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Cash Specials For Friday and Saturday

Blackberries, gallon can	53c
Macaroni, short cut, 2 lb.	17c
Fig Bars, fresh, 2 lb.	25c
New Potatoes, 3 lb.	14c
Green Beans, No. 2 cans, 3 for	25c
Delicious Sips Coffee, lb.	19c
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Coffee No. 1858, 29c value, lb.	23c
Toilet Soap, Yellow Twin Bar, 4c	
Beef Roast, lb.	18c
Strawberries, quart box	19c
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Local and Personal

A nice rain visited this vicinity last Wednesday and Thursday.

Read Eckerty's ad for Friday and Saturday Specials.

Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Rayl and son John Paul were Danville shoppers Friday.

B. H. Thode visited his sister, Miss Rosa Thode, at Mattoon, Wednesday.

Fred Eckerty attended the funeral of a friend at Ottawa, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Limp recently visited friends at Bloomington, Ind.

Clifford Eckerty spent the weekend with his sister at Indianapolis, Ind.

Miss Margaret Rothermel has been reemployed to teach in the grade school at Sidney.

Clark Henson and family spent Sunday afternoon with friends in Champaign.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Reed spent Sunday with relatives in Champaign.

Miss Phyllis Bergfield spent the week end with Miss Wilma Richard at Champaign.

Miss Leone Bergfield spent Sunday at the Willard Stearns home near Philo.

Read Bergfield Bros. adv. for Cash Specials.

Miss Maxine Cook has been hired to teach at Lawnsdale for another term.

Rev. and Mrs. Edward Hardy were Champaign visitors Tuesday.

Miss Wilma Messman has been reemployed to teach at Center Point.

Mrs. Floyd Block of Chicago spent the past week here with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe King and son, Mr. and Mrs. Pascal Furnish of Hume, were guests at the Eckerty Cafe, Sunday.

Mrs. T. A. Dicks, Mrs. Carl Dicks and Mrs. Mary Fitzgerald were Champaign shoppers, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Amiel Witt and daughter Rosalie, of Hume, visited Clifford Eckerty and family, Sunday.

Mrs. John Rayl, Mrs. Bessie Loomis, Mrs. Flora Bailey and Wm. Messman spent Sunday afternoon in Ridgefarm.

Mrs. Wesley Gallion and son, Harold, of Newman, visited friends here Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Cable and daughter Mary of Terre Haute, Ind., were week end guests at the A. A. Cable home.

Mrs. P. O. Rayl Surprised on Wedding Anniversary

Last Saturday was the Silver wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Rayl. In honor of the occasion the L. W. Class of the U. B. Sunday School gave Mrs. Rayl a very pleasant surprise.

Mrs. Dophia Warner gave the following presentation with a lovely set of monogrammed teaspoons: "We the ladies of the L. W. Class of the U. B. S. S. of Broadlands, wish to congratulate you on this the 25th anniversary of your marriage, and we wish to show our love and appreciation of your worth in the class, Sunday School and community, by presenting you this little gift, hoping you will have 25 more years of happy married life, and when you celebrate your Golden wedding, please look at this gift and remember the "Old L. W. Class." Signed by Mesdames Bessie Loomis, Leona Bergfield, Ella Maxwell, Della Reed, Ora Brown, Dophia Warner, Belle Smith, Betty McCormick, Allie Struck, Mary Rayl, Flora Bailey, Lucy Sullivan, Agnes Turner.

Mrs. Lillie Bowman was a visitor. The afternoon was spent socially. Ice cream and cake were served, after which all departed wishing Mrs. Rayl many more joyous years.

White Hall School Has Basket Dinner

The school term at White Hall came to a close last Friday, the occasion being celebrated with a dinner on Sunday. 68 persons enjoying the big feed. After the dinner there was a ball game between the men and boys, with the boys leading the score at the end. Miss Marie Struck is the teacher.

Local and Personal

Mt. Snip school closed with a basket dinner last Thursday. Miss Helen Warner is the teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Gore of Flint, Mich., are parents of a baby girl, born at Newman last Monday night. The baby has been named Joyce Lou.

Mr. and Mrs. George Walker, Mrs. Arch Walker and son Dean were Sunday afternoon guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Boyd, near Kansas.

Members of the Ladies' Aid society of the local U. B. Church are sponsoring a Mother-Daughter banquet to be given Thursday, May 9. Price 35c.

Miss Mildred Freeman closed the Fonner school with a basket dinner on Monday. She has been re-employed at an increase in salary.

Mrs. D. P. Brewer, Mrs. Floyd Block and Miss Margaret Gore visited Mrs. Anna Struck at Mercy hospital, Champaign, on Wednesday.

Market Report

Following are the prices offered for grain Thursday in the local market:

No. 2 wheat	85c
No. 3 white corn	84c
No. 3 yellow corn	79c
No. 3 oats	40c
No. 2 yellow soy beans	97c

"HELL IN THE HEAVENS" IS ENTHRALLING

Warner Baxter Stars in Dramatic Story of Death in the Skies.—Friday and Saturday.

One of the most enthralling and spectacular screen romances of recent years comes to the Broadlands Theatre this Friday and Saturday nights. This is the Fox Film Production, "Hell in the Heavens," starring Warner Baxter.

Based on one of London's stage hits, the new picture tells an absorbing story of death and danger in the skies above No Man's Land. Warner Baxter, daring American flier has but one fear, the fear of being afraid.

