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News Items of 12 Years Ago

August 17, 1928

Dennis Boyd and his mother visited Mr. and Mrs. Ira Tremain at Marshfield, Ind.

Thos. Bergfield, Lloyd Donley and Hobart Harris motored to Decker, Ind.

Members of the Methodist Sunday School held their annual basket dinner at Crystal Lake park, Urbana.

The Broadlands Fire Department made a run to the A. C. McIntyre farm where a large barn burned.

The Women's and Young Ladies classes of the U. B. Sunday School picnicked at Patterson Springs.

Mrs. Ada Lorden of St. Louis, and Mrs. Belle Hollar of Decatur were guests of Mrs. Leanna Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Frick and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Zenke and daughter Hilda, left for Helena, Mont., for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lamb and family.

20 Years Ago
August 20, 1920

T. W. Bergfield departed for Davidson, Sask., Canada.

Henry Wiese and family of Champaign moved to Broadlands.

H. C. Watkins of the Broadlands Lumber Co. sold his interest to C. T. Henson.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Thullberry of Lake Wales, Florida, visited friends here.

J. E. Johnson and family moved to Champaign, where Mr. Johnson was employed with the County Farm Bureau.

Wins Premiums at Vermilion County Fair

John M. Smith won prizes as follows:

Vedder Bros. 5 years old, 2200 pound sorrel Belgian stallion, won 1st and Champion stallion.

Light draft gelding, 3 years old and over, 1st.

Belgian filly, 1 year old, 3d.

Heavy draft team, 4th.

Mare mule, any age, 2d and 3d

Horse mule, any age, 2d.

Mule colts, 1st, 2d and 3d.

Methodist Church Notes

W. Earl Ballew, Pastor

The Sunday School meets at 10:00 o'clock.

The Church Service is at 11:00.

Will you please watch your clock, and keep it on radio time,

as we will discontinue ringing the bell while the church building is off its foundation.

St. John's Evangelical Church

H. G. Ott, Pastor.

Sunday School at 9:30.
Church Service at 10:30.

Place your news items in our mail box at foot of stairway.

Mrs. Ella Kruse Is Honored at A Shower

On Thursday afternoon, Aug. 8, Mrs. Ella Kruse, a recent bride, was honored at a miscellaneous shower given at the home of Mrs. Albert Luth. Mrs. George Rothermel and Mrs. Ed Luth assisted the hostess.

Contests furnished entertainment, after the bride opened her many useful and lovely gifts.

Refreshments consisting of ice cream, cup cakes and iced tea were served.

There were about sixty present.

The Free Movie Fund Is Growing

Following are the names of those who have contributed a dollar or more for the season:

Fred J. Mohr	\$2.00
Mrs. Lillie Bowman	1.00
Ira Laverick	2.00
Wm. Zenke	2.00
Herman Struck	1.00
Robert Luedke	1.00
Alvin Zenke	5.00
Robert Smith	1.00
John M. Smith	1.00
Rev. W. Earl Ballew	1.00
George Dohme	2.00
Mrs. Leanna Miller	1.00
Bud Pogendorf	1.00
Harold L. Smith	1.00
Edward Nohren	2.00
Jess Ward	1.00
Henry Kilian, Sr.	1.00
Frank Frick	1.00
Champaign Beauty and Barber Supply House	1.00
O. P. Witt	2.00
Arch Walker	1.00
Ray McClelland	1.00
George H. Cook	1.00
Walter Neal	1.00
Earl Shultz	1.00
A. A. Cable	1.00
P. J. Limp	1.00
Henry Messman	1.00
R. L. Potter	1.00
Louis Frick	1.00
Walter Rothermel	1.00
Carl Dicks	1.00
Other contributions will be added until the amount of \$50 is subscribed.	

Two English Boys Coming to Live With Relatives

(Sidell Journal)

The effects of the European war are reaching out into many cities and villages in the United States, and local residents were brought closer to the conflict this week when Mr. and Mrs. Harry Allen of Allerton received a cablegram from relatives in England who wish to send their two sons, aged ten and twelve, to live here for the duration of the war.

