

Grain Markets
Wheat 91c; corn 47 to 49c;
oats 33c; market strong

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Produce Markets
Butterfat 21c; eggs 10c
hens 5-8c; springs 8-12c

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Farmers Who Cut Wheat Acreage To Receive Bonus

Preliminary Information Relative to Government Wheat Reduction Plans Received Here. Moultrie May Have Larger Acreage.

Secretary of Agriculture Wallace is planning to carry out the government's plans to reduce wheat acreage through co-operation with the Farm Bureau and extension agencies.

Full details have not been worked out. The outstanding feature of the plan is that the farmers, who have been raising wheat, will be paid a cash bonus this fall for signing agreements by which they promise to reduce their acreage 20% based on their wheat production for the past three years.

It is estimated that the government will pay farmers approximately \$150,000,000 in this wheat reduction program. The money with which to pay this bonus will be realized through collection by the government from millers and other processors of a 30c per bushel processing tax. Out of this 30c per bushel will be taken the cost of administering and applying the act.

Moultrie Committee
A preliminary campaign committee of nine members to assist in this matter has been selected as follows: East Nelson—Orla Kim-

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Does Sullivan Need Municipal Gas Plant

Do Sullivan people want a municipal gas plant? This question is being put up to them by men who are making a canvass of the situation for a St. Louis engineering firm, which would like to build a plant here, with assistance from the Federal government.

The city council held a special meeting Friday night to talk the matter over and gave the St. Louis folks permission to see just how much sentiment there is here for a gas plant.

There is plenty of sentiment for building needed sewers and using Federal Aid to finance the proposition and something may yet be done along that line. The impression prevails that a sewer system could doubtless be built at far less expense at this time than at any time in the future. The plan under consideration would provide for monthly payment for sewer service, instead of assessing the cost of the improvement against the property benefitted. Under this plan, only those using sewers would pay the cost of their use and the Federal government could be repaid out of the revenues thus derived.

Council Votes to Build Side-walks

At Monday night's meeting of the city council a delegation of business men appeared and urged that the council take steps to see that sidewalks are built on Hamilton street leading to the shoe factory.

After discussion, it was decided to have the city attorney draw an ordinance providing for sidewalk construction on South Hamilton street in front of the Stedman property; also from the factory south across the I. C. tracks. Alderman Luke had included in the resolution a provision for building a walk from Jefferson to Harrison street on the east side of Hamilton street. This will be from the Grote garage corner south to the creamery. No provision was made for a walk on Van Buren street from Harrison to Jefferson. A walk is badly needed on the east side of this street.

Not many side walks have been built in Sullivan in recent years. The council is investigating the matter of side-walk ordinances with a view of seeing whether all such ordinances passed in recent years have been complied with.

AUDITING REPORTS

Charles B. Guin of Findlay is working in the office of superintendent of schools Walker, auditing report of the school treasurers. Mr. Guin has been doing this work annually for a number of years past.

Mrs. Stella Everett Bride of W. J. Elzy

W. J. Elzy, prominent farmer and former highway commissioner of this township and Mrs. Stella Everett of this city went to Charleston Thursday of last week and after securing a license were united in marriage by the County Judge. He is 65 years of age and his bride is 53.

They will reside on the Elzy farm southwest of this city.

Mrs. Farlow Wants Her Husband Paroled

Mrs. James Farlow is making another effort to win a parole for her husband, Jim Farlow, who is serving a term in the Southern Illinois penitentiary.

As a necessary step toward getting a parole, she must have some assurance that her husband can find a job upon his release. If any person is willing to employ Mr. Farlow or is willing to help his wife find such employment, she would gladly hear from them.

"Health in an Egg" Wins for Moultrie In 4-H Club Contest

(By Farm Adviser)

Moultrie county 4-H clubs will again be represented at the Springfield fair as a result of the district elimination contest held at Tuscola Tuesday. The Foods club of Sullivan represented by the Misses Mary Fleming and Louise Cochran with Mrs. Bliss Shuman as leader and Mrs. J. H. Hughes as coach was placed as one of the two firsts in the contest. Several counties were represented. The subject of the Moultrie demonstration team "Health in an Egg" proved to be a winner. Two first places were announced for each contest. The winning mate in the foods club project was Vermillion county, the subject of which was "The Unusual uses of Money". Champaign and Macon counties placed first in "outrifts" and Vermillion and Champaign county first in "judging team." Coles came in with Vermillion for first place in 3rd year "dress and undergarment"; for 4th year, Champaign and Shelby placed in the lead.

This is the second year that Mary Fleming has served on a winning demonstration team; she and Gertrude Shirey placed for the state fair contest last year under the leadership of Mrs. Reta Wilson. Due to the fact that the district includes several counties and covers a large territory, the results at Tuscola are looked upon as quite an achievement. Members of winning teams are allowed expenses to the state fair. Those from Moultrie county who attended the event at Tuscola were:

Mrs. Guy Bolin, Dorris and Louise Bolin, Mary Elizabeth Leeds, Esther Epperson, Betty Jean Dolan, Reta Wilson, Mrs. Granville Cochran, Mrs. Frank Fleming, Louise Cochran, Mary Fleming, Mrs. J. E. Leachman, Sallie Lou Leachman, Marjorie Casteel, Edith Brown, Vivian Sivers, Mildred Fleming and Mrs. J. H. Hughes.

Mattoon Medical Men Lose at Golf

The Mattoon medical golf partnership of Morgan & Bryan met their Waterloo on the country club here Wednesday morning. They were defeated by a "big margin" by Dr. J. F. Lawson and Dr. S. W. Johnson.

Some time ago the Sullivan golfers went to Mattoon and brought home a defeat administered to them by the Mattooners. "You come over to our backyard and we'll show you" said Dr. Johnson or words to that effect.

Dr. Morgan and Dr. Bryan accepted the challenge and arrived here shortly after six o'clock Wednesday morning. The battle was interesting and close and while Dr. Johnson boasts about how badly the visitors were beaten, if you place him under oath he'll testify that it was "by just 1 point."

As each team has now won a game, there will doubtless be the "rub" to play off ere the snow flies next fall.

Tournament For Sentel Cup Is Now Under Way

Most Interesting of Local Golf Contests Will Decide Club Championship for the Present Season.

The annual tournament for the Sentel cup, the Champaign trophy of the Sullivan country club is now under way. The first battle was between E. A. McKenzie and Dr. Johnson Sunday morning. All first rounds are to be played by July 31st. Those players who will be unable to compete are asked to notify their opponents and forfeit so the game can proceed without unnecessary delay.

Last year the cup was won by W. R. Davenport of Arthur with Gerald Elder as runner-up. Previous winners have been Carl C. Wolf, W. A. Gardner, O. F. Cochran, T. A. Scott and P. M. Hankla. This year's winner is hard to pick. The line-up for the first round of play is as follows:

Nicholson vs. McPheeters.
McCune vs. Getz.
Campbell vs. Hankla.
McMullin vs. Stocks.
Howell vs. Sentel.
McKenzie vs. Johnson.
Pribble vs. Patterson.
Lawson vs. Wood.
Garber vs. Rhodes.
Smith vs. John Eads.
Brandenburger vs. Hill.
Norris vs. Newbould.
Gardner vs. Kneeder.
Butler vs. Davenport.
Cochran vs. Shell.
Rigney vs. Walker.
Elder vs. Croso.
McLaughlin vs. James Horn.
Fleming vs. Tartar.
Thompson vs. Hudson.
Tabor vs. Frank Eads.
McCorvie vs. Dickerson.
Gauger vs. Leo Horn.

Officers and Men Go to Camp Grant

Sullivan Headquarters Company, Illinois National Guard will entrain here Saturday morning at 2:50 for Camp Grant where they will have 15 days training. On August 10th they will go to Chicago where on the following day they will participate in a great military review which will be witnessed by Gov. Horner. He has invited all past governors to occupy the reviewing stand with him. Infantry, artillery, cavalry, tanks and airplanes will be in this big parade. August 11th is Illinois day at the fair.

Those who will go to camp are First Lieut. D. K. Campbell; 2nd Lieut. J. S. Pribble; staff sergeant H. E. Batson; sergeants F. I. Panches, W. C. Neddin, B. K. Bean, W. O. Foster; corporals Earl Murray, George Hoke, Geo. Sabin, Weldon Gabbart, Jack Brackney.

First class privates—Helmuth Neddin, Bernard Brumfield, Harold Aldridge, Harmon Baggott and John Stevens.

Privates—Guy Shipman, Colva Mayberry, Neal Young, Dean Brackney, Virgil Collins, Leon Brunson, Merle Floyd, Howard Trabue, John V. Anderson, John McKinney and George Dedman.

Helmuth Neddin, Harmon Baggott and Dean Brackney left Wednesday as an advance detail. Capt. James R. Pifer is also already on the scene.

VETERANS FOREIGN WARS

Two new members were taken in by the Veterans of Foreign Wars at their meeting this week. They are Claude Harris and Dr. Myers. The meeting adjourned until August 1st of next week when an open meeting will be held at the town hall in Lovington. The general public is invited to attend.

The national convention will be at Milwaukee August 27th to September 1st. Lawrence Carroll and Dr. W. S. Williamson were some time ago elected delegates to represent the county post.

AT MASONIC HOME

Cyril J. Begg, of Mount Vernon past grand high priest of the Illinois Masons accompanied by Mr. Hitchcock and Mr. Collins of Mt. Vernon were callers at the Illinois Masonic Home Tuesday. Harry W. McLean, secretary of America Lodge of Chicago and his family were also Home visitors Tuesday.

LEGION WILL ELECT OFFICERS AND DELEGATES

The annual meeting of the local American Legion post will be held in the club rooms Thursday, August 3rd. At that time new officers will be elected and delegates and alternates will be selected to represent the post at the state convention which will be held in Rockford, August 26th to 28th.

County Missionary Society Will Meet In Lovington Wed.

The Moultrie County Christian Missionary societies will meet in their Fourth annual convention at the Christian church in Lovington, Wednesday, Aug. 2, 1933.

Program
10:30—Song, Congregation.
Devotional—Mrs. Agnes Kellar, Sullivan.

Prayer—Mrs. Leonard Cornwell Arthur.

Special music—Gays.
Impersonation of Caroline Neville Pearce by Mrs. Bertha Dalton, Bethany.

Blackboard talk, Mrs. Bessie L. Underwood, district secretary.

12:00—25c luncheon, Lovington church.

Luncheon program—Mrs. Gertrude Stradley, Bethany.

1:30—Song, Congregation.

Devotional, Mrs. Belle Hopper, Jonathan Creek church.

Prayer—Mrs. Lydia Milburn, Lovington.

Business session.

Cornet Solo—Harris Wood of Sullivan.

Address, Miss Helen Spaulding, State Secretary.

Special music—Belle Hopper society, Sullivan.

Playlet directed by Miss Etha Lindsay of Lovington.

Song, Congregation.

Benediction.

SUPERVISORS APPROVE DEPOSITORY BANKS

The board of supervisors Friday approved a report of its finance committee which recommended that the following banks were found worthy of being entrusted with county funds: First National of Sullivan; Scott State of Bethany; High State of Dalton City; Hardware State, Lovington; First National and State Bank of Arthur; People's State bank of Alleville and the Commercial State of Windsor.

Earl Walker will Have big Barbecue

August 8th will be a red letter day in the lives of highway commissioners and highway officials of Illinois. On that day they will be guests of Earl Walker at a big barbecue and fish fry at the Walker cabin southeast of this city.

Mr. Walker is owner of Walker Co., a big road surface improvement and road oiling company, with headquarters in this city. For a number of years he has threatened to throw a big shin-dig for the road men but somehow or other the date was never set. Recently one of his friends took the matter out of his hands and announced "Earl is going to give that blow-out August 8th."

"You said it" remarked Earl and preparations have since been under way. A big barbecue outfit is being manufactured in the Walker machine shop and fishermen, chefs and refreshment purveyors have been put on the job to see that there is nothing lacking. It will be an entertainment de luxe.

Provisions are being made to take care of three hundred or more guests.

THREE HOUSES SOLD

Carnine & Wood report the sale of three residence properties: Mrs. Mollie Daum sold her place to Mrs. Gertrude Roley. F. M. Stevens sold a residence property in the north part of town to Mrs. Sarah McClosky.

The property on Blackwood street where Mrs. McClosky lived was bought by Lynn Ledbetter. The consideration in this sale was \$1100.

MILK PRICES GO UP

Because of a higher cost of milk production, three local dairies have already announced a raise in price of 1c per quart beginning August 1st. Milk is now selling at 8c a quart. After August 1st, it will be 9c. An advertisement by the three dairies appears elsewhere in this issue.

IN DECATUR HOSPITAL

Miss Mayme Nicholson of Ft. Myers, Florida who came here last week for her vacation is in the St. Mary's hospital in Decatur where she underwent a major operation Saturday.

Court House Phones Not to Be Re-Instated

Supervisors Get Letter from Manager Hawley Giving Figures on Cost of Service. No Action Is Taken.

The board of supervisors of Moultrie county, meeting in special session Friday, showed no inclination toward reinstating the phones for officials in the court house.

A letter from A. C. Hawley, manager of the local phone company was read but no action was taken thereon.

Mr. Hawley, in his letter, stated that a checkup for the last 15 days of June showed that there were 625 calls to and from the court house.

In past years it has cost the county approximately \$240 per year for phones. That was 3.2 per cent of the cost of running the court house. The average cost per tax payer for such service was .0048 and the average cost for each phone in the court house was .006 per taxpayer.

He called attention to the fact that lack of phones will necessitate more letter writing and an increase in cost of postage. Because officials must go to the telephone office or elsewhere to answer calls, there are many uncompleted calls and considerable inconvenience to the taxpayers who desire to communicate with county officials without paying a personal visit to the county building.

Mr. Hawley stated that there would be not charge to re-connect the court house offices with the local exchange at this time.

As a measure of economy, sponsored by Supervisor Fleming of Arthur, all court house phones except that in the office of Sheriff Lansden were ordered discontinued July 1st.

Pres. Tournament Hopes Are Blasted

One of the most enthusiastic golfers in this community is Col. Edgar Allen McKenzie, president of the Sullivan County Club. His playing has always been interesting and at times spectacular.

In the drawing for the tournament play for the Sentel cup, he was paired with Dr. Stonewall Jackson Johnson, an ex-president and even more enthusiastic golfer than the Colonel.

Sunday morning Dr. Johnson, rearranged the things on the mantle at his home, dusted off a place to set the cup (in case he wins it) and then proceeded to the golf course where he "dusted off" President McKenzie. How it happened is hard to explain. Dr. Johnson says it was "superior skill" but President McKenzie says that the very next match the Doctor will play will prove that "skill" never had anything to do with it. And still they are good friends.

What was the score? They'd both get mad at the editor if he would tell.

More Tax Penalties Added After Aug. 1

The second installment of taxes must be paid on or before August 1st, if it is to escape the added monthly penalty of 1% per month.

County Treasurer Newbould has received a steady flow of taxes all summer, but much remains still to be collected. Penalties on first installment were added after June 1st.

List of delinquent installments on special assessments will be published by the city collector, under a new law that has gone into effect.

All delinquent taxes will be handled as heretofore, the property being advertised as delinquent and sold to tax buyers. Treasurer Newbould has not yet decided just when this will be done but it will doubtless be some time in September and ample notice will be given to the parties interested.

PUBLICATION OF DELINQUENT LIST

Publication of Delinquent list will be made about August 20th.

G.A.R. Postpones Its Reunion One Day

Because the next Sullivan bargain day falls on Wednesday, August 9th, the day that had been set for the annual reunion of Moultrie County Battalion G. A. R., the veterans have postponed their reunion one day and it will be held on Thursday, August 10.

County May Build High Line to Farm

The Moultrie county farm may be supplied with power from Sullivan's municipal plant.

The matter of building a high line from this city to the farm was discussed at Friday's meeting of the county board. The matter was left to the discretion of the county farm committee.

The county will be required to build the high line, if the committee decides to go ahead with the project. Bids for such construction job are being advertised. Notice for such bids appears in this issue. Specifications for bidders are on file in the office of county clerk Paul L. Chippis in the court house.

The county board feels that it may be cheaper in the long run to buy power from Sullivan than to try and maintain a plant of its own at the farm.

Moultrie Checker Players Give Nat'l Champ Competition

The lights burned late Tuesday night in W. H. Walker's store. The occasion was a checker tournament. It started early in the afternoon and continued late into the night.

The occasion for the special get-together of the checker addicts was a visit here of Jesse B. Hampton of San Francisco. Mr. Hampton is a checker wizard and has earned the right to play on national teams in international tournaments.

When W. H. Walker, who is president of the Illinois Checker Ass'n. heard that Mr. Hampton would be in Illinois to play some exhibition games, he invited him to Sullivan. Some of the cream of the county's checker crew were called in and the battle was on.

Those who participated in Tuesday's games were John Nolan of Dalton City, Claude, Clarence and Wash Gould and Clarence Taylor of Lovington; Walt Bean, Joe H. Wood Jr.; Charley Corbin, E. W. Davis and W. H. Walker of this city.

Before coming here Mr. Hampton had played in Springfield. He easily won ten "boards." In Sullivan, however, the Moultrie sharks taught him a "few fine points" and he got beat three games. President Walker tripped him up once; John Nolan did likewise and for good measure Claude Gould also took him to a trimming. As a consequence Mr. Hampton confessed himself duly impressed with the prowess and skill of the local checkers. From here he went to Southern Illinois where he will give several exhibitions.

President Walker says that Sullivan will have another state-wide tournament this fall. It had been planned to have it on Labor Day, but it now seems advisable to have it later in the year.

CHARLES REEDER LEFT TUESDAY ON LONG TRIP

Charles Reeder, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Reeder, left Tuesday morning on a long trip through the west. He is taking the northern route and will stop off at Glacier National Park, thence to Seattle and down the Pacific coast. He had intended leaving a week sooner, but a cousin, Miss Dorothy Smith of California arrived here and he delayed his departure.

Miss Smith also left Tuesday, going with Charles as far as Chicago, from whence she took a southern route to her home in San Diego.

IS VERY ILL

Mrs. Pearl Loy, recently operated for cancer in the Mattoon hospital was brought to her home here Saturday. Her condition is very grave.

LICENSED TO WED

A marriage license has been issued here to Ralph Merold 24 of Dalton City and Miss Anna Mary Dalton 18 of Lake City.

Conference Of Okaw Youth at Bethany in 1934

Successful Meeting of Young People of Christian Churches Came to Close Here Sunday Morning. 81 Were Registered.

The Okaw Christian Youth closed its second successful conference here Sunday morning. Sessions had been held on Friday and Saturday.

It was voted to have next year's conference at Bethany and Rev. Raymond McCallister was chosen dean of the conference and Mrs. McCallister, dean of girls.

Eighty-one registered for this year's conference. All continued in attendance until the close of the conference Sunday. Rev. C. E. Barnett served as dean of the conference and Mrs. Barnett as dean of girls.

The churches represented and the number from each was as follows: Ash Grove 1, Lovington 3, Smysor 12, Shelbyville 8, Sullivan 17, Windsor 13, Cowden 3, Gays 18, Allenville 1, Bethany 5, total 81.

The young people were entertained in Sullivan homes Friday and Saturday nights with breakfast Saturday morning. Other meals were provided by the Loyal Daughters class and served in the church basement, with the exception of the picnic supper in Wyman Park Saturday evening. Recreation periods were provided under the leadership of Sullivan and Bethany churches.

The faculty consisted of Rev. and Mrs. F. B. Ward, Shelbyville, Rev. and Mrs. G. W. Armstrong, Gays, Rev. and Mrs. Raymond McCallister, Bethany, Rev. Carroll Langston, Windsor and Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Barnett, Sullivan.

The program included "Theme Setting" by the dean of the conference, Rev. Barnett, three presentations of "The Church's Book" by Rev. Ward and three studies of "The Church in Action" led by Rev. Armstrong, Rev. Langston and representatives from the conference group. The closing session at 6 o'clock Sunday morning consisted of Youth's statement of "The Church's Expectation of Youth" and adult statement by Rev. McCallister on the same subject.

Long-Delayed Case Again Set for Trial

On August 28th in the local circuit court Fred Wilkie and J. B. Egbert are to be tried on an indictment charging burglary.

These two Jefferson county men are accused of having stolen a lot of things out of the Elmer Bowers residence properties in Jonathan Creek township while the owner was absent from the state. Some of the things taken were recovered. This crime took place several years ago.

In October of 1931 a grand jury indicted the two men. They have since been under bond. Some months ago Wilkie's bondsmen surrendered him and he was in jail here a few weeks until a new bond could be arranged.

Mr. Bowers came from Boston last year to be present for the trial. It was postponed. He is now here with his sons Ralph and Harold, students at Boston. He is anxious that the matter be disposed of before they return to Boston this fall.

Judge Sentel's Condition Alarms

Reports from the bedside of Judge George A. Sentel are to the effect that heart trouble and nervous prostration have undermined his rugged constitution to such an extent that he is unable to move.

COLORED MAN FINED

Raymond Robinson, colored man from New York, was fined \$10 and costs by Judge Lambrecht Wednesday for speeding with a big truck. Officer Hostetter made the arrest.

LOYAL DAUGHTERS

The Loyal Daughters class will have a picnic supper Monday night on the lawn of the home of Mrs. G. R. Fleming.

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THE TASK THAT IS GIVEN YOU

To each one is given a marble to carve for the wall;
A stone that is needed to heighten the beauty of all;
And only his soul has the magic to give it grace;
And only his hands have the cunning to put it in place.

Yes, the task that is given to each one, no other can do;
So the errand is waiting; it has waited through ages for you.
And now you appear; and the hushed ones are turning their gaze,
To see what you do with your chance in the chamber of days.

—Edwin Markham

The Horner Critics

It may not be amiss to occasionally call attention to the fact that these critics who find so much fault with Governor Horner and his program are the same fellows who in past years were bosom political friends of Les Small.

It seems that in all fairness, when they go out making speeches they ought to open their remarks by saying: "I do not want to parade under false colors. I am a friend of Les Small and have never become reconciled to his defeat."

If they did this, it would be all right to then proceed to hammer Governor Horner to their heart's delight. We firmly believe all poison should be properly labelled, whether it be oratorical or in any other form.

Some Passing Comments

In some parts of the world they find people living today in the same primitive ways that their ancestors lived thousands of years ago.

They are born amid surroundings that have not changed perceptibly in centuries. They acquire some crude ability in the art of wresting a living from those surroundings. They mate and have children who carry on after their passing. There is little of ambition, little of that striving which makes of civilized life such a hectic affair.

Civilization makes for change; it is exciting, it is adventuresome, it provides thrills. Likewise it is selfish, it is ambitions, it is heart-breaking and to a great extent it is silly. In the final accounting, the civilized man carries to his grave nothing more than a vague and terrifying religious idea and a regret that he must relinquish what things he has accumulated during a life-time of striving, bickering and grasping.

Civilization is getting to be a sort of "catch as catch can" affair. We all try to prepare for it by accumulating a store of varied and assorted knowledge. We learn some basic facts, a lot of theories, experience a lot of hard knocks and then proceed to ape those who are set before us as models to pattern after.

We have government. Instead of holding to the primitive idea that might is right, we surrender some of our might to organized government so as to insure ourselves against others who arise to prove they are mightier than we. In fear of a hereafter, we join churches and profess religion just as we take out fire insurance on our property. We select men to make laws for us and then hire smart lawyers to find safe ways to break those laws.

Present day civilization is a rough and tumble affair. It places gold and wealth upon pedestals and we fall down and worship them, even as the children of Israel worshipped the golden calf while Moses was on the mountain top communing with God.

If the great Creator, looking over the scum that wiggles around on his fair footstool, with its puny conspiracies, its doubts and fears, its nonsense and its few and isolated spots of sanity and worth, does not become disgusted, it can only be because God is Love and realizes the weakness and the imbecility of man and all his works.

The destiny of man lies far in the future. The present era will be looked back upon by posterity as a dark and deluded age—perhaps the dawn of something more worthy the name of Civilization.

Hard Times That Were Hard

From 1862 on during the Civil War in the South only those who owned land could cope in any way with the high cost of living. The old looms, which had been idle almost a generation were set in motion, and the Negro women wove from daylight to dark. The stout homespun which they produced, clothed, in time, almost everybody in the Confederacy, from the soldier in buttered jeans to the society lady. One of these ladies appeared at a ball in Richmond wearing a dress of homespun, ornamented profusely with gourd seed buttons dyed red.

The ingenuity of the Southern women was taxed to provide substitutes for a thousand and one necessary articles. Coffee, early in the struggle, became so scarce that the limited supply was hoarded for medicinal purposes only—chiefly as a stimulant for soldiers suffering from exhaustion and the shock of wounds. Throughout the country parched corn, browned wheat, ground sorghum seed, or even sliced dried yams were used as substitutes. Tea was made from strawberry leaves, sassafras roots, or huckleberry leaves. The ashes of corn cobs were used to raise dough. When it was found that the roots of the buckeye, boiled with flannel, yielded a fine lather they took the place of

soap in many households. Starch was made from green corn and sweet potatoes. Wild mustard, water cress, wild garlic, sassafras, sorrel and pokeweed were cooked as "greens."

Medicines were very scarce. A quinine pill cost a dollar in Memphis in 1862. Later the price went still higher. The Surgeon-General sent out a formula for a substitute—a tincture of dogwood, poplar, willow bark and whiskey. A cordial for dysentery was made from blackberry roots and persimmons. Lung troubles were treated with a syrup made from mullein leaves and cherry bark.

Although the ladies wore homespun with pride, they did not lose their instinct for personal adornment. Experiments were made constantly to obtain good "fast" dyes. The pine tree root yielded garnet; myrtle, a soft gray; hickory bark made a bright green. Brown was extracted from walnut hulls. The pokeberry produced a brilliant red which was popular for party dresses. Rusty nails were used to set the dye.

Paper, pens and ink were almost unprocureable. The citizens went back to the old-fashioned goosequill, used the reverse side of wallpaper for stationery, and made ink out of the crimson sap of oak galls. One of the severest privations which the women of the Confederacy suffered was the lack of stays to hold up the weight of their voluminous skirts. A blockade runner, coming into a Southern port with a cargo of corsets, disposed of the lot within a very short time at an enormous profit.

Women knitted far into the night by the faint gleam of "Confederate candles" ropes dipped in tallow and wound around bottles. The time came when flour was \$1500 a barrel, bacon \$20 a pound, butter \$20 a pound. The women of the South, however, continued invincible. "We mean to destroy all your food," Federal soldiers told young girls after burning and looting of Columbia, S. C. "Very well," was the reply, "we will live on acorns."

—Excerpts from "Jefferson Davis" by Allen Tate

Progress Reader Urges Action Be Taken On Sewers

The following Communication Calls Attention to Advantage of Taking Action Now When Federal Aid is Available.

Editor The Progress:

I have just read your editorial about the Sullivan Municipal Electric Plant and Water System. It was a fine and worth while editorial. Now, why not go into the matter of sewerage?

I read recently of the preliminary application of the city of Sullivan for a Federal loan for the purpose of constructing a complete sewerage and disposal plant. What has been done about it? How can such a project be worked out without injury to Sullivan property owners?

I have talked to some members of the city council and they do not seem to be very enthusiastic about the prospect for sewers, nor do they seem to be doing anything about it. It seems to me that they are merely waiting for Santa Claus to come and place the Federal loan in their laps. In justice to at least one Commissioner, I will make one exception in that respect.

Judging from newspaper accounts of the provisions of the new Public Works Law, Sullivan should have an advantage in procuring a loan, since, I am told, much of the planning for such a system has already been done, at least once or twice. We could start work almost immediately, which seems to be the desire of the national administration.

Sullivan needs the sewers badly. Nobody will deny that. The contention that we should wait until our water system is paid for is foolish. The government pays 30 per cent now as an outright gift. It is reasonable to suppose that materials and labor are enough cheaper now, also, that such a system could be built for about half what it will cost five years from now. We are almost certain to be compelled to build a system before that time. In either case we would pay for it over a long term of years, with money of the same value. To build now merely means that every dollar will go twice as far as the same dollar will five years from now, in all probability.

Mention sewerage to almost any property owner in Sullivan, and he will wince with pain at the first thought of added property assessments. But explain the proposed plan under the Public Works program and a smile will immediately spread over his face. Federal aid cannot be secured to be paid back by taxation or property assessments. The sewerage system must be self-liquidating. That is it must pay for itself through income. To build a sewerage system property owners must pay a monthly rental for the use of it. If they do not use it, they do not pay.

But it is said that should a property owner once connect up to the sewerage system, his property could not be disconnected for non payment of rental. I do not know about that. I do not know whether defaulted sewer rental could then be assessed against the property or not. However, I would suggest that the sewer and water department be run in conjunction with each other and that the sewer rental be added each month to the bill for water, since ever user of

sanitary sewer would probably be a water customer. Then, should he fail to pay the sewerage rental, his water would be disconnected the same as though he were in default on his water bill. Perhaps some better plan could be worked out. Light, water and sewerage income might all be combined to guarantee the payment of the bonds issued for sewerage, should the latter fail to produce sufficient income to pay for itself.

Regardless of how that might be done, it seems to me that Sullivan is missing a golden opportunity in neglecting to go after a loan for sewerage. That 30% which is donated is going to be paid by the Federal government. Each time each individual resident of Sullivan buys an article and pays a Federal tax, we will pay our share. We will pay it whether we get it or not. Mattoon, Decatur, Windsor, Shelbyville, Bethany, Lovington and Arthur may get their share and build up their communities, giving them that much advantage over Sullivan. In that case Sullivan will not only lag behind her neighbors, but she will help pay the bill which has put those same neighbors in the lead. Think it over.

A Reader.

The Crossroads Store

A wonderful place was the crossroads store,
The kind we used to see,
Where we carried our baskets of new laid eggs
And traded them off for tea,
For sugar, and salt, and laundry soap,
For needles, and nuts, and nails,
For muslin, matches, and underwear,
And buckets and pans and pails.

We liked to trade at the crossroads store,
Where the farmers came in flocks
With rolls of butter so fresh and new,
To barter them off for socks,
For candy, and cakes, and chicken feed,
For shovels, and shoes, and beans
For indigo and sapollo
And molasses from New Orleans

It was great to trade at the crossroads store,
The staple lines of goods,
Where overalls and hand-me-downs
Were kept with the breakfast foods;
With home grown foods and calico
With goods for the gingham frocks,
With plows, and pumps, and garden tools,
Along with bolts and locks.

If you've never dealt at the crossroads store,
You've missed a lot, I see,
And the folks who have will bear me out,
I think we'll all agree—
A wonderful place was the crossroads store,
As it stood in the days of old,
Where we traded our butter and new laid eggs,
For the merchandise they sold.

—Harry Brokaw.

STATE FAIR MONEY FOR BOYS AND GIRLS

Cash awards totaling \$10,212.50 will be distributed to competitors in the Junior Department of the Illinois state fair, Edward S. Collins, general manager, has announced. One of the outstanding features will be the selection of the 4-H clubs' healthiest boy and healthiest girl.

Forum

WE STAND CORRECTED; WE WERE MISINFORMED

4481 Redding Street,
Oakland, California,
July 19, 1933
Mr. Ed C. Brandenburg,
Editor The Sullivan Progress,
Sullivan, Illinois.

Dear Sir:
Will you please mail my Progress to the above address? I begin with this request just in case the beginning should also be the end, so far as you are concerned.

I enjoy your paper as a whole, but the editorials and "Weather" column are especially good. The latter, with its mixture of humor, optimism and pessimism when headed with the previous laconic title I have just quoted was perfect!

Your June 16 issue contained an article from which I quote: "There are but five places where these flowers (Rhododendrons) grow—the mountains of Western North Carolina, Arabia, Scotland, China and India." Horrified to note California was not one of the five favored places, I feverishly searched my "Western Wild Flowers" by Margaret Armstrong and was soothed and reassured by the following paragraph:

"There are many kinds of Rhododendron, most abundant in Asia, resembling Azalea, but with evergreen, leathery leaves. The name is from the Greek, meaning 'rose-tree.' A magnificent shrub, the handsomest in the West, from 3 to 15 feet high, with a grayish trunk and fine evergreen foliage. . . . and in such places as the redwood forests, along the Noyo river in California, where the shrub develops into a small tree, the huge clusters, glowing high above us among the dark forest trees are a wonderful sight. This is the 'State Flower' of Washington."

An over-developed conscience is responsible for the inclusion of the last sentence, which might be interpreted as signifying that Washington has more Rhododendrons than California. Personally, I seriously doubt the correction of such a conclusion.

Trusting you are properly contrite for the shadow you have cast on this fair state, and with sincere wishes for your continued success, I am,

Yours very truly
Estella Dodd

THE GOVERNOR INVITES EDITORS TO STATE FAIR

My dear Editor:
The Eighty-first annual Illinois State Fair will be presented this year from August Nineteenth to Twenty-sixth, inclusive. Notwithstanding our plans for economy we have decided to continue this particular unit of the State's educational system.

The State Fair has been maintained by our State year after year as an educational institution where Illinois farmers learn latest approved methods of crop production, stock and poultry raising, and marketing; where boys and girls from the farm compete in contests under the supervision of the State's leading instructors in agricultural vocational work; and where young women learn the art of scientific home-making.

While the Illinois State Fair is primarily an educational institution, it does not overlook wholesome entertainment. This it provides through free vaudeville attractions, a racing program that draws horses from the Grand Circuit and a splendid horsemanship. One of the entertainment features is All Veterans' Day, Sunday, August 20th.

In all of its eighty-one years of existence, the Illinois State Fair has enjoyed the fullest co-operation from the public press. This has been one of the most powerful factors contributing to the growth and popularity of our State Fair. Within recent years it has become recognized as the greatest State Fair in the nation.

Unquestionably, the Illinois State Fair will retain its position of leadership this year, although, in the interests of economy, appropriations for operating expenses for 1933 and 1934 were reduced appreciably. There have been more inquiries about space reservations this year than ever before at this early date, and the State Fair management is anticipating the greatest season the Fair has ever had.

For the co-operation the State Fair has received from the newspaper editors in the past, and the co-operation I am certain that will be extended as generously this year, I think the editors of Illinois. I am most happy to extend to you, an invitation to attend the 1933 Fair.

Faithfully yours,
Henry Horner, Governor

66 ILLINOIS AIRPORTS

The aeronautics branch of the United States department of commerce has announced that there were 66 airports and landing fields in Illinois on July 1. Thirty-one are partially or fully lighted

"NO ONE READS THE PAPER"

"No one reads the paper," has been repeatedly told every newspaper worker since Ben Franklin set his first line of long primer, and disproven every time the name of a six year old fairy in the school play was printed Lucy Jones instead of Lucy Ann. Everyone from grandma to second cousin Susan will tell the editor that he should have known the little star's name: that it was just wicked to let such a glaring error get into the paper—why, even Lucy would never be the same again without that Ann. "Squeer, isn't it, that nobody reads the paper, except the issue that happens to print a one-word error.—Exchange

Useless Worries

By H. S. Butler

We spend a lot of time
As thru this life we go,
Thinking of the future
And sometimes worry so,
That we are often downcast
When we should pleasures know

It never pays to worry
When things you can't control,
Better just forget them
And try, yourself, control;
Try to see the doughnut
Rather than the hole.