Haunted by the nightmare thought of his own plane in flames, he must conquer himself before he brings to earth the dauntless "Baron" most desperate of all German aces.

Conchita Montenegro, dashing young Spanish actress, plays a French girl quartered in the same chateau where the American outfit wakes each day to battle. Through the love of this girl, Baxter as the hero of the story finds new courage and a hope of life.

Russell Hardie, striking young leading man of several recent films, has an important role as Baxter's rival for the love of the French girl.

Local and Personal

Your news items would help to make this paper more interesting.

Broadlands Lodge, A. F. & A. M., will meet on next Monday night.—O. P. Witt, W. M.

Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Brewer attended the funeral of Mrs. Amanda Cooper at Pesotum, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Clifford Eckerty attended the P. N. G. Club party at the home of Mrs. Elsie Hawkins at Newman, Wednesday.

Wayne Brewer won first place in humorous declamation at the Champaign County literary contest at Tolono last Tuesday night.

Broadlands Lodge A. F. & A. M. had 2nd degree work last Wednesday night. Several members from neighboring lodges were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Smith, Mrs. Oscar Thode and Mrs. Alfred Thode visited Miss Rosa Thode, who is seriously ill at Mattoon, Sunday.

Mrs. Bud Struck is recovering from an operation for appendicitis which she recently underwent at Mercy hospital, Champaign.

Local baseball players are planning the organization of a team. First practice will be held this Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. All those interested are urged to attend.

Leslie Cooper and family of Pesotum, Misses Beryl and Margaret Culton of Longview, Ronald and Carmen Lucas of Metcalf were guests at the D. P. Brewer home Sunday evening.

Mrs. Maude Moore is Hostess to G. T. Club

The G. T. Club met at the home of Mrs. Maude Moore on Thursday afternoon of last week.

After the regular business was conducted the following new officers were elected: President, Mrs. Gladys McClelland; Vice President, Mrs. Ruth Henson; Secretary, Mrs. Ida Messman; Treasurer, Mrs. Olive Rayl.

The afternoon was spent in playing "500." Mrs. Ruth Henson and Mrs. Maude Fitzgerald tied for high score.

Refreshments consisted of date cake with whipped cream, sandwiches, pickles and coffee.

Members present were Mesdames Teresa Smith, Ida Messman, Jessie Bergfield, Minnie Anderson, Freda Maxwell, Edna Telling, Olive Rayl, Bertha Cook, Leona Bergfield, Rosa Smith, Irene Witt, Irene Wiese, Maude Fitzgerald, Sue Harden, Delia Nohren, Edna Dicks, Eva Boyd, Lillie Bowman, Mary Dicks, Elsa Walker, Ruth Henson, Edna Struck, Gladys McClelland, Jennie Nohren, Maude Moore. Mrs. Helen Nichols was a guest.

The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Olive Rayl.

U. B. Ladies Aid Meets With Mrs. Thelma Clem

The Ladies Aid of the U. B. church met with Mrs. Thelma Clem last Wednesday afternoon. Miss Anna Clem was assistant hostess.

Mrs. Jennie Nohren had charge of the business meeting and Rev. Turner had charge of the devotions. During the business session it was decided to hold a Mother and Daughter Banquet, May 9th.

Refreshments consisted of chocolate sundaes, cake and coffee.

Visitors present were Rev. J. F. Turner, Mesdames Lillous Harris, Lucy Sullivan, Irene Coryell and Bertha Cook.

Members present were Mesdames Ruth Henson, Belle Smith, Agnes Turner, Leona Bergfield, Jennie Nohren, Lillie Bowman, Della Reed, Olive Rayl, Hattie Dicks, Jessie Bergfield, Bessie Loomis, Flora Bailey, Zermah Witt, Thelma Clem, and Miss Anna Clem.

K. K. K. Class Meets at the Home of Rev. Turner

The K. K. K. of the U. B. Sunday School met on Thursday night of last week at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Turner at Longview.

Members present were Misses Juanita Bergfield, Phyllis Bergfield, Alice Maxwell, Anna Clem, Julia and Dorthea Turner, Marcelle Nohren, Mrs. Lillie Bowman, Elbert Turner, Wilbur and Leonard Thomas. Fred Eckerty was a guest.

Refreshments of fruit and cookies were served.

Roll of Honor

The following is a list of those who have renewed their subscription and new subscribers for this paper for April: Roy Harvey, Indianapolis, Ind. Albert Nonman, Kansas, Ill. J. A. Thomas. Harold O. Anderson. Karl Partenheimer.

News Items Of 32 Years Ago

Henry Kilian, sr., has presented this office a copy of the Broadlands Journal which is 32 years old. The paper is dated July 10, 1903. Chas. Brady was editor of the paper at that time. Following are some of the more interesting items which appear in the paper:

Geo. Pritchard was overcome by heat last Saturday.

H. C. Wilson and wife attended Holiness camp meeting at Danville.

Gilbert says that all the fellows who bought taters of him had better come and get them as the chickens are eating them up.

Not an arrest was made by our police July 4th. No one got unruly or boisterous during the entire day.

The celebration at Broadlands, July 4th, was one of the biggest in this section of the country. Three thousand people participated.

A Serious Accident

Mrs. Josie Grimes, age about thirty, and Bowler Cook, who is not over twenty, were seriously injured here last night. The latter is dead.

It is said that the young man and woman were returning late from a drive to Muncie in a livery rig, belonging to W. R. Swearingen, and apparently were driving slowly toward the barn to turn over the horse and buggy.

A freight train was waiting here for the fast westbound express to pass, and just as the horse came on the track he was struck by the express and killed. Mrs. Grimes who was thrown out, had her foot crushed by the cars, necessitating amputation. Young Cook was killed.

Swell Doin's at Cads

Rain-in-the-face, Man-afraid-of-his-horse and other noted personages with their squaws, partook of a sumptuous repast at the palatial wigwam of Sitting Bull last Wednesday evening. Those present were painted in their most brilliant hues and with their raiment girded about their loins started in to do justice to any and everything that came in sight.

The menu as expressed by Sitting Bull (Cad) was as follows: Pickled elephant eyebrows, condensed sweetness a-la-armful dished with smiles, rubber hose, pickled gnat's tongue, potted rooster, congealed milk, ribboned biscuits, sass in several different styles, furniture a-la-stack, dew from the maiden's lips sipped at leisure.

Those present were Edna Gilbert, Rhoda Walsh, Nellie Walker, Ada Flewelling, Iva Faith, Wynnie Cadwallader, John Bradford, George Pritchard and Billy Cadwallader.

Closing Day Dinner at Alexander School

A sumptuous dinner and music brought to a close a pleasant and successful school year at Alexander, Wednesday. About 35 or 40 gathered for the event. Practically every family in the neighborhood was represented. Teachers are always glad to see the parents of the children at such an occasion.

I herewith want to express my sincerest thanks to all. Edward Hardy Jr.

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New Red Cross Job

Plans for a new and important activity, that of reducing the automobile death and accident rate, are being made by the American Red Cross, which this year is celebrating the 30th anniversary of its incorporation under its present charter.

Briefly stated, the proposal is to establish a network of first aid stations along the highways and streets, using filling stations, police booths and other existing facilities, the personnel of which would be given some instructions in first aid methods. Mobile first aid units would include public utility and highway commission trucks, tank trucks and buses, some of which already carry emergency equipment and persons trained in first aid.

The possibilities of the plan are readily recognized, and the expense of providing the necessary first aid kits and the training of personnel whose regular duties kept them on the highways, would not be great.

First aid, the Red Cross believes, should whenever possible be given at the spot where the accident occurs, until proper medical aid can be summoned. Many deaths occur from rushing injured persons into ordinary automobiles and speeding them to hospitals without giving them temporary relief and intelligent attention.

The new undertaking is a most praiseworthy one, which will no doubt have the hearty cooperation of all who are able to assist in making it effective.

Surgery's Advance

Some of the recent amazing advances made by surgery were enumerated by Malcolm T. MacEachern in an address this month, in which he credited surgery, X-rays and radium with no less than 26,000 positive cancer cures.

Great progress also has been made in the treatment of goiter, the death rate from which was as high as 20 per cent, now reduced to less than one per cent in the best hospitals.

In the surgery of the stomach and gall bladder, death rates formerly reaching 20 to 30 per cent have been cut to about 6 per cent. Today practically any part of the brain may be operated on and many heretofore incurable conditions corrected. Even the heart has been subjected to the surgeon's knife with success in some cases. Several feet of intestine may be removed with substantial safety to the patient. In the treatment of serious fractures, limbs which would have been amputated in the past are now saved in many cases.

Surgeons are now able to open the chest with little danger to the patient, and draining the chest cavity of pus is now common. Tuberculosis has been successfully controlled by surgical means, under certain conditions.

The wonderful advances in medicine and surgery are contributing inestimable benefits on mankind in the relief of suffering and in prolonging life. It is tragic that so much of the science and art of healing is counteracted by human carelessness, especially by fools who drive automobiles without regard for life or limb.

Biggest Ranch Split

At last the greatest single real estate tract under private ownership in the world is to be broken up and divided among the heirs of its former owner. It is the famous King ranch in Texas, comprising 1,200,000 acres, larger than the state of Rhode Island.

This vast estate was the personal empire of Captain Richard King, who died a half-century ago, the nucleus of which he bought from Mexican owners in 1853. He added to his holdings from time to time, encouraged settlers, built towns and railroads, and raised prodigious herds of cattle.

It is related that a few years ago when meat packers were very short of cattle and in the market for 20,000 head, a representative of the King ranch who happened to be in Chicago said he could supply them. The packers were skeptical and asked that the ranch be wired to find out whether such a large number really could be furnished. The answer came: "Yes; do you want Shorthorns or Herefords?"

After Captain King's death in 1885, Mrs. King managed the vast estate, with the aid of her son-in-law, Robert J. Kleberg, for 40 years until her death in 1925 at the age of 94. Kleberg died about three years ago, hence the big ranch will be divided, and the world will probably never see its like again.

Slavery Continues

That the slave trade is still carried on in no less than 15 different countries, several of which are members of the League of Nations, is the declaration of Ignatius Phayre in the April issue of Current History.

He cites China, Liberia and Abyssinia particularly as slave-trading countries. In China many millions are held in slavery, even in the more advanced provinces, and it is hard to imagine conditions in the remote regions beyond control of the Nanking government. Only recently an international commission charged that in Liberia a large slave trade was carried on under the sanction of the government, which profits from the traffic. It is estimated that at least two million are held in slavery in Abyssinia.

Such conditions seem quite abhorrent to civilized people today, but when it is remembered that it is only a little more than 70 years since slavery was a recognized institution in the United States, it is not strange that it is still found in the countries mentioned.

Much progress has been made in recent years, however, in the direction of reducing the prevalence of slavery in parts of the world in which it still exists.

Fourteen Adventurers

A literary accomplishment worthy of more than passing notice is that of Edward Jerome Dies of Chicago, who in his latest book, "Street of Adventure" has depicted the careers of fourteen of the most glamorous figures in mid-western finance from the Civil War until the present.

The street to which the title refers is La Salle Street, Chicago, second only to Wall Street as a center of American finance and speculation. Among the characters portrayed are Samuel Insull, Alexander Legge, and the Armours, among industrialists, together with such colorful speculators as Arthur W. Cutten, James A. Patten, John W. Gates Joseph Leiter, Jesse L. Livermore and others.

How immense fortunes were won and lost in the relentless struggle for wealth and power is told in dramatic fashion, but with fidelity to the truth, which in the case of each of the giant figures described is indeed stranger than fiction.

"Street of Adventure" is decidedly something more than

just another book. It has been aptly described as "a brilliant patch of America," and is admirable alike for its intense human interest and its unique historical value.

A Transitional Stage

Walter Dill Scott, president of Northwestern University, the largest Methodist institution of learning, recently discussed the indifference to religion which is apparent among present-day college students and graduates. He frankly admitted that the colleges had encouraged the material viewpoint and said:

"Science started the trouble. We taught our youth the scientific history of mankind, which upset their religious trainings, and we gave them nothing to replace their old creed. We threw away the old tools before we had developed the new.

In the early days there were certain fixed rules which governed life. This shalt thou do and this thou shalt not do. Today these rules are all topsy-turvy. We are in a transitional stage. We can't teach our students any one set of rules, because we do not know what they are ourselves."

Dr. Scott then defined the new religion as not being confined to any sect or dogma, but as the broad science of living with our fellowmen and making them happier and better.

Speaking of the lack of religious education in the home, he said: "Parents are not educating their children religiously, as they did a generation ago, because they do not know what to teach them. The parents themselves do not know what they believe. We are in a transitional stage."

The substance of Dr. Scott's conclusions is that ultimately the old creeds will be abandoned to a great extent, in view of the revelations of modern science. The process involved in the development of a new and rational religion is what he describes as "a transitional stage."

Sidelights

Discovery of a process for extracting gasoline from cotton seed has been announced. But if scientists could devise a way to extract the tax from gasoline it would be even more helpful to long suffering motorists.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Holloway, a farm couple living near Woodland, Ga., report the birth of their fourth consecutive set of twins. The birth control movement doesn't appear to be making much headway in Georgia.

A cow with two mouths, owned by Lee Caldwell of Jonesboro, Ark., may be exhibited at the Memphis cotton carnival in May. With drouth, dust storms and the consequent scarcity of feed, it is hard enough to find subsistence for a cow with only one mouth these days.

What America needs is a non-skid bathtub, according to a Boston statistician, who declares the chances of injury by slipping in a bathtub are a thousand times greater than riding on a railroad train, and two hundred times as great as riding in an airplane. Some folks take their lives in their hands every Saturday night.

Time Tables
C. & E. I.

Southbound 1:42 p. m.
Northbound 3:36 p. m.
Star Mail Route
Southbound 7:15 a. m.
Northbound 8:30 a. m.

Johnnie was gazing at his one-day-old brother who lay wailing in his cot.

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The Serpent's Jaws

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JUDGE GROVE'S glance betrayed no sign of alarm at his visitor's ashen face and sunken eyes, portents of a malignant illness. His own pink rubicund face was wreathed in a happy smile as he rose alertly and led her to a chair.

"Well, well, Maria," he boomed cheerily, "this is indeed a happy surprise. Haven't seen you since—"

"Not since Will's funeral," she agreed wearily, tugging at a well-worn glove. "I've been living with my boy Harry, in New York the past year. After Will died, well—you see—"

The judge saw very clearly: Will Brooks—careless, happy-go-lucky Will Brooks, had died a year ago, leaving what was left of his coal business—ashes—ashes of debt—little else. No insurance.

"Then Harry lost his job," the widow droned on. "He kept worrying over me. After six months he joined the navy. He sends me all he can out of his meager pay but it isn't enough, with doctor's bills and all. I—I decided to come back here with Jenny for a while." Her voice broke and she dabbed a handkerchief at her eyes. "Judge, can't the law make a daughter support her needy mother?"

"Unfortunately," he advised her slowly, "your absence has made you a nonresident. But good gosh, Maria, surely Jennie hasn't turned you away—her own mother."

"She was furious when I went there this morning."

"Sh-h-h!" the judge soothed her, thinking fast. "Now, you listen to me. Bill Potter's still running the Potter house and he'll board you awhile for nothin'. In confidence, mind ye, he's been owin' me a bill for years, and can't pay. So we'll work part of it out in trade. I'll give you a note."

"But I can't let you—" she started to protest.

"Hush!" he scribbled furiously, then, rising, put the note in her shaking hand and helped her to her feet. "Run along now and leave everything to me. But mind, nothing of this to Jennie, understand?"

"Judge, how could you?" his secretary rebuked him gently. "You know Mr. Potter owes you nothing. Suppose she tells him—"

"Now you hush!" His eyes gleamed mischievously as he reached for his hat.

"I hear your mother's at the Potter house, Jennie." Marked cordiality masked the judge's inner feelings as he met the younger woman's querulous look. "S'pose she came back to settle your dad's estate, huh?"

"Are you trying to be funny?" she demanded sharply. "You know well he left nothing except debts," her lip curled. "I even had to share his funeral expenses."

"Seems to me," he said blandly ignoring her impertinence and wagging a long strip of paper in his hand, "that your father was canner than you give him credit for. This list seems to prove it."

"What list is that?" she asked indifferently.

"A list of judgments," he told her smoothly. "Court judgments assigned to your dad which total the tidy sum of ninety-seven hundred and forty-nine dollars and sixty cents."

Cupidity vied with incredulity in her tone. "All that—my father's?"

"Seems so," he replied blandly. "Guess when these people were sued, your father'd step in, pay what they owed and then hold the judgments against 'em to get their coal business."

"And we're the heirs?" she asked avidly. "We get the money?"

"Easy, easy there!" admonished the judge sternly. "Your father left a will, y'know. You mother has first claim on these judgment debts if we collect 'em. Guess I'd better see her and ask if she wants me to round 'em up."

"Please, I'd rather you wouldn't just now." Her expression changed swiftly. "Dear mother, you see, is rather ill." The judge's poker face revealed nothing. "She's coming to live with me. Hadn't you better—that is—couldn't you—let them stand awhile longer? Even say nothing about them to her now? We—we're so anxious to make her last days peaceful."

"Humph-h! mebbe we could manage it. But won't your mother—er—need some money?"

"While I'm living?" demanded the woman dramatically. "Indeed not. Remember, she's my mother!"

"Darned if she ain't!" he agreed as if the discovery were startling. "Well, g'd-day!"

"Judge," asked his secretary, "when that poor woman was here yesterday, why didn't you tell her about all those judgments?"

"Jean, I'm reminded of King Lear. Remember? 'How sharper than a serpent's tooth it is to have a thankless child.' That Jennie hussy reminded me of a serpent's jaws trying to gobble up those judgments."

"But you're not going to let her have them?"

"Why not?" grinned the judge. "I got 'em for her. Spent all day yesterday seein' clients of mine and gettin' 'em to dig up all the old worthless, totally uncollectible judgments they had and assign 'em with back dates to Will Brooks. They ain't even good scrap paper. Only value they've got is t' raise false hopes in a false daughter an' bring peace to her tired old mother."

FIRST GLIMPSE OF U. OF I. MAKES NEW SUPPORTERS

Visitors Quick to Sense Value of Schools' Many Services.

Their first introduction to the University of Illinois "gets" most people. Usually the citizen's first trip to the University or his first close contact with its work is all that is necessary to make him a staunch supporter of the institution.

A typical example of this is found in the case of C. J. Simmons, a Jo Daviess county farmer living near Stockton, and the present holder of the "corn king" title of the state. This honor became his when he won the grand championship on his ten-acre sample of corn in the seed grain and corn show held in connection with the last Farm and Home Week at the College of Agriculture, University of Illinois.

Previous to attending this year's Farm and Home Week, Mr. Simmons had never visited the University and its agricultural college, although he is forty-three years old, was born and reared in Jo Daviess county and has been farming there ever since.

"University Making Good." He was so surprised and impressed with his first visit that after he returned home, he wrote to the college officials as follows:

"Thanks very much for all the kindness shown me while on my visit to the University.

"After meeting such a fine group of helpful, honest, ambitious leaders, I can well understand why the University and its graduates are making good all over the United States."

Mr. Simmons' experiences and reactions are not unusual. Just recently, for instance, the College of Agriculture held its first land appraisal program for farm real estate brokers of the state. Since it was the first time that such a specialized program had been held by the University for farm land dealers, naturally many of them gained a new insight into the work of the institution.

Storehouse for Facts. "I never realized before," one of the farm real estate brokers from southern Illinois said, "just how much valuable information is available at this institution on farm land values and the many complicated problems of land economics. In fact, I have learned that this school has more information on farm real estate values than any other institution in the country."

Thus the University is serving an ever widening circle of interests and is constantly being called upon to seek out, teach and distribute more and more facts.

Close contact with the University has become so valuable to many individuals and organizations that they regularly come to the institution annually or more often. From the field of agriculture, alone, for instance, several thousand farm men and women annually come to the College of Agriculture for Farm and Home Week.

How highly this meeting is valued by farm folks is shown in the statement of Paul D. Thompson, a Peoria county farmer living near Elmwood.

"In general," he said, "most people do not know what they are missing in the way of a week that can be well spent so far as education and entertainment are concerned. The week to which I refer is the annual Farm and Home Week at the University of Illinois. I was glad this year to be among the visitors from Peoria county for the first time.

"This is one week which in the future I want to attend every year, because it deals with the problems we all meet every day."

Helps Home Maker, Too. Mrs. H. M. McDonald, also of Peoria county, spoke for the women visitors when she said, "What a wonderful privilege we farm folks have in being allowed to visit our own University of Illinois during Farm and Home Week."

"Only an attendance at one of these meetings can give anyone an idea of what our University is doing for farm women. Thousands of other citizens maintain

regular and valuable contacts with the University through the meetings of such organizations as the Illinois Crop Improvement Association, Illinois Jersey Cattle Club, Illinois Holstein Breeders' Association, Illinois Guernsey Breeders' Association, Illinois State Horticultural Society and the Illinois Farm Managers' Association.