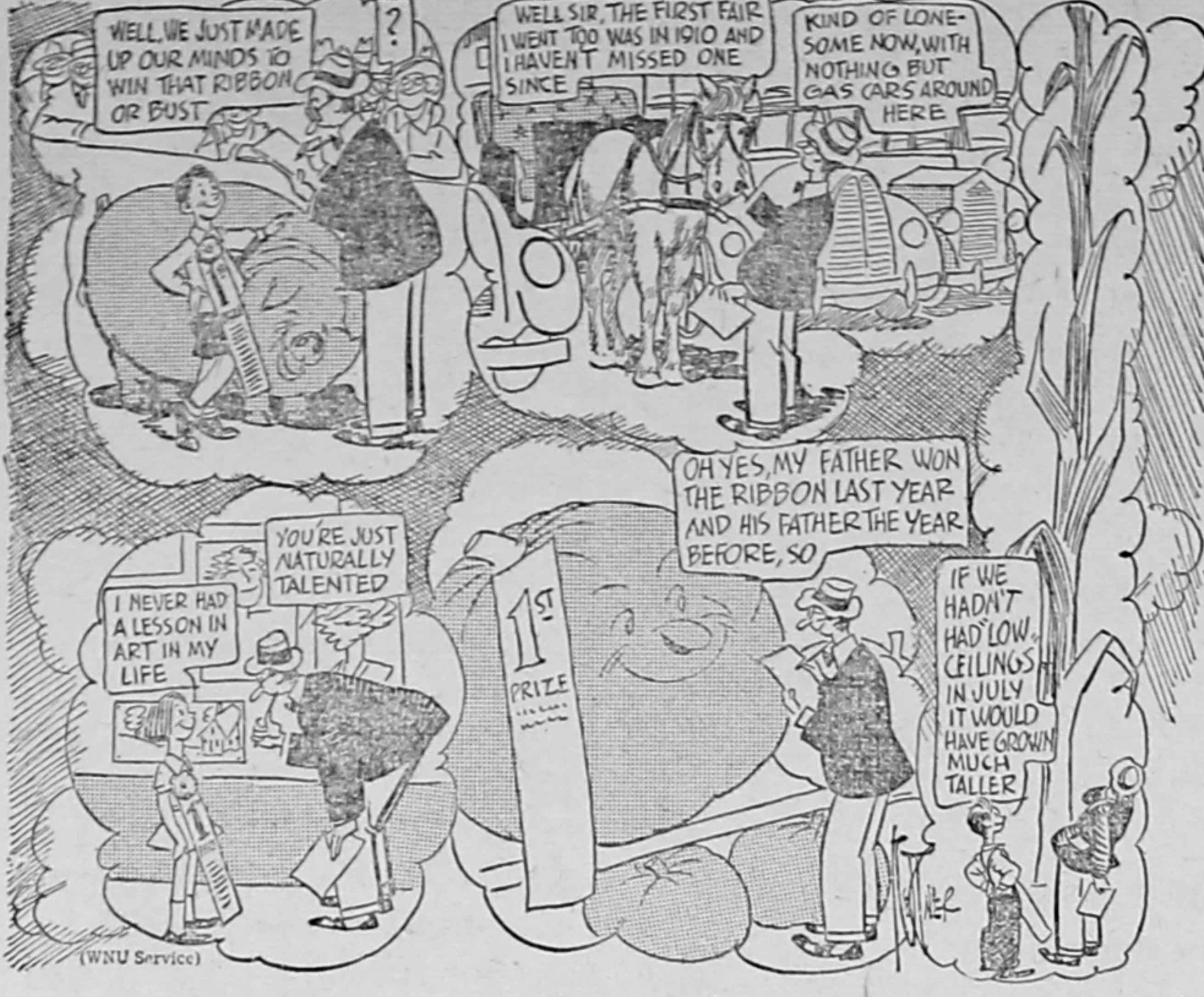
The Allens immediately wired for the boys to come over, and as soon as arrangements are completed, the boys will be sent over here to live with the two sons of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Allen. One will reside at the Ralph Allen home in Allerton, and the other will live at the Kenneth Allen home in Champaign.

The two little boys have a sister two years of age, who, as far as it is known, will remain with her parents in England.

Many English children are arriving daily in the United States from the war zone, most of whom are lucky to have relatives in this country who will take care of them until the end of the conflict.

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The Inquiring Reporter at the Fair



Local and Personal

Wanted: A good rain.

Ted Crain was home from Champaign Field, Rantoul, Tuesday.

Mrs. Lillie Rush of Boswell, Ind., visited Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Cable, Friday of last week.

Mrs. Bessie Loomis spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Parsons in Villa Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray McClelland attended the fair at Arthur on Tuesday.

Beryl A. Mumm, Sidney, advertises school books for sale in this issue.

T. R. Miller and family of Decatur were guests of John Bahlow and family, Sunday.

Mrs. John Bahlow, daughter Miss Mabel, Mrs. