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## Institute For Teachers And Officers Mon.

Supt. Walker Secures Well Known Educators to Speak to Those in Charge of County's Educational Affairs.

Monday, September 4th is opening day for all school in Moultrie county.

There will be no school for pupils on that day however, as the teachers will be in attendance at a 1-day institute to be held in the high school building in this city. It is expected that more than 200 teachers will be in attendance at this institute. Active school work starts Tuesday.

Superintendent Walker has prepared a program for the afternoon of the institute that will be of vital interest to teachers and also to school board members and a letter of invitation has been sent to all such school officers.

The subjects to be discussed deal with some of the important school problems and principles of education and legislation of the present period as it applies to school administration.

Both the speakers for the afternoon session are well known educators and have appeared before many audiences in this country, addressing farmers, teachers, business men and civic leaders.

Dr. A. W. Nolan

One of the best known educators on the staff of the U. of I. is Dr. A. W. Nolan who is an associate professor of Agricultural Education director of Smith-Hughes training, University of Illinois.

Dr. Nolan has a rather impressive background of successful educational work in Indiana, West Virginia, Arizona, California and Illinois. He is the author of a number of text books on Agriculture, used in colleges and high schools.

He is a speaker of recognized ability and, knowing his subjects well, he conveys a message to his audiences that is very much worth while.

Supt. C. E. Vance

Supt. C. E. Vance is one of the outstanding city superintendents of Illinois. He began his teaching career in the country schools, has served as village principal, grade school principal, assistant superintendent of schools and for the past seven years has been superintendent of the Danville city schools. He is at present the president of the Eastern Illinois Division of the State Teachers Association.

The Program

The program for the institute is as follows:

- 8:50-9:00—Announcements.
- 9:00-9:20—Business meeting of Moultrie Co. Teachers Association.
- 9:20-10:05—Address, "The Progressive Teacher"—C. E. Vance.
- 10:05-10:20—Recess.
- 10:20-11:05—Address, "Teaching Morals in Public Schools"—Dr. A. W. Nolan.
- 11:05-11:50—Address, "Nature vs. Nurture"—C. E. Vance.
- 11:50-1:10—Noon Intermission.
- 1:10-1:35—Assembly singing, directed by R. G. Neuell, director of band music, Shelbyville H. S. Susan K. Roney, pianist.
- 1:35-2:20—Address, "The Teacher—An Asset to Civilization"—Dr. A. W. Nolan.
- 2:20-2:35—Recess.
- 2:35-3:20—Address, "Why Teachers Fail"—C. E. Vance.
- 3:20-4:05—Address, "Serving the Community with the Rural School"—Dr. A. W. Nolan.
- 4:05-4:15—Organization of the Teachers Reading Circle Groups.

The vocal and instrumental music for the day will be under the direction of Prof. R. G. Newell, director of band music in the Shelbyville high school.

## WINDSOR STATE BANK IN RECEIVERS HANDS

Dean L. Rankin, a young Windsor business man, has been named receiver of the Citizens State Bank (Munson) at Windsor. The bank had been closed since March 4th. J. C. Willard of Shelbyville has been named attorney for the receiver.

## UNDERGOES OPERATION

Sam Palmer who has been in the Decatur & Macon county hospital for some time underwent an operation for prostate gland trouble Wednesday morning of this week. He is reported resting well and expects to be home soon.

## Corrections On Delinquent List

In preparing the Delinquent list for the printer, mistakes are apt to occur on late payments. The following items were not Delinquent although they appeared in the delinquent list published:

Bessie P. Ray, Marrowbone, 2 items. Maude J. Harmon; Harriet E. Bailey (drainage); Mrs. J. M. Cummins; Cynthia McClung (Drainage); W. A. Luttrell; Will Shields.

Since the Delinquent list was published, a considerable amount of taxes has been collected from people who do not want a tax judgment entered their property.

## Long Delayed Stealing Cases Now On Trial

Judge Armstrong Refuses Further Continuance of Wilkey-Egbert Affair and Defendants now Face Jury in Local Trial.

In the year 1929 numerous articles were stolen from a residence building in Jonathan Creek township, that belongs to Elmer Bowers. The owner of the building was in California at the time. The theft was not discovered until March of the following year.

Rollo Thomas, a tenant on another farm belonging to Mr. Bowers and Sheriff Lansden went to Mt. Vernon and in farm homes near there recovered some of the stolen articles.

In October 1931 a grand jury voted indictments against Howard Wilkey, who were alleged to have stolen the goods and trucked them to Jefferson county. Howard Wilkey later went to the pen on a plea of guilty.

The cases against Fred Wilkey and J. B. Egbert are now on trial in the local circuit court after many delays and continuances.

Judge John Armstrong of Champaign is presiding. This is Judge Armstrong's first appearance in the local court since his election in June.

States Attorney R. W. Martin for the prosecution is assisted by C. R. Patterson. Robert W. White is attorney for the defendants.

When the case was called Monday, Wilkey did not appear, but asked for continuance on account of illness. Judge Armstrong overruled the petition and issued an order to the Sheriff of Jefferson county to produce the accused forthwith. Adjournment was taken to Wednesday morning at which time both Wilkey and Egbert were present in court and the trial proceeded.

The jury hearing the case consists of Mason Piper, Fraillie Link, Sol L. Yoder, W. D. Gould, Chas. Younger, Richard Bean, John Flesher, Everett Spencer, Ralph Jarvis, C. F. Standerfer, Orville Isaacs and Guy Booker. Charles Getz is bailiff.

Witnesses for the state were J. E. Bowers, Rollo Thomas, Glen Fabert, Charles Lansden and Haic Lansden. The defense was opening its case Thursday morning. It is intimated that the defense will be that the men who handled the

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## Gas Plant Project Nearing Showdown

The next few days will decide whether or not Sullivan will have a gas plant and distribution system.

The McBride Engineering company of St. Louis is making a final survey to see whether enough people are inclined to use gas to make it advisable to proceed with the plans.

If a plant and distribution system is built here in Sullivan, it will be financed by a government loan of about \$65,000. None of the principal of this loan is to be repaid the first four years.

At least 300 households must signify an inclination to use gas, if the engineers are to proceed with the project.

As outlined by the promoters, gas would be a cheap fuel and would give Sullivan one more big city convenience. People who have ever lived where gas was available are much in favor of the success of the proposed plant.

## Tense Interest Awaits Ball Game Monday

Proceeds of Battle Between Indies and Legion Goes to Commissioner Bupp for Park Improvements. Legion is Mobilizing for Battle Royal.

As announced exclusively in a recent issue of The Progress, thereby scooping the Chicago, Decatur and Springfield newspapers, there will be a big community ball game here in Sullivan on Labor Day, Monday, September 4th.

The opponents will be Dale Elder's Indies and an American Legion team. Proceeds of the game will go to Commissioner Ray Bupp and he will use such funds for the purchase of new tables and benches for Wyman park.

When Commissioner Bupp, through The Progress, announced to the world at large, that he was desirous that such an affair be staged, a response on the part of the community boosters was spontaneous.

Elder's Indies announced that they were ready for anything that the Legion might dish up. They felt that these old war men did not have much fight in them and intimated that it would be all O. K. to load up with some snappy and peppy new bloods, whose brittle bones were not apt to shatter in a fall on the diamond.

By common consent the general manager of the Legion end of the affair fell on the city's foremost authority on baseball and allied sports—the Hon. Guy Bupp. Heinie Sona, who knows a little about baseball, and who must be restrained daily from quarreling with the umpires as the returns come in over the radio, was appointed adjutant for Major Bupp.

Mr. Sona, sensing the magnitude of the task assigned him, drafted Col. Yeakle, commander of the local Legion, Mr. Hawley and a few others to help him.

It was decided to have the game on the city ball diamond. The hour for starting is 2:30. The admission one thin dime. The umpires will be a surprise.

The Legion battery will be Mis-enheimer and Evans. Others in the line-up are Fritz Poland, Moberley, Trago, Sona, Hostetter and Pribble. Utility men who will also act as the wildly cheering mob for the Legion side are the following: George Purvis, Col. Yeakle, A. C. Hawley, Pete Chippis, Bob Martin, Frank Wolf, Bill Kinsel, Rozy Rozene, Jimmie Lehman, Mervin Reed, John Franklin Gibbon, C. R. Patterson, Puggy Reeder, Doc. Roney, Doc. Merriman, Raymond James, Ed Baumgartner and Capt. Jarvis of Gays.

The Indies, stripped down for business lineup thusly: C. Morgan, ss, R. Stark, 2b, D. Elder 1b, Ote Cowell, c, B. Stearns 3b, G. Pote, cf, D. Shirey lf, Hugh Grozer rf, and Clark Dennis, pitcher. The ticket sale will be under way before this paper reaches the people. Indications are for an enormous turnout as it will be the biggest dime's worth of entertainment since Tunney beat Dempsey.

## Earl Walker Heads Sullivan NRA Com.

At Friday night's NRA meeting held in the circuit court room Earl Walker was elected chairman of the local committee and Purvis Tabor was selected secretary.

The work up to that time had been handled through the local Post Office. Of 140 blanks sent out about 80 had been signed and returned. The new committee now takes over the task of making Sullivan a 100% NRA community.

To assist in the work the new officers selected a committee of 12 as follows: John J. Gauger, Frank McPheeters, P. M. Hankla, A. Hagerman, E. O. Dunscomb, Lewis David, Mrs. Fred Hicks, Miss Jessie Buxton, Bo Wood, Raymond Shasteen, W. H. Walker and L. Dickerson.

This committee and the officers will work out plans for a thorough canvass of the city.

## SPARE-RIBS IS HOME

Chaimer Newbould is rejoicing over the recovery of his bird dog "Spare-Ribs." He disappeared some time ago. Word reached Mr. Newbould that he was in Villa Grove. Accompanied by Sheriff Lansden, he went to that city on Wednesday, identified his dog and brought him back home.

## Young Business Women Met Mon. Night, 25 Present

Twenty-five young business women of this city met Monday night in the Library club room to discuss organization. Mrs. Ray Isaacs, who has been sponsoring this movement, was chosen temporary chairman. She has named a committee to nominate officers, a committee to select the name and one to draw up the constitution and by laws. The first regular meeting of this newly formed club will be the second Monday night in September.

There will be two meetings per month, the second and fourth Monday nights. One meeting will perhaps be social and the other will have educational features.

## Program In Honor Of Barnetts Return For Seventh Year

In honor of Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Barnett's returning to the Christian church for their seventh year a short program to be given during Sunday School hour next Sunday morning has been prepared by a committee consisting of Eva Hill Nellie Wood and Albert Walker as follows:

- Song, "Come Thou Almighty King."
- Song, "Revive Us Again"
- Prayer song, "Saviour Like a Shepherd Lead Us"
- Prayer—Rev. Barnett.
- Announcements:
- Special program.
- Welcome to Barnetts—Albert Walker.

Cornet Quartet (Vern Kellar, Harris Wood, Finley Pifer and John Tichenor).

Talk concerning work among young people—Beatrice Hill. Vocal Solo—Bill Fleming. Birthday Song "To the Work." Birthday offering.

The officers and teachers of Sunday school feel that it is a duty of the membership of the Sunday school to attend the program of welcome in large numbers. Also as an expression of appreciation they feel that the members should attend the morning church service. At this service Mrs. G. R. Fleming will sing a solo.

Don't forget Sunday school at 9:30 Sunday morning. Communion and morning service at 10:30.

## Legion Auxiliary to Honor Its Officials

On Friday, September 8th the American Legion Auxiliary will have a 6:30 dinner at the National Inn in honor of the out-going district director, Mrs. Olive Alexander of Charleston. Others to be honored at the dinner will be Mrs. Eckbon, new district director and Mrs. Lois McIlwain of Bethel, assistant director.

Following the dinner and short program, all will go to the club rooms where a regular business session will be held. This will be the last meeting in charge of Mrs. Irene Yeakle the out-going local president.

## 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 Cazier family reunion will be on September 3rd in Wyman park.

The annual Bragg-Hull reunion will be held in Wyman park the 2nd Sunday in September. Higgin Bragg, of Washington, past 90 years of age, plans to attend if his health will permit.

The annual home-coming of the Jonathan Creek church will take place Sunday, September 3rd.

## IOWA CROPS GOOD

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Womack returned Tuesday from Storm Lake, Iowa where they looked after their farming interests. They report excellent prospects in that part of the country.

Mrs. Hugh Bupp left Sunday for Trilla where she will employ to teach this winter.

## Many To Start School Life Here Tuesday, Sept. 5

Tots Who Are 6 Before Dec. 1st May Enroll as Beginners; Supt. Brumfield Has Announced This Year's Book List.

It will be interesting to not whether or not the enrollment of beginners at the North Side building Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock, will show an increase proportionate to the increase of the city's population in the past few years.

Supt. Brumfield announces that all children who will be 6 years of age before December 1st will be allowed to enroll. As the beginners will have but half day sessions, those enrolling will be divided into morning and afternoon classes at time of enrollment Tuesday morning.

The book list for the year is as follows:

- Third Grade
- Reader—Gates Huber and Work Book.
- Arith.—Iroquois Book One
- Lang.—Cowan Betz and Charters Book 2.
- Palmer Writing Book for 3rd and 4th.
- My Health and Safety Book.
- Essentials of Spelling.
- Fourth Grade
- Reader—Reading and Living, Book One.
- Arith.—Iroquois Book I.
- Geog.—The World and Its People.
- Lang.—Cowan Betz and Charters Book I.
- Speller—Essentials of Spelling.

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## Three Sullivan Cars In Rainy Collision

Three carloads of Sullivan people figured in a collision on route 132 near Mattoon Sunday evening.

State highway policeman William Hostetter and family were returning to this city. At Coles a car came onto the slab and almost struck the Hostetter car. This car went toward Mattoon. Officer Hostetter thinking the driver of the other car acted queerly, turned around and followed the car. It was raining. Near Mattoon the car that Hostetter was following, side swiped a car in which Mr. and Mrs. Jim Steele were driving from Mattoon to Sullivan. In the mixup this same car collided with the Hostetter car. The Steele car overturned in the ditch. The occupants of the Hostetter car were badly shaken up.

It was found that in the other car were Don Stone, Leonard Reedy, Ruth Gramblin, Helen Barger and Jane Buckalew. The driver was working his windshield wiper and this caused his erratic driving. There were no arrests and nothing but minor injuries and car damage.

## Household Science Program for Tues.

The program for the September 5th meeting of the Household Science club at the club rooms is as follows:

- 5 min. "To a Wild Rose"
- "Shadow Dance by Esther Francis.
- Leader—Mary Patterson.
- Piano Solo—Blanche Carroll.
- State Institutions, Speaker, Mrs. Kay.
- Club Quartette.
- Jonathan Creek and East Nelson-Whitley clubs are invited to be guests.

The babies who took part in the "Baby Parade" at the last meeting were: Virginia Wilson, Dulcinea Purvis, Virginia Jenne, Phyllis Bryant, Patsy Robinson, Alice Hawkins, Charles Shasteen, Joan Hostetter, Raymond Bryant, Janice Shasteen, Louise Drew, Lois Valentine, Peggy Wolf, Shirley Wolf, Ronald Newbould and Bobby Kelso.

## JUDGED CATTLE

Prof. H. P. Erwin of the STHS Vocational Ag. department was in Shelbyville Wednesday where he judged the dairy cattle at a 4-H club show and Farm Bureau picnic. Henry Hortenstine of Gays judged the beef cattle and Farm Adviser Thomas of Coles county judged the pigs. Prof. Erwin reports an excellent show with many entries.

## Maxine Lindsay and L. Raymond Graham Married August 25

Miss Maxine Lindsay, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Al Lindsay and L. Raymond Graham, son of Mrs. D. A. Phillips of Andover, O., were married in Springfield, Aug. 25.

The bride is a graduate of the local township high school in the class of '29 and attended Brown's Business college in Decatur. She has been employed the last two years in the office of Cochran, Sentel & Cochran.

Mr. Graham is a graduate of the Andover high school and is now working at the Brown shoe factory here. They will reside at 903 Van Buren street in Sullivan.

## Large Senior Class Forecast At High School

Active Work Stars on Tuesday Small Freshman Registration—Board Employs Miss Berenice Lawson to Teach English.

The registration of students in the Sullivan Township high school shows that the attendance will be about the same as last year.

Principal Scheer reported Wednesday that up to that time the Freshman class appears to be smaller than the average, only 70 having enrolled.

The Senior class promises to be the largest class ever graduated from the school with an approximate enrollment of 75.

One new subject is being introduced in the commercial course this year "Introduction to Business." This subject gives a general survey of the field and activities of business including employment opportunities and personal qualifications and there is considerable discussion concerning the training required to successfully participate in any occupation or profession.

The subject 'Business Training' is offered in the Freshman year.

Principal Scheer suggests that all students who have not yet registered, do so without fail September 5th.

## Miss Lawson Employed

There are two changes on the teaching staff this year and one teacher less than last year, due to consolidations of departments.

The teachers who will not be on the staff this year are Mrs. Charles Shuman (Ida Wilson) and Mrs.

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## Rev. Winchester Is Bride Of Urbana Man

Miss Bessie Winchester, who for more than a year has been pastor of the local Baptist church, was united in marriage on August 15th with David L. Smith of Urbana. The ceremony took place in the First Baptist church in Joliet.

Mrs. Smith told her congregation about her matrimonial affiliations Sunday and handed in her resignation as pastor. The resignation will take effect after a new parish plan is worked out which will include the local church and the churches at Coles and Cooks Mills. Mrs. Smith will preach until a new pastor is assigned to the parish.

The bride has been successful in her work here and has co-operated with the ministerial association in its religious activities. The groom is a farmer.

## VANSICKLE BROADCASTS

On the day when Frankie Frisch took charge of the Cardinals at Sportsman park in St. Louis recently, many interesting features were on the program. Bob Harrington, scouting through the crowds of fans picked Billie Vansickle and a boy friend to come to the broadcasting station to broadcast the 5th inning, play by play.

## FORMER RESIDENT DIES

Mrs. Tella Pearce received word this week of the death at Carlys, Arkansas of Mrs. May Conrad. She was the daughter of the late Jimmy Wood of this city and her father spent his declining days with her in Arkansas. She was a cousin of Howard and Charley Wood of this community.

## City's Sewer Project Moves Very Slowly

People Fearful of Cost of Proposed Improvement; Federal Government is Making Loans; City Clerk Gives Detailed Explanation.

The much-discussed sewer project for Sullivan is not making much headway. The matter has been up several times before the council and nearly all the time of Monday night's meeting was taken up with discussion of this project. An engineer has made a study of the problem and has submitted figures on the cost of the proposed improvement.

The reason for bringing this matter up at this time is that the Federal government, in order to provide work for unemployed, has appropriated many millions of dollars, to be loaned to communities who will use this money for needed improvements. Thirty per cent, or that part which will compensate for labor on such jobs, is a direct donation from the government.

City Clerk J. E. Martin, who has been in close touch with the local situation since its inception, has prepared the following statement relative to the proposed sewer construction in Sullivan:

"Regarding the proposed sewer system for the city of Sullivan, much misinformation has been afloat, and I believe that the matter should be thoroughly understood by every citizen, in order that he may form his own opinion as to whether he should, or should not, be for it. First, let me say, that nobody is advocating a sewer to be paid for by assessments against real estate as was the water system. If it can be built no other way, a sewer system will not be built in the city for several years to come.

Thirty Years to pay "The plan is to borrow money with which to build the sewer system, from the Federal Government, to be paid back over a period of thirty years in annual installments, and at a low rate of interest. The loan would be secured

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## Abner Womack Died Sat., Funeral Sunday

Abner Womack, who would have been 69 years of age had he lived to December 7th, died at his home here Saturday morning. He had been in ill health a number of years.

Funeral services were held Sunday at Liberty church in charge of Elder Brady. Burial was in Liberty cemetery.

He was born in Moultrie county and spent all of his life here. For many years he worked as a farm-hand for farmers near this city. He was twice married. His first wife was Miss Hannah Clark. Two sons, Ralph and Edward of Rantoul survive from this union.

After the death of his first wife, he was united in marriage with Mrs. Ada Collings McCaig in 1920. To this union was born one daughter, Mary June, now 8 years of age. She and her mother survive. He also leaves three brothers, Jack, James and Charles of Sullivan; two sisters, Mrs. Ann Mitchell of Missouri and Mrs. Fenia Clark of Jacksonville.

The following from out of town were here for the funeral: Ralph and Ed Womack (sons) of Rantoul, Mrs. L. L. Garrison of Covington, Ind., (sister of Mrs. Womack), Mr. and Mrs. Roy Collings of West Lebanon, Ind., Mrs. Flora McMahon and Miss Dorothy Ferguson of Fort Wayne, Ind., Mrs. Judy and Mrs. Anna Blue of Rantoul and Mrs. Van Collings and baby of Danville, Ill. The last two named remained for a visit in the home of Mrs. Womack.

## INFANT BORN DEAD

A son was born Friday to Mr. and Mrs. Martin Strohl. The infant was dead at birth. It was named Billie Jean. The remains were buried Saturday morning in Greenhill cemetery, with Rev. Lawrence in charge of the services.

## SULLIVAN MARKETS

Wheat 75c; corn 42c and 44c; oats 28c; indications were for lower prices Friday. Butterfat 19c; eggs 9c; hens 5 to 8c; springs 7 to 10c; cox 4c.

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## The Editor's Chair

Let another man praise thee, and not thine own mouth; a stranger and not thine own lips. —Proverbs 27-2.

He who has no inclination to learn more will be very apt to think that he knows enough. —Powell.

### BOOSTING THE BOOSTER

Boost your city, boost your friend; Boost the church that you attend. Boost the street on which you're dwelling, Boost the goods that you are selling. Boost the people 'round about you. They can get along without you. But success will quicker find them. If they know that you're behind them. Boost for every forward movement; Boost for every new improvement; Boost the man for whom you labor; Boost the stranger and the neighbor. Cease to be a chronic knocker; Cease to be a progress-blocker. If you'd make your city better Boost it to the final letter. —Anon.

### Does Sullivan Want That Sewer?

The city of Sullivan needs a sewer system. It is a basic need if the city is to grow and prosper. This is quite generally conceded.

The Federal government is loaning money to cities for such public improvements. It is also donating money to pay the men who do the labor of building such improvements.

The Sullivan city government has for some time been giving this matter some consideration. Other cities are asking for loans for similar public improvements, such as water systems, paving, etc.

Despite much information that has already been given to the public relative to the local sewer project, there still are many things which people do not know, and the people are suspicious of anything they do not fully understand.

City Clerk Martin has issued a statement this week, which appears in this issue. He explains many of the points relative to the project, but some are still left in the dark. If the sewer is built and the users are to pay a fee for its use, what will this fee be? How much money must be raised monthly to meet the city's obligations to the government, if a loan is secured?

Starting major improvements is a hard task. There are always those who oppose. Nothing worth while has ever been put over here in Sullivan without plenty of opposition. Opposition is always with us. In this sewer project opposition there are those who love their smelling outhouses and fear they may have to abandon them; there are those who now have fairly adequate sewer facilities and are fearful that the new improvement might cost them some money. There are those who are always fearful of any public improvement and can look only at the present cost, without ever lifting their eyes to view the future benefits.

But the main feature of any proposed public improvement is that people be fully informed as to its manner and method of payment.

If the business and professional people of Sullivan want this sewer, it is time to act. If anything is to be done, it must be done without any further delay, or no Federal aid will be forthcoming.

There is need that a meeting be held in which the general public can participate and at which time questions can be asked by those who seek information and answered by those who have the desired facts.

We understand that the majority sentiment of our city council favors building the sewer. They have heard objections, however. Objectors usually are not backward in voicing protests. A few objectors can make much noise. Those who approve are not so noisy, as a rule. People who favor the sewer project are hopeful that something can be done, but are backward in telling officials where they stand.

Since successfully handling the shoe factory proposition in 1929, this sewer proposition is the most important problem that has confronted Sullivan.

Wake up Sullivan! If you are interested in this project, get the necessary information on which you can base a sane judgment, and decide to either go ahead, or drop it and tackle something your size!

### The Importance of School Officials.

In years gone by, there was a feeling in the heart of many school officials that their one paramount duty was to hire a school teacher at the very lowest salary possible. This done, they would consider their duties well fulfilled for the year and pay no further attention to school affairs.

Times have changed. There are still a few such school officials, but thank God, their number is growing less yearly.

School officials today take a pride in their task. They want the best teachers that they can afford; they want good, sanitary, comfortable school houses. They want the children to have every possible opportunity to secure the

benefits of the American system of education.

They co-operate with the teachers. Instead of being a domineering, ill-informed boss of a school teacher, they seek today to help the teacher in his task, not through unwelcome interference in the work that is primarily that of the teacher, but rather in friendly encouragement.

The Parent-Teachers associations have filled a great need in education.

Superintendent Albert Walker, realizing to the fullest extent the importance of school officials in the program of education, has designed a part of the program of Monday's institute for their especial benefit. He has sent letters to all officials urging them to attend the institute and hear Dr. Nolan and Supt. Vance.

The spirit of friendly co-operation is abroad in the land.

If all of us knew each other better; if we would be less selfish, less suspicious, and willing to lend hand of encouragement and fellowship to our co-laborers; we would accomplish much more for our generation and for those who will follow us.

In education, great strides have been made. We hope many school officers will attend Monday afternoon's institute.

### Where Do You Stand In This?

The NRA is a plan to put more people to work, so as to earn more money so as to be able to buy more of the products made by the increased number of people who work.

It constitutes a well-balanced circuit. People who have no work earn nothing, consequently can buy nothing and in the final analysis must be supported by the charity of those few who do work.

Dove-tailing in with the NRA employment plans are the government's plans to reduce the surplus of farm crops so farmers can get a good price for what they have to sell, so they too can join in with other workers in buying the things they need.

Some people are suspicious of the entire Recovery plan. They see no way in which they can construe it to their own selfish benefit. It is too big, too comprehensive for them to grasp. Knowing of certain questionable government manipulations of past years, they are suspicious and fearful.

People's memories are short. Many have already forgotten the 8c oats and 10c corn of the Hoover days. They have forgotten that this country was headed straight toward hell and chaos when Franklin D. Roosevelt inaugurated the New Deal within a few hours after taking office March 4th.

Since that day, things have grown steadily better. Desired improvements could not come in a day, or week or month, but an encouraging beginning was made. We are whipping the depression. We are planning to forge ahead on a sane basis of controlled production, 100 per cent employment and a future that beckons with promise.

These things cannot be achieved in any half-hearted fashion. The government makes the plans, but the people must co-operate. This applies to employment, to crop reduction, to live-stock reduction and to using to its very limit the buying power of the people.

People must cease to be fearful of the future. Stop saving for a rainy day. Buy now. Every dollar you spend will assist some laborer in getting and holding a job. Live now. Accumulated riches are a delusion and a snare. If the country prospers, you will prosper. If dark and gloomy failure again sweeps over the land, it will engulf us all.

Back the President's Recovery plan. Cease belly-aching. Wholehearted enthusiasm is what is needed. Co-operate. Just how good an American are you?

### Local News

—Misses Pauline Howson and Lucille Hoffman went to Chicago Friday where they attended the Century of Progress, and returned to this city Tuesday.

—The Standard Bearers were entertained at the home of Miss Melba Blankenship, Monday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Schiek of Freeburg, Ill., who spent five days visiting at the home of their daughter Mrs. Ed C. Brandenburg and family, left for their home, Monday.

—Mrs. Nettie Elder, daughter Vina went to Chicago the first of the week for a visit of several days with relatives.

—Misses Mamie and Margaret Nicholson of Miami, Florida who are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Almond Nicholson are spending this week in Decatur.

—Mrs. R. C. Parks of Houston, Texas who is spending several months with relatives in this part of the country accompanied by her mother Mrs. Purvis visited with the latter's twin sister, Mrs. Jake Fears at Cooks Mills from Wednesday to Saturday.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Elder entertained the following guests at their home Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Munson, and Mr. and Mrs. Farley Young.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ray McDonald, daughter Helen, Mr. and Mrs. Charles McDonald and daughter Delores and Theodore McDonald were among those who attended the Robey reunion held at Twin Lakes, at Paris, Ill. Sunday.

—Misses Pauline and Eva Elder went to Chicago Friday where they visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Pifer and also attended A Century of Progress. They returned Monday.

—Miss Cora Risley visited over the week end with a friend, Miss Julia Carn, near Bethany.

—Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Spough spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Risley.

—Misses Pauline and Eva Elder who spent the week end in Chicago were accompanied to this

city by Mrs. Dave Pifer and her small daughter, who will spend this week with relatives in this city.

—Miss Ella Ritchey of Chicago arrived the latter part of last week and will visit with relatives in this city until Labor Day.

—Mrs. Tom Risley expects to leave Thursday for Chicago where she will spend several days attending A Century of Progress.

—Eugene Drew and Wallace Ritchey have been employed as clerks at the A. and P. store.

—Mrs. Dena Harris and daughter Norma Jean visited over Sunday with relatives in Decatur.

—Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Beck, daughter visited with relatives at Flora Sunday and also motored to Alton.

—Miss Helen Gauger is spending the week attending A Century of Progress, in company with several friends.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Barclay spent Sunday evening with friends at Weldon.

—Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Thompson spent Thursday in Springfield where they attended the State Fair and visited at the home of their daughter Mrs. S. R. Magill.

—Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Lawson, and daughter Bernice motored to Chicago Friday and spent the week end attending the exposition.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Hill, daughter, Beatrice drove to Chicago Thursday and attended A Century of Progress over the week end.

—Mr. and Mrs. Morris Floyd entertained over the week end two of their nephews. They were Byron Jacobs of Chicago and Carl W. Nordyke of Louisville, Kentucky.

—Matt Dedman who has been seriously ill at the Mattoon hospital is steadily gaining in health and expects to be able to be brought to his home soon.

—Mr. and Mrs. Walter Holzmueller, daughter Elsie and son Oscar, Mrs. Rose McCarthy and daughter Helen were among those who attended the Chicken fry given at Shelbyville, Sunday.

### J. J. Martin Makes Valuable Suggestions

Queer people, we! Mrs. Grace Stanovich of Alabama sues an inspector for \$50,000 for walking into her bathroom while she was bathing, and Sallie Rand gives a whole show for 50 cents. The spread for admission, \$49,999.50, is so great we think an investigating committee should be appointed to determine whether the superior complex of Mrs. Grace is sufficient to warrant the sum demanded.

As an after thought, we beg to suggest the names of Squire Edwards, Laban Daugherty, W. I. Martin, Dode Snyder, W. E. Mann, Crit Pierce, John Furness, and Bill Spough, all Moultrie county men, true and tried, and fully capable of investigating, examining and otherwise passing on all momentous, scientific and esthetic queries that might arise. Hearing no objections, gentlemen, you are hereby fully delegated, authorized and empowered to summon and seize the major parties and such other witnesses and evidencers as may be needed that the investigation be thorough and complete, and that at your earliest convenience you report your findings to the Progress Editor and be discharged, subject, however, to recall should other similar stunts be pulled off.

Mr. Editor, it is not for the purpose of aiding, abetting or otherwise encouraging Grace or Sallie in their methods of combatting the Depression, (Sallie stating she has had no "unemployed moments since taking off her pants), and if Grace wins, she'll have quite a breathing spell with "Nary a wave of trouble rolling across her peaceful breasts" but just to get the names in print of those of our dearly beloved democrats that have had no chance of breaking into the limelight since the beginning of the year 1.

Passing from the sublime to things more serious, will say we greatly enjoy reading the Progress editorials. When they come to our table, we do not swallow them as do young birds in their nests but try to analyze them — "Look at them" as Alexander Hamilton said, "from all points of the compass." Take for instance last week's write-up in reference to the delay in "Turning the rascals out," as our great and glorious "Old Hickory" did. On general principles, Mr. Editor, we're with you, but as we view the question, this is one of the extraordinary kind. The other day we heard a Republican eulogize president Roosevelt as high as any democrat would dare do. He also stated the why of the great Roosevelt landslide; said it was because he and eight million other republicans would not stay hitched, but broke out—jumped into the democratic pasture, put their shoulders to the wheel and helped roll the thing along. Admitting the facts, which all must do, shouldn't some of the new recruits be given a chance to help blaze the trail for the New Deal. We feel they should be recognized and awarded for their firm stand in refusing to be further hoodwinked by "Just around-the-corner" phrase and others of the same ilk, and for coming out on the side of "Equal and exact justice for all and special privileges and immunities to none."

We think the editor had in mind those G. O. P. Fellers who had the affrontery to flout and belittle those who opposed, with manly firmness, those gangsters of the many unfiled promises. In the language of Joseph W. Folk of St. Louis, such officials "Are not republican nor democrats but they are damned rascals" and should be turned out before they are turned in.

—J. J. Martin

### TRUE DEMOCRACY

We predict a highly successful future for one of the dauntless young men in a Civilian Conservation Camp on Bear Mountain, near President Roosevelt's summer home at Hyde Park, N. Y.

The President, an informal visitor at the camp, was standing chatting and smoking, yesterday with several secret service men and a group of the young forest workers.

One of the lads borrowed a cigaret from a guard, strolled calmly over to Mr. Roosevelt and asked him for a light.

"Okay," laughed the President, flicking the ash from his cigaret and handing it to the young man, who nonchalantly puffed a light from it and passed it back.

That's a demonstration in true democracy for all "Doubting Thomases."

And incidentally, it is just little gestures of this sort, wholly unconscious on the President's part, and unduly magnified because of their very insignificance, that are daily bringing Franklin Delano Roosevelt closer to the people along the Main streets of America, than any other President in the history of the country.

—Belleville News-Democrat.

### Sore Feet

H. S. Butler

Every one I've talked to Who's been up to the Fair, Tells about how tired he got While seeing things up there.

I've heard some women say "So no time you will lose, Just take along with you An extra pair of shoes."

The idea seems to be Fatigue you will defeat, If you can only pacify Your tired and aching feet.

Many times I've heard it said "Wear anything you choose, But don't go to Chicago In a brand new pair of shoes."

So if you are so lucky As to own two pair of shoes, Take along the extra pair And change where'er you choose

I think I'll go myself, next week, I want to see the Fair, But I'll not carry extra shoes I only have one pair.

### 17 Years Ago

August 31, 1916

Professor Albert Walker, principal of the Arthur High School and Miss Cora E. Butler were married Thursday morning. The Sullivan Homecoming was to be held September 11 to 16. Dr. J. A. Lucas and son Samuel suffered slight injuries when their horse ran away Thursday.

TEN YEARS AGO

August 31, 1933

About 7000 persons attended the concert of the Zohak Grotto band of Decatur at Wyman park Sunday.

The annual teachers institute was to be held Saturday.

Prof. T. H. Finley, principal of S. T. H. S. announced that classes would begin Monday.

FIVE YEARS AGO

August 31, 1928

Prof. Loren Brumfield gave an address on "Birds" to a meeting of game wardens at the State Fair last week.

The Masonic Home road was almost completed. Part of it was already open to traffic.

Eloise Harshman and Don Moore were married Friday evening, August 31, at the home of bride.

Dr. George Roney moved his office to rooms above the Coy shoe store.

### Goodwin Reunion

The Goodwin reunion was held August 27 at the home of E. A. Goodwin south of Sullivan.

Musical entertainment was furnished by Harold, Kenneth and Lanier Goodwin of Annapolis, Ill. The reunion next year will be held at the home of G. E. Goodwin in Crawford County on the third Sunday in August.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Tackett and children of Odin, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Goodwin and children of Sandoval and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Goodwin and Ralph Goodwin of Oblong, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Chapman of Martinsville, George and Mamie Morris of Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. John Goodwin of Annapolis, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Goodwin, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Miller, Harold, Lanier and Kenneth Goodwin of Annapolis; Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Goodwin and son Richard, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Goodwin and Dorothy of Mattoon; Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Lilly, Mrs. Sarah Preston, Mary Preston, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Goodwin and son all of Allenville, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Goodwin and sons Noel, Ralph and Wayne of Gays, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Preston and son, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hoffman, Mrs. Bettie Preston and children of Lovington, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Goodwin of Forniell, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. Gale Shasteen and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hilliard and son, Ira Goodwin, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Goodwin, Mr. and Mrs. John Goodwin, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Maxedon, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Brooks and daughter, Rachel Henry and Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Goodwin all of Sullivan.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Harsh arrived Saturday to spend several weeks at the home of the latter's mother, Mrs. J. M. Cummins.

—Mrs. Roy Enterline and Betty of Fort Dodge, Iowa is spending this week with her sister, Mrs. Melvin Davis and also with her mother, Mrs. Ben Freeman in Lovington.

—Finley Edwards of Mattoon was a Sullivan business caller on Monday.

—Walter F. Leiner of Los Angeles, California name Sunday to call on his sister, Mrs. W. R. Titus and son George. From here he will go to Ohio to visit relatives, then to Chicago for the World's Fair and then back to California.

—Mrs. Laura Reedy and daughter Miss Ola spent the week end in Chicago attending the Century of Progress and visiting Mrs. H. M. Hagan.

### Brandy Sauce

Diner: "Waiter there is a cockroach in my soup."

Waiter: "Shame on you. Don't be stingy. A poor little cockroach can't eat much of it."

Here's one to make you feel sick: A well known local business man bit into a cockroach that had imbedded itself into a piece of delicious chocolate pie. It happened some years ago. He doesn't like chocolate pie — no more.

Once upon a time we won all prizes and ribbons at a poultry show. We showed Partridge Plymouth Rocks. Note—No one else exhibited.

"Watcha got in that sack kid?" asked the officer.

"Wocks, officer; just wocks."

"What kinda rocks?" was the further inquiry.

"Why Plymouth wocks." And so he did. Arrests followed.

We are told on good authority that this incident happened in Sullivan many years ago.

You've got to admire the gas companies. When their advertising men ran out of colorful words to tell about the qualities of the product why they colored the gasoline. Now some fellow ought to invent a shatter-proof glass gasoline tank so the beauty of the colored motor fuel could be better displayed.

The latest in styles according to Scotch tailors is only one pocket in men's pants. For right handed men the pocket is put on the left side and vice versa.

One of the Sullivan tots who starts school in September is being taught the alphabet by his mother. Company was present the other day and Mother tried to show off the little dear's smartness: "Darling, what comes after O?" "Yeah" was the unexpected reply.

George H. — "I never saw the wind so strong on Lake Mattoon. Here I've been rowing for ten minutes and don't seem to make any progress."

Levy D. — "Say George, the anchor dropped over-board some time ago. Do you think that may have something to do with it?"

One of our Sullivan golfers played the South Side course in Decatur recently. The going got rougher and rougher and finally he found himself in a dense piece of woodland. "Darn such a golf course!" he exclaimed.

"Sorry sir" said the polite Decatur caddy "but this is not the golf course. You left that about an hour ago."

Officer Hostetter: "Hey you, did you know you are speeding? I'll have to give you a ticket. What's your name?"

Truck Driver: "Mr. Officer my name is Dimitrios Paulogruwoskovitch."

Officer: "Huh, say you, spell that."

Driver: "Dimitrios Paulogruwoskovitch."

Officer: "Aw, never mind. Run along and don't ever let me catch you speeding again."

"When I die," said the old lady, "I want Mr. ——— for my undertaker. His grandpa undertook my parents; his pa undertook my old man and some of my chillern. When I lie cold and still I don't wanta be undertooked by anybody else'n him."

Every time we shave, we admire Hitler's nerve. Think what trouble that dinky little 'moustache saves him.

The Chicago mayor's plight again proves that people who get rich quick, at some time or other, will have a lot of explaining to do.

The "Buy at Home" movement would soon be a 100% success if the merchants would practice it among themselves. Furthermore, if the money that out of town salesmen take out of here remained in Sullivan, it would help some. The home-town booster gets but little thanks for his efforts.

Bill: "Why did they pick Earl Walker as head of the Sullivan NRA?"

Pete: "The NRA is a Blue Eagle. Earl Walker is the only guy in this town that knows how to fly like an eagle. He was the guy for the job."

First Crook: "I see where they finally put Egbert and Wilkey on trial in Sullivan for some stealin' in 1929."

Second Crook: "Couldn't they get any more continuances?" First Crook: "Naw! That new judge, Jack Armstrong of Cham-paign, don't seem to take much stock in that continuance business."

## CHURCH NOTES

### ST. COLUMBA'S CHURCH

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

### Allenville & Jonathan Creek CHRISTIAN CHURCHES

(W. B. Hopper, Pastor)

Next Sunday will be the annual homecoming of Jonathan Creek church. Services both morning and afternoon with a basket dinner. There will also be a reception for the folks who were baptised last Sunday at the morning service. Bible school at the Allenville church at ten o'clock.

### METHODIST CHURCH

L. L. Lawrence, pastor

Church school 9:30 a. m. Morning worship 10:45. Sermon by Rev. Lawrence. Young People's Friendly Circle 6:30 p. m. Miss Pauline Shirey, President. Evening Worship 7:30. Sermon by Rev. Lawrence. Music by the Men's Chorus.

The Choir and Men's chorus meet at the church each Thursday night at 7:30. Mrs. Mildred Baker is director of the choir.

The regular services for the Fall are inaugurated this Sunday. A full program for the church year is now underway. All departments of the Sunday School and worship services are responding. Now is your opportunity to start in this new church year with the rest of us. We extend to everyone a cordial invitation to worship with us, and enjoy the privilege of enlarging your life spiritually.

The Ladies Aid regular monthly meeting will be held in the church next Wednesday afternoon. All women of the church are requested to be present.

The Annual Conference will be held in Jacksonville, Illinois, starting Tuesday, September 11. Mr. J. A. Reeder was elected Lay Delegate to the Conference. D. K. Campbell was elected alternate.

Each class in the Sunday School starts this Sunday working toward a definite goal. The men's class

taught by J. A. Sabin, the Women's class taught by Mrs. Grace Pence, and the Young Adult Class taught by Rev. Lawrence are off to a good start. Your class is anxious to have you begin the church year with them.

N R A—You can practice it in your own church here in Sullivan simply by taking your place each Sunday in the School and the church to worship. If every church member in Sullivan would cooperate in the church that act would spread to other places and the good you would do "would live after you" but also live now.

### CHRISTIAN CHURCH

C. E. Barnett, Pastor

To our cottage on Big Star lake, Baldwin, Michigan comes the information of Supt. Gerold Elder's plans for a big Sunday School day next Sunday as we return to begin our seventh year with the Sullivan church. We rejoice in our opportunities and announce all regular services next Sunday with sermons by the pastor.

Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Morning worship, 10:30 a. m. Evening service 7:30 p. m. Christian Endeavor 6:30 p. m. Consecration meeting in Endeavor, timely sermon subjects in church services, a rousing Sunday school session and a most cordial invitation and welcome to all.

### BAPTIST CHURCH

Bessie Winchester Smith, Pastor

Church school at 9:30. Morning worship 10:30. Subject "His Last Will and Testament Communion."

B. Y. P. U. at 6:30. Subject "How is Public Opinion Created? Leader Ilda Mae Foster. Subjects to be discussed are "What do we mean by Public Opinion?" "Law and Public Opinion" "What Can I Do?"

Evening worship 7:30. Subject, "My Task." After church every member of the church and friend of Miss Winchester please go to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hank Webb for a surprise.

The young people came out with the banner last Sunday. "Jesus' Religion." There is no other name under Heaven given among men, whereby we must be saved. Acts 4-12. To think about Jesus, to study His words and way, is to enter into the fullest reality of faith. Every Christian's daily prayer should be "Lord Jesus, make Thyself to me, a living bright reality."

### CHURCH OF GOD

Corner Washington and Water Streets Mrs. Ruth Castang, Pastor.

Sunday school 9:30. Preaching at 10:45. Young People's meeting at 6:30 Children's Happy Hour at 6:30. Preaching at 7:30. Mid-week devotions Wednesday night at 7:45.

On September 10th a play will be given by the young people, "The Parable of the Ten Talents" This will mark the beginning of a two weeks revival effort with Mrs. Effie M. Williams of Decatur as evangelist. Welcome!

### PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Glenn M. Garber, Pastor

We are approaching two important seasons of the year. The celebration of Labor Day and the opening of the schools are reminders of the dual efficacy of Work and knowledge. In preparation for these significant occasions, it will be well to renew within us the spiritual life which has made work

and knowledge come to the high point they have attained today. You are invited to worship at this church.

Announcement of services: S. urday, Sept. 2, 7:00 p. m. choir rehearsal in the church, Miss Ruth Tabor, director.

Sunday, Sept. 3: 9:45 Sunday school, Dr. Donald Butler, Supt.

11:00 Morning worship. The pastor will preach. Subject of sermon, "Dual Controls."

### MISSOURI LEGISLATOR HERE ON BUSINESS

Hon. T. L. Wiley of Cameron, Missouri spent several days here last week on business connected with his farming interests in this county.

While here Mr. Wiley called at The Progress office to renew his subscription. He states that Missouri will doubtless have a special session of the Legislature to find ways and means of securing funds for relief and for paying the costs of running state institutions. The proposed measure may be an "occupational tax" such as Illinois is now collecting from retailers.

Another matter that will need consideration is new laws to govern the manner of handling the "hard" liquor question after the appeal of the 18th amendment.

### Notice To Contractors

For Work to be Constructed Under the Motor Fuel Tax Law.

1. Time and Place of Opening Bids. Sealed proposals for the improvement of the road described herein will be received by the Board of Supervisors, at the office of the County Clerk, Sullivan, Illinois, until 10 o'clock, A. M., Sept. 9, 1933.

2. Description of work. (a) The proposed work is located on the public highways in the county and on the section and route mentioned herein and is shown on the county map showing the State Aid routes on file in the office of the County Clerk.

(b) The proposed improvement is officially known as State Aid Route No. 11, Section No. 2—M. F. T., in Moultrie County.

(c) The nearest end of the section is approximately 0 miles by road from the C & E I railroad passenger depot at Kirksville, Illinois.

(d) The proposed improvement begins at Station 0+00 a point near the N. W. Corner of the S. E. 1/4 of Section 5 T 13, N, R 5 E of the 3rd P. M. Moultrie Co., Illinois and extends in a southerly direction to Station 109+85, a total distance of 109,851 feet, of which 109,851 feet (2.0805 miles) are to be improved.

(e) The proposed improvement is to be P. C. Concrete roadway 9 feet wide, with 6' & 15' earth shoulders.

(f) The estimated quantities of the work to be done are as follows:

16571 cu. yds. Earth Excavation  
25588 Sq. yds. Earth Shoulders  
11209 Sq. yds P. C. Concrete Pavement

44 Lin. ft. 12" Pipe Culverts.  
364 Lin. ft. 15" Pipe Culverts.  
132 Lin. ft. 18" Pipe Culverts.

93.4 Cu. yds. Class X Concrete.  
10410 lbs. Reinforcement Bars.  
792 Sq. ft. Sidewalk (5" thick)  
30 Lin. ft. Drilling Well.

1 each Type B Catch Basin.  
135 Lin. ft. 8" concrete Tile drains.

40 Lin. Ft. 10" concrete tile drains.  
1039 Lin. ft. 12" concrete tile drains

5 each Type C Catch Basins.  
24 each, furnishing and erecting R. O. W. Markers.

2 each furnishing and erecting Section markers.  
2.0805 miles seeding, earth Shoulders & Slopes.

1 moving Schoolhouse & Small buildings

3. Instructions to Bidders. (a) Plans and specifications may be obtained from the County Superintendent of Highways for a specified length of time upon deposit of (\$10.00) Ten Dollars, which amount will be refunded upon return of both plans and specifications in good condition within the time specified.

(b) Proposal forms may be obtained at the office of the County Clerk or at the office of the County Superintendent of Highways.

(c) All proposals must be accompanied by a bank cashier's check or bank draft for ten (10) per cent of the amount of the bid as provided in the "Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge Construction" prepared by the Department of Public Works and Buildings of the State of Illinois, adopted by said Department, January 2, 1932.

(d) Cement for this work will not be furnished by the County.

(e) FINANCIAL STATEMENT, PLAN AND EQUIPMENT QUESTIONNAIRE, AND EXPERIENCE QUESTIONNAIRE.

Prospective bidders shall have on file with the County Superintendent of Highways not later than the date of opening bids, a sworn financial statement. This statement shall be prepared by a

## Richardson Reunion Is Held Sunday

About 35 members of the Richardson family assembled in Hostetter park in Lovington last Sunday for their third annual reunion.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Elzy Richardson and family and Glen Richardson of Decatur, Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Powell and family of Arthur, Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Ascherman, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Ascherman, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Ascherman and families of Arthur, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Bartley, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Richardson and families of Sullivan, Mrs. Mary Richardson of Lovington.

A big chicken dinner with all the trimmings was served at noon. The rest of the day was spent in games and in a social way.

The oldest member present was Mrs. Mary Richardson age 87 and the youngest was Dorothy Ascherman age 7.

E. W. Richardson was chosen president for next year and Miss Mildred Powell as secretary and treasurer.

The reunion will be held in the same park the last Sunday in August next year.

## Lake City

Mrs. Howard Woodall and son Dale are attending the World's fair and visiting relatives in Chicago.

George Cripe and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cripe and T. W. Winings and family and Mr. and Mrs. George Ault attended the State Fair Wednesday.

Ben Bogie of Decatur spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. John Rankins.

Dr. G. E. Loesch of Palestine and a physician in Lake City for many years was honored Sunday at a community dinner served in the school yard park. There were about 200 present to honor Dr. Loesch on his first visit to his home community for many years. Dr. Loesch is now proprietor of a drug store in Palestine, Ill.

Joe Howell has returned to his home near Findlay after a visit with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Winings.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Dawson attended a picnic supper at Nelson park Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Tankerley and daughter Rosemary of Assumption spent Sunday with V. I. Winings and family.

Mrs. Herbert Tivis visited for several days last week with her sister, Mrs. Ilorzo Adams at Lintner.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Scott and daughter Shirley of Decatur were callers here Sunday evening.

## Cushman

Albert Atteberry spent Friday and Saturday with his parents near Casner.

Those from here attending the fair Thursday and Friday were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Queen and son Billie, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Foster and son Orville and Walter Foster and friend.

Miss Clementine Reynolds spent Friday night with Mrs. Albert Atteberry.

Mr. and Mrs. Kendall Hamblin of Paris called on relatives here Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hall spent Wednesday and Thursday with his parents near Atwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmerson Hall and son and Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Hall spent Sunday with relatives near Dalton City.

Mrs. Leo Murphy and family spent Sunday in Sullivan with Mrs. Kate Dedman.

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

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

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Poisel and son Donald and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Foster spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Myers called on Mr. and Mrs. Paul Steinbaugh Sunday evening.

Certified Public Accountant, shall be submitted on forms provided by the County, and shall remain on file with the county. No further financial statement will be necessary for future bidding within a period of twelve (12) months from the date of filing unless requested by the county.

Prospective bidders will also be required to file an experience questionnaire on blanks furnished by the county. The experience questionnaire shall be revised once each year unless otherwise required by the county.

The equipment and plan questionnaire shall be filed with each proposal submitted.

4. REJECTION OF BIDS. The Board of Supervisors reserves the right to reject any or all proposals and to waive technicalities.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF Moultrie County, Feb. 8, 1933.

GUY S. LITTLE,  
Co. Supt. of Highways  
Sullivan, Illinois.

## Bruce

James Spaug has diphtheria. Mrs. Pearl Horn is suffering with a case of shingles.

Mr. and Mrs. Oll Darst and C. W. Darst attended the Stevens and Locke reunion Sunday in Wyman park.

Mrs. Lizzie Ledbetter has been in Sullivan the past two weeks assisting her son Lynn Ledbetter in moving.

Miss Bessie Sampson spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. George King.

Francis Bragg and family have moved to Sullivan where he is working for the Tabor elevator.

Gerald McDaniel broke his arm Saturday morning when he fell out of a tree.

Miss Ruth Kinsel spent Friday with Mrs. Mona Graven.

B. F. Abbott has moved and re-modelled his shop.

Mr. and Mrs. Zion French of Chicago and Maxine Lefler of Allenville spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. Alma McCulley and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bart Tull and son Dean and Mr. and Mrs. George King and Anita spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sampson.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Righter, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Collins and daughter Martha of Decatur attended the ball game here Sunday afternoon and visited relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Bragg attended A Century of Progress Friday.

Miss Muriel Kinsel was a State Fair visitor last week.

Wanda and James Spaug and Mrs. Essie Darst were Mattoon callers Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Frederick and daughter Joy spent Sunday in Sullivan with Mr. and Mrs. Noah Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Abbott and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Horn and Miss Maurine Davis were among the Sullivan callers Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Normal Pressy and Norma Gene spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Otto Kinsel.

Mrs. Osa Wright and father were Decatur visitors Sunday.

After a summer vacation, the Pythian Sisters will open their fall activities with a meeting on Monday night. All members are urged to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Blitz of Champaign visited Friday afternoon and night with Mr. and Mrs. E. A. McKenzie. Mrs. Blitz is a past president of Daughter of Veterans of district 7.

## MAURINE ELDER'S PUPILS IN PIANO RECITAL

Miss Maurine Elder of Windsor presented her piano pupils in a recital Friday afternoon, August 25th.

The following program was given:

"Silver Clouds" — Elinore M. Curry.

"Mister G" and "Waltz" — Rosemarie Edwards.

"Mister (F)" and "Butterflies and Faries" — Gloria Anderson.

"March of the Dolls" and "London Bridge" — Irene Ashbrook.

"Onward March" — Naomi Dewar.

Vocal Solo, "You Can Smile" — Rosalie Storm.

"Chord Study" and "Gentle Bee" — Helen Ashbrook.

"March of the Little Sages" and "First Piece of the Star Performer" — Imogene Shelton.

"Etude" and "Evening Winds" — Ada Ashbrook.

"Mister Bee", "The Bird on the Limb", "The Mill Wheel" and "Village Church" — Marionetta Neal.

"Pixies Goodnight Song" —

Rosalie Storm.

"Shady Dell" — Merle Anderson.

"Valse in E Flat"—Elinor M. Curry.

Violin solos, "Introduction and Polonaise" (Bohn) and "Amaryllis" (Ghys) — Martha E. Elder.

—Mrs. Levi Patterson who spent two weeks at Mt. Pulaski, where she assisted in caring for her mother, Mrs. Angeline Wacaser who is ill, returned to her home Saturday.

—Joe David who spent the past month visiting with relatives in Wisconsin expects to return to his home the latter part of this week.

—Mrs. Jim Foster, Mrs. Mattie Nicholson of Findlay spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Almond Nicholson.

**George A. Roney**  
OPTOMETRIST  
EYES EXAMINED  
Glasses Fitted  
Offices — Upstairs above shoe store.  
Phone 57 Sullivan, Ill.

## Coal is Cash

BEGINNING MONDAY, AUGUST 14TH, ALL COAL MUST BE PAID FOR IN CASH AT TIME ORDERED OR DELIVERED

Where the customer buys his supply for the winter, settlement is to be made before delivery.

Under present conditions, we find that this is the only practical and satisfactory way of doing business.

## West End Elevator

BURNEY McDAVID, Manager  
— PHONE 74 —

## Coal Is Cash

BEGINNING AUGUST 14TH ALL COAL IS CASH

Parties buying their winter supply will kindly settle for same when delivery is made.

We appreciate your patronage and hope that we may have the pleasure of supplying your coal needs — quality fuel at lowest reasonable price.

## Franklin & Wiard

Phone office 421 Wiard res. 440w Depot Res. 275

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I will sell at public sale at the Frank Barnes residence first house west of the Baptist church the following articles of household furniture on

Sat., Sept. 2nd

— Beginning at 2 p. m. —

Three 9x12 Rugs, 2 beds & springs, 1 dresser, 1 Edison and 29 records, 1avenport, 4 rockers, cook stove, practically new, 1 library table, 1 china closet and other articles too numerous to mention.

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### Many Pigs And Sows Shipped from Here

According to Manager Kelly of the Sullivan Shipping Association there has been a very heavy movement of pigs and bred sows for the government during the past week. Several hundred pigs were listed with the Association early this week and more were coming in every hour. Farm Adviser Hughes reports that this situation is general throughout the county as the farmers respond to the premiums being paid for light weight pigs and bred sows. This plan which was first proposed by the farm organizations and approved by Secretary Wallace is proving to be a wonderful success so far. In order that the farmers may get as large a share of the money paid as possible, the local Shipping Association is planning to handle the pigs and sows at a reduced rate. It is planned to ship out several car loads by railroad. The Chicago Producers Commission firm is also cooperating and will handle the pigs and sows at a lower commission than any other agency has as yet offered.

**Permits Necessary to Ship**  
Due to the large flood of pigs that were received on the market's last week, it was necessary for the government to limit the receipts. For this reason before anyone ships pigs to market it is necessary to obtain a permit through the commission firm. These permits are granted to the different commission firms in accordance with the volume which they ordinarily handle. Since the Producers is the largest firm and handle about 30% of the hogs, they will have about a third of the permits.

At a meeting of the directors of the Sullivan Shipping Association recently it was reported that the volume handled had continued to show an increase over that for any previous year under the present plan of operation. The equivalent of nearly 5 rail cars of livestock has been handled during the five months since the close of the last business year.

### Waggoner

Mrs. Anna Jeffers and children attended a birthday dinner in honor of Mrs. Angie Higginbotham's 80th birthday on Friday.

Ethel Harris, Grace King, Frances and Billy Critser, Ellis Elder and Glen Harpster helped Betty Harpster celebrate her 8th birthday Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. George King and daughter, Fred Sampson and daughter Bessie were Mattoon callers Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Messmore and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Scott Wood and daughter in Decatur.

Juanita Jeffers and Juanita Hutson spent Friday with Faith and Grace King.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hunt and children spent Sunday with O. B. Bragg and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Maxedon and children, Mrs. Logan Linder and son Rex, Mr. Shannon and Margaret Young all of Mattoon, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Walker of near Gays and Mr. and Mrs. Paul King and Teddy were Sunday afternoon callers at the home of N. King and family.

Mrs. Jake Arthurs were among those who attended the World's Fair Saturday.

Dean Rawlings is working for Joseph King now.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Maxedon and son of Sullivan spent Sunday with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Louis Maxedon.

Grace King spent Sunday night and Monday with her brother, W. J. King and family.

Rev. B. M. Webb spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Myers. Sept. 17th is Rev. Webb's last appointment here this year.

Mark Edwards of Pink Hook is visiting his sister Mrs. Harlan Younker and family.

Clarice Herendeen of Sullivan is spending a few days with Juanita Jeffers.

Mrs. Amy Gibbon and son Fred and Mrs. Blanche Rutherford were callers at the home of J. J. Edwards Sunday afternoon.

### ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Estate of John R. Mentzer Deceased.

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

Dated this 22nd day of August A. D. 1933.  
Beulah M. Mentzer,  
Administratrix.  
Marion Watson, Attorney. 34-31.

### CITY'S SEWER PROJECT MOVES VERY SLOWLY

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ed by a sinking fund to be built up by rental charges collected from the people who actually use the sewer, and nobody else. The charge would be fixed by the city council at a figure suitable to raise the annual payments due the government and would probably be based on the number of water fixtures and drainage connections made by each user. For instance, a person who desired to drain a basement only, would pay a certain amount per month. A kitchen sink added would cost a certain amount more. In the same way each bath tub, wash basin, toilet, etc., would add a certain amount more to the monthly rental charge of the user.

"In this way, the users would pay for the sewer in the next 30 years, and each user would pay according to the extent which he used the sewer. The vacant lots, or property not benefited would not pay anything toward the cost of the sewer, so long as they did not use it. Since the sewer, as planned, is strictly a sanitary sewerage system, it would only help the surface drainage problem to the extent that it relieved existing sewers by taking away the drainage of basements, and indoor sewerage, and a certain amount of seepage into the sewer from the earth, itself.

**In Case of Default**  
"In case that the government should accept the security offered for the loan, but should learn later that the income would not repay it, the question is asked, 'what would happen then?' In my opinion, the government could not come and take the sewers away, nor could they make the debt a general obligation of the city to be paid by any other manner than that agreed upon. They might, however, send a trustee to take over the system and operate it in such manner as might be expected to raise additional revenue, which would then be applied toward payment of the debt.

**Present low Cost**  
"Another objection heard to building a sewer system is that present economic conditions are not favorable for venturing into debt. That is true, but, on the other hand, a similar sewer system planned in 1920 was estimated to cost \$295,000.00. This one doing the same work, just as well, is estimated to cost the city \$119,000. That is a saving which we cannot afford to pass up. It is made possible partly because of lower cost of materials, labor, etc., and partly because of the 30% donation by the Federal Government.

**Face Sanitary Problem**  
"The answer to that is that we have about exhausted the patience of the State Board of Health and of the residents in the neighborhood of Asa Creek into which our present sewerage is dumped. A damage suit is now pending in the circuit court against the city because of pollution of Asa Creek. If we do nothing about it, we may pay enough in damage during the next few years to build a sewer system. At any rate, an epidemic of typhoid, or other similar diseases or any one of many happenings might bring the state board of health down on us like a ton of brick. Then we will have no choice but to sewer, no matter what the cost, nor the manner of financing it.

**Assessments Would Come**  
"In that case, (and it is almost sure to happen in the next five years) a sewerage assessment will be placed against every lot in the city, similar to that of the water assessment, but much larger. This will be followed by the wholesale dumping of city property on the market, with consequent fall in prices until no property will have a ready sale value equal to the assessment against it, and no owner will own his property. It will be confiscation. We saw something like that happen after the water assessments were made, and property is still being forfeited for the remainder of those water assessments. We don't want that to happen again, and the only way to avoid it is to build a sewer now, by the plan suggested, before the government withdraws its assistance.

"Even now, a person talks of buying a lot and building upon it. The threat of a sewerage assessment against it frightens him out. The lot loses a buyer, the contractor loses a job, and the person loses a prospective home. If there were no longer any danger of such an assessment, as would be the case if the sewer were already built, buyers and builders would regain confidence, and much needed homes would be erected in large numbers.

**Give Employment**  
"The construction of a sewer system now, would not only give the city an improvement which is seriously needed, but it would give employment to our unemployed labor during the coming fall and

### CLASSIFIED

**FOR SALE**—House and lot in Bruce. Price \$250. Inquire C. D. Sharp, Bruce, Illinois.

**FOR SALE**—Cucumbers, green beans, tomatoes and sweet corn. Call Emmett Trinkle, Phone 254w or 38.

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

**HAVE A FEW COWS** left that would like to trade for good work horse. One mile north of Jonathan Creek church. W. H. Crozier. 34-4t.

—No hunting on our premises. Addie and Emma Evans. 33-1f.

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

### East Hudson

Mrs. Vira Daugherty of Moline, Mrs. Clarence King, Mrs. Charley King, Mrs. Vic Landers and family visited Mrs. J. W. Poland at the Clayton Poland home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Monroe and Betty Belle of La Port, Ia., are visiting this week with Mr. and Mrs. Chris Monroe.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Monroe, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Fisher spent Friday at the state fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Elza Watkins spent Sunday in Jasper County. Mrs. Clara Tussing accompanied them home for a visit.

Mrs. Scott Chaney spent Wednesday till Friday in Chicago attending the fair.

Earl Horn and family spent Sunday in Vandalia.

Mrs. Nettie Robinson visited Mrs. May Campbell and family in Poria last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Les Alumbaugh and family of Chicago are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Herendeen.

Mrs. Nettie Robinson and L. C. Morgan spent Monday in Pana.

—Mr. and Mrs. Jake Landgrebe expect to leave Saturday for their home in Scottsburg, Indiana after spending several weeks here with relatives and friends.

—Charles Erb of Sacramento City, California visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Don Kingrey Tuesday. He is an old friend whom they had not seen for 8 years.

—Mrs. Tella Pearce attended the funeral of Joe Preible Friday afternoon in Stewardson.

winter, and would put much additional money into circulation, which would be felt in all lines of business.

"There is one more question which I would like to answer. Does the government really give us that thirty per cent donation? Don't we pay it back in Federal taxes? We do. There is supposed to be a certain amount set aside for each man, woman, and child in the United States, to be used in such public works and unemployment relief. Each time you buy a glass of beer, or use anything else that carries a Federal tax, you pay your share of that donation. But you will pay it whether you get it or not. Decatur, Mattoon, Pana, Shelbyville, Arthur, Lovington, Bethany, and all of the cities around us may get their share of those Federal grants and loans, and if we do not ask for ours, we will help pay for their improvements. Not only that, but those same improvements will give other cities a boost ahead which will leave us sitting that much farther behind, and we will have to pay for it. Think it over. Wouldn't you rather pay it back to ourselves?"

**Face the Facts**  
"For years sentiment against large sewerage assessments have been such a bugaboo" in the city of Sullivan, that to mention sewerage is to frighten the undertaker. For this reason I have met many citizens who have been very angry to think that I, or anybody else would suggest such a thing. In every case, so far, everyone of them has agreed with me as soon as the plan was explained to them. For this reason I believe that the great majority of the property owners will join me in the hope that we may build a sewer system now, by this method, and at such great saving, rather than wait not to exceed five years, and be compelled to build, by property assessment at the cost of everything which we may own."

### SENIOR REGISTRATION BREAKS RECORD AT SULLIVAN T. H. S.

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Stockwell (Irene Dixon) both of whom have married and gone to housekeeping. Waverly Ashbrook will be missed as he has a position in the South Beloit schools.

New teachers are Dewey Woolverton, who will teach Accounting and Mathematics and Miss Berenice Lawson who was employed last week to teach English II and IV, Sophomore and Senior classes.

The complete teaching staff is as follows:

- Fred Abell—Mathematics.
- Glady Barrick—Home Economics, Physiology.
- Lucille Coolman—English.
- C. E. Dennis—Biological Science, Phy. Education.
- Evelyn Dueringer—Latin.
- Emma Edmiston—Stenography.
- Ruth Emel—Office Secretary.
- H. P. Erwin—Agriculture.
- G. M. Kilby—Social Science.
- Berenice Lawson—English.
- H. G. Moore—Physical Science.
- Susan K. Roney—Music, Phy. Education, Librarian.
- R. A. Scheer—Superintendent, Band.
- Dewey Woolverton—Accountancy, Mathematics.

Clark Dennis will again be in charge of athletic activities. The first football game will be September 15th when Bethany plays here. Sullivan has games scheduled with Bethany, Lovington, Oakland, Villa Grove, Arthur, Shelbyville, Monticello and Bement.

Basketball season opens Friday, December 1st. Schedule for the first seven games is still open.

The annual Hand Book of the school has been printed and copies are now available at the school or at the office of the county superintendent.

### Dunn

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Righter visited with his son and family near Findlay Tuesday.

Mrs. Jane McClure and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Will Wood and Mary Ileen Wood visited with Mr. and Mrs. Bell of Bement Thursday.

Mrs. W. O. Low is very poorly at this writing.

Lester Baker and Delbert Shipman drove to Missouri Friday to visit relatives.

Nathan Bragg and son Alrick were in Sullivan Saturday.

Taylor Mayberry and wife were Sullivan shoppers Saturday.

Mrs. Birdie Atteberry and Mrs. Olga Sandberg called on Mrs. Jane McClure Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Emel of near Findlay visited with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Righter Sunday.

Rev. Riley Ridgeway of Allenville attended the Shipman reunion held at Oak Grove Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Beach Robinson and son Fred of Hinton visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Wood of Sullivan visited his parents W. N. Wood and wife Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Standerfer were in Decatur Monday.

### Dalton City

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. O'Brien and family attended the State fair at Springfield Thursday.

A. E. Hale was a Decatur visitor Thursday.

Miss Gertrude Mayes and Jennie Morrison spent the week end in St. Louis.

Mrs. Russel Cole and son were Decatur callers Thursday.

Misses Mary Ellen and Catherine Watkins of Decatur spent the week with Dr. and Mrs. S. L. Stevens and family.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Volmer and family attended a Century of Progress in Chicago last week.

Mrs. Grace Hight was a Decatur caller Saturday.

John Stafford and Joe Ryan of Washington, D. C. visited Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Welsh and family last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Kent Williamson of Bethany visited Mr. and Mrs. T. F. O'Brien and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Morrison and daughters Grace and Margaret, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sinclair, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Reedy, Mrs. M. C. Hogan, Mrs. Ed Brennan and Mrs. John Dwyer attended a picnic in Lake City Sunday in honor of Dr. G. E. Losch of Palestine, former Lake City physician.

Mrs. Grace Hight and daughter Lenabell, John and Grace Hight attended a Century of Progress Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Kissinger and family, Mrs. Hyllysted of Storm Lake, Iowa, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Cowger and family of Mt. Zion were out of town guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Sprague Sunday.

Mrs. S. Brown and family returned to their home Saturday after visiting Mrs. Brown's sisters, in Chicago.

Mrs. Oma Nutter underwent an appendicitis operation in the St. Mary's hospital Wednesday.

### FISHING IS OLDEST AMERICAN INDUSTRY

### Efficiently Protected by Government Bureau.

Washington.—Although jobs are scarce and wages low in many parts of the United States, hundreds of Indians and other local salmon fishermen living along the coast of Alaska feel sure of having more work and better incomes next summer than they have had for years.

This bit of seeming economic magic will flow from a government ruling by the United States commissioner of fisheries, who has opened up bays and inlets along the Alaskan coast for seining.

"The plan," says a bulletin from the National Geographic society, "will not mean the taking of more salmon in Alaskan waters, and may even mean the catching of fewer. But it will shift to a considerable extent the method of capturing the fish from the offshore traps that require the attention of only a few skilled operators, to the boat-operated seines of the individual—and needy—fishermen."

"The obvious need of the local fishermen for some sort of assistance during the present economic conditions was an important factor in the lifting of seining restrictions by the bureau of fisheries; but the move was possible only because of the building up of the 'runs' of salmon during the past nine years by the bureau's stringent control.

"The activities of the bureau of fisheries are many sided, for, it looks after all sorts of chores—most of them involving scientific investigations—that have to do with the amazingly varied life of Uncle Sam's coastal waters and streams. In Alaska, which is a federal territory, the organization is a beneficent dictator.