Many others profit from the University through special meetings for millers, swine growers, beef cattlemen, poultry producers, dairy manufacturers, land appraisers and farm real estate brokers.

During the past year or two the University has extended its services in new directions as a result of the demands for information and co-operation which have been made upon it by emergency agencies of the state and federal governments. Included in this group have been the Agricultural Adjustment Administration, Farm Credit Administration, Illinois Emergency Relief Commission, Federal Emergency Relief Administration, Soil Erosion Service of the U. S. Department of Interior and many others.

There probably has never been a time in the history of the University of Illinois when it was rendering as wide and as valued service as it is now. Many people are getting their first introduction to the University, but once they have that introduction, they come to a new appreciation of the institution.

U. of I. Needs Gifts; Alumni to Seek Them

Form New Foundation to Encourage Donations to the Institution.

The University of Illinois Foundation, an organization to encourage the presentation of more gifts to the University by citizens in general as well as alumni, has been approved by the Board of Trustees of the University. The foundation will seek gifts of all kinds, including perhaps the proposed new Student Union Building and other enterprises which are not provided for in state appropriations. There are more than 100,000 graduates and former students in the general alumni body.

The Foundation will have a board of twelve directors of which the President of the University, the President of the University's Board of Trustees, and the President of the Alumni Association will be ex-officio members. Three directors will be named from the University Board of Trustees and six from the general alumni body.

The new Foundation succeeds the old Alumni Fund, which raised \$48,000 from alumni sources since its organization in 1921. The famous Alma Mater statue group came from this source. Although Lorado Taft donated his work as sculptor, the cost of the bronze casting was paid out of the Alumni Fund. In addition to the above amount there have been several major gifts to the University. The largest, of course, is the stadium, which came from both alumni and friends of the institution. The Smith Memorial Music Building and the McKinley Student Hospital are also gifts to the institution. Hundreds of other smaller grants have also been made.

Uni. Library Houses Big Newspaper Collection

The University of Illinois Library, largest of the state university libraries and fifth in the nation, has the largest collection of foreign language newspapers published during the last 20 years in the United States.

The collection includes 135 foreign language publications, in 30 languages, which are generally complete since 1913. There are 335 volumes in all. There is also a file of 11 newspapers published in Germany which is complete since 1914 and includes a few for earlier years.

In addition to these, some 220 Illinois newspapers, generally complete since 1912, are also filed. Many of course go back many years.

LEGALS

Executor's Notice

Estate of August T. Block, Deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed Executor of the Estate of August T. Block, late of the County of Champaign and State of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice he will appear before the County Court of Champaign County, at the Court House in Urbana on the First Monday in June next, at which time all persons having claims against said Estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having same adjusted. All persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 15th day of April, A. D. 1935.

Alfred Carl Zenke, Executor.

Busch & Harrington, Attorneys, 502 Robeson Building, Champaign, Illinois.

He—How old are you?
 She—Just turned 24.
 He—Ah, I see. You mean 42.

He—You are always wishing for something you haven't got.
 She—Well, what else can one wish for?

Pay your taxes with a smile, advised Mrs. Gotrocks. I should love to but they insist on cash, said Miss Comely.

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UN-AMERICANISM FROWNED ON IN U. OF I. TEACHING

University Is Guided by Principles of Democracy and Americanism, Willard Says.

The University of Illinois has never permitted the teaching of ideas or theories which were intended or designed to subvert our American principles of government as set forth in our state and federal constitutions, President A. C. Willard said in discussing comments on alleged subversive propaganda in American colleges and universities.

"The University does not propose either now or later to depart from such a policy which is fundamental to the fulfillment of its obligation to the people of this state and the nation," Dr. Willard said. "It is the avowed purpose of the University to instruct and inspire its students with a full appreciation of their responsibilities as present and future citizens of our country."

"State institutions and privately endowed colleges alike are responsible to the constituencies from which they sprang and which maintain them. It follows, therefore, that all such institutions must be guided in their policies by the fundamental principles of democracy and must be responsive to the influences which motivate our national life."

Colleges and universities are not alone in this responsibility, President Willard pointed out.

"The same obligation rests upon other public institutions and enterprises, such as the churches, the press, the radio, and the motion picture industry—all of which are able to influence a very large per cent of our population."

"It is difficult to discuss the subject without clear definitions of what constitute subversive teachings. For example, a course in comparative government must necessarily include a study of various forms of government. A study of labor problems inevitably involves discussion of practices which are inimical to society as a whole, whether they be those of labor or of capital."

"Likewise courses in sociology include the study of forces and influences in the social and economic life of communities, states and nations which may or may not be desirable, but which must be studied to give the student an understanding of the causes. Colleges and universities are expected to seek and teach truths for the sake of adding to human knowledge."

"In the study of pathology, an instructor discussing diseases of the body would hardly be accused of advocating disease. Why, then, should an instructor discussing various political and economic theories and the causes of social unrest be accused of advocating such movements?"

Illini Law Grads Serve State, Nation

University of Illinois College of Law graduates are busy serving both the State and Nation, a recent survey of law alumni reveals.

Although the survey is not complete, it has been found that at least 104 are serving their fellow citizens in some public office and 19 are engaged in the teaching profession. Ninety per cent of the living Illini graduates are actually practicing law, 80 per cent of them in Illinois.

