the South division of Ladies Aid of Jonathan Creek church and their families and neighbors gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Powell and family and tendered them a farewell. Mr. and Mrs. Powell have lived in this vicinity 14 years and are moving to a farm near Cadwell. Refreshments were taken by guests.

The guests present were Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Powell and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Powell, Mr. and Mrs. Al Wooley, Mr. and Mrs. J. Epperson, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bracken, Mr. and Mrs. John Bracken and daughter Helen, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wiley and family, Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Lawson and children, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Carline and son Clifton, Mr. and Mrs. Logan Crane and children.

## L. D. SEASS IN CHICAGO HOSPITAL

L. D. Seass, the well known Jonathan Creek farmer who entered Billings hospital at the U. of Chicago about two weeks ago is still on his back in that institution. He is suffering from a blood clot in his left leg and this affliction is stubborn in yielding to treatment.

He does not know just what started the trouble, but it must have been that he dropped something on his big toe, or perhaps a cow stepped on it. He did not pay much attention to the trouble at first. It became serious however, as it spread upward until the whole limb was affected. He is required to lie on his back all the time and electric light rays are constantly directed at the injured limb.

There are approximately 115,000 more men than women in Illinois.

## THE WEATHER

"Papa, what is that funny white stuff on the ground," is what little children asked their parents Sunday morning. It had snowed during the night. Snow is something so rare around this country that some of the kiddies who have seen some before, had really forgotten what it looked like. It was but a light fall of snow and did not remain very long on the ground.

Since then the weather has been blustery, with a little rain and little sunshine. We heard the other day that the weather in Southern California has been nasty this winter. That's just too bad. We certainly can sympathize with people who have to live in any other kind of weather than that which we have here in Illinois. And we defy the world to produce any stickier mud than that which we have here.

The other day we were in Windsor. We saw some nice looking streets. We decided to investigate and found nicely oiled, passable streets in all parts of the enterprising village. Windsor collects a wheel tax and uses the money to keep its streets passable. The fellows who use the streets pay the tax. Sullivan has some mighty good paved streets, but it has some awfully bad streets. You can't keep dirt streets good without spending a little money and a little time on them.

"Horse drawn farm implements sell well at public sales" we are told by folks who have been there. The horse is coming back as a popular power unit on farms. When farmers discarded horses for farm work, they helped the depression to come on. Tractors and trucks, while they are nice and have their place in farm work, nevertheless eat no oats, or hay or corn. Neither do the fumes from the tractor fertilize the soil. And furthermore, while power farmers buy their fuel from the oil companies, the oil companies buy nothing from the farmer. Look the facts in the face. Greet the old boss with a smile. He's still one of your very best friends. Raise more and better horses. There will be a big demand for them one of these days.

Today there are eight men in the running for the Democratic nomination for Congress—all good men, well qualified and all that. What is important this year is that Democrats be elected. The people are looking toward the Democratic party for relief. Any one of these eight men will make a good congressman, but the important thing is that the Democratic party is bigger than any one of these eight men and it is up to the seven that get beat to help elect the one who wins. People will not approve any Democratic discord after the primary. This applies to all other primary elections too.

There are not many farm sales this year. The farmer, while his lot may not be a bed of roses, is nevertheless in just about as good a place as anybody else—in fact a farmer is in better shape than the unemployed of the cities. You don't hear of any farmers starving or begging bread. The one big, important factor in American life is the farmer. Big business and politicians are having this fact impressed on them very strongly these days.

"What strikes me as funny" said an out-of-town friend the other day "is to read The Progress parade on chain stores. When I look through your paper, I don't see any grocery ads and few other ads to show that the merchants are backing you in that fight. As long as you haven't any chain newspapers to fight against why should you worry?" And our answer is—we are not making this fight for money, for glory or for fame. We are convinced that money cannot be everlastingly sucked out of rural communities without doing immense harm. A newspaper man does not expect to be patted on the back and given lots of advertising every time he tried to do something worthwhile for his community.

Do not put too much faith into those stories you read about the government appropriating millions for relief. About the only way that those millions will affect you is that some day you'll be taxed to help pay them off.

We see where President Hoover has decided to cut down the payroll, by consolidating departments, etc., etc. That's old stuff. Lou Emmerman promised to do that. Every politician promises that and for the President to spring that old gag in a presidential year, is nothing more or less than a political joke. He's had three years in which to start something; why wait till now?

At that, we doubt whether President Hoover is quite as bad as he's painted. We feel kind of grateful to him for defeating the Democrats in 1928. If we Democrats had won and inherited the oncoming depression, oh my! oh my!—it makes me feel faint to even think about it.

## BARNES FAMILY HAVE READ SULLIVAN PROGRESS SINCE ITS BEGINNING

"Mr. Editor: I saw in the Progress last week about Mrs. Celia Hawkins being a long time reader of the Sullivan Progress and you ask if there are any others. I will say that the Progress has been coming to some of my family continuously since the first issue. My father was one of the first subscribers. I was in the far West nine years and it was a weekly visitor. When I went away I knew about every person in Sullivan so the Progress was like a letter from home and at this time it is coming to three of my children, one in Chicago, one at Findlay and one in Springfield.