It's right to look ahead
But not too far, I fear,
Our sight is so much better
When what we see is near;
When looking in the distance
Our sight is apt to blur

Many parents worry
Keep in a constant stew,
Wondering what in future years
Their boy or girl will do;
Forgetting that their offspring
Has brains and sinew, too.

Don't look for dangerous bridges
You think you may come to,
Think about the things at hand
You'll have enough to do;
And life will be worth living
While you are passing thru.

17 Years Ago

July 27, 1916

The oats yield in some sections near here was 81 bushels per acre. Lots of corn was blown down last week by the rain and wind storm.

Charles Kelley of the C & E I depot in company with Mrs. Kelly were vacationing in the southern states.

Judge W. K. Whitfield and wife had gone to Portland, Ore., to attend the National convention of Knights of Pythias.

Attorney C. R. Patterson was opening an office in the Odd Fellow building.

TEN YEARS AGO

July 27, 1923

The Masonic Home dairy barn burned Tuesday night.

Waverly Ashbrook, Don Campbell and Merel Wehmhoff were leaving Saturday for three weeks' vacation tour.

Glen Nichols and Miss Oka Seelock were married July 21.

Mrs. Helen Davis was confined in St. Mary's hospital with an eye inflammation.

John Bathe died Thursday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Palmer were planning to move to California.

California was visited by an earth quake Sunday, causing lots of damage according to a letter received from Dr. Bateman.

Gertrude Hoke left Tuesday for Colorado to spend several weeks.

FIVE YEARS AGO

Local Golfers defeated Effingham Thursday.

Ben Luke and family and Miss Regina Fleisher left Tuesday for Oklahoma for a visit.

Mrs. Mary Peters died Wednesday.

Jay Hollingsworth and Mary E. Daugherty were married July 18.

Mrs. Llewellyn Hart, nee Grace Shuff expected to leave Monday on her return trip to Honolulu after a three months' visit in Illinois.

CAN HUGH BE KIDDING?

In last week's Arthur Graphic Clarion, Editor Rigney says: "It is rumored that a brewery is to be built in Lovington. The town has exceptionally good water and an abundance of it, which is one inducement for the proposed industry to be located there."

Wouldn't that be fine! If Arthur gets its oil well, Bethany a distillery, Lovington a brewery, Sullivan an automobile factory; if the Okaw river can be dredged and made navigable; if Dalton City joins one of the big leagues in baseball; if Kirksville and Cadwell each had big flour mills—say this old county of Moultrie would make the world sit up and take notice! All that is necessary is to change the "ifs" into reality.

60 BANKS STILL CLOSED

Out of 670 state banks closed by the March Moratorium, 610 have reopened and only 60 remain closed. State Auditor Edward J. Barrett has announced.

Brandy Sauce

UNDER CIVIL SERVICE

At State Capitol: "How long have you had a job here?"
State Employee: "For the past eight years?"

Visitor: "What have you done?"
Employee: "Nothing much until Horner became governor."

† † †

Allenville Girl: "What's the matter with your Arthur sweetie?"
Gays Girl: "I've thrown him over."

† † †

Allenville G. "Why?"
Gays Girl: "Because he hasn't come to see me for six months and never even writes to me."

† † †

In his best legal manner Judge McDavid informed a Jewish man in his court: "Your wife has an inchoate right of dower outstanding."

"Listen Mr. Judge," said the son of Israel "My wife is a very neat woman. With her you would find nothing outstanding, even every safety pin is in place."

† † †

Another effect of the depression: Most of the fishermen's seines are so rotten that they can't break the seining law, even if they were so inclined.

† † †

Bob Hudson says: "If every man hated to tell a lie as badly as he hates to be called a liar, there would not be so much untruth abroad in the land."

† † †

"You oughtn't to charge me full price for cutting my hair" growled Shorty Hale's bald-headed customer.

"I don't," said Shorty "In your case I charge for having to hunt the hair."

† † †

It was naturalization day in the Circuit Court in Decatur. One young Greek was in court for the first time. He gazed around, much interested. The men inside the bar railing attracted his attention. Learning toward a friend, he remarked: "That's a tough looking bunch of criminals they have in here for trial."

"Don't be silly," was the reply "Those are not criminals. They are the lawyers."

† † †

Judge to Prisoner—"Remember that everything you say will be held against you."

Prisoner—Greta Garbo, Marlene Dietrich, Clara Bow, Norma Shearer, Marian Nixon, Joan Crawford, Janet Gaynor.

—Pana Palladiur

† † †

Another thing that worries some people: "How does a man who wears a wig or toupe know when to change from the dark locks of youth to the silvered sheen of middle age?"

† † †

"Have you ever noticed" asked a friend of ours "that just so long as a man is poor and hard-working he is usually faithful to his wife. Give such a guy a lot of money and plenty of leisure time and he starts looking for new and more exciting love."

† † †

Mike: "Did you know that a kid fell off the court house the other day and didn't get a scratch?"
Ike: "Aw, go on!"

Mike: "Yes sir, you see he fell off the lower step."

† † †

Judge Edwards (to prisoner): "Your face looks familiar. Have you ever been up before me?"

The prisoner: "I don't know Judge. What time do you get up?"

—Adapted.

† † †

We newspaper fellows have our troubles: "The other day a Scotchman entered Editor McIlwain's office in Bethany. 'Elmer' said he, 'if you don't quit printing Scotch jokes, I'll stop borrowing your paper from my neighbors.'"

† † †

"Montie, when you get too old to play ball and your eye-sight fails you, what do you intend to do?" asked Rev. Claude Blue of his younger brother.

"I'll get a job as umpire," said Monte, still sore at being called out at the home plate Sunday.

† † †

Mayme: "I told Bill I'd slap his face if he ever tried to kiss me while chewing tobacco."

Min: "And did you?"

Mayme: "I'll say I did. But let me tell you Min, never slap a man's face while his mouth's full of tobacco juice."

† † †

The man had been much married. He had buried seven wives. He was miserly and could not see the idea of putting a tombstone over each grave, but his conscience troubled him for leaving them unmarked. He finally decided to buy one tombstone for all seven. He studied long over a suitable inscription, which should have a religious spirit. He finally found one and he told the monument dealer: "Engrave a hand pointing upward and under it the words: '7-Up.'"

A woman "makes a fool of a man" with his powerful assistance.

CHURCH NOTES

ST. COLUMBA'S CHURCH

Church services will be held at St. Columba's Catholic church on Sunday at 8 a. m. This being communion day services begin at 8 a. m.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Glenn M. Garber, Pastor

Announcement of services:
Sunday, July 30:
9:45 Sunday school, Dr. Donald Butler, Superintendent. There will be no morning worship.
Sunday, August 6:
9:45 Sunday school. There will be no morning worship.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

C. E. Barnett, Pastor

"Face to Face" and "Borrowing Trouble" will be the sermon subjects at next Sunday's services, morning and evening respectively, 10:30 a. m. to 7:30 p. m.

A congregational business meeting will be held at the close of the morning service, for the consideration of two matters of importance. The service will be shortened that dismissal may be had at the usual time.

At the Christian Endeavor meeting 6:30 p. m. Alta Elder will be the leader. The third, and last of the series of friendship studies will be discussed under the title "Friendship with Those of Other Races."

At 9:30 in the morning the session of the Sunday School will be held, Gerold Elder, superintendent, with Mrs. Leona Stone and the orchestra leading in song. You are invited to participate in the study of God's Word and to have fellowship in all these services.

BAPTIST CHURCH

Miss Bessie Winchester.

Church school at 9:30.
Morning worship at 10:30 a. m. Subject "All Things are Yours."

B. Y. P. U. at 6:30. Subject "Friendship with those of Other Races." Sherman Cohoon, leader. The young people are working very hard for a larger and more interesting B. Y. for the coming months. The B. Y. has been divided into two groups. The Juniors & Intermediate and Senior. The older folks are invited to attend these services.

Evening worship 7:30. Subject, "What is your Age?"

Tuesday evening prayer service at 7:30. The leader will be Paul Reed of Mattoon. Last Sunday the Adult class won the banner. The Hill top contest is still going with the Whites leading 740 points; reds second and blues third. The Ever Ready class is working to double their membership by 1st Sunday in August.

The Sunday school picnic will be held at Wyman park Aug. 6th. Our scripture for this week is Luke 13th chapter.

GOSPEL MISSION

Over the Post Office

Time of services the same.
Ps. 145:19 "He will fulfill the desire of them that fear him."

That is more than a statement. it is a promise. If you fear the lord, which means that you will live a life that will honor him and with a heart that abhors evil, then you have the promise that he will fulfill the desires of your heart. If our hearts are wholly surrendered to him, then the desires of our hearts are spirit controlled, and we will not desire the unholy thing, of that which would dishonor our Lord; but our desires will be godly, which makes it in accordance with his will to grant us the desires of our heart. In Psalms 84 we have a sister to this promise in "No good thing will

PUBLIC SALE

I will sell at public sale at the Stella Everett residence, one block east, 2 block south of the square the following articles of household furniture, on

Saturday, July 29

Beginning at 2 p. m.

1 range stove, 1 heating stove, 1 piano, 1 Edison console; 1 small Edison, 1 Victrola, 1 sideboard, 1 cupboard, 1 kitchen Cabinet, 1 dining table, 1 library table, 3 dining chairs, 1 day bed, 1 bed and other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS — CASH

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be withheld from them that walk uprightly." A holy heart desires only holy things. We may stumble at some of God's promises they seem so broad, and sometimes we feel they have been unfulfilled in our case, but when we study the promise we always find that we have a part to fulfill first, and when we have done our part, God cannot help but do his.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Bible reading at 10:00 a. m. Preaching by W. E. Dudley at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Morning subject. "The rich promises of God as shown in Romans eighth chapter. This is especially for the purpose of encouraging the Christian, yet is a strong appeal to those who have made no profession of faith. The subject of the evening sermon. "The greatest question ever asked by a human being answered in the light of the word of God."

A welcome is extended to all who feel disposed to hear the plain gospel of Jesus Christ presented in a kind yet impressive manner.

Allenville

Fred French of Decatur is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. French.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Childers and Arthur Childers and Mr. and Mrs. Newt Niles were Mattoon visitors last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Blythe and children of near Arthur visited with friends here Sunday.

Miss Lola Gladville of Sullivan visited with Mr. and Mrs. George Leffler Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Denham and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. David Stewart and family.

Francis Chaney has returned to his sister's Mrs. Frank Johnson from the Mattoon hospital where he had a major operation.

A surprise birthday party was tendered Miss Leota Hoskins Friday night by the members of her S. S. class.

David Stewart was a business caller in Shelbyville last Wednesday.

Mrs. W. E. Abell has returned from the Mattoon hospital following a major operation two weeks ago.

Mrs. Mayme McDaniels is on the sick list.

CARD OF THANKS

We thank all friends and neighbors for their kind assistance and sympathy when our beloved wife and mother, Mrs. Sarah Larkins died. Especially do we thank those who participated in the funeral services.

Stephen Larkins and Children

CAESARIAN OPERATION

A caesarian operation was performed last Sunday afternoon at Memorial hospital in Mattoon to effect the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. David Beachy of Arthur.

No More Teamster For Sullivan; City Has Superintendent

Sullivan has a legally appointed "city teamster" but no team. For the first time in the history of the city's oldest residents no team is owned by the city. Its last unfortunate team-owning venture was closed recently when two black mares were sold.

Thus the "city teamster" for Sullivan passes into history with the "poundmaster." The last poundmaster Sullivan had was Herschel Cummins and he did not "pound" much.

To Walter Birch goes the honor of being the last official "city teamster." When the team went out Walt stayed in and is now unofficially known as "The Superintendent of Maintenance, Construction, Repair and Drainage of the Streets and Alleys of the original Town, now City of Sullivan, with all respective Additions thereto." That's quite an advancement from being merely a "city teamster."

Instead of hitching horses to the city grader and other street maintenance and repair machinery, the city has equipped the superintendent with a crawler-type tractor and the results are pleasing. With this tractor hitched to a grader, which Ode Stone engineers, while Walt weights the tractor down to earth and guides it, Sullivan streets are being put to grade. Naturally some property owners get peeved when their drive-ins are wrecked in the effort to open roadside ditches and provide for drainage, but Supt. Birch rides merrily along, intent on doing the best street grading job Sullivan has ever seen.

Goodbye "city teamster! Hail to the new tractor-equipped superintendent! One man equipped with brains and machinery can do a wonderful lot of good work on the streets of Sullivan. Buck Fisher is commissioner of streets and alleys and in such capacity is big boss of the whole job. A commissioner rates higher than a mere superintendent.

Dunn

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Riley have moved to the Carl McKown farm.

Mrs. Birdie Atteberry was a visitor in Allenville Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bristow have moved to the Elam Love place of business and will operate a cream station.

Walter Shipman and Dale Atteberry were Mattoon callers on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Wood spent Sunday in Bement visiting with their daughter, Mrs. Luella Bell and husband.

Nathan Bragg and son were in Sullivan Saturday.

Luther Reedy was a business caller in Sullivan Saturday.

Mrs. Jane McClure and daughter, Mrs. W. R. Wood spent Fri-

day afternoon in Bethany visiting with Mrs. Hannah Cunningham.

The ice cream social at Dunn was well attended and the proceeds will go to Oak Grove church.

Mrs. Birdie Atteberry and daughter Bonnie visited with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Shasteen Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Daum and son Chester Henry called on Will Wood and wife Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Horn and sons and Miss Loraine Woodruff are spending a few days in Chicago and will attend the Century of Progress before returning home.

Vacation Bible School Nears Close

A very successful Vacation Bible school will come to a close at the Church of God building on Water street this week end. The school has been held under the supervision of Mrs. Ruth Castang, the pastor of the church. All children of the community had been invited to attend and 95 were enrolled.

A competent staff of teachers and helpers assisted Mrs. Castang in the work.

The names of the teachers, helpers and pupils enrolled are as follows:

Teachers:

Mrs. B. B. Condo, Beginners; Mrs. W. C. Sipe, Primary; Mrs. Manuel Sipes, Junior; Mrs. Devere Wisely, Intermediate; Mrs. L. G. Castang, Music; Virginia Carpenter, physical education; Sarah Aldridge, hand work.

Helpers

Omer Condo, Wanda Courtright, Prietta Steel, Nancy Condon, Mildred McDonald, Velma Cecil, Helen Cook, Lillian Condon, Lela Stone, Virginia Briscoe.

Pupils

Betty Rose Pedigo, Donald Dean Castang, Paul Castang, Patty Clapp, Robert Aldridge, Jacqueline Adams, Bernadine Kidwell, Mary Margaret Dennis, Mary Lou Garrett, Sonny Garrett,

Johnnie Anderson, Isabelle Augustine, Patty Frederick, Eda Mae Davis, Betty Williamson, Velma Pierson, Tommy Pierson, Eugene Wisely, Betty Marie Guthrie, Dale Weaver,

Millie May Kidwell, Marveta Zimmer, Hugo Zimmer, Floyd Wisely, Genevieve Milburn, Neal Milburn, Helen Williamson, Imogene Weaver, Dean Weaver, Henrietta Dennis,

Betty Dennis, Velma Stone, Mary Lucille Risley, Bonnie Pedigo, Lucy Anne Adams, Paul Augustine, Ilene Risley, Diamond Pierson, Margaret Ellen Preston, Velma Selby,

Norma Jean Pressy, Mabel Kenney, Betty Thompson, Shirley Poland, Floetta Reynolds, Mildred Miller, Helen Miller, Gene Adams, Bobby Babbs, Henry Risley,

Bobby Callahan, Tom Isaac, Hugh Henderson, Junior Williamson, Elwood Aldridge, Edward Arterburn, Don Pedigo, Viola Stone,

Katherine Augustine, Geneva Ashenbrimmer,

Pauline Lee, Irene Loy, Ilene Loy, Annabelle Cole, Wilma Henderson, Myrtle Arterburn, Helen McDonald, Ina Vandever, Betty Queary, Catherine Nichols,

Audrey Quinn, Leone Reed, Alberta Briscoe, Paul Risley, Edward Weaver, Mildred Trailer, June Yates, Roenna Dean, Alfretha Courtright, Harris Aldridge,

Eleanora Lee, Margaret Weaver, Olive Risley, Alta May Wickiser, Marjorie Kenny, Ruthelen Bolin, Charlotte Thompson, Goldie Wisely, Edward Courtright, Melvin Courtright,

Eugene Risley, Otis Moran, Charles Stone, Jack Courtright, James Brafford.

CAMPING AT PIFER'S PARK

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Dunscomb and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Taylor, Mrs. Hugh Roney and Miss Emma Brosam of Arizona went to Pifer's park Sunday where they spent several days camping at one of the cottages. They returned on Wednesday and Miss Brosam left for her home in Jerome, Arizona after having spent several weeks with relatives in this vicinity.

Jesse Poole Freed; No Liquor Charge

Jesse Poole, who was locked up in the county jail Sunday morning July 16th, following an automobile accident in which Mrs. Verbal Waggoner met death, was released from custody Friday.

At the inquest no evidence was forthcoming to show that he was responsible for the accident that caused the fatality. Neither was their sufficient evidence to show that he was driving while drunk.

Because of no concrete evidence showing drunkenness, States Attorney Martin has not filed an information. No warrant on which the man could be held was sworn to by any other person, so there were no grounds on which the man could be further deprived of his liberty.

—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Barnes and son Bobbie of Baltimore, Md., came Saturday to visit his parents Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barnes. They went to Chicago Tuesday to visit Mrs. Barnes' parents and to attend the Wold's Fair.

MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER

A miscellaneous shower was held for Mr. and Mrs. Fred Maxedon at the home of his father D. L. Maxedon Thursday evening. Refreshments of sandwiches, and cookies were furnished by the guests and many nice presents received from them.

Music was furnished by Edward and Faith King, Harrison Maxedon and Paul King. Miss Letha Linder of Mattoon gave several readings.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. John Black and family, Murray Shaw and family, A. A. Holmbeck and family, Mrs. Berdina Fultz, Lewie Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Martin and family, Mrs. Sarah Weaver, Victor Maxedon, Mrs. Freda Linder and family, Miss Juliette Koebel of Mattoon, Wayne Jeffers, Mr. and Mrs. Paul King, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Messmore, Herbert Black, Mr. and Mrs. N. King, Mr. and Mrs. Joe King, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Maxedon and D. L. Maxedon and sons Harrison and Emery.

—Miss Florence McManaway returned to Effingham Sunday after a few weeks visit with her sister Doris.

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Future Farmers

WEEKLY NEWS

Lawrence Filson, his father and H. P. Erwin were in Bement on Tuesday looking for a Chester White pig to head Lawrence's young herd of Chester White sows. Lawrence has some splendid registered gilts that he plans to loan out this fall on a share basis. It would be a good idea for those F. F. A. members who are interested in getting started with Chester Whites to see Lawrence about it.

Free admission tickets to the State Fair on August 21 are available to all Future Farmers at Sullivan.

It is time to be getting those calves and pigs broken to handling and posing for the Section Vocational Show to be held at Arthur, August 16 and 17. All entries at the show must be accompanied by record books up to date. Cash prizes are offered for the following classes:

Baby Beef, Hereford, Angus and Shorthorn breeds starting with \$10.00 for first prize in each breed and providing fifteen premiums. Dairy cattle, including Jersey and Guernsey breeds will receive similar prizes. In the swine division prizes are offered for sow pig, boar pig and litter for each of the following breeds: Duroc Jersey, Poland China, Spotted Poland China, Chester Whites and Hampshire. Prizes are also the same for single barrow and pen of three barrows, any breed.

Prizes in the swine division start at \$6.00 and provide twenty premiums in each class. Prizes are offered for three classes of sheep starting at \$5.00 and providing premiums for pure bred ewe lambs, pure bred ram lambs and fat wethers. Also prizes are offered for farm colts starting at \$10 and providing for five places. A total of \$1000 in cash prizes is being offered.

This money comes from license fees on race tracks in Illinois and is set aside to promote production of more profitable livestock and crops in Illinois through Vocational agriculture projects. While it is not a "Sure Shot" proposition that every boy will win five dollars, nor that any of them will win "Fifty dollars" it is true that every boy who enrolls in vocational agriculture carries a good project and tries, can win something. Practically every Sullivan Future Farmer last year won some money from project exhibits. Thus this prize money is distributed among farm boys who will use it to help them improve their crops and livestock rather than going to the professional showman.

Dalton City

Mrs. Hattie Lock died in the home of her sister, Mrs. Ida Miller Saturday evening. The body was taken to the Monson funeral home where services were held Monday.

A chicken fry was held Wednesday night at the U. B. church.

Merold-Denson

Ralph Merold of this place and Miss Anna Mary Denson of near Casner were married Saturday in Sullivan. Mrs. Merold is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Denson. Mr. Merold is son of Mrs. Lena Merold of this city. The couple will make their home near Hervey City.

The C. E. will hold a picnic at Nelson park Saturday.

Mrs. Ollie Cowger was a Decatur caller Friday.

Lester Miller of Chicago and Henry Bochinn and family of Lincoln are spending a few days here.

Mrs. Laura Snyder and daughter Myrtle were business callers in Sullivan Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Hawbaker purchased the business place of Elmer Ferrall and expect to open business the first of August. Elmer Ferrall and mother have moved to their home in the south part of town.

George Sprague is seriously ill at his home.

Charlie Brown and family of near Pierson spent Saturday here.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Meyers of Moweaqua spent Sunday here with Mrs. Nina Orr.

Mrs. Maggie Dearman and family and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Woolums spent Sunday in Decatur with Glen Dearman and family.

A big basket dinner will be held August 13th in the basement of the U. B. church. There will be both morning and evening services.

C. C. Alberts of Bloomington spent the week end in this city.

T. F. O'Brien and family spent Monday in Decatur.

James Morrison and family spent Sunday with his brother near Lake City.

Mrs. Grace Hight and granddaughter were Decatur callers on Friday.

—Mrs. Nancy Waggoner and the G. F. Allison family visited with Mr. and Mrs. William Sutton Friday. Sunday they were guests at the home of Mrs. Sarah Powell.

FARMERS WHO CUT WHEAT ACREAGE TO RECEIVE A BONUS

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brough and Charles B. Shuman; Marwbone—J. B. Wagemann; Sullivan, M. S. Johnson; Jonathan Creek, C. E. Durr; Whitley, L. E. Daily; Dora, W. W. Reeter; Lowe E. A. Brown; Lovington, John Poole.

It will be the duty of these committee members to assist in organizing the county and community activities along this line.

The farm adviser is expecting to be called to Urbana in the very near future at which time the details of the wheat reduction campaign will be given out.

Moultrie county's wheat compensation basis and allotment for the coming year is based on a five-year average production of 181,760 bushels. These are government compiled figures and were released by the agricultural extension service of the U. of I. this week.

Substantial Bonus

On this sort of basis the Farm Adviser estimates that \$27,000 to \$30,000 will be paid to Moultrie wheat growers if all who have been growing wheat agree to the 20 per cent reduction in acreage. The full amount depends on the price per bushel that is fixed as a compensating payment.

The Moultrie bushels that will be given the government compensation will be approximately 109,056 or 60 per cent of the average wheat production here. It is estimated that 60 per cent or more of the wheat grown in the United States is consumed in it. It is not planned to pay any bonus on an exportable surplus for the big surplus is what the government is trying to prevent.

The rate per bushel of compensation over market price for the farmer who agrees to cut his production 20% will be 25c to 28c per bushel. Whether this will be paid on all crop is undetermined at present. Just what basis the compensation will be figured on is still an unsolved problem.

Details Indefinite

The government is developing this proposition slowly as it puts its plans into effect. The two outstanding features, however, are that the government wants a 20% reduction in wheat acreage and that it will pay a bonus to the farmer who agrees to do that. As a preliminary measure, farmers, who may be interested in this proposition, are asked to get certificates from their threshermen showing the number of bushels of wheat that they have produced in the past three years. The 20% reduction that the government asks will apply for 1934 and 1935. The government may later decide that a smaller reduction in acreage will answer its purpose as well.

Growers who embrace this plan will get two-thirds of their payment in September and the balance after the wheat has been sown. Just how the government can at that time determine the bushel-basis on which to make payment is not quite clear.

The entire plan rests on the decision of the farmers. They will not be forced to reduce acreage and production if they do not want to. The program is entirely voluntary so far as the individual wheat grower is concerned.

More Wheat Farmers

Indications now are that Moultrie county wheat acreage will be greatly increased this fall. Farmers who have been growing wheat the past three years may be willing to reduce their acreage 20%, but several hundred farmers who have not grown wheat in the past will doubtless sow many acres this year.

These indications are not based on any spirit of non-cooperation with the government. Wheat in Moultrie county this year was a good crop—perhaps the only money crop the farmers will have. Thousands of acres of land which were to be planted in corn or soybeans lie fallow, due to the fact that the drought made planting and sowing impossible. This will make ideal wheat land. It will be in excellent condition for working and sowing this fall. Prospects that a reduction in wheat production on the part of regular wheat farmers will tend to keep the price up are a further inducement to an increased wheat acreage on the part of new wheat growers.

How the bonus proposition will affect these new wheat growers cannot be determined at this time. Evidently they will not fare as well as the old wheat grower who subscribes to the government plan and decreases his acreage.

TIRE PRICES

All Goodyear tire prices are up 10% according to information which the Tire & Battery station received Thursday morning. This increase applies on prices which appear in this week's adv., it having been printed when the information arrived. Further advances are in prospect. Save by buying now.

—Mrs. Levi Patterson and Wynona Price returned Monday from a vacation at the Pullman.

CLASSIFIED

FOR RENT, 4 nice rooms, ground floor, private entrance, large porch. See Mrs. G. F. Allison, Phone 233w. 30-1f

FOR SALE—5 room house with garage, cistern; good location; terms. Also a 5 room house, 1 block of ground, small barn, all in good shape. Can be financed to 75% of the purchase price. Inquire Carmine & Wood.

FOR RENT—Craig coal office and sheds along I. C. tracks in west part of city. See Carmine & Wood, phone 66. 28-1f

PIANO TUNING—If you want O. P. Dahman to tune your piano, Call Phone 128 or mail order to Box 10 c/o The Progress. Substantial references furnished. 47-1f

FOR SALE—Several milk cows, some fresh and some fresh cows. One mile north of Jonathan Creek church. W. H. Crozier 24-4t*

WE BUY your poultry, eggs and cream and pay highest market prices. Moultrie County Hatchery, Phone No. 6, Sullivan. 8-1f

ENTERPRISING MEN ARE ROUGH ON RATS

Are you bothered with rats? If so you will be interested in ways of getting rid of them. Two enterprising young Sullivan men have found a way. Clark E. Dennis and Johnson Kelly feed the varmints a sniff of monoxide gas and they (the rats) turn up their toes.

The gas generated in the exhaust fumes of gasoline, is applied by fastening a rubber hose to the automobile exhaust, and while the engine is running the other end is poked into rat holes. The rat don't even have a chance to run into the open air. At the Ed Bayne farm some days ago the two rat exterminators reaped a harvest of 73.

They may branch out in the business and organize the "Sullivan Rat Exterminating Company, Incorporated" and go after rats in a big way. As some rat holes are shallow and do not need much gas, they want a man with an advanced case of halitosis to join with them. On small cases they will have him breathe into the holes, instead of pumping the monoxide gas into them. The effect would doubtless be identical.

LUCILLE FREESE'S BIRTHDAY CELEBRATED AT "CABINS"

In honor of the birthday of Miss Lucille Freese, Ruth Martin and Lula Freese entertained a number of friends at a picnic supper at the Cabins near Lovington. The evening was spent playing croquet and taking boat rides.

Those present were: Misses June Cochran, Melba Blankenship, Janice Maxedon, Wanda Strohl, Alice Kenny, Fern Bolin, Martha and Augusta Burtcheard, Ruth Martin, Lula and Lucille Freese, Betty Reeser and Ina and Cleo Hall and Messrs. Cecil Campbell, Harold Bathe, Lloyd Cochran, Tommy Campbell, Finley and Marion Pifer, Rex Bolin, Loren Jenne, Elvin, Edwin and Floyd McClure, Thomas Pickle and Ross Thomas.

Kirkville

Bill Cummings moved Wednesday to Mr. and Mrs. Bud Montague's house in Kirkville.

The following folks spent Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Ritchey: Miss Gertrude Burgan of St. Louis, Wallace Graven and family, Elmer Graven and family, Edgar Donnell and family, Luther Marble and family and Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Donnell.

Mrs. Pearl Musser and Mrs. Nora Evans spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. Lottie Montague.

Opha Yarnell and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Job Evans.

Frank Buser and family of near Coles spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Niemeyer.

Elmer Sentel is on the sick list. Born Monday to Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Cochran a son. The mother was formerly Miss Kathryn Leeds.

Walter LeCrone and family of Sullivan and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Weakley spent Sunday with Otto LeCrone and family.

Rev. Katie Burks and daughter Mrs. O'Brien of Decatur and Mrs. Rebecca Jeffers spent Sunday with John Floyd and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvel Metz of Villa Grove, Mr. and Mrs. Alvey Dennis of Ellsworth spent Sunday with Jake Musser and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Ritchey, who had been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Ritchey and other relatives returned home Friday. Miss Rosie Graven and Miss Vera Harrington accompanied them home for a few days visit.

Otto Frederick of Peoria spent the week end with Wes Clark and family. Mrs. Frederick and Mary Lou who had been here for some time accompanied him home Monday. Wes Clark who was injured several weeks ago is able to be up

most of the time now.

Lorene Morgan is visiting Grace and Helen Cummins this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd West, Mrs. Louis Bruce and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Devere Wisely.

Sarah Ellen Reeves of New Market, Ind., is spending this week at the home of Elva Clark.

Glen Clark of Chicago spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wes Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Elva Clark and family spent Sunday with Costa Strickler and family in New Market, Ind.

Orval Gustin and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bud Montague.

Gays

Several young people from here attended the Youth's conference in Sullivan Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Fern Thompson of Windsor spent Thursday evening with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Cullen.

Miss Freda Libotte of St. Louis is visiting her mother.

Kenneth Fuller, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Fuller has diphtheria.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Waggoner and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Robey and Mrs. Homer Hogan attended the funeral of Mrs. Verbal Waggoner at Sullivan Wednesday.

Maud Armantrout, Jess Hopper, Eva Phipps, Kenneth Bjurström and Otis Phipps enjoyed a picnic at the river Tuesday evening.

Dorothy Sullivan of St. Louis is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Sullivan.

Junior and Jimmy Stone of Indianapolis are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Stone.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hopper and sons spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Waggoner.

Mr. and Mrs. George Miller and family were Mattoon visitors Saturday evening.

Dr. J. D. Hardinger returned home from a visit with his son at Moline Wednesday.

Russel Hopper spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Don Hopper at Allenville.

Mrs. Dorothy O'Malley and daughter Elsie Bernice, Mrs. W. O. Shaffer and Mrs. Aaron Shaffer were Mattoon visitors Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Storm and family were Mattoon visitors Saturday.

Fullers Point

Mr. and Mrs. John Jenkins and son Lawrence, Mrs. Roy Creath and daughters Lorene and Leona spent Thursday of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Ellis of Whitley township.

Mrs. Stella Vettors of Paris spent the week end with her friend Miss Mabel Furness.

Miss Daisy Crane is confined to her bed with a nervous breakdown.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Cutright of near Danville spent Sunday with Roy Creath and family.

Rev. A. L. Tenneyson of Indiana filled his regular appointment at Mt. Zion Sunday and was entertained in the Arloo Rominger home.

Gordon Johnson of Jonathan Creek spent Sunday with his brother Reuben Johnson and family.

Misses Mary, Rosamond and Opal, Lewis and Joe Crane were Sunday visitors of Walter Crane and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Freese of Muncie, Penn., who were recently married spent Monday night with Logan Crane and family and started home with friends Tuesday.

Mrs. C. M. Phillips and Helen and Mrs. A. V. Phillips spent a few days visiting relatives in Chicago and attending a Century of Progress.

Mrs. Sarah Phillips of Mattoon spent a few days with her son A. V. Phillips while his wife attended the fair in Chicago.

Roy Creath delivered cattle to Chicago last week and attended the Century of Progress. Jesse Gilmer accompanied him.

WAGGONER REUNION

A good program is being prepared for the Waggoner reunion in Wyman Park Sunday. The Decatur Music school orchestra will give a program morning and afternoon; local talent will also be used. The public is invited to bring well-filled baskets and to spend the day with us.

W. I. Martin, Mrs. G. F. Allison and Carlisle, Mary Daugherty, Ray Waggoner and Nellie Boling, committee.

MINOR P. T. A. PICNIC

The fifth annual picnic of Minor P. T. A. will be held at Wyman park, Sullivan, August 6th. All members and friends are invited, also former teachers, pupils and patrons are invited to come and spend the day with us.

—Miss Effie Jester, daughter of Mrs. Theresa Jester of St. Louis is spending a week's vacation visiting her cousin, Miss Bernice Hawbaker of this city.

Whitfield

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Edwards spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Edwards and daughters.

Mrs. Russell Young and Ruth Young spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. Paul King.

Mrs. Reta Wilson and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. S. DeLana.

Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Messmore of Sunday were Mrs. Martha Rhoer of Iowa, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lane and children and Dale and Geneva Waggoner all of Sullivan;

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Waggoner and Verbal of Gays, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Arthur and children and Mr. and Mrs. Paul King and son.

Mr. and Mrs. N. King and daughters spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Young spent Saturday night and Sunday with her parents near Louisville.

Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Myers and children spent Sunday with Emmett Fleming.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Walker spent Sunday with her parents, Howard Williamson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Messmore and children, Mr. and Mrs. Paul King and son, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lane and children and Mrs. Martha Rhoer were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Waggoner in Gays Friday.

Mrs. Martha Rhoer spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. W. S. DeLana.

Mildred and Joy Messmore returned home Sunday after a week's visit in Decatur.

Mrs. Russell Young spent Tuesday with Mrs. Henry Cruse.

Merritt

Mrs. Reuben Bilbrey called on Mrs. John Dillon Wednesday.

Don't forget the Landers' reunion Sunday, July 30 at Wyman park in Sullivan. All relatives and friends have a special invitation.

Mrs. Clifford Davis was a caller in Sullivan Thursday.

Mrs. Victor Landers and family and Mrs. Phoebe Hill of Peoria, James Landers and son Glenn visited with Mrs. Raymond Shasteen Wednesday.

Mrs. Herman Ray and son Willis and Mrs. Ross Thomas and son Ross Jr., spent Thursday in Mattoon.

Straw Burns

Ed Harmon had quite a fire at his place Thursday afternoon. They were bailing straw and the straw stack got on fire and burned and the buildings that were close for a time were in great danger. Quick work of the men and the Lovington fire department saved the buildings.

Mrs. Susie Ray spent Wednesday with her daughter, Mrs. Ray Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. George Miller, Mrs. Ross Thomas, Mrs. Clifford Davis and Mrs. Herman Ray attended the funeral of Mr. Langston in Arthur Friday afternoon.

John Bathe and family spent Sunday with M. and Mrs. Ed Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Thomas and son spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Shasteen.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Powell of Decatur called on Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Powell Sunday evening.

Clifford Davis and family and Mrs. Stella Harris spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Ross Thomas.

Waggoner

Mrs. Paul King called on Mrs. Ed Wade Wednesday.

Juanita Jeffers spent Sunday with Faith King.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert King and children of Sullivan spent Sunday afternoon with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph King.

William Critzer and son were Bruce callers one day last week.

Mrs. George King and daughter spent Tuesday with Fred Sampson and family.

George King and Herman and Kenneth Edwards were Mattoon callers Saturday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dolan and his mother, Mrs. Jerry Dolan were Mattoon callers Saturday.

Mary Ruth and Martha Elmer are planning to attend a Century of Progress.

W. J. King and family spent Saturday evening with Joseph King and family.

Shower for the Dolans

Mrs. Ed Wade entertained several people to a shower in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dolan. Refreshments were ice cream and cake. Those present were: Mrs. Farley Young, Mrs. Faye French, Mrs. Ellis Harpster, Mrs. Fred Elder and son, Mrs. Alva Edwards and Mary, Mrs. Frank Doughty, Mrs. Ben Klepzig, Mrs. Blanche Kimbrough and son, Mrs. N. King, Mrs. Joseph King, Mrs. George King and daughter, Mrs. Paul King, Mrs. Russell Young, Mrs. John Dolan, Mrs. Jerry Dolan, Mrs. Carl Dolan, Mrs. Harry Ames, Mrs. J. F. Lilly, Mrs. John Black, and daughter, Mrs. Alma Buckalew and sons, Mrs. Colleen Dolan and daughter, Mrs. Pierce, Mrs. Powell, Mrs. Ed Wade, Juanita Jeffers, Faith and Grace King, Frances Critzer, Martha Elder, Marie Black, Betty Harpster, Colleen and Aileen King, Mildred Wade and Charles Sampson.

A HOLE IN THE GROUND SOURCE OF ETERNAL HOPE

In our neighboring and progressive village of Arthur they are always looking optimistically into the future and when dame fortune lags in presenting her gifts, they go after them.

In line with this spirit of adventure and progress an oil well is now being drilled on the Jake Kauffman farm 2½ miles southeast of that village.

The Arthur Graphic-Clarion states that two years ago Arthur business men formed a company and secured leases on 18,000 acres. Nothing was done at that time to tap the underground flow of liquid gold. Recently, however, A. M. Myers and Sons of Casey started drilling. In three weeks Mr. Myers hopes to spread glad tidings of success to the Arthur boosters.

Editor Rigney says: "Arthur may be an oil town, even the most skeptical admit the possibility."

Here's hoping Arthur fares better than Sullivan's would-be oil magnates did a few years ago.

—Mrs. Sherman Robinson and son Dickie of Arthur visited Sunday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Loveless.

—Miss Enid Newbould returned to her home Sunday after spending a week at the home of a friend in Urbana.

¶ The average girl declines to marry a lot of men because they neglect to ask her.

Willie: "There's a fellow ringing the doorbell, Mamma."

Mamma: "See if he has a bill."

Will: "No he ain't. He's got a plain nose just like other folks."

Milk Will Be 9c Per Quart

BEGINNING AUGUST 1ST THE UNDERSIGNED DAIRIES WILL SELL AND DELIVER MILK AT 9c PER QUART; PINTS WILL REMAIN AT 5c.

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ANNOUNCEMENT

We are pleased to inform our patrons who are contestants in the "CENTURY OF PROGRESS TOUR" Which we are to give, that this trip will be GIVEN away AUGUST 9TH. Just two weeks to work.

The next few days will mean much to you, and the contestants are working hard. Get your friends to help you secure these coupons, that you may be the lucky one in getting this

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Hot and Dry Sundays Put Sweat and Pep Into Baseball Contests

Mattoon Stops Brownie Splurge to Win, 4 to 3

By Jim Scott

The Mattoon Boosters nosed out the Browns, 4 to 3 here Sunday when putrid local base-running joined with some dubious decisions to protect the visitor's slender lead against a murderous Brownie attack concentrated in the hectic last two frames. The setback lowered the Bolinmen to an even-Stephen rating in the Illinois standings.

Although Mattoon's slender, handsome Paul Duncan rendered the best pitching performance viewed at the local park this season he would have at least seen the totals squared in the ninth were it not for some mighty tough breaks and some whimsical officiating. The dark-complexioned ace gave up only 5 hits—three coming in the tumultuous 8th and 9th—and in addition threw in 15 strikeouts, striking out 14, and permitting but two bingles.

Franky Jennings, regular Brownie caster from Casner, was unable to be present due to illness so Sunday morn found our little manager scouring the countryside in search of a hurler not affiliated with Shorty Hale's Daltonians. He found in the person of Windsor's big Dale Rozene.

While warming up on the high school athletic field during the Indee scuffle, Dale had the misfortune of ripping a lengthy gash in the third digit on his pitching hand. Despite this handicap and mindful of the fact that Bill Carrington's pulverizing crew verily thrives on fast ball hurling, the burly, sweet-faced kid did a neat job. Mattoon's ten hits were well distributed with no more than two coming in a single inning. Jennings, their veteran shortstop and a mighty slugger, found the going particularly tough. After lifting a high fly to Moberly on the first pitch of the game he opined that the matinee should see the swelling of their already fat batting marks. Events proved otherwise in his case anyway. In his four ensuing attempts he fouled to Trago, went out to Jarvis unassisted, was tossed out by Trago, and on his farewell appearance skied to ball-hawk Blue who came in fast to register a shoe string snatch of the ball.

For five full innings not one foot ball was heard on the sharply pointed pan. The Brownies were progressing against Mr. Duncan in much the same manner as Micky Mouse against King Kong, whereas the Mattooners were threatening at every turn. Moberly walked to open the second but Renshaw, Elliott, and Blue could do nothing about it. When gangling Ralph Jarvis doubled to start the third, fans were ready to wager on a solid week of rain. Evidently his mates were stunned by his wholly uncommon behavior for Rozene, Poland, and Hooten fanned in that order. Renshaw poled a single to center with two down in the fourth but a moment later he was tagged out in vain attempt to pilfer second. Jarvis got back into stride the following chapter with his habitual three futile swings. Fielder Blue then duplicated the stunt.

Each inning found Mattoon getting runners on base but able to advance them anywhere in particular. The fourth was typical of their wasted efforts. Boyle, a handsome blond, sporting colored spectacles, singled but was forced at second by manager Carrington. Kenny Tewell, the Illini's Sophomore finger, drove a single off Rozene's shin, Carrington pulling up at third. Peck Gossett, the little pugilist, then pounded the pellet out to left only to see Blue streak in to spear it on the dead run.

Both contingents crossed the

plate with unearned runs in the sixth. Deb Bales set Mattoon off with a single to left and, after pausing in respect while Blue was bagging Boyle's exceptionally lofty fly, sprinted to third when Carrington belted one to left. The ball was hurriedly retrieved and forwarded to Trago in time to tag out Bales. Bill missed it, however, and Bales hiked home. Tewell was safe on Moberly's muff and Carrington trotted in.

In the latter half of the sixth Duncan whiffed Hooten, Trago, and Rozene but made the mistake of walking Poland. Fritz took second on a passed ball and scored when the catcher threw the ball over third in an attempt to prevent him from stealing.

The Brownies went down in order in the seventh while Mattoon did likewise in the seventh and eighth. That brings us down to the woeful part of the story. Moving into the last half of the eighth on the small end of a 2 to 1 score the Brown's allotted three put outs proved unorthodox things that should never have occurred. Blue touched off—better said—Duncan touched Monte with a pitched ball. Dennis was asked to bat for the feeble Jarvis and responded willingly by arching a hit to center. Blue stopped at second, then stole third. While this was being done, Dennis raced for second but was called out. Blue, in the meantime, had stepped off third and was debating with himself in regards to his destination. Unfortunately he was not given time to flip a coin for the second baseman placed him in the well-known hot-box by pegging to the catcher. After a few seconds of scampering back and forth like a caged rat, he was tagged out. To make this display of base running all the more sorrowful, Rozene drew a life when the shortstop fumbled his ground-er. Rosy stole second and third and after Poland had walked it looked as though the Brownies still might score. Clabaugh was designated to swing for Hooten and the change was made known to the official scorer. Clabaugh lunged at the first pitch, after which catcher Patterson bellowed, "Yer out! Yer failed to tell the ump!" "Yes," said Mr. Ace Johnson "Yer out." Needless to say there were several minutes of protest but Mr. Johnson vigorously denied having heard the transaction.

After retiring Tewell and Gossett to start the ninth, Rozene passed Gullion. Were it not for this bit of charity his mates could have evened the totals by their last half rally. As was he walked Gullion who scored on Patterson's double to center. Duncan then won his own game by cracking a single to right.

The Bolinmen put forth a determined effort on their last stand but production stopped just one run short of a tie. Trago sailed a long line drive to Bales. Moberly came through with his only blow, a double. Grote was sent in to run for Moberly. Renshaw rifled a home run to the lake in right field and scored behind Grote. Cowell, batting for Elliott, struck out. The arbiters then showed that they can give as well as take by granting Blue a base on the grounds that the ball had hit him. Monte admirably aped an injured man as he teetered down to first. Dennis then closed the show with a little bouncer down the first base line which the pitcher took care of.

Monte Blue was the best defensive man on the premises while Renshaw packed the big offensive guns. Duncan evidently had something on the ball as is attested by his twin feats of striking out both Moberly and Trago twice.

Mattoon Boosters	AB	R	H	E
Hennings, ss	5	0	0	0
D. Bales, lf	4	1	1	0
Boyle, cf	4	0	2	0
Carrington, lb	4	1	1	0
K. Tewell, rf	3	0	1	0
Gossett, 2b	4	0	0	1
Gullion, 3b	3	1	1	0
Patterson, c	4	1	2	1
Duncan, p	4	0	2	0
	35	4	10	2

Browns	AB	R	H	E
Poland, 2b	2	1	0	2
Hooten, rf	3	0	0	0
Trago, 3b	4	0	0	1
Moberly, ss	3	0	1	1
Renshaw, c	3	1	2	0
Elliott, cf	3	0	0	0
Blue, lf	2	0	0	0
Jarvis, lb	2	0	1	0
Dennis, lb	2	0	1	0
Rozene, p	3	0	0	0
Clabaugh, x	1	0	0	0
Grote, y	0	1	0	0
Cowell, z	1	0	0	0
	29	3	5	4

x—Batted for Hooten in 8th.
y—Ran for Moberly in 9th.
z—Batted for Elliott in 9th.

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Doubles—Moberly, Jarvis and

FISHING STORY FROM FAR AWAY NORTH CAROLINA

July 22, 1933

Mr. Ed C. Brandenburg, Editor The Progress, Dear Ed:

I have been reading some of your "fishing tales" in The Progress, as well as some of the doubts that have been cast on the veracity of some of your "Isaac Walton's." I could really tell you some fish stories, but you want to remember that I am living down here where fishermen catch fish. Yesterday three of us were out for the afternoon, half a mile from town, and took in 58 real fish. Among them were about 35 beautiful grey trout and the rest were croakers and perch. Crabbing is good now, and you can always get all of them you want.

We have had a well balanced season down here this summer. Just the right amount of rain, and the tobacco crop is the best it has ever been. The potato crop was unusually good, with very satisfactory prices.

All of the lumber mills are running full capacity, the largest in the city employing 450 men. And it is well to remember that not a mill in town, with the exception of one small mill, has run a day for three years. The mills have sufficient orders for all summer, if they do not receive any more. It seems as if we are well on the way to recovery down here.

I enjoy The Progress very much, and look forward to its arrival every Saturday.

With best personal wishes, I am
Yours very truly,
Raymond Fuson

Speaking of Sports

(By Jim Scott)

Sunday's Chart
Sullivan Browns at Elwin
Dalton City at Mattoon
Taylorville at Macon.

Only one game will be played here Sunday, that a battle between the Elder Indees and Lovington. If the local youngsters can trip the fast stepping Lovington aggregation they will be well in line for a Moultrie county championship as the scalps of Arthur, Bethany, and Windsor are already dangling from their belt. Perhaps a post-season, intra-city clash between the Indees and Browns can be arranged with the winner to bear the mythical label. But first Lovington must be attended to.

Brownie Batting Barometer	AB	H	Pct.
Don Moberley	12	7	.583
Bill Trago	39	15	.384
Bryan Renshaw	37	14	.362
Purvis Tabor	16	5	.312
Frank Jennings	13	4	.307
Hugh Grote	13	3	.230
Fritz Poland	35	7	.200
Clark Dennis	20	4	.200
Monte Blue	35	6	.171
Owen Clabaugh	12	2	.166
Ralph Jarvis	13	2	.153
Burl Hooten	14	1	.071

Contrary to this column's report the Chocolate Shoppe's weekly baseball award concerns only the Bolin Browns. However Hawbaker's Cafe has come to the aid of Dale Elder's Indees with a like contribution of a milkshake to the leading hitter each week together with a milk shake for the author of each and every home run drive. What has Colonel Meeker to offer?

DALTON A WINNER

Some inexcusable negligence on the part of manager Hale prevents us from bringing a complete account of Dalton's 4 to 3 victory over Taylorville Sunday to the many Progress subscribers in and around that place.

It may be stated, however, that the Grays achieved their maiden win in the second-half penant chase through the superb pitching of the elongated, rawboned Bill Kinsel of Bruce. Wild Willie went the entire route allowing but 6 hits and striking out 15. Seemingly the loop's most promising prospect has come into his own and, now able to last the full 9 innings, should prove the sensation of the last fall.

Once again the saneness of Hale's large squad of slingers was brought into evidence when Dopey Clark reported with an ugly gasp on his chief pitching finger while Joe Toth was one of the victims in a series of freak pre-game accidents.

During batting practice, Parrish the Taylorville left fielder, permitted the bat to slip from his grip. The bludgeon flew towards a group of Dalton players puncturing Joe Toth on his side and rendering him unconscious. Caroming from Toth's ribs the ash struck Finch on the top of his head to score another knockout. The third accident resulting from Parrish's carelessness occurred when Finch threw the ball just as he was hit by the runaway bat. The pill bounced off the dome belonging to first baseman Dearman.

A fourth accident went on record in the first inning when Steve Toth slid headlong into home, slicing a piece of flesh from around his eye.

Messrs. Clabaugh, Jarvis and Hooten of Gays, who play Sunday baseball for the Bolin firm, have a combined batting average of .128. Outfielders and first basemen, you know, are expected to hit at least .300 in anybody's league and no club can expect to win consistently with gardeners who average below the .200 mark. Too, semi-pro importations are expected to be above the average, otherwise the home town market would be patronized. There are several fellows in this vicinity who would prove a decided betterment to this trio.

But if the above three are fixtures would Don Moberly be so kind as to take them aside some afternoon for a little instruction in the proper etiquette at the plate?

However these fops are sluggers when likened to Elliott of Strasburg who would not make Mr. Whoosis Boy Scout team. Elliott is to be remembered as the pitcher who succeeded Easley in the near-disastrous Elwin tilt and who was promptly hammered off the hill. But as a batter the Strasburg citizen is a dandy pitcher. His poise is stiff and unnatural; he swings with a hurried little motion seemingly with no intention of encountering the apple.

Poor Amos Hale! His Dalton "nine" must play as many as one game per week and yet the club possesses but five capable backstops. They are: Finch of Decatur; Bean of Assumption; Boyer of Bloomington; Welsh of Dalton; and Dickson of Lake City.

Bean owns a prosperous chicken hatchery down Assumption way.

Hale is now contemplating the division of his club into two squads with one, under the direction of Jay Dickson, to play on the road each Sabbath. At the end of the season the boys plan to do a bit of barnstorming through the South.

It was an adamant Monsieur Shorty that stormed into Sam Bolin's den last week. Thoroughly aroused over the last half schedule which gave Dalton a long chain of Sundays away from home the flighty little man delivered his ultimatum calling for a new deal. In fact he even threatened to withdraw. (Shame on you Shorty, for scaring us that way). However, differences were patched when Sammy agreed to reverse his Dalton engagements. The change brings them here on August 13th while the Browns will journey to their layout on September 17, the closing date.

Dale Elder's second stringers discharged a 19-hit shell Sunday to kick over the Kirsksville team by a 7 to 2 score. Hits were distributed as follows: Meadows 3, Hale 4, Purvis 3, Jack Poland 2, Tony O. Howard Poland 0, Baggett 3, Barclay 2 and McDonald 2.

Grounders—After being relegated to a bench-warming role out-fielder Gene Goodwin of the Dalton club hoisted the white flag, or more clearly put, he withdrew from the tribe of Hale. . . Hale's slow-ball slinger Joe Toth thrives on his own product. . . Give him a slow offering two yards from the plate and he'll swing with much gusto. . . Not so long ago in one of Decatur's city league tilts he was at bat with two runners on base. After running the count to 2 and 3 the pitcher perfunctorily dished up a slow one and then watched Joe lift it out of the park. . . The Cubs are playing a double header at St. Louis Sunday, July 30th. . .