Of those living in Illinois one is a representative in congress, one is a state senator, three are state representatives, and one is president of the University of Illinois Board of Trustees.

Another is secretary of the Illinois Commerce Commission and one is a member of the Commission.

Two are justices of the Illinois Supreme court, three are federal judges, one an appellate judge, nine are circuit court judges, fourteen judges in county courts, and two judges in city courts.

Twenty-one graduates of the Illinois College of Law are today serving as State's Attorneys, six as assistant State's Attorneys, and three as assistant United States District Attorneys.

Thirteen Illini are serving as city attorneys and eleven as masters of chancery.

Outside the state, nine Illinois graduates are serving in public capacities and one is even serving in China as a justice in the Supreme Court of that country.

Of the 19 in the teaching profession, 18 are in the law field and 6 in related subjects in other fields.

U. of I. Students Come From All Walks of Life

Fathers of University of Illinois students are literally "jacks of all trades" as shown by the last analysis of statistics taken from the registration blanks of the students.

Business men's sons and daughters are the most numerous, having the large enrollment of 4,217. Students, whose dads are skilled laborers, are second in number with 1,424. By skilled laborers is meant mechanics, plumbers, machinists, etc. Farmer's sons and daughters are third with an enrollment of 1,237.

Professional men are listed fourth with 1,217 of their offspring enrolled. Among other occupations are the following: Scientific professions, 409; Railroadings, 292; Governmental service, 324; Unskilled laborers, 236; Retired, 110; Artistic professions, 62.

Great Library Collection.
One of the best collections of official publications of every state in the nation may be found in the University of Illinois Library. The accumulation of the materials has been going on for almost 20 years. The collection is widely used by the political science and reference bureau for outside interests.

Fairland News

By Garnett Gibson

Mrs. Selia Woolwine is spending several days with her sister, Mrs. Thena Barker at Villa Grove.

Ellis Sparks and son, John, have returned home after spending several days with the former's father at Villa Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ewin have moved to the J. J. Mathews farm recently vacated by Mrs. Gus Windler.

Fairland School will close today, Friday, with a basket dinner and a program at 2 p. m. Everybody is invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Williams and son of Champaign, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bowling and Mrs. Josie Triplett of Villa Grove, Mrs. Fannie Gibson and Garnett Gibson were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Von Lanken, Doc Houts and children, Mrs. Hattie Houts and son of Arthur, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Houts and son, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Houts and son of Mattoon were Sunday guests of Alonzo Houts.

Twenty-two neighbors and friends with tractors and plows, plowed more than 80 acres last Saturday forenoon for Mrs. Gus Windler who resides northwest of Fairland. Her husband is seriously ill in a sanitarium.

The L. S. L. club met with Mrs. Minnie Murphy on Thursday afternoon of last week. Roll call was answered by Thoughts From Old Writers. After the business meeting which was conducted by Mrs. Stella Mercer, a very interesting program was given. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

Mrs. Cecile Griffith has been re-hired to teach the Winkler School south of Newman next term.

Miss Thelma Hollowell will teach the Smith school south of Fairland.

Miss Rose Conn of Villa Grove has been hired to teach the upper grades of the Fairland school next term and Miss Esther Hollowell the lower grades.

Pleasant Ridge

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar McGee called on Mr. and Mrs. Edd Harby, Sunday.

Mrs. John Coffman and Mrs. Alva Rhinebolt spent Saturday evening with Mrs. Mary Miller.

Mrs. Cordia Ward has been seriously ill at her home in Tuscola.

Sunday School every Sunday morning at ten o'clock. Clark Bennett, Supt.

Several ladies of this community attended the Silver Tea at the home of Mrs. Morris-Johnson on Wednesday of last week.

Joe Jones and family and Herman Rohl and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Jones.

Miss Arena McBride who has spent the past year in Tulsa, Okla., has arrived home to spend the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. McBride.

Executor's Notice

Those having Executor's Notices for publication can have them published in the local paper for considerably less than the amount charged by daily papers.

C. I. P. S. Co. advertises in this week's issue of The News.

The Illinois Theater, Newman, is advertising some splendid shows in this issue.

Longview High School News

Rachel Davis, Reporter

County Superintendent Harshbarger and assistant Wright visited school Thursday.

Glen Carleton and Forrest Neibarger have resumed their school work after a long absence.

The Juniors are working very industriously on the reception which will be given soon.

Melvin Todd placed fourth in boy's vocal solo at Mahomet last Tuesday night.

The sewing girls have completed their last garment project and are now beginning a course in Home Planning.

In the music contest held at St. Joe Friday evening the Girls' Chorus placed third and the Boys' fourth.

James Beatty placed second in a bookkeeping contest at Champaign Saturday, which entitles him to attend the contest at Decatur, Saturday, May 11.

The following students represented Longview Tuesday night at Tolono:

Kathryn Warner—Girl's vocal solo.

Wayne Brewer—Humorous.

James Beatty—Extempore.

Long View News

Orville Charleton of Chicago spent the week end here.

Fonner school closed Monday, and Longview grades Tuesday, each with a basket dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kraft spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Newkirk in Urbana.

A surprise party honoring Rev. Kenneth Hanley and family was held by the people of the Fonner school community.

Mrs. Ernest Fansler spent the week with her father, John Akers at Newman. Mr. Akers' health has failed rapidly the past few weeks.