### Industry Faced Collapse.

"Dictatorships are not novelties in 1933. They were in 1924 when congress gave the bureau dictatorial powers in Alaskan waters as a sort of last effort to save the \$40,000,000 salmon industry from collapse. The system was untried, and furthermore it was vastly unpopular with the fishermen and salmon packers. Packers had not taken the trouble, as the bureau's scientific workers had, to study the life cycle of the salmon. They looked on the explanations of the peculiar scientific facts behind salmon runs as mere 'moonshine'.

"Figuratively, the bureau had to hold the packers and fishermen back with one hand, and to coax the salmon up the fresh-water spawning streams with the other.

"The runs of the same cycles had been growing progressively smaller; but there were enough big runs from other cycles occurring between to obscure the ominous fact that Alaska's rich salmon resources were being exhausted. The packers had literally been killing their golden-egg laying geese by not permitting enough fish to get to the spawning grounds.

"By the bureau's regulations since 1924 the situation has been reversed. More fish are getting into the spawning streams; and the salmon industry is again on the upgrade.

"In the eastern United States the fishing industry is hoary with age. It was America's first industry, in fact. The bureau of fisheries has found much work to do in keeping its finger on the pulse of conditions that might make or break the industry under high-powered modern methods; and in solving fundamental problems that affect the food supplies of tens of millions of people.

"Another piece of pioneer work in the government laboratories was the demonstration that very quick freezing of fish assured a much better product than ordinary freezing, and one that would ship better.

"The lowly oyster of the Atlantic coast has had its domestic life thoroughly investigated by the bureau of fisheries, and as a result its 'housing problems' are in a fair way to be solved.

### Saves Seal Industry.

"In bringing about a 'come back' for the exceedingly valuable Pribilof Island seal, the bureau has done its most spectacular piece of work, and has written one of the most dramatic chapters in the whole story of conservation whether on land or sea. The seal herds were fast being wiped out of existence by deep sea hunters, when in 1911, treaties with Japan and Great Britain, made the United States trustee for the three nations in caring for the animals which breed annually on the Pribilof islands. The job was turned over to the bureau and in 22 years it has built the herd up from 130,000 to 1,250,000. By sale of pelts taken under scientific management from surplus males, it has paid \$2,117,000 into the United States treasury and in addition has paid more than \$750,000 each to Japan and Canada. Close to 90 per cent of the world's fur seals now live under government protection on the Pribilof islands.

"In streams scattered over the United States the bureau's work is helping the states to build up a game fish supply for the 10,000,000 anglers who annually bait hooks and cast flies."

### Kirksville

Steven Powers and family and George Bruce and family visited Sunday with Edmond Green and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Marble of St. Louis are spending this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Marble.

Ralph Jeffers and family, Ray Bruce and family, Frank Rauch and family were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Bud Jeffers.

Dorothy, Junior and Dean Green spent Monday with the Donnell children.

Lettie West spent Saturday in Sullivan.

Mrs. Grace Clark of Chicago spent the week end with relatives in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Niemeyer spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Jim West.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Weakley of Decatur spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Otto LeCrone. Mr. LeCrone is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Harland Ritchey, Mrs. Wallace Ritchey and Mrs. F. Kidwell spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Carpenter of Pana.

Raymond West spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Devere Wisely.

Mr. and Mrs. Job Evans, Ray Evans and family, Mary Evans and Miss Irene Harwood of Springfield spent Tuesday with Opha Yarnell and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Banks, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Becker of Decatur spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Banks.

Oscar Stevens and Mrs. Mollie Lee motored to Hot Springs, Ark., to get Sherman Stevens who was

in the hospital there for ulcers of the stomach. They brought him to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy McArty in Champaign. He is improving.

A. E. Fortner returned home on Saturday from a week's visit in Anderson, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Pea of Wisconsin spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Will Rhodes.

Mrs. Esther Cary of Chicago spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Frederick.

Rev. Katie Burks and mother, Mrs. O'Brien were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wilsie Gutin.

—Mrs. Claude Anderson, daughter Audrey and son Van returned Friday from a 10-day visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Locey and Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Anderson, grandparents of the children in Mt. Vernon. They also called on the following relatives and friends in Mt. Vernon: Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Standerfer, Mr. and Mrs. Emery Locey, V. L. Anderson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Grant Irving, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Barnett, V. E. Buchanan and family, Humes Reed and daughter Nona. They report the peach crop not as large as two years ago but fruit of excellent quality. Mrs. Anderson did some canning while on her visit.

—Mrs. Nell McLaughlin is general chairman of reservations and tickets for the Past Matrons and Patrons dinner which will be given at the Masonic Hall at 6:30 o'clock on the night of September 5th. All ticket reservations must be made not later than Sept. 1st. The dinner march starts promptly at 6:25.

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# Mattoon Whips Browns, 5 to 2 In Drive For Illini Pennant

## Ken Tewell, U. of I. Hurler, Fans 15, Allows But 3 Hits

Coles — A glorious one-game winning streak failed to excite the dolorous Sullivan Browns to any deeds of valor last Sunday. In fact their half-shot morale hit a new low and swooning at the very sight of the powerful Mattoon contingent they flopped flatter than a pair of flapjacks to permit the league leaders to sweep over them for an easy 5 to 2 victory. It was Mattoon's sixth consecutive triumph and now their patrons are playing them to complete their second half schedule undefeated.

The shadeless, dust laden diamond, the intense heat, and a listless cast of basebatters all combined to make a drab spectacle of the early portion of the fray. However the latter portion gave birth to varied incidents transforming the routine proceedings into a colorful display which invigorated the participants and also served to arouse a few spectators who were drowsing in their carriages. A couple of brothers from Sullivan, for no apparent reason, struck up a chortle of abnoxious remarks and chorused them out in second baseman Hennings' direction. Now the latter is a well-seasoned semi-pro and duly absorbed their blatant remarks until they, in unison, annoiined him with a series of vile epithets the likes of which will provoke a fight in any man's league. This case proved no exception for Hennings rushed to the rowdys and fisticuffs ensued. One of the brothers picked up an enormous old log which lay hard by but before he could wield it, Hennings was sprinting back towards the diamond with the other brother in pursuit. Suddenly the pace seter reeled about, lathering his antagonist with a flow of body blows. At this juncture the other player intervened.

But we must be getting back to the baseball end of the program. After months of inactivity due to a sore arm, blond, distinguished-looking Ken Tewell, Illinois Junior pitcher, returned to the hillcock and gave evidence that Carl Lungen will not want for a capable finger next spring.

In limiting the Browns to but three safeties, Tewell showed a repertoire replete with curves, fast-balls, slow-balls, etc. But more startling than his hit frugality was his impressive string of 15 strikeouts. Dennis was the only Brownie who did not fan at least once while Dale Rozene succumbed on each of his three attempts and Fritz Poland also went down swinging on a like number of occasions. Slugger Bryan Renshaw continued in his batting slump. The best he could do was a tall fly to left on his farewell appearance at the plate. The remainder of the lineup was made up of eight mediocre batsmen and, the fact that they are such light stickers, takes much of the luster off Tewell's accomplishment.

For Sullivan, schoolmaster Clark Dennis twirled a much better game than the Mattoon hit column indicates. Several of their 10 bingles were of the scratch variety. Although Denny effected but five strikeouts he often made the home club hitters look quite bad on their first and second swings. His drop was working to perfection and we shall also venture to state that at times the veteran employed a spit ball which is taboo to all but hoary gents like Red Faber and Burleigh Grimes.

Two strikeouts and an infield roller disposed of the visitors in their half of the first but Mattoon shoved right off towards the tally board in their half with the aid of a lone hit. Hennings pried off the lid with a towering fly to center which Dale (Ox)—he didn't want you folks to know what the "O" in the box score indicated but we found out anyway) misjudged it and it went for a triple. At first the husky lad came in and then backtracked with celebrity as the ball soared over his head. Deb Bales bounced to Ward who held Hennings on third while winging out the runner. Bespectackled Dick Boyle then shot another grounder at Ward and Hennings sprinted home during the play at first.

In the second Tewell delivered the first of his two passes which ripened into the tying marker. With two gone Jim Ware worked

Ken for the pass and then instigated the liberties taken at catcher Patterson's expense by pifering second. Don Rozene slammed a single to center which brought in the first Brownie run. It was Don's first safe hit since his conversion into the Bolin organization.

From the third to the seventh only 12 men faced Tewell and half of this number went down via strikes.

Mattoon assumed a 1-point advantage in the fourth after a lit and an error had failed to make headway in the third. Carrington led off with a looper which descended back of third. Both Les Bales, who exhibited a neatly-kept mustache, and Rowland fanned. Carrington stole second and scored when Helton lined a single into center.

The hosts ran their lead to 4 to 1 in the sixth. With one away Carrington slapped a single into center. Les Bales doubled to right, Carrington halting at third. Rowland, after two successive strikeouts, came through with a triple to center which tallied the two runners.

The Bolinmen awoke from their slumber in the seventh with a single run outbreak. Cowell whiffed but Dennis cracked the pill into right and journeyed all the way to third when it evaded Rowland. Renshaw was safe on a fielder's choice which failed to nail Dennis at third. The strapping backstop then stepped off first for a game of horse which permitted Dennis to speed in from third. Renshaw was also safe at second when the ball was thrown against his shoulder blade during the attempt rundown. There he lingered while Ward and Rozene were behaving in keeping with 'Tewell's scheme.

In the eighth Tewell foxed Dale Rozene, Poland, and Griffith on strikes and then in the last half of the lap his mates compiled their final run. Boyle gained first when Poland muffed his grounder. Carrington lifted to Ward and Boyle went to second when Jim threw badly trying to double him off first. Les Bales was safe on a roller between third and short. Each base was populated when Roland beat out a meek tap down the third base line. Griffith missed Dennis' throw to third and Boyle cantered over the pan. Bales was flagged at the plate trying to score on a wild pitch. Dennis culminated the flareup by getting Helton on strikes.

Ted Pifer was designated to awing for Cowell in the ninth and the silver-haired youngster from Jonathan Creek belted the second pitch for a single into right. Tewell tossed out Dennis and then Carrington's throw to third easily caught Pifer who seemingly had badly overestimated his celerity afoot. Renshaw closed the show with a lofty fly to left.

While viewing the game from a spot to the right of the plate Everette Beals of Coles was injured when a line foul struck him on his left cheek between his eye and nose.

Browns	AB	H
Poland, ss	3	0
Griffith, 3b	4	0
Cowell, rf	3	0
Dennis, p	4	1
Renshaw, c	4	4
Ward, 2b	2	0
D. Rozene, 1b	3	1
Carter, lf	3	0
O. Rozene, cf, rf	3	0
Pifer, x	1	1
	30	3

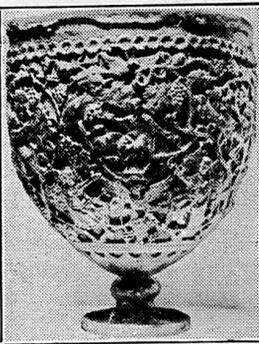
Mattoon	AB	H
Hennings, 2b	4	1
D. Bales, lf	4	0
Boyle, cf	4	1
Carrington, 1b	4	2
L. Bales, ss	4	2
Rowland, rf	4	2
Helton, 3b	4	2
Patterson, c	3	0
K. Tewell, p	3	0
	34	10

x—batted for Cowell in 9th.

Runs—Dennis, Ward, Hennings and Carrington 2, L. Bales, Boyle, Errors—Helton, Poland, Griffith 2, and Ward.

Doubles—L. Bales. Triples—Hennings, Rowland, and Dennis.

### HolyGrailatFair?



The Great Chalice of Antioch, declared by many authorities to be the cup used at the Last Supper, is attracting throngs to A Century of Progress—the Chicago World's Fair. It is one of many free exhibits.

### Golfing

Carl Hill defeated Dr. Johnson and Bud Hankla defeated Leo Horn, which means that Hill and Hankla are in the semi finals in the Sullivan Country Club golf championship.

In the lower frame Bill Davenport defeated Bill Gardner Sunday afternoon in a golf classic. At the end of the 18th hole with Gardner one up, Davenport sank a birdie from off the fairway and tied the score. He then parred 19 while Bill took a 5, thus giving the Arthur man the match. He next meets Gerald Elder and the winner of that match meets Lute Hudson in the Semi-Finals of the lower frame.

The Gardner vs. Davenport game attracted much attention.

The scores were:

Gardner	454	443	544	37
Davenport	454	344	544	37
Gardner	544	344	444	36
Davenport	443	345	553	36

**Ladies Championship**  
In the Ladies championship Bess Hankla is out in front awaiting the winner of the Hudson vs. Crossno match. When this is all over the winner plays either Eva Hill or Cora Fleming.

In the ladies handicap Mrs. Hill will play the winner of the Beatrice Hill vs. Flo Eads game.

In the men's championship Carl Hill eliminated Ray Getz. Shelve Tartar placed at rest Lute Hudson and Bill Gardner. To celebrate his victory Tarter played a 38 the next day.

Among the husbands and wives affair the Frank Eads family proved too good for John Eads and wife the Hanklas took the Crosnos to a trimming; Dr. Butler and wife pulled the Shells' championship hopes and the Bethany Hudsons won from Dr. and Mrs. Norris.

### BIRTHDAY SURPRISE

Mrs. Chris Monroe was surprised at her home Sunday by relatives and friends, the occasion being her birthday. A potluck dinner and hamburger fry was served in the timber. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Shasteen and Joyce, Mr. and Mrs. Millard Shasteen and family, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Birch, Mr. and Mrs. John Pifer, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. Les Atchison and Charles, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Evans, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Mayberry, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Franklin, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Dedman, Elmer Burks and family, Clayton Poland, Mrs. Ray Woodruff and Mrs. Wm. Hostetter and Joan.

### McCLURE REUNION

The McClure reunion was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dave McClure in Arthur Sunday. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Harry McClure and family, Jess McClure and family, Eugene Freese and family, Everett Frahm and family, Mrs. Cyrus Gibbs, Mr. and Mrs. Earnie Freese and son, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Righter, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Freese, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence James, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Huckleberry, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Myers, Mr. and Mrs. George McClure, Mrs. Mag Huckleberry, Mrs. Swanner, Fred Schmel, Mrs. Genevieve Aubuchon and son, Mr. and Mrs. Dave McClure.

### BUILDING OPERATIONS

Work started this week on dismantling the residence property of Mrs. Myrtle Stain on Jackson street. Mrs. Stain plans to build two houses on her lots. John Grigsby is in charge of construction work.

—CHILDREN'S SCHOOL PURCHASES CAN STILL BE OBTAINED AT THE OLD PRICES, BUT DON'T DELAY.

—Miss Mildred Stark of Benton came Sunday to attend high school here this winter.

### SPEAKING OF SPORTS

BY JIM SCOTT

**Illini Standings**

W	L	Pct.	
Mattoon	6	0	1.000
Dalton City	5	2	.714
Elwin	3	3	.500
Macon	3	4	.428
Sullivan	2	5	.285
Taylorville	1	6	.125

**Last Weeks' Results**  
Elwin 7; Macon 4.  
Mattoon 5; Sullivan 2.  
Dalton 4; Taylorville 3.

**Sunday's Docket**  
Elwin at Sullivan.  
Mattoon at Dalton City  
Macon at Taylorville.

The Mattoon club says that they are not forfeiting their schedule August 20th game at Elwin as the latter has agreed to play it off some time in the near future.

The league leaders should encounter tough sledding from now on meeting Dalton, Taylorville and Macon in that order. Although Taylorville is at the bottom of the heap they may be listed as anything but a setup. Virtually all of their defeats have been "heart-breakers", lost by a single marker. However with Ken Tewell back in the harness and with Paul Duncan pitching an invincible brand of ball nothing short of a miracle will prevent the Mattooners from strutting off with the second-half flag.

Below are some statistics that show the degradation of the Browns as batsmen.

Against Taylorville 7 hits.
Against Mattoon 5.
Against Elwin 4.
Against Macon 4.
Against Dalton 3.
Against Taylorville 3.
Against Mattoon 7.

### How They're Hitting

(Better put How They're not)

AB	H.	Pct.	
Don Moberley	12	7	.583
Bryan Renshaw	54	12	.222
Purvis Tabor	20	6	.300
Frank Jennings	25	7	.280
Clark Dennis	28	6	.214
Fritz Poland	52	9	.177
Monte Blue	46	6	.130
Harold Griffith	23	3	.130
Jim Ward	17	2	.117
Bud Carter	10	1	.100
Don Rozene	13	1	.075
Dale Rozene	8	0	.000

The Mattoon club should not want for guidance as they possess three playing managers Messrs. Hennings, Carrington, and Patterson.

Last Sunday the triumvirate went into deep meditation emerging with this list of ball players which they consider the best in the Illini circuit:

- First Base — Carrington, Mattoon.
- Second base — Hennings, Mattoon.
- Shortstop—Fossero, Taylorville.
- Third base—Trago, Sullivan.
- C. F.—Boyle, Mattoon.
- C. F.—Finch, Dalton.
- C. F.—Celasko, Elwin.
- C.—Van Ausdall, Taylorville.
- P.—Duncan, Mattoon.
- P.—Clark, Dalton.

Newspaper publishers rightly consider baseball games as news and writeups of such appear on their sport pages at no expense to the clubs. Yet an account of an athletic contest accompanied by notes is more of a boon to that club's coffers than a full page ad for the following game which expense would be no small item.

Still there exist narrow minded club heads who, in their lust of collecting all available cash, actually have the obtuseness to try to charge a newspaper representative an admission fee to view the game which he is to record.