John Kauffman, whom you saw on the Arthur firing line last Sunday, is partially deaf. . . The former Amishman was with Decatur's Van Winkle Plumbers the early part of this season. . . The historic Roland, nephew of France's Charlemagne, was 8 feet tall. . . Dame Rumor has Arthur's Harold Bouck matriculating at Northwestern this fall. . . J. E. Hayes, who keeps score for the Mattoon Boosters, is expected to star for Bob Horsely's green and gold clad grid-der this fall. . . He is a junior halfback. . . According to the husky youngster, Horsely has several underclassmen slated to overtake some of last year's regulars. . .

Do the ladies also prefer blonds? If so they will do well to follow Bill Carrington's club for in Boyle and collegian Ken Tewell the Mattooners have two handsome gents with the platinum-

Indees' Late Rally Tops Arthur 6 to 5

Badly beaten throughout 8 innings of play last Sunday, the gritty Sullivan Indees staged a lethal uprising in the last half of the ninth which netted them 4 runs and a 6 to 5 triumph over the Arthur Roosters. This plucky accomplishment added a fifth notch to the youngsters' current winning streak.

Pink-complexioned John Kauffman, a converted Amishman, who slings for Arthur, was a remarkable workman, that is for eight innings. During this period he whipped over a troublesome fast ball which fanned 14 Indee batsmen and restricted them to 6 hits. Apparently pestered by this feat, John's fast one lost much of its former sting and in a single last inning coup locals overcame his supposedly safe advantage.

Going into the last half trailing 5 to 2, the Eldermen's hopes began to fade when Dorman Shirey, who previously had cracked out 3 hits, led off with a strike out. Clark Dennis then kindled the game winning rally with a single down the third base line. Clark took second when the third sacker threw poorly to first. Earl Freeman was plunked by a pitched ball. Vernon Elder then trickled an easy roller to the shortstop whose wild peg to first enabled both Dennis and Freeman to score. Stark, hitless in four missions to the plate, swatted a two base drive out over third which brought in Elder with the tying run. Pronto the visiting "Boosters" were transformed into a band of knockers and headed by an agitated "Red" Day they advanced on the umpire claiming that Stark's wallop had descended in foul territory. However, the stern arbiter would have none of Day's lip so the wrangling subsided and the laborers returned to their respective posts. Order restored, Otis Cowell, long overdue, stepped to the plate and busted a liner out over second which permitted Stark to come skipping home with a cup filled with victories' sweet, sweet nectar.

Clark Dennis was far below his usual pitching form and was combed for a dozen base hits but gained a lucky decision when his mates put on their rousing comeback. Clark seemed to be doing a noticeable bit of coasting for whenever the Boosters threatened he always managed to advert any serious damage. The main item in his curtailing of Arthur's frequent little rebellions was a tricky drop which served nobly in the whiffing of 13 hitters.

Arthur initiated the scoring racket in the first. After G. Wilson had been retired, L. Wilson—not Hack—doubled and scored on H. Lacy's triple. Dennis then tightened to fan Blaise and Vandever. An error and a hit batsman failed to benefit the Indees in their portion of the round.

The Knights were retired in order in their half of the second but the home boys counted 2 runs to capture the lead. After Stearns had struck out, George Poland was rapped by one of Kauffman's serves. Dale Elder was tossed out by the second baseman, Poland scooting to second. Shirey released the first of his three-single series to drive in Poland and he romped in a moment later when Dennis sent out a two bagger.

L. Wilson and H. Lacy again collaborated in the third with singles which served to notch the count. Vernon Elder led off for Sullivan with a safety but Stark, Cowell and Stearns went down swinging.

V. Elder's fumble and singles by Taylor and Kenney produced 2 more visiting runs in the fourth. The locals were quite docile during the fourth, fifth and sixth. The three batters who faced Kauffman in the fifth—Freeman, V. Elder, and Stark—were all retired on strikes.

Arthur's final run was marked up in the sixth and it was certainly of the earned variety as three

locks so glorified by Anita Loss with the assistance of la belle Harlow. Umpire Ace Johnson "calls 'em as he sees 'em" and his decision are capably protected from potential razz by a pair of iron dukes. Ray Rex, Decatur's greatest all-around athlete would like to play with either Dalton or Sullivan. As a slugger Ruby is as far beyond Strasburg's Elliott as Kate Smith would be behind Glenn Cunningham at 2,000 metres. Speaking of versatile fellows, Duke Montgomery is only a few steps behind Rex. The little speedster is the best offensive cager around Decatur and as a netter takes second rank only to champion, Paul Schildneck and possibly Jimmy Dunning. Sullivan golfers are said to be losing interest in their inter-club matches. . . Rev. York of Findlay is a seller of beer.

hits were utilized in its production. Dennis then began to bear down in earnest and only 11 men faced him in the three closing frames. He sped a third strike past 3 batters in each the eighth and ninth.

In the seventh Shirey and Dennis contributed infield singles and V. Elder a bit of bruised flesh but all to no avail. The boys were even more dismal in the eighth with Stearns and Pifer whiffing and Dale Elder going out via the shortfielder. Then came the glorious, glamorous, and pre-recorded ninth.

This contest represented the opening half of a double bill waged at the northend diamond and was well patronized to say the least.

Arthur Boosters	AB	R	H	E
G. Wilson, 2b	5	0	0	0
L. Wilson, rf	5	2	3	0
H. Lacy, cf	5	0	2	0
Blaise, lb	4	0	1	0
Vandever, 3b	5	1	1	1
C. Lacy, lf	4	0	0	0
Taylor, ss	4	2	2	2
Kenney, c	3	0	1	0
Kauffman, p	4	0	1	0
Cook, c	1	0	1	1
	40	5	12	4

Sullivan Indees	AB	R	H	E
Freeman, cf	4	1	0	0
V. Elder, ss	4	1	2	1
Stark, 2b	5	1	1	0
Cowell, c	3	0	1	0
Stearns, 3b	4	0	0	0
Poland, lf	1	1	0	0
Pifer, rf	2	0	0	0
D. Elder, lb	4	0	0	0
Shirey, lf	4	1	3	0
Dennis, p	4	1	3	0
	35	6	10	1

Arthur	101	201	000	—5
Sullivan	020	000	004	—6

Two base hits — L. Wilson, Stark and Dennis. Triples, H. Lacy Umpires—Prettyman, Spagh.

THEY'VE RETURNED FROM THE MOUNTAINS

The Carl Hill family and Miss Evelyn Dunscomb returned Friday night from a two-weeks vacation trip spent in Colorado. They visited at Denver and other interesting points.

Early this week the R. A. Scheer family returned from a summer vacation at Boulder where Mr. Scheer attended the University.

Dr. and Mrs. George Roney also got back this week from Boulder where Mrs. Roney attended the University while George fished and accumulated a coat of Rocky Mountain tan.

All report having had a good time.

—John Waltz of Bedford, Ind., spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Gauger.

Double-Header Sunday Afternoon In Jno. Creek

A double-header will be played Sunday on the Davis diamond in Jonathan Creek. The visiting teams are Mattoon Coal Co., and Coles Station. The Mattoon game scheduled for last Sunday was cancelled.

EARL SMITH SPOKE

TO A BIG AUDIENCE

A big number of Moultrie county farmers and business men and their families attended the meeting addressed here Friday night by Earl Smith, president of the Illinois Agricultural Association.

There were also delegations present from neighboring counties. Charles Shuman, president of the local Farm Bureau presided. A group of young people from Shelby county gave some musical selections.

Mr. Smith in his talk stressed the need of better organizations among farmers in order to improve general conditions as they affect agriculture. Only by organizing and asserting their rights can they secure the full benefits of President Roosevelt's rehabilitation program for the farmers of the nation.

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Jar Rings 3 PKGS. 10c
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Pen-Jel PKG. 14c

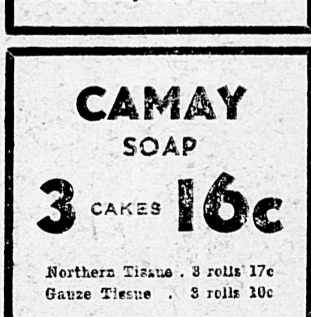
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At the THEATRE

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley (Ike) Bromley are invited to see a show at The Grand theatre as guests of The Progress. This applies to any one of the shows advertised this week.

For instance, if they like westerns, they can see Tom Keene in a thrilling action play "Son of the Border" which appears here Friday and Saturday. There are some added features, for details of which readers are referred to Mr. Hays adv. on page 8. This fellow Tom Keene has a rather romantic past. He was born in Sleepy Hollow, New York. His adventure-some spirit caused him to run away from home at the age of 9. He drifted west, became a cowboy and later an actor.

"Peg 'O My Heart" If ever a play seemed to be written to just fit an actress, it is Sunday and Monday at The Grand. Miss Davies acts to perfection the part of the little Irish gamin, taken into the home of the socially prominent relatives. You'll like this play. We stake our reputation as a predictor of "likes" on that statement.

You'll find J. Farrell McDonald very good and we are just a little more than usually interested to see what Miss Davies new leading man, Onslow Stevens can do.

And Now, listen everybody—Manager Hays says: "added enjoyment" will be Dorothy Grainger, Tom Kennedy and others in "She Out Done Him." This is a travesty on the sensational picture "She Done Him Wrong" in which Mae West scored such a tremendous hit. Liberty Magazine gave this picture a 4-star rating and Mae West—well, what she "done" to the average man's heart will never be fully known until the recording angel strikes a balance on the books of life.

Tuesday's Show If the three couples that The Progress is inviting this week want to see something with plenty of gay humor, we'd suggest that they attend either Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday. (One of the three couples invited is Mr. and Mrs. Levy Dickerson. This is the invitation). On Tuesday, a good lineup of comedians, headed by Ginger Rogers present "Professional Sweetheart." It is a sort of take-off on radio stars and the goofy ginks who think such agitation of the air is advertising. There is plenty of clean humor, participated in by Norman Foster, Zazu Pitts, Frank McHugh, Allen Jenkins, Gregory Ratoff, Lucian Littlefield, Franklin Pangborn, Frank Darien, Sterling Holloway and others. She'll move along with many a laugh and lots of fun. As if one real comedy was not enough, Manager Hays has also booked a Jimmy Gleason skit and other good features.

"College Humor" Here comes a picture for Wednesday and Thursday that has received much favorable press comment. It will make you young, it will make you gay. It will drive dull care away and take you back to the good old college days, college sweethearts, "Eta-Beta-Pi" and other punk fraternities, which seemed so all-important at the time. Bing Crosby, whose only crime in life is crooning, Gracie Allen who talks like most women wish they could, George Burns, Richard Arlen, Mary Carlisle and Jack Oakie and a lotta co-eds put on the show. There will also be a Mack Sennett comedy and other short stuff.

The third invitation appears elsewhere in the paper. Look for it.

Palmyra

John Graven of Kirkville visited Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Edwards spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Edwards.

John Graven Jr., spent Sunday with friends near Moweaqua.

Emory Maxedon spent Sunday in Mattoon.

Mrs. Roe Cochran and son visited last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Hollonbeck.

John Black and Pete Mattox were business callers at Sullivan Monday.

Mrs. Irma Misenheimer visited Sunday at the home of Ray Misenheimer.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Rhodes of Mattoon were callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Shaw Sunday.

Mrs. Art Graven and family of Mrs. A. A. Hollonbeck spent Monday with Mrs. Roy Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Bart Tull and son spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sampson.

Mrs. Alva Edwards spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Edwards.

Threshing was finished in this vicinity Monday.

Jean Hollonbeck was an Effingham caller Thursday.

THE SNAPPY SNIPPERS MET WITH LEADER JULY 13

The Snappy Snippers met with their leader, Mrs. Florence Leeds, July 13th. A demonstration was given by Ruth Jenkins. The club decided to go camping July 20th. The Snappy Snippers met at the home of their leader on July 20th. After the meeting the girls with their leader went camping at Pifer's park. Our next weekly meeting will be held July 27th.

Martha Baker, Reporter.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Return to N. Carolina

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dale, who have been spending their honeymoon here, left Monday for Pensacola, North Carolina where they will live on a small fruit farm.

Mr. Dale, in leaving Illinois for North Carolina, could not resist the temptation to take with him one of his best registered Jersey cows. He had long been a Jersey breeder and had built up an excellent dairy herd which he sold recently, with the exception of one.

When they left this week for their new home, he took his Jersey with him in a trailer. He will take a special delight in demonstrating to the Carolinians the high producing quality of Moultrie county Jerseys. His trip over the mountains will be a good advertisement for that breed of cattle which has made Moultrie county known all over the country.

East County Line

D. L. Beals of Columbus, Indiana spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Beals.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ryan and Marjorie visited Sunday evening with Joe Conlin and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Watson and daughters spent Sunday in Arthur with Mr. and Mrs. Charles McGinn.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Fifer called on Delmar Elder and family Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Seaman and children visited Sunday with Mrs. Ellen Eads and Lula of Arthur.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Conlin and Patsy called on Joe Conlin and family Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Craig-Jr., spent Sunday with John Craig Sr., and family of Cadwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Reynolds and children of Windsor, Canada and John Harmon and family attended a potluck dinner at the James England home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Lilly and William and Mrs. Henry Martin visited Sunday with Willie Graham and family of Allenville.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Watson and Delores spent Sunday with John Watson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Elder and daughters called on Claude Watson and family Saturday evening.

Many in the community attended the funeral of James Langston of Mattoon Friday afternoon and of Mrs. Joanne Davis of Arthur on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Miller of Bloomington spent Tuesday with Ed Beals and family.

About fifty-five relatives were entertained at the home of William Lilly Friday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Miller and daughters of Bloomington and Miss Roxie Lilly of Bryan, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. John Heerd called on Mrs. Elizabeth Steck and daughters of Lovington Sunday.

Mrs. Ed Conlin and Elizabeth and Mrs. Joe Conlin and Davey visited Saturday afternoon in Mattoon with relatives.

GOOD ALIBI FOR NICELY COLORED BLACK EYE

Turner Graham has a black eye. Everybody is asking how he got it and nobody seems to believe the story he tells.

Because of this sad state of affairs Clarke Lowe has come to Turner's assistance. Believing that the best way to tell things to people is by publishing them in The Progress, Mr. Lowe says that Turner was not beat up and that he did not get that beautiful optic by being somewhere where he had not ought to be.

The explanation is simple. Turner likes to box; so does Clarke. In a friendly scuffle Clarke aimed a punch at Turner's mid-riff. Turner is rather delicate there and he ducked into the blow which caught him smack under the right eye.

If Turner will furnish us with his girl's address, we'll mail her a paper with this explanation and then he can go around as usual, without being under suspicion. In the meantime Clarke is training him so he will quit trying to stop punches with his eyes and will develop a solar plexus that can stand the kick of a mule. If Clarke has as much patience enough he'll make a man out of Turner yet.

—Margaret Garrett and friend (boy or otherwise) are invited to see a show at The Grand Theatre as Progress guests. Present this as your ticket.

Newton Nye Writes Of the Sullivan of Many Years Ago

One of City's Residents Who Left Here in 1873 Writes Interesting Letter to Mayor; Asks Progress to Publish.

In a recent issue of "Labor" appeared an item about Sullivan's successful operation of a municipal electric plant.

Way up in Spokane, Washington a man saw this item. It recalled to his mind his younger days in this community and he wrote Mayor McFerrin, as follows:

Waverly, Spokane County Wash. July 21st, 1933

To the Hon Mayor, Sullivan, Ill.

An item in the July 11th issue of "Labor" calls my attention to you and also to my old home, so I am taking the liberty of addressing a short note to you regarding the town of Sullivan of sixty years ago, also something of my old home near that city.

An orphan, I went to the home of Mr. and Mrs. James H. VanHise living at that time seven miles southwest of Sullivan, Dec. 16th, 1867 to make my future home, living with them until March 1873.

Some of the prominent business men of that period were Banker Smyser, Danty Patterson, Miller, Charley Roane, Merchant; Gus & Jimmy Tift, restaurant; Mr. Beveridge, meat market, the father of late U. S. Senator Albert J. Roy and Columbia (Lum) who taught a term of school at the White school house near the west fork of the Okaw river and who boarded with the Vanhises. I also attended one term of school at the "Reedy" school taught by William Kirkwood who was later to be elected to the position now held by you (mayor of Sullivan).

A Mr. Vadakin was druggist, and a Mr. Morrell was also in the milling business. The late U. S. senator from this state, Mr. Wesley Jones, was also a native Sullivan boy. I had the pleasure of a visit with him here several years ago. Danty Patterson was the chief "booster" for Sullivan's first railroad, the P D & E built I think early in the seventies. Oh, yes the main hotel in town those days was operated by the Edens.

You having been a telegraph operator, will probably pardon a brief resume of my wanderings since leaving the Vanhises. I went from there to Cowden, Ill., (my former home) where I later learned telegraphy and was for several years employed by the Ohio and Missy later going to the Vandavia (now a part of the Penna) and for 18 years was joint agent in northern Indiana for the Vea & B & O rys. leaving there for the "big wide open spaces" in April 1903 and in the same month went to work for the O. W. R. & N. (now Union Pacific) coming to Waverly as agent in 1904 and in 1906 went to the Spokane & Inland Empire railroad, an electric line (now the Great Northern) and remained with them until my retirement in 1929, thus having been railroad agent in the town of Waverly 25 years.

Waverly is located 35 miles south of Spokane in the famous Inland Empire, otherwise known as the "Palouse country" also as "God's country" and I hasten to advise you that the latter is not a misnomer, being one of the largest grain and fruit producing states in the union.