"I have written a description of Sullivan as it was in 1867 giving names of business firms and locations giving names of lawyers, doctors and other old residents. Don't know whether it would be of interest or not. There are persons in and around Sullivan that are older than I that were born and raised there that could give a more complete history than I can. Perhaps we can hear from some of them some time.

John Barnes  
415 E. Cedar St.  
Springfield, Ill.

## PRE-EASTER RUSH AT THE SHOE FACTORY

The Sullivan factory of the Brown Shoe Company is now, and has been for some weeks, engaged in a pre-Easter rush. It is working to capacity and turning out 5200 pairs of shoe daily. This week's payroll was \$6,530.78.

## BIRTHDAY DINNER

Relatives gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hengst Sunday to help Mrs. Hengst celebrate her birthday anniversary. A big dinner was served at the noon hour. Those present were as follows: Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Shields and family of Westervelt, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Wood and family, who reside southwest of this city, Miss Pauline Banks of Windsor, Mrs. Rose McCarthy and daughter Miss Helen.

## KILBY ON WASHINGTON

At Sunday morning session of the Christian Church Sunday school Prof. Glenn Kilby, History teacher of the Sullivan Township High school will deliver an address on the life of George Washington. Everybody is invited. Prof. Kilby is teacher of the Men's class of the Bible school.

## \$66,000 IN TAXES

While other counties are just getting ready to start collection of taxes, Orman Newbould, county treasurer of Moultrie county reports that his office has already taken in over \$66,000. This money is being distributed to the various taxing bodies as rapidly as possible.

## TO PRUDENTIAL

A warranty deed has been placed on record this week whereby Victor Wiley and wife transfer to the Prudential Insurance Company the northeast quarter in Section 23, township 13, range 6.

Rube Sewell, Bill Day and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Filson of Taylorville visited with Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Filson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Barnett, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hopper and several members of the Christian Endeavor of this city and Jonathan Creek are leaving Friday to attend a two day session of the State Endeavor Convention being held at Litchfield.

Mrs. Angeline Wacaser a former resident of this city, who has been at the Brokaw hospital in Normal the past few weeks was removed to her home in Mt. Pulaski Saturday. Mrs. Wacaser's condition is somewhat improved. Mrs. Levi Patterson who has been with her mother about ten days came home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Moore who recently sold their residence at Newton and spent several weeks at the home of her mother, Mrs. Elvira Stricklan left for Decatur where they expect to reside.

Miss Helen Cummins student of the U. of I. spent the week end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Cummins.

Mrs. J. M. David went to Decatur Monday to attend the funeral of a relative.

Miss Ella Baker is acting as librarian during the absence of Miss Lou Phelps who was called to Kankakee Monday because of the death of her sister in law, Mrs. Phelps.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Harris were under a physicians care the first of the week; both being confined to their home with illness.

Mrs. Susan Dunn was confined to her bed this week with a threatened attack of pneumonia.

Mary Lee Etna Pifer is unable to attend school on account of illness.

Clarence Miller and H. J. Sona went to Louisville where they visited with Mrs. Sona, who is gradually improving in health.

J. C. Judd of Allenville was a business caller here Monday.

Mrs. Bell Patterson of Bruce was a caller here Saturday.

## BURR E. WOOD FOUND DEAD

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ed to Mr. Bankson who is on the same line. He told him that he thought it strange Mr. Wood did not answer and asked that he go over and see what was the matter. When Mr. Bankson arrived at the Wood home, he found the house closed and there was no response to his knocks. The livestock looked hungry and the cows had not been milked. He then called on another neighbor named Orin Goetz and together they went into the house to investigate. They found Burr Wood dead in bed. He had evidently passed away some time Thursday night, in his sleep.

Coroner Robinson was called. As deceased had been under the care of a physician, no inquest was necessary and death certificate was issued showing he had died of chronic heart disease.

This sudden passing was a great shock to his wife and relatives and many friends.

Burr Wood was a son of William N. and Margaret Wood and was born in Lovington township northwest of this city. He lived there until a few years ago when he moved to the Jenkins farm southeast of here. He later bought a farm south of Bethany and lived there until the time of his sudden death.

He was born June 16, 1897 and at time of death was 34 years, 7 months and 25 days of age. He leaves his wife, nee Marie Frantz, to whom he was married Sept. 24, 1927. He also leaves his sisters, Lizzie and Addie in New York and brothers, Harley, Charley and Howard of this community.

In fraternal matters he was a member of the Sullivan Masonic Lodge and the Eastern Star.

The remains were brought to the McMullin Funeral home where they remained until Sunday night when they were taken back to the family home where funeral services were held Monday afternoon in charge of Rev. D. E. Williams. Interment was in Greenhill cemetery and Masons were in charge of the rites at the grave.

The pall bearers were Amos Bankson, Mose Price, Charles Clark, Mark Scheib, Walter Stricklan and Newt Wood.

## CARD OF THANKS

We desire to express our heartfelt thanks to our many kind neighbors and friends who assisted us and spoke words of sympathy in our behalf in our recent bereavement in the loss of our husband

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