We are referring to those in control of the Coles diamond. Last Sunday an astute gate keeper declared that John Bowman, sports editor of the Mattoon Journal Gazette and the writer should enter only by forking over the admission price.

Not all newspapers are a mass of fastidious accounts of any and all, some will fight back when imposed upon, and will give bad publicity when bad publicity is deserved. Coles, your pasture is a poor excuse for a baseball diamond. There is not one pretense of shade. The infield is blanketed with dust while on a rough and rugged outfield graze an aggregation of heifers.

Soft ball, truly an outgrowth of the depression, is springing up in this particular sector like a growth of dandelions and is certain to flourish until cold weather calls a halt to outdoor activity. They say the participants age range is from 6 to 60. The reader can readily see the many many reasons for the games popularity.

An editorial in the Monticello paper credits it with pulling the town through the trying depres-

sion as practically every able bodied man competed in the league games with the diurnal play serving to keep minds free of useless worry.

Arthur has a 10-team nocturnal league with Bill Davenport's Techno-Cats out in front. Hammond also has financed the installation of lights on their field and are subsidizing nicely with no admission fee. At one tilt last week someone took the pains to count the cars in attendance and his checkup showed 175. To the north of here crowds are so large that many can not squeeze into the grounds so the amplifier system is used to keep those on the outside posted. Surely the necessary equipment for night play is not so expensive else a little village like Westervelt could not afford it.

Windsor plays kitty ball on a lot in town near the Big Four tracks. Bethany recently organized and scheduled a fracas with Lovington for last Wednesday. They would like especially to match their ability against a group of softballers from this place. Bethany has fared poorly in competition with Sullivan High grid and cage teams but their athletes are confident they could handle this cities' representatives in such minor sports as soft ball or tennis.

The Sullivan tennis association has completed its inaugural intracub doubles tourney with Al Hawley and Purvis Tabor winning the title. In the finals they coasted to a straight set, 6-3, 6-0 victory over Jimmy Horn and Bob Sullivan.

The singles tourney has not been finished. Hawley, Gerald Elder, Levia Elder, Herb Shanks, Bert McCune and Bob Sullivan are the netters left in the running.

Joe Puerta, the great little wrestler who graduated from the U. of I. this spring, has been making rapid strides in the professional boxing racket and now looms as a coming candidate for the bantamweight crown. Although he did not make his bow into the fistic profession until this spring, his manager, Paul Prehn, is confident of his success. Kenney the U. of I. wrestling coach, has the following to say about his protegee: "He is possessed with such strength in the clinches and is so fast and young that only injury can prevent him from going far."

Four years ago this dark youth with a shock of wavy black hair left a Mexican silver mine to become a student at the U. of I. Although knowing absolutely nothing about wrestling, he immediately made his mark on the Frosh mat squad. The following year, as a 16-year old he won the Big Ten 118-pound wrestling championship. Then as a Junior he handily annexed the National Intercollegiate title at that weight. Western conference grapplers were unable to last three minutes with the wiry little Mexican who has been defeated but once — Devine, Indiana's 135-pound marvel, turned the trick this spring via forfeit.

Indiana was Illinois' only rival for the Big Ten title and Kenney realized that his 135-pounder would be mince meat for the Hoosier's National champ. Confident that Joe could handle him, Kenney shifted him up to the 135-pound division. Running true to form, Puerta soon had the big battler sprawled on the canvas and was applying a hold which would pry his shoulders t, the mat when a snap, Joe felt the breaking of a bone in his arm. Ignoring this terrific handicap Puerta sought to continue and was actually routing Devine with one wing when Kenney noticed his disability and stepped in to forfeit. With tears in his eye Joe frantically pleaded with his coach to let him continue.

Being of Mexican birth, Puerta was not eligible to represent Uncle Sam in the Olympics but in the final elimination bout he defeated the Oklahoma A and M man who later copied first honors in the Olympics.

### Fullers Point

Mrs Reuben Johnson entertained at a quiting party Wednesday afternoon. Ice cream, and cake were served. Those present were Mrs. L. H. Crane and Mary, Mrs. Timon Logan, Mrs. Frank Pound, Mrs. Chester Carnine.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jenkins and son Lawrence attended the fair at Chicago last week.

Rev. and Mrs. Leroy Blackburn and Joyce of Mt. Vernon, Ind., visited in this vicinity last week.

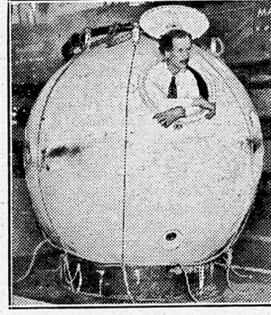
Miss Mabel Furness is visiting in Chicago this week before returning to Elgin to resume her school work.

Miss Mary Crane called on Mr. and Mrs. John Furness Monday.

C. M. Phillips called on Chester Carnine Wednesday morning.

Arloo Rominger received some bad bruises by falling from a mov-

### Up in the Air



One of the famous Piccard twins will attempt a record flight into the stratosphere at A Century of Progress—the Chicago World's Fair. Here is Twin Jean inspecting the gondola in which the flight will be made, in the presence of thousands assembled in Soldier Field.

### Jonathan Creek

W. K. Bolin and family attended the Blair reunion in Terre Haute, Ind. Sunday.

Russell Yaw and family attended the State Fair Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Johnson and family called on Frank Pound and family Friday night.

Mrs. Lucy Bathe spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Bracken.

Mrs. Sandy Napier and sons of Missouri and Mrs. Victoria Root of Bement are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Otis Biesecker and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Sullivan were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Steele Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Leeds called on Mr. and Mrs. James Bracken Friday night.

Misses Lula and Lucille Freese spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Freese.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Yaw called on Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pound and family Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bracken and Helen called on Mrs. Nancy Bracken Thursday afternoon.

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

Mrs. Len Coe spent Tuesday afternoon with her mother, Mrs. J. Sullivan.

Russell Yaw and family called on Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Fifer Monday.

W. A. Bolin was a Decatur caller Saturday.

Sunday is the all-day meeting and basket dinner at Jonathan Creek church.

### REAL ESTATE SALES

Thomas H. King and wife to Ray Fultz and wife, its 3 and 4, blk 6, Sunnyside add. to Sullivan, \$750.

Guy Booker and wife to Thomas H. King, n 1-2 of blk 9, Geo. Bromsam's add to Sullivan \$800.

Claude Wheeler to Edward Albert Selock and wife, se 1-4, of se 1-4, sec. 34, T. 13, R. 6.

Charles Lansden and wife to Harry M. Standefer and wife, \$125 land near Dunn.

Cora B. Baugher to Roy A. Light, lt. 8 and e 1-2 lt 7, blk 3, City of Sullivan.

ing truck loaded with hogs, Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Johnson and daughters called on Mr. and Mrs. Logan Crane and family on Sunday evening.

Rev. Blackburn and family passed Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Arloo Rominger.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Nutter of Albion, Ill, visited Sunday with friends in this vicinity.

### Checking Up On Sports

by Jack Adams

It's all over but the shouting in the American League. The Washington Senators seem to have a very safe lead. In the National League the New York Giants are out in front with a fairly safe lead. A world's series between New York and Washington should be interesting enough.

The other day Jimmy Foxx of the Philadelphia Athletics slashed out a home run, a triple, a double, and a single during one game, to drive in nine runs, for a new American League record. The old mark of 8 runs batted in was set by Topsy Hartzell of the New York Yankees, in 1911. Jim Bottomley of the St. Louis Cardinals, in 1924 drove in 12 runs.

The National Professional football League has decided to permit forward passing anywhere behind the line of scrimmage instead of five yards back. This should open up the game considerably more than it now is.

New York University has invited 50 students to attend its pre-season football training camp. It won't be long before football will be occupying an important place in the sports pages of the country's newspapers.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Monroe and daughter Betty Belle of LaPorte City, Iowa are spending the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Monroe and other relatives.

—Miss Helen Gramblin who is employed in Salem spent last week with her mother Mrs. Agnes Gramblin in this city. She had an infected foot but was able to return to work Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Harris visited their daughter Miss Meda at Peoria Sunday.

### Prepare Now For Heavier Clothing

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### Official Publication Proceedings Moultrie Co. Board of Supervisors

State of Illinois )  
                          ) ss.  
Moultrie County )

16th day of August A. D. 1933.  
Paul L. Chipps  
County Clerk

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 23rd day of Aug. 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 having been addressed to and filed with the Clerk of said Board and signed by at least one-third of the members thereof, and a notice of said meeting having been published in a newspaper 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. Mayfield of Marrowbone township.
- F. C. Newbould of Sullivan township.
- G. D. Edmonds of Whitley township.
- F. F. Fleming of Lowe township.
- J. E. Casteel of Jonathan Creek township.

Absent: None.

Attest: PAUL L. CHIPPS, Clerk.

The Clerk then read the minutes of the Special July 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 )  
                          ) ss.  
County of Moultrie )

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 23rd day of August 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 16th day of August, A. D. 1933.  
F. C. Newbould  
C. A. Lane  
G. D. Edmonds  
M. E. Foster

Filed Aug. 16, 1933.  
Paul L. Chipps, County Clerk.  
PUBLISHER'S CERTIFICATE  
OF PUBLICATION

State of Illinois )  
                          ) ss.  
County of Moultrie )

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 Aug. 18, A. D. 1933 and ending Aug. 18, 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 22nd day of August A. D. 1933.  
THE SULLIVAN PROGRESS,  
By Ed C. Brandenburger,  
Publisher.

SPECIAL MEETING OF THE  
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

State of Illinois )  
                          ) ss.  
County of Moultrie )

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 23rd day of August 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

### PUBLICATION NOTICE CHANCERY

State of Illinois, )  
                          ) ss.  
County of Moultrie )

In the Circuit Court, to The September term, A. D. 1933.  
ELMER ATHERTON and  
ELTON ATHERTON,  
Complainants, )  
                          ) vs.  
MARY ANN THOMASON, the )  
unknown heirs, legatees and )  
Devises of Mary Ann Thom- )  
ason, deceased; ABRAM R. )  
SOUTHER; the Unknown )  
heirs, legatees and devisees of )  
Abram R. Souther, deceased; )  
WILLIAM H. SOUTHER, the )  
unknown heirs, legatees and )  
devises of William H. South- )  
er, deceased; SARAH C. )  
ROADS, the unknown heirs, )  
legatees and devisees of Sarah )  
C. Roads, deceased; CATHER- )  
INE ROADS, the unknown )  
heirs, legatees and devisees of )  
Catherine Roads, deceased; )  
ABRAM T. PORTER, the un- )  
known wife of Abram T. Por- )  
ter; the unknown widow of )  
Abram T. Porter, deceased; )  
the unknown heirs, legatees )  
and devisees of Abram T. Por- )  
ter, deceased; MADISON TIF- )  
FIN, the unknown wife of )  
Madison Tiffin, the unknown )  
widow of Madison Tiffin, de- )  
ceased; ABIGAIL TIFFIN, the )  
unknown husband of Abigail )  
Tiffin, the unknown widower )  
of Abigail Tiffin, deceased; )  
the unknown wife of ABRA- )  
HAM SOUTHER, the un- )  
known widow of Abraham )  
Souther, deceased, the un- )  
known heirs, legatees and de- )  
vises of CATHERINE SOUTH- )  
ER, deceased; ABRAHAM )  
SOUTHER, MARY ANN KEL- )  
LAR, the unknown heirs, lega- )  
tees and devisees of Mary Ann )  
Kellar, deceased; MARY A. )  
THOMASON, the unknown )  
heirs, legatees and devisee of )  
Mary A. Thomason, deceased; )  
JOSEPH A. SPEER, the un- )  
known heirs, legatees and )  
devises of Joseph A. Speer, )  
deceased; PAULINA C. )  
SPEER, the unknown heirs, )  
legatees and devisees of Paul- )  
ina C. Speer, deceased; MAR- )  
THA ANN KELLAR, the un- )  
known husband of Martha )  
Ann Kellar, the unknown wid- )  
ow of Martha Ann Kellar, )  
deceased; the unknown heirs, )  
legatees and devisees of Mar- )  
tha Ann Kellar, deceased; )  
LUCY ALICE KELLAR, the )  
unknown husband of Lucy )  
Alice Kellar, the unknown )  
widower of Lucy Alice Kellar, )  
deceased; the unknown heirs, )  
legatees and devisees of Lucy )  
Alice Kellar, deceased; the )  
unknown wife of ARNOLD )  
THOMASON, THE UN- )  
KNOWN WIDOW OF Arnold )  
Thomason, deceased, T. J. )  
BOOKER, the unknown heirs, )  
legatees and devisees of T. J. )  
Booker, deceased; A. T. POR- )  
TER, the unknown wife of A. )  
T. Porter, the unknown widow )  
of A. T. Porter, deceased; )  
SAMUEL W. BELL, the un- )  
known heirs, legatees and )  
devises of Samuel W. Bell, )  
deceased; the unknown wife )  
of S. W. Bell, the unknown )  
widow of S. W. Bell, deceased; )  
the unknown wife of Samuel )  
W. Bell, the unknown widow )  
of Samuel W. Bell, deceased; )  
WARNER L. KELLAR, the )  
unknown heirs, legatees and )  
devises of Warner L. Kellar, )  
deceased; WILLIAM T. KEL- )  
LAR, the unknown heirs, lega- )  
tees and devisees of William )  
T. Kellar, deceased; PAULINA )  
KELLAR, the unknown heirs, )  
legatees and devisees of Paul- )  
ina Kellar, deceased, E. W. )  
RONEY, the unknown heirs, )  
legatees and devisees of E. W. )  
Roney, deceased; BYRON )  
ORIN, the unknown heirs, )  
legatees and devisees of By- )  
ron Orin, deceased; WILLIAM )  
N. LEWIS, the unknown heirs, )  
legatees and devisees of Wil- )  
liam N. Lewis, deceased; )  
CHARLES H. TAYLOR, the )  
unknown heirs, legatees and )  
devises of Charles H. Taylor, )  
deceased; ALBERT BOOKER, )  
the unknown heirs, legatees, )  
and devisees of Albert Book- )  
er, deceased; F. G. KANITZ, )  
FRANK G. KANITZ, RAY )  
KANITZ, GLENN KANITZ, )  
ALTA FOSTER, LOEY )  
HUNTSBURGER, MURRAY )  
HUNTSBURGER, WILLIS )  
HUNTSBURGER, L Y N N )  
H U N T S B U R G E R, GUY )  
BOOKER, FRED BOOKER, )  
JESSIE WEAVER, GILBERT )  
BOOKER, THOMAS BOOK- )  
ER, DALE B O O K E R, )  
GEORGE PIERCE, ROY )  
PIERCE, MILDRED PIERCE, )  
EVALINE PIERCE, KEITH )  
PIERCE, SAMUEL A. BOOK- )  
ER, ETHEL KINGERY, EF- )  
FIE BOOKER, TREVA PAGE, )  
LAWRENCE BOOKER, OR- )  
AL T. BOOKER, ELSIE GOR- )  
IN, ALBERT F. BOOKER, )  
WM. RHODES, the unknown )  
heirs, legatees and devisees of )  
Wm. Rhodes, deceased; I. B. )  
STANLEY, the unknown heirs, )  
legatees and devisees of I. B. )  
Stanley, deceased; D. C. )  
CHASE, the unknown heirs, )  
legatees and devisees of D. C. )  
Chase, deceased; C. HOSTET- )  
LER, the unknown heirs, lega-

NUMBER 10656 BILL TO QUOTE TITLE

The Necessary and proper affidavits required for the publication of notice to defendants in Chancery causes having been filed in the office of the Clerk of said Circuit Court of Moultrie County, Illinois; NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to each and all of said defendants, that the Complainants filed their Bill of Complaint entitled as above, in said Court, on the 24th day of August, A. D. 1933, and that summons thereupon issued out of said court against said defendants returnable into said Court at Sullivan, Illinois, on the Fourth Monday of September, A. D. 1933, as is required by law, which cause is now pending in said court.

Now unless you, the said defendants shall plead, answer or demur to the said Bill of Complaint, the same and the matters therein contained shall be taken as confessed and a decree entered against you, according to the prayer of said Bill.  
(SEAL) IVAN D. WOOD, Circuit Clerk.  
C. R. Patterson, Solicitor for Complainant. 34-3t.

### PUBLICATION NOTICE CHANCERY

State of Illinois )  
                          ) ss.  
Moultrie County )

Circuit Court of Moultrie county, September Term, A. D. 1933.  
OBIE BAKER  
VS.  
LADY BAKER  
DIVORCE NO. 10652  
in Chancery.

Affidavit of the non-residence of Lady Baker, the defendant above named, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of said Circuit Court of Moultrie County, notice is hereby given to the said non-resident defendant, that the complainant has filed his bill of complaint in said Court on the Chancery side thereof on the 23rd day of August A. D. 1933, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said Court against said defendant, returnable on the 25th day of September A. D. 1933 as is by law required.

Now, therefore, unless you, the said Lady Baker shall personally be and appear before the said Circuit Court on the first day of the next term thereof to be holden at the Court House in the City of Sullivan in said County, on the 25th day of September A. D. 1933, and plead, answer or demur to the said complainant's bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein charged and stated, will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill.

IVAN D WOOD, Clerk.  
Cochran, Sentel & Cochran, Complainant's Solicitor.  
August 23, A. D. 1933.  
First insertion A. D. 1933, August 25th. 34-4

### JUDGE THOMAS DEAD

Judge Charles B. Thomas, at one time connected with the Federal court in E. St. Louis, died Sunday in McLeansboro. He was past 63 years of age. At one time he was a candidate for state treasurer and in 1924 sought the Democratic nomination for governor, unsuccessfully.



