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Mr. and Mrs. Merton Eddy who have been residing with the former's parents moved to Broadlands the first of the week occupying rooms in the Gilbert property.

All members of the M. E. Ladies Aid who have not already delivered jars of fruit to Mrs. Brewer for Cunningham Home, are requested to do so within the next week.

### Coming Attractions

The following Fox and Paramount pictures will be shown at the Broadlands Theater, on Friday and Saturday night of each week in the order listed.

Here Is My Heart.  
Daring Young Man.  
Wings In The Dark.  
George White's Scandals.  
The Gilded Lily.

The News is \$1.50 a year.

### Kathleen Kemper and Evert Bray Married

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kemper are announcing the marriage of their daughter, Miss Kathleen, to Evert Bray, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Bray of 1102 North Neil Street, Champaign, the marriage having taken place on Wednesday evening, October 23, at the parsonage of the Monticello Methodist church, the ceremony being performed by the pastor, Rev. Thomas H. Tull.

Miss Frances Guard and Lloyd Waldron of Urbana, were the attendants.

The bride wore an ensemble of black and white with black accessories.

Mrs. Bray is the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kemper. She graduated from the Sidney high school in 1932 and from the Urbana high school in 1933. For sometime she has been employed in Champaign.

Mr. Bray attended the Champaign high school and is now employed at the Rialto Theatre in that city.

They will make their home in Champaign and have the best wishes of a large circle of friends.—Sidney Times.

The Kempers were former residents of Broadlands.

### Local and Personal

Earl Eckerty made a business trip to St. Louis, Wednesday.

Dr. T. A. Dicks and Forrest Dicks visited at the Dicks farm at Waveland, Ind., Thursday.

Mrs. Rena Vaught of Newman was a visitor in the Malcom Pigg home over the week end.

Mrs. Chas. Smith was confined to her home with an attack of the la grippe the first of the week.

Dr. and Mrs. Arthur Schumacher of Fort Dodge, Iowa, are the proud parents of a girl babe who recently arrived at their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Townsend of Sidney, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Allen and sons of Allerton, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Allen.

Ronald Cable and family of Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Cable of Steiger, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Cable and other relatives.

Dr. and Mrs. T. A. Dicks attended a party honoring the 80th birthday of F. O. Hopkins, Sunday, in the Lost Grove neighborhood.

The Royal Guard class of St. John's Ev. Sunday School held its November meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Bretz last Tuesday evening.

The M. E. Ladies Aid will meet Thursday, Nov. 14, at the home of Mrs. Nellie Astell with Mrs. Pearl Dewitt and Mrs. Mary Dicks assistant hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lamb and daughter, Miss Hilda, arrived Wednesday from Helena, Mont., for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. George Walker, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Cable, and other relatives and friends. They will remain here until the earthquake stops shaking the 'L' out of Helena.

### Local Boy to Exhibit Baby Beef at Chicago During Exposition

Three Champaign county farm boys, Billie Zenke of Broadlands; Paul Blue and Melvin Fogle of Mahomet, will exhibit baby beeves in the junior classes of the 1935 International Live Stock Exposition, which will be held in Chicago Nov. 30 to Dec. 7.

Walter Biggar, internationally famed fat cattle judge, will make the trip from his home in Scotland for the 11th time for the special purpose of judging the steers at this Exposition, which is reputed to be America's leading annual fat cattle show.

Mr. Biggar's first task will be to pass upon the hundreds of entries in the junior contests on the opening day.

Leading hotels, railroads, retail shops, and clubs buy the bulk of these choice offerings at prices considerably over prevailing top market quotations in recognition of the noteworthy skill as showmen demonstrated by the young consignors.

### Local and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bergfield spent Wednesday in Decatur.

Miss Marie Witt spent the first of the week with Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Neff in Danville.

Mrs. Neva Crain has been confined to her home by illness the past week.

Corn husking has begun in earnest and some good yields are being reported.

Oscar Anderson of Champaign was a Broadlands visitor, Thursday.

Misses Evelyn Schumacher and Phyllis Bergfield were home from Danville over the weekend.

Mrs. August Wiese who has been ill the past week is recovering nicely.

Dr. T. A. Dicks attended a meeting of the Vermilion County Medical Society at Danville on Wednesday night.

John M. Smith attended the corn husking contest held at the home of Warters brothers north of Sidell Thursday of last week.

The Ladies Aid of St. John's Church met at the home of Mrs. Clarence Kilian, on Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Cooper and children of Tuscola were guests of D. P. Brewer and family Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Kilian, Sr., and Mrs. Henry Schumacher visited relatives in Chicago over the week end.

Chas. Smith, chief mechanic at the Brewer-Chevrolet garage, attended Chevrolet school at St. Louis, the first of the week.

Mrs. Mark Moore and Mrs. Roy Bergfield attended a party at the home of Miss Katharine Rice at Philo on Thursday of last week.

Miss Edith Smith who has been employed in a beauty parlor at Lafayette, Ind., for several years, recently moved to Chicago.

### Mrs. George Walker Given Birthday Surprise

About fifty friends and neighbors gave Mrs. George Walker a birthday surprise on Hallowe'en. Prizes awarded to the best masked were:

Best single—Mrs. Leona Bergfield.

Most Comic—Mrs. Della Reed. Best couple—Mrs. Rosa Smith, Mrs. Ruth Thode.

Most comic couple—Mrs. Anna Seeds, Mrs. Gladys Zantow.

Each guest had to do a stunt, also parade the town before unmasking.

Judges were Mrs. Allie Bruhn, Mrs. Lettie Eckerty and Mrs. Cora Chafin.

Refreshments of sandwiches, pie, cake and coffee were served. A good time long to be remembered was enjoyed by all.

### U. B. Aid Meets With Mrs. Zermah Witt

The U. B. Aid met at the home of Mrs. Zermah Witt with Mrs. Agnes Turner as assistant hostess, last Wednesday afternoon.

The meeting was led by the president, Mrs. Thelma Clem. Two new members, Mrs. Opal Thode and Mrs. Irene Coryell were enrolled. A Christmas exchange will be held at the next meeting.

After the business meeting contests were enjoyed, led by Miss Anna Clem and Mrs. Olive Rayl.

Refreshments of meat sandwiches, salad, graham cracker torte and coffee were served.

Miss Jessie Witt and Rev. Turner were visitors present.

Members present were Mesdames Jessie Bergfield, Leona Bergfield, Thelma Clem, Doris Campbell, Hattie Dicks, Nola Donley, Ruth Henson, Bessie Loomis, Ella Maxwell, Freda Maxwell, Betty McCormick, Jennie Nohren, Flora Bailey, Olive Rayl, Della Reed, Belle Smith, Alice Struck, Opal Thode, Irene Coryell, Agnes Turner, Zermah Witt, Miss Anna Clem.

### St. John's Evangelical Church

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Telephone 35—Broadlands

Saturday, Nov. 9, 9:00 a. m.—The confirmation class will meet at the parsonage.

Sunday, Nov. 10—9:30 a. m.—Worship service. 10:30 a. m.—Sunday school.

Tuesday, Nov. 12—The Phi Beta Delta class will meet in the evening at the Philip Limp residence.

### M. E. CHURCH NOTES

W. Earl Ballew, Pastor

The Sunday School meets at 10:00 a. m.

The Preaching Service next Sunday is in the evening at 7:30. This will be Armistice Sunday and the Pastor will bring the message of Armistice Day. He will tell of some of his experiences overseas during the war. All members of the American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars, ex-soldiers and sailors not members, and people of the community are cordially invited.

Put your news items in the mail box at the foot of the stairs, if you don't care to come up to our office.

### Ray Eckerty Married to New York Girl Oct. 19

The marriage of Miss Marie Bettman, of Brockfort, N. Y., and Ray Eckerty, formerly of this city, but now residing in Brockfort, was solemnized at the Lutheran Church manse, on Saturday, October 19th.

Mrs. Eckerty is the eldest daughter of Mr. Frank Bettman, and graduated from the schools of Brockfort.

Mr. Eckerty is the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Eckerty of Newman. He attended the local schools and graduated from the Newman Township High School in the class of 1928. He has been residing in the state of New York for the past four years, where he is associated with a large dairy farm.

The happy couple enjoyed a honeymoon trip through Pennsylvania and New York, and are making their home with the father of the bride until March, when they will move into a home of their own.—Newman Independent.

The bridegroom is a brother to Mrs. George Cook of Broadlands.

### News Items of 12 Years Ago

November 9, 1923

Broadview Camp, R. N. of A. initiated a class of Juveniles.

The local basketball team defeated Sadorus 4 to 2.

Rev. Chas. Ramsden and family were given a reception at the M. E. Church.

Mrs. J. J. Hackett of Tuscola was a guest in the B. H. Thode, Sr. home.

The Mystic Rose Club held a Halloween party at the home of Miss Merle Brewer.

Ralph Warner arrived home from Central America, having been granted a furlough from the Navy.

### The New Chevrolet Prices Announced

Prices of the two lines are as follows:

Master de luxe—Coach, \$580; sedan, \$640; town sedan, \$605; sport sedan, \$665; business coupe \$560; sport coupe, \$590.

Standard—Coach, \$510; coupe, \$495; sedan, \$575; town sedan, \$535; sport sedan, \$600; sedan delivery, \$535.

### This Week's Movie Program

The following program will be given at the Broadlands Theater this Friday and Saturday night:

Feature—Bing Crosby in Here Is My Heart.

Short Subjects—Baby Be Good and Rhythm On The Roof.

The show will start promptly at 8:00. Admission 10c and 20c.

### Market Report

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

No. 2 new wheat . . . . .95c  
No. 4 new wheat . . . . .43c  
No. 3 new oats . . . . .22c  
No. 2 yellow soy beans . . . . .68c

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**Gas War of the Future**

It is evident that chemistry will play an important part in future wars. Any program of national preparedness which does not provide adequate means for meeting gas attacks and other forms of chemical warfare is sadly deficient in a branch of military activity which may prove of vital importance.

While the use of poisonous gases is banned by the nations which were parties to the arms reduction conference held in 1922, similar agreements were in effect before the World War, yet that did not prevent the employment of these destructive agencies when the urge of necessity came. As a matter of fact, all the leading nations today are busy with the development of chemical war equipment, regardless of their pledges not to use it.

Of course we do not want war. We did not want the last one. But another war may come. We should make reasonable preparations to meet any emergency by developing every branch of modern warfare. To fail in this would be to invite disaster, should war unhappily be forced upon us.

**The Vampires**

In current slang, as is well known, the term "vamp," a contraction of "vampire," is used to designate a seductive female. In olden times, and even in recent years in parts of eastern Europe, the vampire was a more sinister and fearsome entity.

In its original meaning, the vampire was supposed to be the soul of a dead person which leaves the buried body at night to suck the blood of living persons, usually causing their death. Hence, it was believed that upon opening the grave of a vampire the body would be found still fresh and rosy from the blood thus absorbed.

Dead persons most likely to become vampires were supposed to be those who had committed suicide or had come to their death by violent means, also wizards, witches and those who had been cursed by their parents or by the church. A cat crossing a grave might transform the occupant into a vampire.

To stop the depredations of a supposed vampire it was thought necessary to drive a stake thru the corpse, sever the head, remove the heart, burn the body, or pour boiling water and vinegar on the grave.

Later the term vampire was applied to certain species of blood-sucking bats of Central and South America, concerning which many popular superstitions have also arisen.

Finally, we have the alluring vampire, or "vamp," of the movie screen and Main Street. But there isn't much superstition about her.

**Worth Exceeds Cost**

What a thing costs is often much higher or lower than its real worth. This was illustrated in an address by a leading engineer, who took as an example the cost and worth of that highly useful metal, tungsten.

While tungsten costs only about a dollar a pound, this engineer declared that its value in reducing electric light bills would

make it reasonably priced at \$333,000 a pound for use in electric bulb filaments, instead of the old carbon filament exclusively used up to about 25 years ago.

The nation's electric light bill of approximately 800 millions of dollars a year would be 2,900 millions if the same amount of light were produced with carbon lamps, as the tungsten filament gives almost four times as much light from a given amount of current as was obtained by the carbon filament.

Through hundreds of scientific discoveries and inventions we are enabled to enjoy comforts and luxuries which would have been entirely beyond the reach of the average person without the patient research and experimentation which have made them possible at a low price. When we are disposed to complain about the cost of some useful commodity or service it would be well to reflect upon its worth as well as its cost.

**False Confessions**

While there is no doubt that a large percentage of murderers and other criminals escape the punishment they deserve, the number of innocent persons who are convicted, some of whom are put to death, is perhaps greater than is generally supposed.

This is true even among some who confess to the crime with which they are charged, particularly in cases where confessions are extorted through "third degree" methods. Several cases have been cited by Robert Cantwell, of the Chicago bar, including the following:

In the Boorne case in Vermont two brothers confessed to a murder, but the man supposed to have been murdered showed up alive and well, later. In Illinois, three Trailor brothers confessed murdering a man named Fisher, and witnesses testified to having seen the dead body, yet Fisher turned up alive. In the same state a man named Turner was sentenced to death, but secured

a new trial and before the second trial could be held the alleged victim returned.

These are only three out of a large number of similar cases cited by Mr. Cantwell, who declares that he has authentic records of no less than 129 persons who confessed and were executed for murders, although their supposed victims were found to be alive afterwards.

This is not intended as a plea for laxity in bringing the guilty to justice, but it serves to show the great responsibility which rests upon juries and judges, as well as to emphasize the unreliability of circumstantial evidence, even when accompanied by a confession of guilt, in some cases. It particularly illustrates the frightful injustice of lynching under any circumstances.

**Queer Superstitions**

Superstitions regarding the prevention and cure of disease have persisted from the immemorial, many of them being still

prevalent in the more backward sections of the country. A few were called to mind by a recent writer, in noting the death of an aged Kentuckian who continued to wear earrings to the last, in the belief that they were good for the eyesight.

Another old time notion was that wearing a mustache was beneficial to weak eyes, just as it was thought that carrying a buckeye or a potato in the pocket would prevent or cure rheumatism.

One doesn't have to be so very old to remember when children wore a bag of asafedita strung around the neck as a protection against catching diseases and when in many homes bunches of dried herbs were hung about for the same purpose. Some believed that keeping a goat around the house was a prime health measure.

The writer remembers being warned when a boy not to wade in water when afflicted with hives, lest they "strike to his

heart and kill him." He waded, nevertheless, and lives to tell the tale.

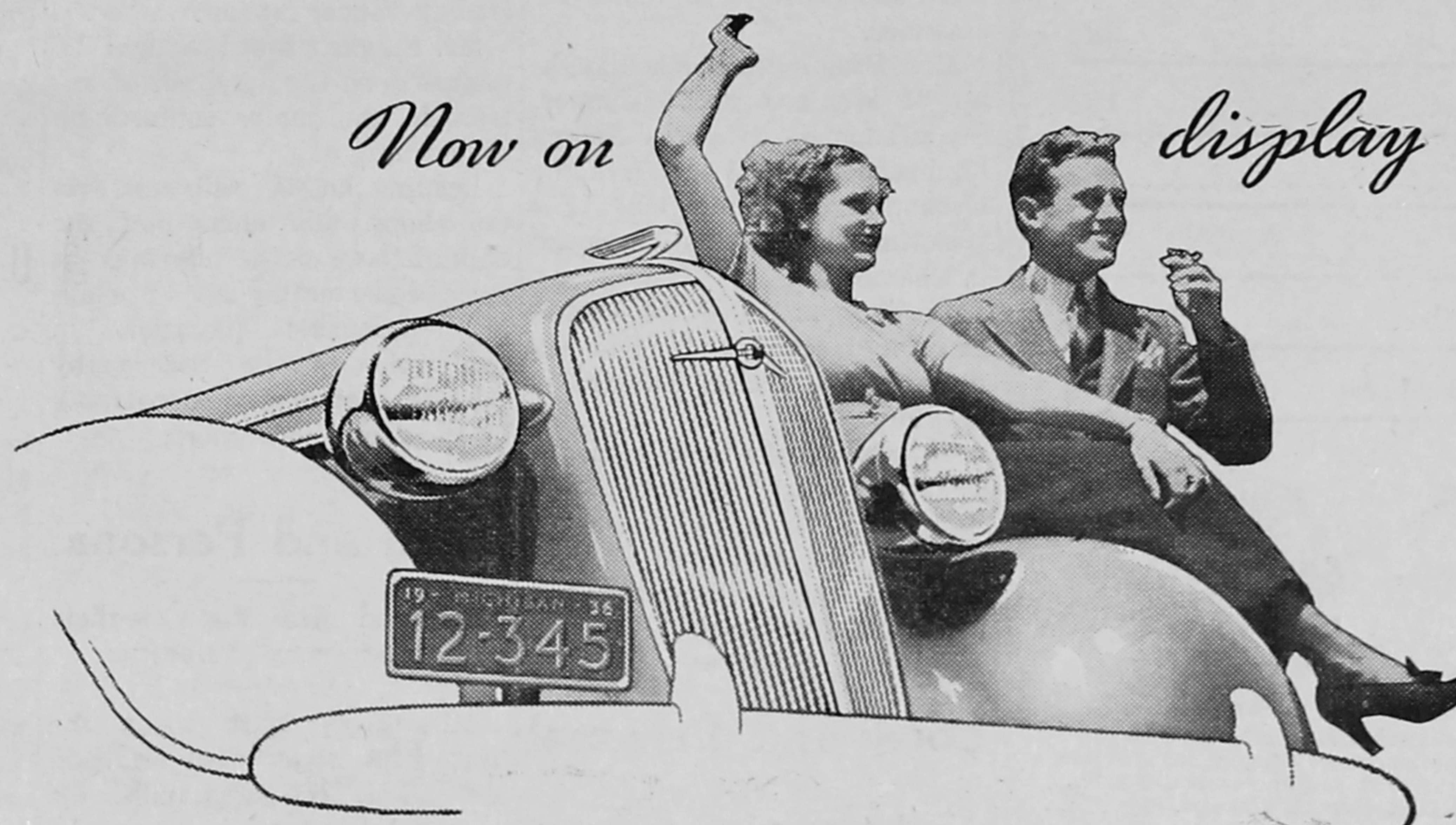
These superstitions are gradually dying out—but many presumably intelligent persons to this day will refuse to take the third light from a match, or walk under a ladder, for fear of dire consequences.

Sometimes genius takes the form of being able to cash in on other people's ideas.

A Kansas man named Wise, said to have five wives, again illustrates that there isn't much in a name.

A writer declares that "well-timed silence is more eloquent than speech." And most silence is well-timed.

Two colored women applying for old-age pensions in St. Louis gave their ages as 70 and 75, one claiming to be the mother of the other.

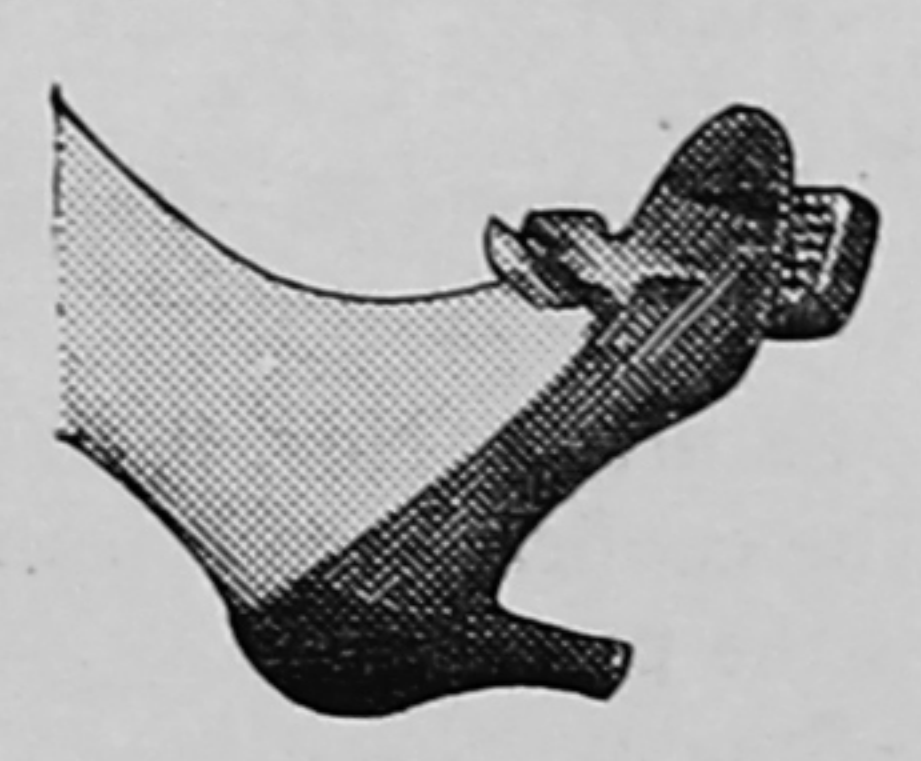


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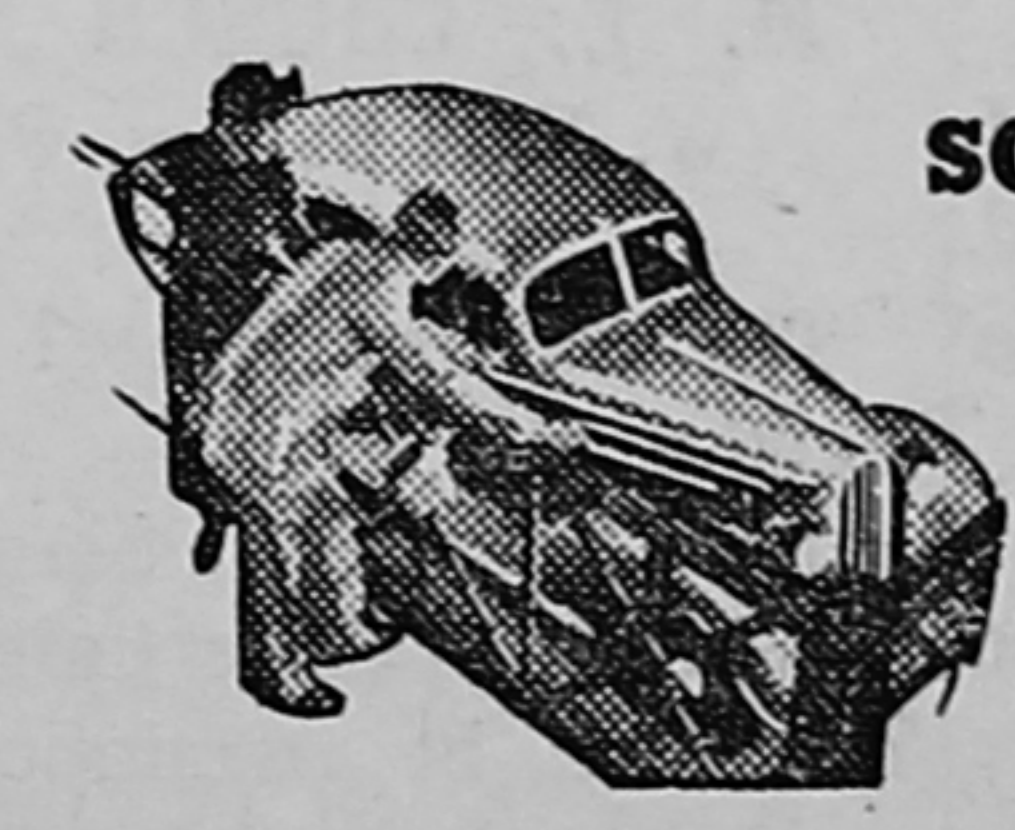


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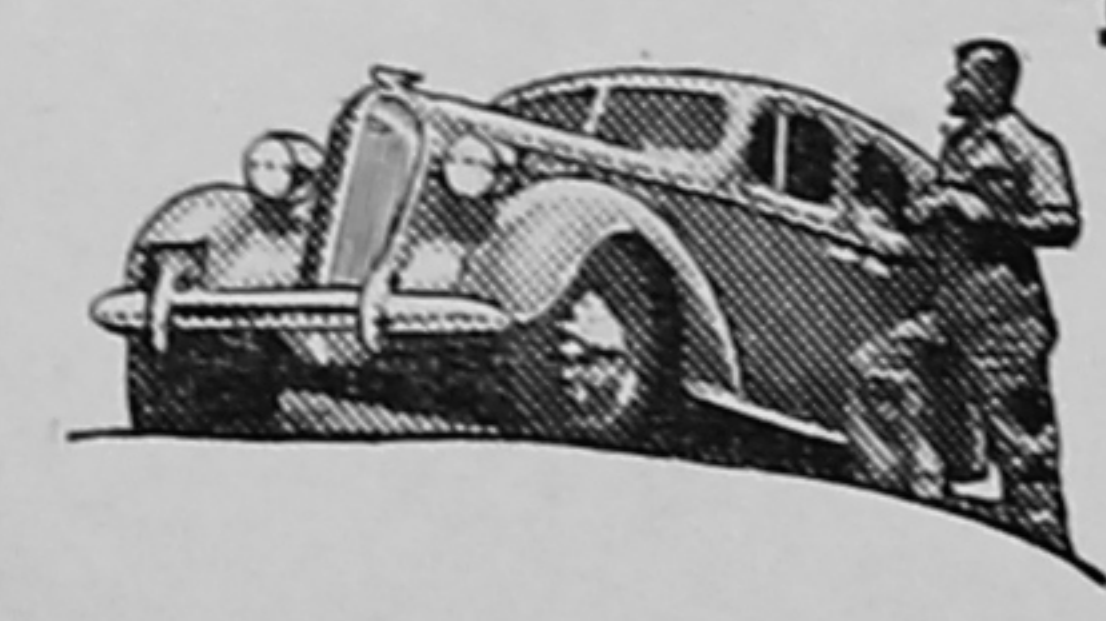
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Broadlands, Illinois

**Mulligan Does His Duty**

By FRANK EVANS  
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WNU Service.

"TIM, old timer, what's the matter? You haven't been acting like yourself for weeks. Sick?" Officer Tim Mulligan continued to shine the badge on the front of his coat with his sleeve.

"Spring fever, mebbe, lieutenant. Besides, I'm gettin' old." The men gathered in groups about the police station looked up and laughed. Lieutenant Murphy, at the desk, shook his head.

"You old, Tim? Never! Just as young as the day you joined the force—31 years ago . . . a bridegroom of two days."

"N' Molly 'n' me didn't take a honeymoon for eight years . . . when the little tad was just a year old."

He sat down heavily and refused a proffered tin of tobacco. As Mulligan was about to leave, Lieutenant Murphy called to him:

"Better see a doctor, Tim. We can't afford to lose Tim Mulligan after 31 years of duty. You want to think about Molly too, and the little tad."

Tim Mulligan smiled and swung his night club jauntily.

"Just you quit your worryin' about me, Faith, and I'm younger than all the rest o' you. 'Night."

Murphy laid down his pen and strolled over to a group of officers.

"I say, fellows, have you noticed anything wrong with Mulligan? He's been actin' queer lately."

"We noticed it—but he won't talk about it. Says he's all right. I met Molly in the grocery store yesterday and she looked as if she had been cryin'. But when I told her she looked younger than she did 20 years ago, she said I'd been kissing the blarney stone. A fine woman, Molly Mulligan."

"What's the kid doing now?" asked Koesting as he bent over and tied his shoe. "Hope he makes them proud of him. They sacrificed a lot to give him an education. Tim said one thing that boy must have been learnin'! He certainly was proud of those report cards . . ."

"I'm told he isn't all Tim and Molly would have him be," said Jones over his evening paper. "Don't keep jobs . . . regular sheik and dance hound . . . and Tim wanted him to be a real man! But the kid is young, not twenty-five yet. He should turn out all right with folks like Tim and Molly."

The night lengthened. One by one the men left headquarters. Two detectives drowsed in an adjoining office, chairs tipped back against the wall. Outside, Cohen, the driver, whistled softly as he sprawled on the front seat of the patrol wagon. Then came the harsh ring of the bell, and everyone was galvanized into action. Cohen came to the door and awaited orders.

"Mulligan calling," announced Lieutenant Murphy swiftly. "Fairview Oil station; Fairview and Edgemont . . . holdup . . . one got away . . . attendant injured . . ."

It was scarcely ten minutes before the reverberating clang of the bell announced the return of the patrol wagon. The men grouped themselves about the desk as the prisoner was brought in, Cohen on one side, Mulligan, strangely old and white-faced, on the other.

He was scarcely more than a boy—the prisoner—dressed in clothes of the latest mode, a tweed cap pulled at a rakish angle over his ear, a cigarette between his fingers. They stationed him before the desk.

"Take off that hat!" snapped Tim Mulligan. The young man looked up quickly and obeyed.

"One got away," said Mulligan shortly. "I was patrolling Fairview when the machine ran into the oil station. I heard the attendant call out once, as this one," with a jerk of his thumb towards the prisoner, "got out. They were there last week, y' know. He plugged him . . . through the leg . . . hospital." He was speaking jerkily. "The fellow in the car . . . yelled as I ran up . . . then drove off. This one turned . . . 'n' I beat him to the draw. He . . . he . . ." Tim Mulligan leaned heavily against the desk, his hands fumbling at the buttons of his coat.

The boy had been watching him closely, twisting the dapper tweed cap between his hands. Koesting brought a glass of water but Mulligan refused it.

"I've been layin' for these fellows. Knew I'd get 'em sooner or later. This one is a bad one . . . he don't care . . . for nobody . . . but himself. He'd kill his . . . own folks . . . to get away . . ."

He turned and walked slowly to the detectives' office and let himself down into an arm chair.

Lieutenant Murphy opened the book on the desk, and picked up his pen. "Well, Tim," he said slowly, "anything to say for yourself? I've been on the force many years but this is the hardest thing I have ever done . . . to put Tim Mulligan's little tad behind the bars. You have killed something tonight. You have killed the spirit in your father's heart. His little tad . . ."

"Make it snappy, lieutenant. I've got it comin', I guess, but I didn't think the old man would take me in. I swear I didn't . . ."

"Tim Mulligan has never flinched at doing his duty . . . for 31 years . . . and he never will as long as he's on the force . . ."

Not Economical Paper  
Paper can be made from cornstalks but the product would cost more than paper made from wood according to studies completed at the United States bureau of standards.

**Sidelights**

John Adamson of Montreal has notified the authorities that he no longer needs relief. After shooting craps with his relief money for two weeks he won \$3,000 and will now go into business for himself.

Miss Kathryn Spencer, a University of Tennessee freshman, is looking for a sober-faced man whom she took to be a professor when he asked her to pay \$5 for her chapel seat. She later found out that chapel seats are free.

The hip pocket would be outlawed if Judge J. Henry Johnson of York, S. C., could have his way. He proposes a law forbidding the sale of trousers with hip pockets, so that "people wouldn't have such a handy place to carry a pistol."

Pathfinder's definitions of a hick town: Where the sewing circle is still the grand jury. Where the gossips get excited when a widower shaves on Wednesday. Where the natives are deferential to the college boy home for the holidays.

An exhibition of drawings by Thomas Nast recently recalled the genius of that greatest of all political cartoonists. Born in Germany in 1840, Nast came to America when he was 6; began cartooning for Leslie's at \$4 a week when he was 15. He originated the well known figures of Uncle Sam, the Tammany Tiger, the Republican elephant and the Democratic donkey.

Mrs. Clifford Fleischman of Atlanta believes in her inalienable right to an unobstructed view of a ball game to which she has paid admission. When a policeman interposed his manly form along her line of vision to the home plate she swatted him with a board with a nail in it. The police judge levied an amusement tax of \$16.

Thomas Reilly, payroll messenger for a Chicago factory, promptly turned over a heavy bag to bandits who held him up, and was allowed to go on his way. Arriving at the factory he took another sack containing the payroll money from under the car seat. The robbers had been given a bag of iron washers which Reilly had long carried for use in such an emergency.

**Time Tables**  
C. & E. I.

Southbound	1:42 p. m.
Northbound	3:33 p. m.
Star Mail Route	
Southbound	7:15 a. m.
Northbound	8:30 a. m.

"Charity covers a multitude of sins." But only until the muck-rakers get busy.

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

**LEGALS**

**Notice To Contractors**

Public notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received up until 10:00 A. M., on Saturday, November 23, 1935, and will then be opened at the Town Hall in Broadlands, Illinois, for obtaining crushed stone and placing the same on the roads in Ayers Township, Champaign County, Illinois, all as shown on a certain township map and as shown by the specifications for the said work proposed to be done, all of which are now on file in the office of the Commissioner of Highways of the said Ayers Township.

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

1. Furnishing 31,250 cubic yards of crushed stone.
2. Placing the same on approximately 25 miles of unimproved roads as shown on the said township map.

The work described above shall be performed in accordance with the requirements of the plans and specifications adopted by Ayers Township. Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check, made payable to the order of the treasurer of Ayers Township, for a sum not less than ten (10) per cent of the aggregate amount of the bid, as security that the successful contractor will enter into binding contract for said work, if his proposal is accepted.

Copies of the plans and specifications may be obtained from the Commissioner of Highways of Ayers Township, Broadlands, Illinois.

The Commissioner of Highways reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive technicalities.

Dated at Broadlands, Illinois, October 31, 1935.

OSCAR P. WITT,  
Commissioner of Highways.  
HAROLD O. ANDERSON,  
Town Clerk.  
Ayers Township, Champaign County, Illinois.

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

**T. A. DICKS, M. D.**  
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**What's New**

The record for throwing a baseball is 426 feet, 9½ inches, made by Sheldin Lejune at Cincinnati, O.

The Sahara Desert is slowly extending south. One plan for stopping its encroachments is the planting or maintenance of forest belts.

An engineer in Russia claims to have developed a secret chemical process for converting heavy mineral or vegetable oils into a light fuel for airplanes that is not inflammable outside a motor.

An aerial camera has been perfected to operate from a height of 30,000 feet, which will photograph an area of more than four square miles with one exposure and take 100 exposures without reloading.

It has been discovered by photographic means that some of the hottest electric welding arcs have temperatures 4,000 degrees above that of the sun. This was the first knowledge that man had surpassed solar heat.

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**Longview High School News**

Marcelle Nohren, Reporter  
Miss Bisson spent the week end in Bloomington and attended Homecoming at Normal.

Duane Eckerty has been chosen manager for the 1935-'36 basketball team.

Tuesday evening the grade school basketball team played the Freshmen and defeated them by a score of 21-17.

On Tuesday we elected Mary Ethel Collins and Francis Fitzgerald as cheer leaders for the coming year.

Miss Storm visited friends in Terre Haute the past week end and attended Homecoming at the Indiana State Teachers College from which she is a graduate.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Jarman and daughter Jane visited with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Parks and daughter of Carlyle, Ind. over the week end. Mr. Parks taught manual training and science in the Long View high school about 1923-'26.

The Junior class gave their Halloween party on last Friday night. Games were played and nineteen freshmen were initiated. Mrs. Ash and Rosetta Smith won prizes for the best masquerade costumes. Pumpkin pie with whipped cream and cider were served.

Longview basketball schedule for 1935-'36 is as follows:  
Nov. 12—Longview at Tolono.  
Nov. 15—Longview at Allerton.  
Nov. 26—Longview at Sidney.  
Dec. 3—Sadorus at Longview.  
Dec. 6—Longview at Homer.  
Dec. 7—Longview at Fisher.  
Dec. 13—Longview at Urbana.  
Dec. 14—Longview at Tuscola.  
Dec. 17—Longview at Villa Grove.  
Dec. 20—Longview at Uni High.  
Jan. 7—Longview at Pesotum.  
Jan. 10—Ogden at Longview. County Tournament.  
Jan. 31—Longview at Rantoul.  
Feb. 4—Longview at Ogden.  
Feb. 7—Allerton at Longview.  
Feb. 14—Longview at Sadorus.  
Feb. 18—Sidney at Longview.  
Feb. 25—Longview at Villa Grove.  
Feb. 28—Homer at Longview.  
Mar. 5-6-7—District Tourney.

As a class project the Seniors are going to issue a class newspaper. Editors and reporters respectively are as follows:

Editor-in-chief—Kathryn Warner.  
Editor—Clarence Phelps.  
Society—Martha Harshbarger, Lola Nonman.  
Sports—Virgil Charlton, Wayne Brewer.  
Agriculture—Kenneth Bickers, Clifford Leerkamp.  
Home Ec—Lois Brewer.  
Music—Gertrude Walker.  
Local—Phyllis Toppe, Loretta Brooks.  
Editorials—Melvin Todd.  
Advertising—James Hiler, Billy Zenke.  
Cartoons and Jokes—Rachel Davis.  
Typists—Phyllis Toppe, Rachel Davis, Lois Nonman, Louis Klienmeyer.  
Mimeograph workers—Clarence Phelps, Loretta Brooks and James Hiler.

**Time Tables**  
C. & E. I.  
Southbound ..... 1:42 p. m.  
Northbound ..... 3:33 p. m.  
Star Mail Route  
Southbound ..... 7:15 a. m.  
Northbound ..... 8:30 a. m.

Brewer-Chevrolet Sales places a large ad in this issue.

Most folks who are strong for criticism usually holler loudest when they happen to be on the receiving end.

**Fairland News**

By Garnett Gibson  
Mrs. J. W. Carrier, who has been seriously ill with indigestion, is improved.

Mrs. Laura Sparks and children moved to Villa Grove Tuesday.

Miss Irene Statzer of Chicago arrived Friday for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Mollie Statzer.

Ted Williams and family of Urbana spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Williams.

John Adams and family of Dana, Ind., spent Sunday with E. M. Maxwell.

Edison Mercer, small son of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Mercer, who has been ill with tonsilitis is improved.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Thomas of Springfield spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Carrier.

Garnett Gibson and mother, Mrs. Fannie Gibson, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Flood at Longview.

Mrs. Cora Vaughn and daughters spent Friday with Mrs. Nannie Vaughn and Mrs. Fannie Arnold at Villa Grove.

Pupils of the lower room of the Fairland school were entertained at a Halloween party, Thursday afternoon by their teacher, Miss Esther Hollowell. Games were played and refreshments were served.

The Halloween party given in the M. E. Church basement on Tuesday night, Oct. 29, by Miss Rose Conn, teacher of the Fairland school, was well attended by pupils, patrons and friends. A Halloween program was given by the pupils after which games and contests were played. James Ewing received the prize for being the best masked and Ervin Blaney received the prize in a corn contest. Refreshments of sandwiches and coffee were served.

**Interesting Notes**

Elmer Schaltz of Henderson, Minn., ate two pounds of sauerkraut in 1 minute, 59 seconds.

A poultry keeper at Kirby-Bellars, Eng., has trained a hen to lay eggs on a cushion in an arm chair.

Patrolman Joseph Barrow of New York City was held up and relieved of his badge, revolver and \$2.

Mrs. Esther Middleton of Nottingham, Eng., set aside \$10,000 in her will, for the care of two pet calves.

Harold Hiller, age nine months of Fareham, Eng., has a stepbrother 54 years old and his father is 80.

Mrs. Nancy Porter of White Hill, Wash., who had not left her house for 83 years, died recently at the age of 102.

Frau Elda Roenig of Hull, Eng., was divorced by her husband because she gave her age as 40 instead of 44 when she was married.

Hurrying to get ten nickel hamburgers home before they got cold, John Davis of Syracuse, N. Y., sped through a stop sign and was fined \$3.

"It's going to be hard calling Bill 'Pap,'" declared Mrs. Carrie Stoltzenburg when she heard of the marriage of her mother, Mrs. Mahala Scott, 65, of Chillicothe, O., to Will F. Kaltenbach, 23.

**LITTLE LIGHTS ON LIVING**

By MARIA LEONARD  
Dean of Women, University of Illinois  
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**IS OUR AMERICAN HOME GROWING ANEMIC?**

RED blood generally denotes health; lack of it, disease. The first question asked about any patient these days, is "What is the blood count, doctor?" It is time we were taking the blood count of the American home. While the medical profession is working so assiduously on lengthening of life, what the world needs today is the strengthening of life. This must be done in the home, because it is nearer the beginning of life than any place on the planet. Parents train not only young life, but they "begin" life, they create it. The home is the source of all of the human energies of our nation, whether physical, mental, moral or spiritual.

Probably three causes have contributed most to this anemic condition of the seemingly bloodless home life in our country. First, easy divorce laws are gnawing at America's vitals. She heads the world's list with one divorce out of every five marriages. Compare this with her nearest neighbor, Canada, who has only one divorce out of every 161 marriages. Secondly, the insidious heresy of companionate marriage based entirely on selfish gratification. Thirdly, America's trait for imitation as shown by Hollywood's heinous example of promiscuity on the silver screen. These are "the why" of America's anemic home life.

The world concedes, I believe, the first six years of child life to be the most impressionable of his whole life, because at this time the child's character is being formed by external influences from which later he will form his own convictions. Over a decade and a half of close contact with both parents and their children, as dean of women, I can see why some children are launched into life with hardly a fighting chance to grow strong. In fairness to youth it should be said that in most cases of problem students, there have been also problem parents.

A student was once dropped from the university because of very low scholarship. After several talks with her I could only sense something at home was troubling her. Her family pride forbade her revealing it. Later I talked with the father. Upon leaving the office, to hurry back to Chicago, he hurled the remark over my desk, "You will have to keep her here anyhow, as my wife and I have moved into a small apartment and haven't room for her." "No child can grow up twice," Dorothy Canfield once said. Heaven help the children who are born to anemic homes.

**Red Cross Has Busy Year; Statistics Impressive; Services Varied**

Figures gathered at random from the year's report of the American Red Cross reveal the magnitude of the work being carried on by that organization. Red Cross workers assisted 54,305 veterans; 587 Red Cross Public Health nurses paid 921,455 visits to 186,326 patients; 98,441 first aid certificates were issued while 46,693 persons were trained in life saving. Volunteer workers produced 3,102,843 surgical dressings, with 80,901 volunteers being on active duty throughout the year.

**First Aid Treatment Taught Thousands By Red Cross**

More than 187,000 certificates showing completion of first aid courses were issued last year by the Red Cross. This shows a gain of 56,000 certificates over the previous year. Approximately 64,200 boys in C.C.C. camps throughout the country passed first aid tests. Since the Red Cross first entered the field of first aid teaching, being one of the first organizations in the world to do so, almost one million persons have been trained in handling emergency treatment.

The annual report of the Red Cross further reveals that more than 327,000 copies of the Red Cross Aid Handbook have been sold at home and abroad.

The Red Cross has assisted 54,305 veterans in clearing their cases through the U. S. Veterans' Bureau this past year.

Last year 3,837,941 persons became members of the Red Cross. The annual roll call takes place each year between Armistice Day and Thanksgiving Day.

Junior Red Cross members increased by 402,000 enrollments during the year which has just passed. Junior members carried on an exchange of correspondence with junior members in 62 other countries having Red Cross Societies.

Perry T. Goings, now of Sedalia, Mo., is suing his wife for a divorce because he wants to settle down. He claims since his marriage in 1924 she has made him change residences 65 times.

**Long View News**

Merle Buddemeier and family spent the week end at Covington, Ind.

Mrs. Dora Magill has returned to her home in Sullivan after a visit in the Rev. Parker home.

The J. F. F. Club members were entertained recently in the Henderson Daniels home.

Mrs. Katherine Deere and Mrs. Leonard Kalk were Danville visitors Tuesday.

T. M. Sullivan, P. T. Madigan and Miss Catherine McCormick are patients in Mercy hospital.

The grade school teachers and pupils enjoyed a wiener roast and Halloween party last Thursday afternoon, in the O. D. Struck grove.

Members of the United Brethren church held their services at the Roy Davis home last Sunday. Services were followed by a basket dinner. The church building is nearing completion.

Mrs. Katherine Deere, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Hagerman and son, Rev. and Mrs. Hunter, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Parks attended a Christian Action Conference at Decatur last Sunday.

**CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING**

W. E. Klautsch of Broadlands won the free bushel of apples at OLD ORCHARD FARM last week. Mr. Klautsch was one of many who drove over to OLD ORCHARD FARM, 3 miles south of Champaign on Route 45 to take advantage of their "Orchard to you" prices on apples and pears. Right now they are making attractive prices also on filtered cider, vinegar, pure and prepared buckwheat flour, corn meal, whole wheat flour, pure first run maple syrup, sorghum, honey, pop corn, hickory nuts and other good things. Drive over and bring the family.

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Friday and Saturday, Nov. 8-9  
John Boles and Dixie Lee in  
**Redheads on Parade**  
Every song, a hit! Every girl, a redhead. Also Chapter two of The Phantom Empire. A Cartoon and The Latest Paramount News.  
Adm. 10c-20c

Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Nov. 10-11-12  
Bert Wheeler and Robert Woolsey in  
**The Nit Wits**  
Melody and Mirthful Maniacs; Liltng Lyrics and Hearty Hilarity. Also Todd & Kelly in Slightly Static. Cartoon and The Latest Fox Movietone News.  
Continuous Sunday—3 to 11.  
Adm. 10-20c

Wed., Thurs., Nov. 13-14  
Jeanette McDonald and Nelson Eddy in Victor Herbert's  
**Naughty Marietta**  
Also Comedy and Cartoon  
All Seats 10c.  
Coming Soon—Steamboat Round The Bend, Farmer Takes a Wife, China Seas, Les Meserables, Shanghai, Call of the Wild, O'Shaughnessy's Boy, Broadway Melody 1936.

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Friday and Saturday, Nov. 8-9  
Tim McCoy in  
**Voice In The Night**  
A thrilling drama of the heroic work of the Telephone Lineman in battling the elements. Added Chapter No. 6 of Phantom Empire, with Gene Autrey and Smiley Burnett.  
Matinee Saturday at 3:00—Adm. 5c-10c.  
Friday night 7:15 to 11:00; Saturday night 6:45 to 11:00  
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Sunday and Monday, Nov. 10-11  
**TOP HAT**  
with Ginger Rogers and Fred Astaire. This is positively the season's "Top" picture. We need tell you no more as you have already heard so much about this famous show.  
Continuous show Sunday, 3:00 to 11:00.  
Adm. to 6 p. m. 10c-20c. After 6 p. m. 10c-25c.

Tuesday-Wednesday, Nov. 12-13  
Big Double Feature Program  
Feature No. 1—Welcome Home, with James Dunn and Arline Judge.  
Feature No. 2—Zane Grey's Thunder Mountain, with George O'Brien.  
Come before 8:30 to see both features.  
Adm. 10c-25c.

Coming, Nov. 14-15—Dantes Inferno. Coming soon:—Old Man Rythm—Here Comes The Band—This Is The Life—Freckles—Way Down East—China Seas—Rain Makers—Keeper of The Bees—Hoosier School Master—Last Days of Pompeii—Three Musketeers—Broadway Melody of 36.