Paul Hopkins is the new manager of the Sugar Bowl restaurant, Gene Sullivan having gone to Danville as an assistant in the Callahan and Callahan firm.

Allerton News

Sara Sue Dicks spent the week with her grandmother at Danville.

Mrs. Irma Six was in Danville last Friday.

Several from here attended the Community Sing at Olivet on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Jessie Anderson spent Sunday with her daughter, Helen, at Charleston.

Mr. and Mrs. Talbott entertained the Allerton Bridge Club at their home Thursday night of last week.

Dr. Hardman rendered first aid to the occupants of the car wrecked at the curve west of town Saturday night.

The Endeavor party at the Presbyterian church on Thursday night of last week was well attended.

Mrs. Morris Johnson entertained several ladies at a Silver Tea, April 24th. The proceeds went to the Woman's Union of the M. E. church.

J. C. Stout Resigns as Deputy Receiver of Banks

James C. Stout, of Ivesdale, Saturday announced his resignation as deputy receiver of six closed Champaign County banks, to take effect May 1. The resignation was submitted to William L. O'Connell, receiver for all closed Illinois banks.

In announcing his resignation, Stout made the following statement:

"James C. Stout has tendered his resignation as deputy receiver for the Urbana Banking Co., the First State Bank, Broadlands; Fisher State Bank, University State Bank, Champaign; Farmers' First State Bank, Sadorus; Exchange Bank, St. Joseph, to take effect May 1, 1935."

Mr. Stout was appointed deputy receiver for closed state banks in Champaign County, after Gov. Horner took office, in accordance with a state-wide policy. During the time he was in charge of liquidation of frozen assets, Mr. Stout paid one dividend—of eight per cent—to depositors of the Exchange Bank of St. Joseph.—News-Gazette.

M. E. CHURCH NOTES

Edward Hardy, Pastor.

BROADLANDS

Sunday School—10 a. m.

Preaching—11 a. m.

LONGVIEW

Sunday School—10:00 a. m.

The evening service at 7:30 will be a discussion of Peace and War. What does the scripture say about war? This service will be in charge of the Epworth League with Mr. Krughoff as leader. Special music.

Friends Help Widow Of The Late J. Brownfield

Sidney, April 27.—Farmers residing south of Sidney gathered at the home of Mrs. John O. Brownfield at 6:30 a. m. Friday with 14 tractors, and by 11 a. m. they had completed plowing 55 acres of land. Mr. Brownfield died last Sunday, after a month's illness.

The men then went to the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. Z. Gasser, four miles south of Sidney, where their wives had previously gone to prepare a dinner for the workers. After dinner, they harrowed the ground and it is now ready to plant. The neighbors plan to take another day off, then put in Mrs. Brownfield's crop of corn.

Eddie Loves His Secretary

Eddie Cantor is in love with his private secretary and he doesn't care who knows it!

She is his eldest daughter, Marjorie, age nineteen, whom he engaged for the job after she had convinced him that she would rather work than continue at finishing school.

During the production of "Kid Millions," Eddie's fifth annual Samuel Goldwyn extravaganza for release through United Artists, currently at the Illinois Theatre, Newman, on Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, Marjorie handled the thousand and one secretarial duties that arise when her father is in the midst of making one of his screen musical comedies.

Time Tables

C. & E. I.

Southbound1:42 p. m.

Northbound8:36 p. m.

Star Mail Route

Southbound7:15 a. m.

Northbound8:30 a. m.

Wanted—Family Washings. Will call for and deliver.—Mrs. Irene Coryell.

Gertie—Isn't George ever going to marry?

Flo—No, I don't think he intends to marry. He is studying for a bachelor degree.

Friday and Saturday Cash Specials

Macaroni or Spaghetti, Red Cross, box	6c
Kraut, 3 No. 2½ cans (cash only)	19c
Crackers, 2 lb. box	19c
Cake Flour, 40 oz. box	19c
Peas, a good 17c can, 2 for	25c
Peaches, pie peach, No. 2½ can	10c
Puffed Wheat, 2 boxes	19c

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with Ann Sothern, Ethel Merman, Block & Sully and the gorgeous Goldwyn Girls. See the all-color ice cream fantasy! Hear the latest song hits. Also Happy Hoboes and the Latest Paramount News.

Continuous Sunday from 3:00 to 11:00
5c and 20c to 5:00. After 5:00, 10c-20c.

Wed., Thurs., May 8-9

Norman Foster, Donald Cook and Sheila Manners in

Behind the Evidence

The story of a play boy who unmasked the master mind, and found love. Also a Scrappy Cartoon, and Spice of Life. All Seats 10c.

Coming Soon: The County Chairman—Little Colonel—Imitation of Life—Gilded Lily—The Good Fairy—Broadway Bill—Wings in the Dark—Mississippi.

Interesting Notes

Three of every ten babies born in Kentucky during 1934 were born to parents on relief rolls.

Companies representing one-sixth of railway mileage in this country are insolvent.

Mrs. Sarah Vernon of Edinburgh danced the highland fling in celebration of her 102nd birthday.

Starlings, introduced into Central Park, New York, in the eighteen-nineties have spread to the edge of the great plains region of the United States and Canada.

Unemployment among trained chemists is rapidly decreasing, and the number out of work is now relatively small, according to Roger Adams, president of the American Chemical Society.

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