Last Sunday, first dirt was moved in the beginning of the largest project now under construction in the United States, viz.: the Columbia Basin project which entails changing the channel of the Columbia river back to its old channel, following the ice age over

what is now called the "dry falls" a mile and a half in width and which in its former course would make the Niagara Falls" look like a rivulet." The purpose is to irrigate a large territory of the most fertile land in the entire west and also to produce enough power to supply the whole state, and is to cost around sixty million dollars.

In conclusion, let me extend to you a hearty invitation to visit me personally and see at least a part of the greatest state in the Union. While this is intended as a personal letter, you may if you consider it of sufficient interest to its readers hand it to the editor of The Sullivan Progress of which I was an interested reader in the long, long ago.

Ending this somewhat lengthy and rambling epistle, allow me to wish you a long and happy reign and sending you my "73."

Most respectfully and fraternally,

Newton Nye

(75 years young)

Ps. S.—As a souvenir, I am enclosing a small piece of bark from an apple tree standing in Vancouver barracks. Van Couver, Washington, the seed of which was brought from England by a member of the Hudson Bay Co., and planted here in 1804. It bore a crop of apples last year.

N. N.

East Hudson

Mrs. Ray Heiland and family and Mrs. Ray Woodruff and Lorene spent Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Elmer Burks and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lew Cassell of Decatur visited Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Elza Watkins.

Mrs. Jennie Landers, Mrs. Fred Doner and Mrs. W. G. Freese helped Mrs. Watkins cook for threshers Thursday.

Mrs. W. H. Fisher, Mrs. George Monroe, Mrs. Ira Mayberry and Gynith, Mrs. Wm. Hostetter and Joan, Mrs. Will Heiland and Mrs. Mayberry of near Bryan, O., helped Mrs. Chris Monroe with threshers dinner Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Horn and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Shelby and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Woodruff and Lorene and Earl Waggoner spent Sunday on the river near Quigley.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Monroe, Mr. and Mrs. Orr Hillard and Clayton Poland visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Theron Waggoner of near Bethany.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Monroe, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hostetter and Joan, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hostetter and Jimmy, Mr. and Mrs. Mills and family visited Tuesday evening with Elmer Burks and family.

Mrs. Will Heiland spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. Lee Elder and family.

Mrs. Ray Woodruff spent Wednesday with Earl Horn and family.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Tucker of Long Creek, Miss Ruby Shipman and Alva Welty of Findlay visited on Sunday evening with Miss Ann Elliott.

Art Warren of Decatur visited Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Shipman.

Mrs. Lois Wilds is visiting this week in Oakley.

Miss Ann Elliott spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sweitzer.

Mrs. Arthur Herendeen, Mrs. Nettie Robinson spent Sunday with Mrs. Annie Jeffers and family in Whitley Creek.

J. C. Burks is visiting this week at the homes of Paul and William Hostetter.

Mrs. Bruce Dedman and Irene visited Monday afternoon with Mrs. Elmer Burks and family.

—Miss Mayme Alexander went to Urbana Saturday to attend a reunion at Crystal Lake Park and spent several days visiting at the home of her niece, Mrs. W. E. Butts.

Smysor Concert At Masonic Home July 21

The Windsor string band will give its annual concert at the Illinois Masonic Home Monday night. This concert is sponsored by John Smysor a member of the Miles Hart Masonic Lodge of Gays.

Mr. Smysor through giving the concerts is continuing a practice instituted many years ago by his father, the late Harry Smysor.

—Hugh Brown who is doing relief work for the I. C. at Mendota spent the week end in this city.

—Mrs. Emily Waggoner of Chicago spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Rex Garrett of Whitley.

HAVE PATIENCE FOLKS, DON'T CROWD PLEASE!

Judge Fred F. Ledbetter has secured the information necessary to stand up before a couple and speak the words that make them man and wife.

All you folks who want County Judge weddings (and there are doubtless hundreds of you) are asked to spruce up, get your license from County Clerk Pete Chipps and then line up and the Judge will take each couple in its turn and launch their love-laden bark of hope on the sea of matrimony.

Sullivan's a good town to get married in. If you were married elsewhere, remember to give Sullivan a chance next time. If you

were never married before, come to Sullivan some time and try it. We can give you the service of ministers of nearly every denomination, of Justices of the Peace and of a County Judge.

And then in years to come your descendants can proudly say: "Grandpa and Grandma had sense. They went to Sullivan to get married."

BEAUTY PARLOR CHANGE

Mrs. Frank Edwards has taken over the beauty parlor formerly operated by Mrs. Nettie Lovelace Smith and started in her new duties, Tuesday. Mrs. Smith expects to go to the State Fair again this year where she will operate a concession stand.

Frank J. Thompson

Robert F. White

Announce the New Firm of THOMPSON & WHITE

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Successors to Circuit Judge Joseph L. McLaughlin

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What's the best in mileage? Bus fleet records show Goodyear Tires give 97% more mileage than they gave five years ago.

Now that all prices are headed UP — it's more important than ever to get the most for your money. Better look over your tires and buy new Goodyears now while prices are still low.

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ALL-WEATHER		PATHFINDER	
4.40-21	5.25-18	4.40-21	5.00-19
\$6.40	\$9.15	\$5.00	\$6.55
4.50-21	5.50-19	4.50-20	5.00-20
\$7.10	\$10.45	\$5.40	\$6.75
4.75-19	6.00-19	4.50-21	5.25-18
\$7.60	\$11.85	\$5.60	\$7.35
5.00-19	6.50-19	4.75-19	5.50-19
\$8.15	\$14.60	\$6.05	\$8.50

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Sullivan, Ill.

Official Publication Proceedings Moultrie Co. Board of Supervisors

State of Illinois)
Moultrie County) ss.

Be it remembered that the Board of Supervisors of the County of Moultrie and State of Illinois, met in special session at the court house in the City of Sullivan, Illinois, on Wednesday, the 19th day of July A. D. 1933 at the hour of nine o'clock a. m. of said day pursuant to a notice in writing given to each of the members of the said Board, a request in writing have been addressed to and filed with the Clerk of said Board and signed by at least one-third of the members thereof, and a notice of said meeting having been published in a newspaper in said county as required by law.

The Board was called to order by C. A. Lane, chairman at nine o'clock a. m. of said day.

The roll was called by the Clerk and the following members responded to the call of their names as follows, to-wit:

C. A. Lane of East Nelson township, chairman.

M. E. Foster of Lovington township.

Jas. Morrison of Dora Township.

A. L. Mayfield of Marrowbone township.

F. C. Newbould of Sullivan township.

G. D. Edmonds of Whitley township.

F. F. Fleming of Lowe township.

Absent: One

Attest: PAUL L. CHIPPS, Clerk.

The Clerk then read the minutes of the Regular June meeting and there being no objections or corrections said minutes to stand approved as read.

The Clerk then read the petition and call for this meeting which petition and call are as follows, to-wit:

State of Illinois)
County of Moultrie) ss.

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

We the undersigned members of the Board of Supervisors of Moultrie County, Illinois, and being at least one-third of the members thereof, respectfully request and petition you to call a special meeting of the Board of Supervisors of said County of Moultrie and State of Illinois, to convene at the Court House in the City of Sullivan, Illinois, on Wednesday, the 19th day of July A. D. 1933, at the hour of nine o'clock A. M., of said day for the purpose of transacting any business that may legally come before said meeting.

Dated at Sullivan, Illinois, this 12th day of July, A. D. 1933.

J. E. Casteel

G. D. Edmonds

F. C. Newbould

C. A. Lane

Filed July 12, 1933.

Paul L. Chipps, County Clerk.

SPECIAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

State of Illinois)
County of Moultrie) 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 is hereby called to convene on Wednesday the 19th day of July, A. D. 1933, at the court house in the City of Sullivan, Illinois at the hour of nine o'clock a. m. of said day for the purpose of transacting any business that may legally come before said meeting.

Dated at Sullivan, Illinois, this 12th day of July A. D. 1933.

Paul L. Chipps

County Clerk

Filed July 18, 1933.

Paul L. Chipps, County Clerk.

PUBLISHER'S CERTIFICATE OF PUBLICATION

State of Illinois)
County of Moultrie) ss.

I, Ed C. Brandenburger hereby certify that I am the publisher of THE SULLIVAN PROGRESS, secular Newspaper of general circulation, printed and published in the City of Sullivan, in said Moultrie County, Illinois; and I also certify that the notice hereto attached relating to the matter of SPECIAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS has been published in said paper and every impression thereof each week for one successive weeks of the issues commencing July 14, A. D. 1933 and ending July 14, A. D. 1933 which are the dates of the first and last papers containing the same. I further certify that the above named paper has been published regularly each week for more than six months prior to the first publication of said notice in said newspaper.

Given under my hand this 18th

day of July, A. D. 1933.
THE SULLIVAN PROGRESS,
By Ed C. Brandenburger,
Publisher.

On motion by Newbould seconded by Foster, Board adjourned until Friday morning, July 21st at nine o'clock a. m.

July 21, 1933

Board convened at 9 o'clock a. m. pursuant to adjournment. All members present. Chairman, C. A. Lane, presiding.

Report of Committee on Claims: State of Illinois,)

County of Moultrie) ss.

July 21, 1933

Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen of the Board of Supervisors:

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

Name For What Amt.

Shasteen Brothers, mdse \$ 20.66

Dickerson & Co., mdse 15.81

Mammoth Shoe Co. mdse. 3.62

Fireproof Garage, mdse 5.75

A. K. Merriman, mdse. 3.50

H. H. Hawkins & Son mdse. Co. Far m. 5.10

W. H. Walker, mdse. 5.00

Mrs. Chal Newbould, mdse Co. Farm 2.00

W. E. Martin, Mdse Co. Farm 9.24

Sullivan Grain Co., mdse. 118.27

W. R. Stables, mdse 9.90

Co. Farm 3.85

Herman Lambrecht, mdse 21.27

J. M. Cummins & Son 8.95

L. T. Hagerman & Co. mdse 3.97

Co. Farm 3.50

Harry L. Utz, mdse 1.00

Cecil Siron, mdse. 14.11

O. J. Gauger & Co., mdse Co. Farm 5.55

Shasteen Brothers, mdse Co. Farm 10.26

Myers & Hicks, mdse Co. Farm 8.96

Shirey & Hankla, mdse Co. Farm 9.60

Matt Dedman 24.75

United Chemical Co., mdse Co. Farm 15.80

Mo. County Hatchery 8.10

Alexander Lumber Co., mdse. Co. Farm 6.27

Oil Spec. 5.00

Wayne S. Williamson, 5.00

Dickson Insanity 5.00

A. D. Miller, Dickson Insanity 33.50

S. W. Johnson, 62.13

Dickson Insanity 2.28

J. W. Gaddis, J. P. Docket Geo. A. Daugherty, ins. 125.72

Premium 3.70

Geo. D. Barnard, sup. 6.96

Co. Clerk 2.50

Pantagraph Co., Collector book 6.67

Geo. D. Barnard, sup. 83.50

Co. Judge 37

Skinner & Kennedy, sup. 8.68

Co. Clerk 1.89

Bupp Transfer, drayage 22.00

Shirey & Hankla, court House 7.50

Moultrie Co. News, printing 15.41

O. J. Gauger Co., jail 11.90

David Hardware, court house and jail 31.60

O. J. Gauger, court house 6.37

O. J. Gauger, Court House Sullivan Progress, stationery Co. Judge 24.00

Metropolitan Supply Co., Co. Supt. schools 78.50

Sullivan Progress, Co. Supt. Schools 172.00

Ill. Office Supply Co., Co. Supt. Schools 226.50

Robert W. Martin, office expense 7.10

J. W. Gaddis, binding Collector's Books 7.37

Halac Lansen, June Auto hire 38.64

Halac Lansen, care and keep of prisoners 116.78

Halac Lansen, fees earned 1.80

McPheeters Drug store, jail \$1.35 and court house \$5.75 1.00

L. T. Hagerman Co. labor and repairs co. jail 1.19

L. T. Hagerman, labor and repairs Co. House 19.50

J. W. Gaddis, supplies 5.50

J. W. Gaddis, supplies 5.50

L. R. Garrett, sharpening lawn mower 1.19

Bupp Transfer, drayage Co. House 1.19

work and mileage 16.40

Guy S. Little, service Highway Supt. 51.80

F. F. Fleming, com work 16.80

G. D. Edmonds, com. work 22.00

J. E. Casteel, com. work 14.40

F. C. Newbould, com. work 12.30

L. W. McMullin, inquest 16.00

L. W. McMullin, burial 60.00

Felix Fielt 19.20

J. E. Casteel, com. work 16.50

James Morrison com. work M. E. Foster, 4 days 20.00

Com. work 9.60

A. Mayfield, com work and mileage 4.89

Mjmland Chem. Laboratories Inc. Cleansoleum 181.90

Reporter Printing Co., pub. ballots and assessment list 100.00

Harris & Purcell, outside woodwork on court house 19.60

Albert Walker, postage, express and Of. expense 74.50

The Bethany Echo, pub. asst. list and rules Bd. of Review 12.50

Arthur Graphic Clarion Pub. rules Bd. Review 13.15

Sullivan Progress, stationery circuit clerk 54.80

Sullivan Progress, pub. meeting and stationery rules Bd. Review and notice blanks 16.75

Sullivan Progress pub. assessment lists 128.65

Sullivan and J. Creek assessment lists 2.01

Illinois Office Supply Co. stationery to Co. Treasurer 2.70

J. M. Cummins & Son, mdse. to C. house by janitor 140.31

D. D. Kingrey, carp. work and material on C. House 140.31

All of which is respectfully submitted.

J. E. Casteel

F. C. Newbould

F. F. Fleming

James Morrison

A. Mayfield

G. D. Edmonds

M. E. Foster

And now comes Committee on County Claims and submits list of claims which have been paid since the last meeting of the Board by the county clerk and county Treasurer, to-wit:

No. Claimant for what Amt.

15879 J. A. Lucas, salary for quarter ending June 17 37.50

15880 Robert W. Martin salary for June 135.42

15881 City of Sullivan, light & water court house and jail 45.34

15882 Fred F. Ledbetter June Salary 95.00

15883 Claude S. Harris, labor circuit judge's office 56.40

15884 Dixie McGuire, painting court house roof 20.00

15885 E. R. Yeakel, sal. last half June 37.50

15886 Anticipation 2000.00

15887 R. L. Filson, June Salary 60.00

15888 Nellie Filson June Salary 40.00

15889 Lucy Bathe, June salary 25.00

15890 Raymond Vandever, June salary 26.70

15891 Normal Pressy, labor at Co. farm 2.25

15892 James Campbell, barbering at Co. farm 11.25

15893 Alice Kenney, labor at Co. farm 8.25

15894 Martha Harris, salary & Exp. June 1933 35.00

15895 Moultrie County T. B. Ass'n. Appropriation 500.00

15896 C. E. Dennis, cherries to Co. Farm 1.50

15897 May Harmison, labor at Co. farm 1.50

15898 Charles M. McDonald, labor at Co. farm 1.00

15899 Irene Yeakel, washing court house 2.15

15900 Ill. Central Tel. Co. County Tolls 27.15

15901 Shasteen Brothers, Co. unty Farm 11.64

15902 E. R. Yeakel, sal. 1st half July 37.50

15903 Raymond Vandever, labor at Co. farm 8.85

15904 Robert W. Martin, salary for July 135.42

15905 Homer Freeland, expense to Champaign Board of Review 1.00

15906 City of Sullivan water to court house and jail 36.29

All of which is respectfully submitted.

F. F. Fleming

Jas. Morrison

F. C. Newbould

G. D. Edmonds

M. E. Foster

A. Mayfield

J. E. Casteel

It was moved by Fleming and seconded by Morrison that the report of the committee on claims be accepted.

The ye and nay vote was as follows: Newbould, ye; Edmonds, ye; Mayfield, ye; Fleming, ye; Morrison, ye; Casteel, ye; Lane, ye; Foster, ye.

8 yeas; 0 nays. Motion carried.

The Finance Committee report that they have examined the reports as of June 30, 1933 of the following banks:

First National Bank, Sullivan, Illinois

Scott State Bank, Bethany Illi-

nois

The Hight State Bank, Dalton City, Illinois

Hardware State Bank, Lovington, Illinois

The First National Bank of Arthur, Arthur, Illinois

State Bank of Arthur, Arthur, Illinois

People's State Bank, Allenville, Illinois

Commercial State Bank, Windsor, Illinois

and recommend each one of them for County depositories.

It was moved by Casteel that the report of the Finance Committee be approved and that each of the following banks be designated as County Depositories:

First National Bank, Sullivan, Illinois

Scott State Bank, Bethany Illi-

nois

The Hight State Bank, Dalton City, Illinois

Hardware State Bank, Lovington, Illinois

The First National Bank of Arthur, Arthur, Illinois

State Bank of Arthur, Arthur, Illinois

People's State Bank, Allenville, Illinois

Commercial State Bank, Windsor, Illinois

The ye and nay vote was as follows: Newbould, ye; Edmonds, ye; Mayfield, ye; Fleming, ye; Morrison, ye; Casteel, ye; Lane, ye; Foster, ye.

8 yeas; 0 nays. Motion carried.

It was moved by Fleming and seconded by Newbould that the matter of securing a High Line to the County Farm be referred to the County Farm Committee.

The ye and nay vote was as follows: Newbould, ye; Edmonds, ye; Mayfield, ye; Fleming, ye; Morrison, ye; Casteel, ye; Mayfield, ye; Lane, ye.