In stories and in moving pictures we all like to see things turn out to our liking. So the author frames a set-up to draw attention. In proper order he introduces the hero, the heroine and the villain and surrounds these with the other characters who are needed to fill in and furnish a background, as it were, to the actions of the main characters.

In motion pictures these main characters are usually known as "stars" and the parts are assigned to the high-powered, high-salaried performers. Such performers have a natural ability to act. But they must possess something more important—stage personality. There must be an appeal, based primarily on sex emotions—that arouses a corresponding emotion in the minds of those who view the stage performance. Every woman who worshipped the simpy Valentino did so, because she wanted to be loved as Valentino could love; every female Clark Gable fan, is attracted to his sensuous, virile personality; the male of the species, though less emotional, looks askance at the charms of his own womenfolks after he has glimpsed the super-feminine charms of a Mae West, a Claudette Colbert, Charlotte Greenwood, et al. You may not like the idea, but the plain facts are that sexual emotions, well portrayed, in accordance with accepted standards of decency, are the fabric of which good pictures are made.

There now, for good or for ill, we have that aff our chest. Friday and Saturday at The Grand, Rex Bell, ace of Western stars plays the thrilling lead in "Lucky Larrigan." Helen Foster and John Elliott play secondary parts. The theme of the picture is that of a hard riding easterner who outwits the rustlers in the west—and then of course, he wins the girl. As an added feature—in fact, it's going to be the big thing for most of the audience—there will be a Laurel and Hardy comedy and some other good stuff. Manager Hays says "Some show!" "Mamma Loves Papa"

And how! In this picture Charley Ruggles is the Papa and May Boland the Mamma. Mamma tries to make Papa take some pride in his personal appearance. Charley Ruggles, one of the screen's best comedians tries to accommodate his stage wife and the results are amusing and entertaining. Ruggles is clever and he's quit playing the part of a drunken reporter, which used to get some cock-eyed newspaper men sore. The advance notices say that the whole country is laughing at "Mamma Loves Papa", so see this show and join in the nation-wide hilarity. The usual good shorts are also on this Sunday and Monday's program.

### Heavy-Weights

Clive Brook, George Raft, Allison Skipworth and Helen Vinson are the big folks in "Midnight Club", a J. Phillips Oppenheim story that appears here Tuesday night only. The advance dope on this picture looks good. Some nice short preliminaries are also on the card.

### Here Comes Lionel

Last week we bemoaned the fact that, with a Barrymore picture slated, the hero had to be John, instead of Lionel. As is to recover his good standing in our estimation, here comes Manager Hays with "The stranger's Return" featuring Lionel Barrymore, doubtless today's greatest actor. With Mr. Barrymore are Miriam Hopkins, Franchot Tone, Stuart Erwin. This is a real human interest story. Barrymore, playing the part of 85-year old Grandpa Storr is distrustful of the relatives gathered around him waiting for him to kick the bucket so they can grab his kale. Of course, Miriam Hopkins, is the darling of the old man's heart and you'll find all of the other features which lead to a satisfactory ending. "Strange as it Seems" other good features will top off the program.

This week's Progress invitations are:

- Mr. and Mrs. George Schlessinger, Bethany.
- Prof. and Mrs. Nick Tarro, of Bethany.
- Rev. and Mrs. Ray McCallister, Bethany.
- Mr. and Mrs. Jim Scott of Neoga visited over Sunday with Mrs. Catherine McDonald and Mrs. Mabel Nichols.
- Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shell, daughter Joan visited with relatives in Newman Sunday evening.

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### DOUBLE BIRTHDAY PARTY AT THORNTON DREW HOUSE

Mrs. Thornton Drew was most pleasantly surprised Sunday afternoon when several relatives and friends gathered at her home to help her and little Dean Summers celebrate their birthday. Ice cream and cake were enjoyed by all.

Those present were Mrs. Susan Leeds, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Summers and children, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Leeds, Lydia Wyatt, Mabel Leeds, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Lane and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Leeds and Junior, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Leeds, Mrs. R. C. Parks of Houston, Texas, Earl Barnes, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Drew and Louise and Mr. and Mrs. Thornton Drew.

### Coles

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Buser and daughters Arlene and Albert and Miss Helen Davis, Franklin Davis and Robert Armantrout attended the World's Fair last week.

Mrs. Alta Cooley and children spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Bud Davis.

Mrs. Mae Myers and children, Mrs. Ella Ritter, Mrs. Fern Bouck and daughter Charlotte Gene visited Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Lillian Davis.

Born August 25th to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hinton, a son. This is third child and first son.

Mr. and Mrs. James Strouse and family of St. Louis spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Fowler.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fleschner and family spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Fleschner and family.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Layton, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Davis called on Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Dolan Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Rardin and family of Newbunside who spent two weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Rardin returned home Sunday.

Mrs. Anna Armantrout and daughters Ruth and Jessie spent Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Sarah Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Henderson and son Dave spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hinton and family.

### Allenville

Mr. and Mrs. Theo Snyder and Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Hawkins are spending a couple of weeks in northern Wisconsin fishing and sightseeing.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Watkins and family spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Millard Lee and their new baby daughter.

Mrs. N. S. LeGrand and son Lyle, Mrs. Hugh L. Martin and children Junior and Ula Marie, Charles Hoskins, Robert Childers and Andrew Maxedon spent last Thursday in Chicago at a Century of Progress.

David Stewart spent Thursday of last week at Flora buying peaches.

John LeGrand spent the week end in Chicago attending the Century of Progress.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Leffler of Decatur spent the week end here visiting friends and relatives.

Miss Leota Hoskins and son Mack spent Friday in Mattoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Omer Mattox and daughter Irene and son Dean spent Saturday evening in Mattoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Abell are spending this week in Chicago visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Hal Sona and attending the fair.

TYPEWRITER RIBBONS — The Progress sells them. 17-ff.

### Preston Reunion

The Preston family held its reunion in Wyman park, August 27 with forty relatives and friends in attendance.

Those present were Mrs. Wm. Perrine, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Perrine and Junior, Mr. and Mrs. Ansel Perrine and sons William and James and daughters Dorothy and Lavone, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Craig, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. McFerrin and Hewell and Catherine, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Brooks and Norma, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Maxedon of Sullivan; Mrs. Sarah Preston and Mary of Allenville; Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Preston and Ruth and Marion, Miss Harmonia Aldridge, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Preston, Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Preston, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Graham, Miss Martha Dietmier, Mrs. Olive Brown and Crissie of Mattoon, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hoffman of Lovington, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dowers and son of Bethany Mr. and Mrs. John Graham, Cleo and Henry of Cooks Mills.

Music was furnished by Charles Flannigan, James Eaton and John Graham.

The reunion will be held at the same time next year in Lytle park in Mattoon.

### BROOKS AND CRIST

LOSE THEIR APPEAL  
Clint Brooks and Monte Crist of Mattoon who some year ago figured often and prominently in the criminal news of this county will have to remain in the penitentiary in Indiana. About three years ago they were convicted of robbing a bank at Jasper in that state.

Since then evidence had been brought forth tending to show that the men were victims of mistaken identity. The state clemency commission was not convinced and denied the appeal.

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Continued from last week
As soon as supper was over the girl asked Ann if she might help with the dishes.

But Ruth would not be put off; she was determined to make Ann her friend, or at any rate to get a little behind that protective shell with which the giantess had covered her real self.

So half an hour later Ruth entered the kitchen and asked Ann to come to the adobe as soon as she could and help with the unpacking.

Ann soon came to the adobe. "Well, Ann, there really isn't much work but I wanted your advice. I have a dress or two which are rather good—how can I keep them clean—the dust, you know—and, do you have moths in this country?"

Silently, the great woman left the adobe and returned a few minutes later with a roll of wrapping paper.

"Splendid!" said Ruth, who had been wondering whether Ann had not left her for good. "That's just what we need—we can make a sort of paper sack around the hanger."

Slowly the rigidity which always enveloped Ann was softened as the two women busied themselves. The girl chatted away about clothes, shaping her talk by the growing spark of interest in Ann's eyes.

"God, yes—" replied Ann slowly, "I see flimsy things on cheap girls—not like this—this here is quality, jes' quality."

"I wish it were bigger," said Ruth sincerely.

"What for?" "So that you could try it on—you'd look well in it."

"Me?" Ann's hand tightened upon the silk on her arm and her eyes searched the girl's face. She shook her head. "Quality, such as that, ain't made fer no ox like me. 'Oh, nonsense! You can get them in as large a size as you want—I'm sure you—"

Ann interrupted with a gesture, which included the silk and the dresses in the trunk. "It's me—I ain't fer such as them."

There was a tone in Ann's voice which Ruth could not understand and she made no reply.

Some time later while Ruth was again hanging a dress in the closet she heard a low sound, a single guttural word, almost a moan. Peeking around the edge of the closet door she saw the giantess crouched before the trunk tray which had been set to one side on the floor. Ann's attitude was almost one of adoration; one huge hand lay upon her breast, the other was outstretched over a compartment in the tray. Slowly the outstretched hand was lowered, softly the fingers came to rest.

For a full minute the giantess did not move. The girl watched fascinated. Suddenly Ann seemed to remember that Ruth was somewhere near. The spell was broken and the giantess arose. Without turning her face in Ruth's direction, Ann left the adobe.

The girl hurried to the tray and looked in the corner compartment. She saw that it contained David's first pair of shoes and his first hood of lace and ribbon.

The girl had almost finished unpacking before Ann returned. She handed Ruth a baking powder can. "I went to git these here" she said gruffly.

Ruth opened the can; it contained moth balls. "Oh. That's right, Ann, I forgot about them. Let's see, I suppose we'd better put some in the pockets of Mr. Warren's suits and in that woolen dress."

The last of hangable things had been taken from the trunk when Ruth came upon her ribbon board. She opened the box. "Here, Ann, wouldn't you like some of these? They're just scraps—I don't know why I keep them around."

Ann looked silently into the bright nest of twisted colors, and her eyes shone. Carefully she pulled out a band of golden silk. She felt it between her great thumb and finger, then held it close under the lamp. "Quality," she murmured, "as fine—as fine—like gold hair from a little white girl."

"Take anything you want, Ann—all of them if they'd be of use to you. They'd spruce up a dress wonderfully."

"I don't never spruce up," replied Ann quietly, "but I'll take a little of this gold one if you want."

"Oh, take it all." "No," Ann took the scissors and reverently cut about twelve inches from the band.

"Well, if you ever want any more, you'll know where to find the box, Ann. What will you do with that piece?"

For the first time since Ruth had known her, Ann smiled. It was the most expressive smile the girl had ever seen. Ann looked toward the door. "Sugarfoot," she called.

The little dog arrived at once, and Ann, still smiling, tied the bright ribbon about his neck. Then she tilted her head to one side. "Aw, Mr. Sugarfoot, ain't you jes the classiest little dog now?"

Ruth Warren felt moisture in her eyes. "Ann," she said impulsively, "take something for yourself—I know you want to—please!"

Ann's black eyes looked into the earnest hazel ones before her. "No—thank you kindly."

For Ruth, the next two weeks were days of bewilderment. She could not realize her isolation; it was impossible for her to accept the fact that beyond that distant horizon there was only more horizon.

She wanted desperately to understand her surroundings; she forced herself to study everything which might add to her knowledge of the country and the operation of the ranch. Snively was no help. Each morning he rode away very early—to watch the cattle, she supposed—returning late in the afternoon. And when she was able to speak with him his pale eyes regarded her contemptuously and he answered in monosyllables. Only once or twice did he reply at any length and then to dwell upon the discouraging features of the ranch and the dangers of the country to those unacquainted with it.

With the passing of the days Warren's health improved noticeably. At his repeated request, Snively grudgingly turned two horses over for the use of the family, and in the cool of the evening Warren found that he could take short horseback rides with his wife and son.

As Warren's cough seized him less often his mind freshened; he became the eager, buoyant impractical, loving boy Ruth Grey had eloped with six years before. His old zest for the concocting of dreams, which he believed to be plans, returned. He thoroughly considered the possibilities of the ranch. Calling Ruth's attention to the low hills of the pasture lands, he observed that they looked very like certain hills in Oklahoma where he had seen oil derricks. It might, he thought, be worth while to have a geologist come out and look around. And while the geologist was there, it wouldn't hurt to have him prospect for gold and other mineral wealth in the mountains—Arizona was famous for mines. There was perhaps only one use of the twenty-thousand acres upon which Warren did not speculate—their use as a cattle ranch.

In her heart Ruth knew that this was the only real value of the land. Just how valuable a ranch it was, or how valuable it could be, she had no idea. She wished she could talk to Old Charley about it.

Kenneth's schemes about the ranch dwindled and for a day he found nothing to interest him. Then suddenly he discovered fascination of rhyming. With boundless optimism he gave David over to the complete care of Ruth and went joyfully at the business of a poet.

Ruth was glad. Somehow, poetry suited Kenneth better than anything.

In the evening of the day on which Kenneth Warren became a poet, he fidgeted about until David was comfortably stowed in the section of horse manger, and then produced a sheet of paper. He had not gone riding that afternoon and had been moody during supper. Ruth composed herself to listen to the three short stanzas—she had expected thirty—her face automatically settled into the expression of one who will praise

satisfactorily. Not until his trembling voice had ceased on the last line did Ruth Warren's eyes come back to her husband's face. Warren expected more animation, but he shrugged and smiled apologetically. Then he saw that his wife was crying.

"Why—Ruth—" "Kenny!" With a rush her arms were about him. "Kenny—Oh, Kenny. . . Kenny. . ."

"What's the matter; it's not a sad poem—just supposed to give a picture of the old oak tree; what it's seen and felt and thinks—"

The clinging girl shook her head violently. "Oh, Kenny!" was all she could manage.

Late that night Ruth Warren lay awake. Her husband—Kenneth—had done something really big. Those three short stanzas—three magic patches of words. . . It seemed to Ruth that she had always known him to be a poet at heart; his visionary, impractical ideas had a poetical soundness about them, every one.

The next morning after breakfast Warren stopped Snively on the way to the barn. "Can I get up on top of that mountain?" he asked, pointing to the tallest of the several peaks which rose to the west.

"D'you mean, can you go horse-back?"

"Yes of course." Snively regarded him a moment. "What do you mean to do there?"

"I intend to spend the day—look around—may write a little."

"Oh sure. Yep, old Sanchez'll tote you all right—only don't push him none—let him take his time."

Warren thanked him, and Snively added that he would catch Sanchez while he was getting his own horse and leave him at the saddle shed.

Ruth protested against Warren's trip. But he was sure he could stand the ride and he would have all day in which to rest before the return journey. He was determined to go—he was going to climb up on that peak where he could see the whole world and he was going to write.

As she watched him ride away she was a little envious of the bundle tied to the back of the saddle, for besides the lunch was a pad of paper, and some of those sheets were going to be very fortunate.

As Ruth worked she was more nearly happy than at any time since coming to the ranch. She even hummed a vague tune while she stirred the clothes in the tub which sat on two stones over a mequite fire near the back screen door. Washing in this manner did not seem such a hardship now. She was amused when she remembered the electric washer, wringer and dryer she had once owned, and with which she had had no concern except to make sure her laundress understood how it worked.

The weather was cooler than usual and now and then a silver cloud slid under the sun, bringing a welcome shade. The windmill worked slowly, methodically repeating its squeak and click.

By noon, the sky was solid with white clouds; little rushing winds came and went suddenly; the songs of the birds included a new note, expectant and gay. All the desert awoke from its long sleep in stupefying heat and mingled its fragrant, spicy breath with the little gusts of wind.

CONTINUED NEXT WEEK

Merritt

Mrs. Stella Harris spent the week end in Kansas City visiting relatives.

Mrs. Eugene Freese spent Wednesday with her daughter Mrs. Wayne Righter.

Rolla Thomas and Elmer Bowers shelled corn this week. It was a two or three years crop of corn. There were over ten thousand bushels of corn.

Mrs. Ross Thomas, Mrs. Carrie Landers and Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Powell attended the Powell reunion Friday in Wyman park.

Mrs. Carrie Landers spent Thursday and Friday with Mrs. Ross Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Pickle and son Paul spent Saturday in Sullivan with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Kenney.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kanitz entertained Tuesday evening Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Zinkler and daughter Mildred, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Pickle and son Paul, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Powell and family.

Miss Mary Warren of Tuscola spent Saturday with Mrs. Herman Ray.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Davis and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Duncan.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Pickle entertained Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jenney, Mrs. Charley Kenney, Mrs. Ethel Bragg and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Durr and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Powell and family, Miss Doris Craig, Leo Jenne.

Merritt school begins Sept. 5. Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Zinkler and Mildred attended a reunion in Indiana Sunday.

'School Daze' Sept. 8 At Purvis School

A play "School Daze" will be presented at the Purvis school house, Friday evening, September 8th. Session 1 will be at 7 o'clock and Session 2 will be at 8:30. You need this to complete your education. Don't be tardy.

Mrs. Clara Warner takes the part of Ella Smith, the mischievous school girl and Daniel Isaacs takes the part of Reginald Cooper, a sissy.

Gladys Mosby assumes the role of White Rose, the colored girl, while Florence Leeds is just too cute as the tom-boy.

Think of Merril Miller as the hard-boiled character, Steve Clark and Howard Summers as the foolish school-boy, Tom Brown.

How do you know that Mrs. Ethel Wilson is a school marm? Just look at the class she has.

The proceeds of the performance will be used for the benefit of the Purvis Parent-Teachers Association. The play was written by Charles L. Archbold, advertising manager of an oil company.

Others taking part in the cast besides those named above are Walter Jenkins, Mrs. Effie Jenkins, Ruth Jenkins, Wilma Spough, Dave Spough, Vernetta Warner, Marie Butler, Robert Miller, Glen Conwell and Claude Anderson.

ATTEBERRY-WISELY

Earl R. Atteberry, 25 and Miss Flossie Wisely 16, both from Kirksville were licensed to wed on Saturday. The bride's mother, Mrs. Maggie Wisely accompanied the couple and gave her consent. The ceremony was performed by Judge Lambrecht.

Mrs. Catherine McDonald, Mrs. Mabel Nichols and daughter Catherine went to Tuscola Thursday and visited with relatives until Friday morning.

The Progress is in receipt of a card from Belden Briscoe, mailed in Santa Fe, N.M. Mr. Briscoe says: "Am making a nice tour in Colorado and New Mexico. Have spent two days in the Rocky Mountains and will return to Chicago about September 1st."

Mrs. James Carpbell and daughters Helen and Marilyn visited the week end with relatives in Arthur.

Mrs. Alice Boyce, who for some time was housekeeper in the J. B. Tabor home, has gone to Arthur and accepted a similar position in the home of Dr. Bruce.

The following folks spent Sunday with Mrs. Helen Davis and Mrs. Mary Davis: Mrs. Roy Enterline and Betty of Ft. Dodge, Iowa, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Thomas of Decatur, Dorothy Fields of Lincoln, Mrs. Gertrude Newbold and family, Frank Lazelle and Melvin Davis of Galesburg.

Mrs. Hugo Zimmer and children returned home Saturday from a week's visit with Mrs. Zimmer's parents at Salem.

R. W. Creech of Bethany was a business caller in Sullivan Saturday. He is one of The Progress' many new subscribers.

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### Eleventh Bolin Reunion Held Sun.

The 11th Bolin family reunion held Sunday, August 20th in Wyman park was attended by 89. Mrs. Betty Ponder was the oldest person present and Jodean Ward, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Ward was the youngest.

Officers elected for the ensuing year are:

President—Mrs. Margaret Parke  
Vice pres.—Mrs. Esther Clark  
Sec'y.—P. G. Wiard.

Those in attendance at the reunion were Mr. and Mrs. Huff, Doris Askins, Thelma Askins, Loren Askins, Mrs. Betty Ponder, son Ray and daughter Wilma and Jesse Oborn of Hammond, Ill., S. T. Bolin, Sam Bolin, Amanda Bolin, Rose Bolin, Guy Bolin and family, W. K. Bolin and family, Walter Bolin and family, Mabel Elder and children, Darrell Bolin, Paul Bolin Jennie Watkins, Charles Watkins and family of Findlay, Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Wiard, George Wiard and family, Reuben Johnson and family, Homer Johnson, Clarence Parke and family of Humboldt, Ray Wilson and family, Susie Ray, Garfield Purvis and family, Chas. Clark and family, John Bolin and family, Frank Pound and family, Doris Seitz, Josie Ray, Natalia Wenty of Decatur, Harriet Bolin and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Miller and Mrs. George Kercheval.

### East County Line

Mrs. Blanche Pringle of Chicago came Monday to visit a few days with Ralph Seaman and family.

Davey Conlin spent Saturday afternoon with his grandmother, Mrs. Ed Conlin.

Mrs. Jesse Gilmer and daughter of Humboldt spent Friday with Wm. Lilly and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Barr of Mattoon and Miss Fern Wilson spent Saturday night and Sunday with Clovis Milan and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Ryan and sons attended a chicken fry at Shelbyville Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Watson and daughters spent Sunday with Kenneth Gustin and family of Bruce.

Mrs. Glen Roley and sons of Sullivan and Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Wynne of Decatur spent Sunday at the home of A. J. Sexton.

Miss Violet McClure and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence James of Sullivan and Harry McClure and family attended a potluck dinner at the David McClure home in Arthur on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Craig Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Watkins were in Mattoon Monday.

Miss Marjorie Ryan spent the week end in Sullivan with her grandmother, Mrs. Ella Wisner.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles McGinn of Arthur called on Claude Watson and family Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Maxwell of Arthur, Mr. and Mrs. John Craig Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Watkins spent Friday evening with Clarence Watson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Reynolds and children returned to their home in Windsor, Canada Friday, after spending the past three months with John Harmon and family.

### Bethany

O. F. Harding, son Jake, George Stocks, and Tiny Bruce spent Thursday looking over Springfield state fair.

E. A. Grabb and family spent the early part of last week in Chicago attending A Century of Progress Exposition.

Homer Freeland and family and Marjorie and Julia Scott spent last Friday at the Illinois State Fair.

Mrs. Lloyd Foster and sons Bob and Gerald left Monday for their home in Phoenix, Arizona after having spent most of the summer here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Scott took their daughter Anna Jane to Standford last Sunday where she will take up her duties as instructor in the high school.

Mrs. Faye Freeland will entertain her bridge club today.

Mrs. Neva Hill of Lerna visited here on Monday.

George Swiney and family were State Fair visitors Friday.

The local high and grade schools will open Sept. 5th.

The young men's class of Presbyterian Sunday school are holding a weiner roast tonight in the Fulk timber.

### CARD OF THANKS

We desire to thank all friends and relatives for their kindness in the hour of our bereavement when our beloved husband, and father died. Especially do we thank those who sent flowers and participated in the funeral services.

Mrs. Abner Womack and Mary June  
Ralph and Ed Womack

—John Purvis attended A Century of Progress last week.

### MANY TO START SCHOOL LIFE HERE TUESDAY, SEPT. 5

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Nature Study and Health Education.

Palmer Writing Book 3rd and 4th.

**Fifth Grade**  
Reader—Reading, and Living Book II.  
Arith.—Book II.  
History—Makers of America.  
Speller—Essentials of Spelling.  
Language—Book II.  
Geography—Book I.  
Hygiene—5th and 6th grades.  
Dictionary—Webster's Elementary or High School.  
Palmer Writing Book 5th and 6th Grades.

**Sixth Grade**  
Reading—Reading and Living, Book III.  
Arith.—Book II.  
Geography—Book II.  
Speller—Essentials of Spelling.  
Hygiene—5th and 6th grades.  
History—Introduction to American History.  
Language—Book II.  
Dictionary—Webster's Elementary or High School.  
Palmer writing book 5th and 6th grades

**Seventh Grade**  
Reader—Laidlaw for 7th grade.  
Arth.—Iroquois Book III.  
Speller—Essentials of Spelling.  
Hygiene—Personal and Public Health.  
Geog.—Book II.  
History—Woodburn and Moran Grammar—Book III.  
Civics—Community Life and Civic Problems.  
History Note book for 7th grade.  
Geog. Note book "20 Century".  
Problems and Projects in Geog.  
Dictionary—Webster's Elementary or High School.  
Civics Orthography 7th and 8th.

**Eighth Grade**  
Reader—Laidlaw for 8th grade.  
Arth.—Iroquois Book III.  
Speller—Essentials of Spelling.  
Hygiene—Personal and Public Health.  
Geog.—Book II.  
History—Woodburn and Moran Grammar—Book III.  
Civics—Community Life and Civic Problems.  
History note book for 8th year.  
Geog. Note book.  
Dictionary—Webster's Elementary or High School.  
Civics Orthography 7th and 8th.

### Gays

Born to Rev. and Mrs. Robert Evans a son August 27th.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wilson of Mattoon spent Sunday with her father Clark Mattox.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cross and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Fuller.

Genel Fritzel entertained several young people at a pound party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sheer Thursday evening.

Rev. and Mrs. Glenn Armstrong took a car load of young people to the Chicago fair Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

Mabel, Olive and Joe Smith are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hughes at Waterloo, Ill.

Several from here attended the Springfield fair during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ode Curry and son and Mrs. Ray Booze were Mattoon visitors Wednesday.

Ruth Alexander has returned home from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Jess Wainscott of Champaign.

Mr. and Mrs. John Smith and daughter Betty spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hopper.

Several from here attended the circus in Mattoon Friday.

Sybil Ferguson and June Shafar spent Friday with Madeline Graham in Mattoon.

Martha Sullivan has returned home from a visit with friends in Hillsboro.

Mrs. Allie Burkhead and family spent Sunday with her mother Mrs. Katherine Huntington.

Ella Fuller has returned home from a weeks visit with Dorothy Fuller at Paradise.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Carlyle here Mattoon visitors Saturday.

Zella Booze and son Harold spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence McClain and Mrs. Martha McClain.

Earl Harrison returned to his employment at Kankakee after a few days visit with his family.

Mabel Jackson has returned home from a month's visit with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Harvey in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Beldon and family of Winfield, Kansas are visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Thompson of Windsor spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Mike Cullen.

Mr. and Mrs. George Miller and sons were Mattoon visitors Saturday.

Vilas Booze and Owen Clabaugh took a truck load of stock to Indianapolis Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bence of Windsor spent Sunday with Grandma Lemons.

Royal Stone of Windsor spent Saturday with his parents.

Fern Hortensiae spent Saturday afternoon with Lena Davis.

Mrs. Mayme Bell was a Mattoon visitor Thursday.

### Wounded In Battle Seventy Years Ago

Wednesday was an anniversary day for Ben Blackwell, aged veteran of the War of the Rebellion. Seventy years ago on August 30th he and T. B. Fultz, (now de-



BEN BLACKWELL

ceased) were members of the Union army battling the rebels at Richmond, Kentucky. A bullet plowed its way through Mr. Blackwell's right leg.

Mr. Blackwell was but a lad at the time. He fully recovered from the injury.

### Daredevil Terriers

The sheer, reckless courage which characterizes the Irish terrier and for which it has frequently been called the "dare-devil," is illustrated by the following story told a number of years ago by some African hunters. As the story goes, the hunters had been trying with a pack of dogs to dislodge a lion which had been brought to bay in a dense tangle of bushes. Finally, without apparent reason, the lion bolted out from under cover. When it was entirely clear of its bushy hiding place the reason for its hasty appearance was clear, for clinging to the end of its tail with firmly locked teeth was a small Irish terrier.

**Little Auk Flies Like Hummer.**  
The little auk is a bird about the size of a dove and has a whitish breast and black back. Its three webbed toes give it means of propulsion in the water and its narrow but sturdy wings give it a powerful take-off from its natural element, the sea. In flight its wings vibrate like those of a hummingbird. It is quite unable to push off from a land base. Its breeding place is the northeast coast of Greenland and in Iceland. In winter it is occasionally seen as far south as the Azores.

### Painless

Cousin Linnie had had an operation on her eye for cataract. Five-year-old Sylvia had been much interested and curious about it. One day she said to her older sister: "Clara, what did they do to Linnie's eye?"  
"Punched a hole in it," answered Clara carelessly.  
"But didn't it hurt?" questioned the child.  
"No, I guess not," Clara replied. "They gave her something to make her sleep so she would not feel it."  
—Misses Myrtle and Lucy Dunscomb and Mr. and Mrs. Al Lindsay motored to Effington Sunday.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McClure of Bone Gap were Sunday visitors with Mrs. Mattie Rose.

### LONG DELAYED STEALING CASES NOW ON TRIAL

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stolen goods did not know that they were stolen.

Howard Wilkey was brought here from the pen and is the defense's star witness. He is "taking the load" by testifying that the accused were trucking the goods on his orders and did not know they were stolen.

At the time the Bowers thefts took place there seemed to be a well organized thieving ring in operation. Part of it was in this county, part in Jefferson county. Things stolen in one county were taken to the other. A saddle, harness and various other articles which was stolen in Jefferson county made their appearance in Moultrie, while articles taken here were recovered in Jefferson county. Plausible stories told by the Moultrie "fences" evidently evaded indictments.

The present case is being hard fought in court and closely watched. Due to the long time that has elapsed since the thefts took place, the prosecution is somewhat handicapped in its task.

### MRS. PEARCE ENTERTAINED FOR CONNECTICUT GUESTS

Mrs. Tella Pearce entertained the following people to a twelve o'clock dinner Sunday in honor of Mrs. Herbert Wamsley and children:

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Henderson of Bethany, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Henderson of Findlay, James Pearce and family of Kirksville, Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Cartright and Miss Jacqueline Ann Hendricks of Mattoon, Mrs. Thelma Wamsley and children of Hartford, Conn., T. E. Pargeon of Lovington, Miss Edith Pearce and Mrs. Alice Weisman of Warrensburg.

The afternoon was spent in visiting and eating home-made ice cream and cake.

Mrs. Wamsley and children are leaving for home by way of Detroit and Chicago, where she will attend A Century of Progress and visit Mr. Wamsley's mother in Detroit.

Mr. Wamsley is employed in a large Auto Supply House, on the order of a chain system and has been advanced from New Haven, to Hartford, to a much better position and raise in salary and is very much pleased with the work.

### WHAT HAVE YOU

A party wants to buy for cash, a timber tract of 5 to 10 acres, located preferably on the Okaw and being partly above overflow. Must be accessible to a road. If you have anything like this to dispose of, write details and price and address to Box B c/o The Progress. Only offers so addressed will receive any consideration.

—Miss Ida Collins is spending the week in Wingate, Indiana.

—Mervin Reed, A. C. Hawley, Ray eakle and Paul L. Chipps represented this county at the state Legion convention held in Rockford.

—Mr. and Mrs. Will Eden of St. Louis stopped on their way to A Century of Progress to visit her father Luther Lowe for a few days this week.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Roney and Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Lawson and Berniece were sight seeing at the Century of Progress over the week end.

—Miss Edith Stark who has been visiting here the past month left Sunday for Carbondale where she will attend college.

—Miss Fern Garrett and Miss Helen Whitfield are in Chicago this week visiting with Miss Marian Baker and attending the Fair.

—Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Miller and daughter Ruth spent the week end attending the Century of Progress in Chicago.

—Mrs. John Gramblin and children of Detroit visited relatives here from Wednesday to Saturday of last week.

—ROBIN HOOD SHOES WILL FINISH OUT THE "KIDDIES" FALL OUTFITS. COY'S CENTRAL SHOE STORE.

### WEATHER

A nice slow rain started falling Sunday evening and continued until Monday noon. Everything in season, is growing.

Melons are plentiful and cheap. The other days we saw a field of sunflowers, looking like a good crop.

Some farmers are preparing the fields for alfalfa. Despite the hot weather that was a fair crop this year.

We have been told coal is going up. Nearly everything is going up in price. Merchants who had cotton goods in stock had to pay 43c per lb. to equalize the processing tax manufacturers pay.

Blackbirds are flowing with rhythm through the evening skies. Other birds are already migrating southward. Robins gather in reunions, telling each other of their summer's experience and introducing their new families.

The roadsides are blossoming out in their fall-time glory of yellow and other harmonious colors. Bob-whites scurry to cover, entirely suspicious of the blood-thirsty designs that some human beings harbor for their destruction in the name of sport.

Piggies and sows are going to Chicago, not to see the fair out to provide food for the hungry. Government sow-belly will be a staple ration in relief stations this winter.

### NORRIS SHOWS THEM

Last week Dr. Norris of Arthur was in Chicago. He attended a banquet of the Nordic club on which his brother in law is president. Following this he played golf on the Itasca course and won third prize.

—Mrs. Levi Patterson who spent two weeks at Mt. Pulaski, where she assisted in caring for her mother, Mrs. Angeline Wacasser who is ill, returned to her home Saturday.

—Joe David who spent the past month visiting with relatives in Wisconsin expects to return to his home the latter part of this week.

—Mrs. Alice Boyce, who for some time was housekeeper in the J. B. Tabor home, has gone to Arthur and accepted a similar position in the home of Dr. Bruce.

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Prices 10c and 25c.

**Whitfield**  
Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Wood and daughter and Mrs. L. C. Messmore spent Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Frank Messmore and daughters.

Mrs. W. S. Delana attended A Century of Progress over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Edwards and Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Edwards spent Friday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Alva Edwards.

Dale and Geneva Waggoner visited a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Messmore.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Lane spent Friday evening with Emmett Fleming and family.

Jack and Bonnie Messmore visited Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Wood in Decatur.

Frank Doughty spent the week end with home folks.

Mrs. J. H. Arthur attended A Century of Progress over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Baker and children and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Fleming and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Garrett and daughter spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Edwards.

Oce Arthur spent Sunday with John Messmore.

Mrs. Freda Linder and son Rex and Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Maxedon and children of Mattoon and Harrison Maxedon called on Mr. and Mrs. N. King Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Young spent Sunday with Tom Young and family.

Mary Faye Young spent one day recently with Marjorie Young. Wm. Critzer was a Bruce caller Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Orla Kimbrough and sons have gone to the fair. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dennison are staying at their home during their absence.

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Thursday, Friday and Saturday  
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5 lbs.	28c	24 lbs.	\$1.05
48 lbs.	\$2.09	Bbl.	\$8.15

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<b>Domino Sugar</b>	SATURDAY 25 pounds	\$1.27
CAMPBELLS SOUPS	Per can	8c
SWEET PICKLES	Quarts	24c
COCOA 2 lb. Cans	100 Pounds	24c
Best Grade	SPECIAL SALT	85c
P & G or O. K. Soap	Giant Bars, 7 for	25c
MARY TODD COFFEE	2 Pounds	35c
WISH BONE, Special	Demonstration Saturday, lb.	27c
TOILET PAPER, soft pure tissue	10 rolls	69c

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CRACKERS, Tasty Flake	2 pounds	19c
NAVY BEANS, Choice hand picked	5 pounds	19c
POST TOASTIES, Large Size	2 for	21c
JELLO, all flavors	3 for	20c
SWANS DOWN CAKE FLOUR		27c
KARO SYRUP, light or dark	1/2 gal, 25c; gallon	49c
ARGO STARCH, gloss or corn, 2 packages		15c
MASON FRUIT JARS	Special on quarts	75c

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