8 yeas; 0 nays. Motion carried.

It was moved by Newbould and seconded by Morrison that the applications of Lester Heerd and C. G. Bradford for the position of County Superintendent of Highways be accepted and placed on file.

The ye and nay vote was as follows: Newbould, ye; Edmonds, ye; Fleming, nay; Mayfield, nay; Foster, nay; Morrison, ye; Casteel, ye; Lane, ye.

5 yeas; 3 nays. Motion carried.

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

C. A. Lane, 2 days and 8 miles 8.30

J. E. Casteel, 1 day and 8 miles 4.30

M. E. Foster, 2 days and 10 miles 9.00

James Morrison, 2 days and 15 miles 9.50

A. Mayfield, 2 days and 10 miles 9.00

F. C. Newbould, 2 days and 1 mile 8.10

G. D. Edmonds, 2 days and 15 miles 9.50

F. F. Fleming, 2 days and 16 miles 9.60

Paul L. Chipps, 2 days, clerk of Board 12.00

On motion Board adjourned.

Attest: Paul L. Chipps, Clerk.

... WEATHER ...

Wanted: More rain. Apply anywhere in Moultrie county.

Since last week we have had a nice shower. Tuesday morning it looked for a time as if the drought was broken, but there was not enough. There was no special effort on the part of the clouds to supply what we really need.

In dry years like this it might be well to find use for things that grow despite lack of rain. In the fields we see a bountiful crop of milk weed. It is never too dry for that. Then there are what we used to call bull-nettles. They just thrive fine in dry, hot weather. In gardens there is a pestiferous weed that they tell us is known as a wild-pea vine. No matter how hot and dry it gets, you can't seem to kill this weed.

You smart alecks over at the University get busy and devise ways and means showing how this stuff can be turned into money. Do something to earn your salt.

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Slicker than Slick—Smother than Smooth!
Bing Crosby, Burns & Allen,
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COLLEGE
HUMOR
A mad whirl of Girls, songs, fun and love.
ALSO EXCELLENT
SHORT FEATURES
Prices 10c and 25c.

this week, we saw thousands of acres of unplanted soil. We saw thousands of acre where chinch bugs have killed the corn. All of that will make nice wheat ground.

Reports say that the second brood of chinch bugs has hatched and gotten busy. This has been a wonderful year for bugs. Scientists say that if the human race is ever destroyed, it will be by bugs, and we suppose chinch bugs are no worse to do that job than any other kind.

TWO MYSTERIOUS MEN PAY BRUCE A VISIT

About 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon two strangers came to Bruce, They told a strange story. They called on "Jug" Moore and on Chet Ledbetter.

To each they told this story: "We have a load of hi-jacked liquor over on Route 32. Our truck has broken down. We need \$40 to fix the truck. If you will give us the forty, we'll be back tomorrow and give you \$140."

As neither Mr. Moore nor Mr. Ledbetter had the \$40 lying around, they had to pass up the opportunity of making the easy \$100. So far as can be learned nobody saw any broken down truck.

GAS THIEVES CAUGHT

Jim Shiels of Marrowbone township knew that somebody was stealing gas from his tractor. Sunday night he lay in wait with a shotgun. He saw two boys drive up to the tractor. When he approached they fled in their car.

He got into his car and gave chase. He caught up with them near the Kellar cemetery. At the point of his gun, he made them get into his car and brought them here and turned them over to the Sheriff.

Tuesday morning in the county court, they entered pleas of guilty and asked for probation. As they had never been in trouble before, or at least had not been caught at it, Judge Ledbetter granted the probation plea. The men were Clyde Denton and Paul Baum of Bethany.

NOTICE FOR SEALED BIDS

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Supervisors of Moultrie county, Illinois will, on the 12th day of August, 1933, 9 a. m. receive sealed bids on all material necessary to build a power line from the western limits of the City of Sullivan, Illinois to the County Farm.

Specifications may be seen at the County Clerk's Office in Sullivan, Illinois.

The Board of Supervisors reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

J. E. Casteel

James Morrison

G. D. Edmonds

County Farm Com.

30-3c.

AUTO THIEVES OPERATED

The night from Tuesday to Wednesday saw automobile thieves active in the north part of the county. Sheriff Lansden was notified. He found that in Lovington a car was taken by being pushed about a block from where it had been parked. Unable to start it, the thieves abandoned it. Later a car was stolen from the home of a man named Yaw in the northeast part of the county. This car was found in Dora township, stripped of everything that could be taken.

JERSEY BREEDERS TO SHOW AT CHARLESTON

The annual Jersey parish show will be held at Charleston next Thursday in connection with the Coles county fair. A number of Moultrie breeders plan to exhibit.

ICE CREAM SOCIAL

The Epworth League of the M. E. church will have an ice cream social on the lawn at the church Saturday night, August 5th at 7 o'clock.

Reunions

The Progress publishes notices of reunions free of charge. We appreciate reports of reunions for publication the week after the reunion is held.—The Editor.

The Waggoner family reunion will be held Sunday, July 30th at Freeland Grove.

The annual Landers reunion will be held in Wyman park Sunday, July 30th. 28-3c

SICKAFUS REUNION

The Sickafus reunion will be held Sunday, August 6th in Muhlolland's Grove at Bethany. 28-3c

Dixon-Ballard Reunion

The Dixon-Ballard reunion will be held this year Sunday, August 13 at Wyman park.

VAUGHAN FAMILY REUNION
The Vaughan family reunion will be held on Sunday, August 13, 1933 at the F. O. Ward home west of Bethany.

Local News

—Miss Olive Martin of LaSalle who spent a week in this city, went to Lovington Sunday for a visit at the Poole home. She returned to this city Tuesday and will spend several weeks here before returning to LaSalle.

—Mrs. Irene Bromley returned Monday evening from a visit with relatives in Chicago. She was accompanied to this city by Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Ellis who spent several days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Pifer.

—The Young Women's Business club recently organized under the direction of Mrs. Manta Isaacs enjoyed a Theatre party at the Grand Theatre Tuesday evening and then went to the home of Miss Vella Freese for their business meeting and social time.

—HAVE YOU TRIED TO GET YOUR SIZE IN OUR "LAST PAIR" LOTS; UNUSUAL BARGAINS. COY'S CENTRAL SHOE STORE.

—A stag party held at Pifer's park Tuesday evening for members of the American Legion was well attended. A chicken supper was the main feature of the party.

—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Palmer, Miss Jessie Buxton accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Dial of Peoria went to a summer resort, called Nisswa where they spent a week, and returned to this city on Tuesday. They also visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Dial at Minneapolis. The Dials accompanied them to this city for a visit with relatives at this place and in Decatur.

—Norman Dial of California has arrived for a visit of a month at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Arthur Palmer and other relatives.

—Mrs. Will Sherman of Joplin, Mo., came Friday for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Eden. —Mr. and Mrs. William Rhodes left Wednesday for Chicago where he has accepted a position with the Majestic Radio Co.

—Merl Valentine and Gilbert Booker transacted business in Decatur Tuesday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pifer left Tuesday for Rockford where they will join the National guards in Camp Grant.

—Mr. and Mrs. Alva Short moved on Thursday from the north part of town to the J. N. Martin property on East Harrison street.

—Freeman Marti and Bert Fultz were business callers in Decatur Monday.

—Miss Pauline Howsmon is spending several days at the home of her parents at Illiopolis.

—We constantly speak of "he men" as if there were "she men." —HAVE YOU TRIED TO GET YOUR SIZE IN OUR "LAST PAIR" LOTS; UNUSUAL BARGAINS. COY'S CENTRAL SHOE STORE.

—Miss Helen Wilkinson of Bethany is giving a recital of her dance pupils in the high school there Friday night. Gwendolyn Ruth Newbould, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Newbould is a member of the class.

—Eva and Mabel Peadro, Carliss Allison, Carl Peadro and Herman Trinkle spent Sunday in Nelson park in Decatur.

—Mrs. J. B. Walker of Windsor, mother of county superintendent, Albert Walker is reported slightly improved after having been seriously ill several months.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Crowder of the A & P store expect to leave this week end for a month's vacation in Indiana and other points.

—Charles Kelso who was confined to his home last week by a case of skin poisoning is able to be about and looking after his business as manager of the Alexander Lumber Company.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Beaman of White Plains, New York came Tuesday to spend the day with Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Filson. Mrs. Beaman and Mrs. Filson are cousins.

—Mr. and Mrs. Lewie David, son Joe, daughter Barbara and niece Jean David left early Thursday morning for Rockford. At Rockford they will be met by Mr. David's brother-in-law, Dan Storey of Wausau, Wisconsin. Joe and Jean will accompany him home while the rest of the party expect to be back in Sullivan Thursday night.

—Mrs. Ralph David, daughter Betty of Logansport, Indiana are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. David. They came here from Harrisburg where they had visited with Mrs. David's sister, Mrs. Daisy Seright.

—Mrs. Ed Brandenburger and son Byron left Thursday morning for St. Clair county where they will spend the week end visiting relatives in Belleville and Freeburg.

—Mr. and Mrs. Dale O. Lee and Miss Donnabelle Pifer of River Rouge, Michigan came Wednesday for a visit with local relatives.

—Mrs. Ivan Riley and daughter Janice of East St. Louis and Miss Dorothea Summitt of Chicago are visiting with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Summitt this week.

—Mrs. Myrtle Stain, Miss Leota Stain and Arthur Stain were in Vandalia Sunday where they visited Kermit Stain who is in the hospital. He underwent an operation for a gangrenous case of appendicitis, but is reported doing nicely.

—Mr. and Mrs. Don Ashbrook of Wheaton arrived Friday to spend the summer vacation at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. R. Ashbrook. They are going back to Wheaton when school starts as he is a teacher and coach there.

—Mrs. Carl Ekiss and daughter Adeline and Miss Adah Swisher who spent several weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Corbin returned to Decatur Friday.

—Miss Rhoda Belle Duncan left Tuesday for Garrett where she spent several days visiting relatives.

—James Horn, Bill Horn and Gerald Elder left Tuesday for Chicago where they are spending the week attending the Century of Progress.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Fisher of this city and Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Norris of Bethany went to Loami Tuesday where they attended the funeral of a relative.

—Mrs. Charles Finley and daughter Eleanor of New Jersey who spent several weeks visiting with relatives left Sunday for their home in the East.

—Matt Dedman who spent the week end at the home of his son W. E. Dedman at Jacksonville returned Monday evening. Mr. Dedman who has been ill is improving.

—Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dedman had as their house guests the following relatives: Mr. and Mrs. G. Wetzel and daughter Pauline and Clara, parents and sister of Mrs. Dedman and Mrs. Louise Miller and sons of Chicago. The guests arrived Thursday and remained for several days.

—Mrs. John Lucas who has been very ill with malaria is on the road to recovery.

—Johnny Lynn, who formerly stayed at the home of Mrs. Clara Swisher, but now lives in Taylorville with his father, spent several weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Lucas. He returned to Taylorville Sunday.

—Mrs. Pearl Kelley who recently underwent an operation in the Mattoon hospital was able to be brought to her home the latter part of last week and is getting along nicely. Mrs. Helen Davis is staying at the Kelly home.

—Mrs. R. C. Parks of Houston, Texas expects to arrive August 1, for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Ivan Myers and her mother, Mrs. Amanda Purvis and daughter Miss Ora. She will remain in this city until after her mother's birthday anniversary, which is the beginning of November, thus evading the hottest part of the Texas summer which comes in September and October.

—Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hamilton and daughter Dorothy spent Tuesday in Decatur.

—Miss Dorothy Blackwell who spent several days at the home of her sister, Mrs. Mabel Walton in Detroit returned Sunday. She was accompanied by her sister who is spending several days at the home of her mother, Mrs. Grace Blackwell.

—Mrs. J. H. Smith left Wednesday and expects to be away for several weeks visiting relatives at Alton, St. Louis and Kansas City.

—Mrs. Cecil Siron and Bonnie spent Sunday in Shelbyville with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Miller.

—Misses Hazel and Opal Brown of Dunn spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Elder.

—The W. F. M. S. met at the home of Miss Lizzie Ginn Wednesday with Mrs. Betty Dunscomb as leader.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Worth of Mattoon spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Zella Baker.

—Mrs. Ledah Bolin and daughter Ruthelen went to Arthur Sunday where they attended the funeral of a former neighbor, Mrs. Joan Davis.

—Mr. and Mrs. Gus Franks of Peoria and Mrs. Lee Goldberg of Clinton, Indiana arrived Saturday for a visit at the home of Mrs. Nan Miller.

Cushman

Mrs. Burley Fultz visited Friday in Sullivan with Mrs. Gram-blin.

Mr. and Mrs. John Foster and family and Harry Foster were supper guests Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Foster.

Miss Ruth Martin spent Saturday afternoon with Misses Pauline and Mary Smith.

Mrs. Fred Foster and Orville spent Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Floyd Valentine.

Miss Roxie Lilly and Emma Lee Harmon spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. William Lilly.

M. T. Monroe spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hamblin. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wood and Billie spent Sunday afternoon in Tower Hill with Mrs. Mattie Sharp.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Brown spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Burley Fultz.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stairwalt called on Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Devore Sunday.

Miss Ruth Churchill of Shelbyville spent Monday with her sister, Mrs. Paul Smith and family.

Doris and Dorothy Foster spent Monday and Tuesday with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Foster.

Mrs. Ernest Martin called on Mrs. Chas. Wood Tuesday afternoon.

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

Mrs. E. W. Hamblin and Mrs. J. N. Foster spent Wednesday with Mrs. Emmerson Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wood and Billie left Wednesday morning for New York City to spend several days with Miss Adeline and Harlie Wood.

Mrs. Paul Smith and Mrs. Harold Queen called on Mrs. Ernest Martin Tuesday.

Mrs. Marie Wood was able to return to her work Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Salmon of near Kirksville spent Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Frantz.

Jonathan Creek

Mrs. Nellie Payne spent Monday with Mrs. Frank Pound.

Mr. and Mrs. Clem Hawthorn, Mrs. Mabel Hawthorn of Missouri spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Everett.

Mrs. James Bracken and Mrs. Herschel Houchin assisted Mrs. C. G. Leeds cook for threshers Friday.

Mrs. John Dolan, Mrs. Earl Clark, Mr. and Mrs. John Bracken and James Bracken spent Monday with Mrs. Nancy Bracken.

Mrs. Lucy Bathe spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Freese.

Mrs. Earnest Davis, Mrs. Guy Bolin assisted Mrs. Orville Powell cook for threshers Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Sullivan and son Homer spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wade Sullivan.

Marion McKee of Mattoon, Vernon Houchin, Collier and Donald Puckett spent Thursday evening with Marion Puckett.

Mrs. Bell Sullivan called on Mrs. James Bracken Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Freese, Mrs. Eugene Freese and children Lurene and Estel and Mrs. Lucy Bathe motored to Terre Haute on Sunday and visited relatives.

Mrs. Mabel Osier and Mrs. Ruth Sullivan assisted Mrs. Ruth Pound cook for threshers Saturday.

Marion McKee of Mattoon spent last week with Vernon Houchin.

Lake City

Mrs. Ona Mitchell returned to her home Sunday after a visit with Mrs. Sallie Wilson at Chicago.

Miss Cressie Powell of Decatur spent the week end with John Powell and family.

Mrs. James Ivy and daughter Dorothy June and son John Elmer of Clairmont visited last week with S. J. Sallings and family.

Mrs. Leverett Rich returned Saturday from St. Mary's hospital where she had undergone an operation for appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Dickson and son Charles and daughter Grace, and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Dickson and daughter Odette and son Junior of Decatur were Sunday

guests of C. T. Dickson.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Noel attended a picnic at Nelson park Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Relker and daughter Wenona of Edgewood spent Sunday with Ernest Relker and family.

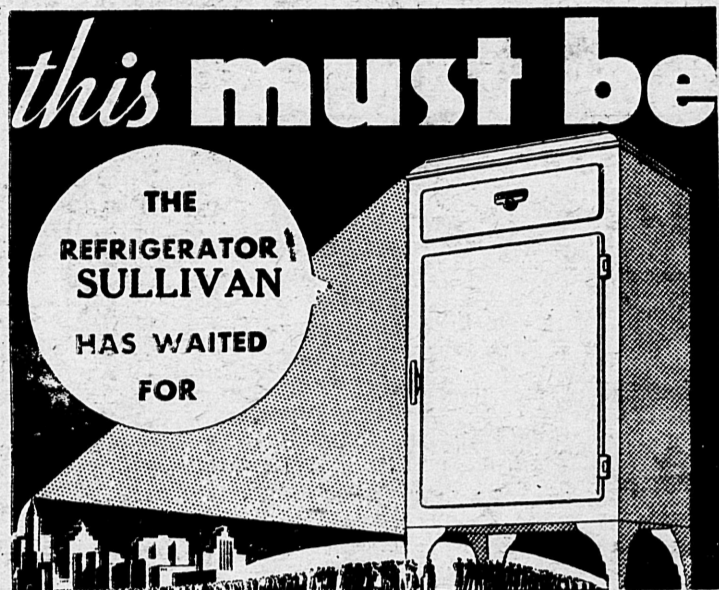
Mr. and Mrs. George Rich of Brownstown, spent Sunday with Leverett Rich and family.

Mrs. Will Rich and son Jean of Decatur spent Sunday with C. B. Redfern and family.

Mrs. Dona Redfern and daughter Hortense visited relatives in Decatur last week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Hamm were Decatur visitors Sunday.

Mrs. Ella Rankins and daughter Eleanor and son John returned home Friday from Chicago where they had attended the Century of Progress.



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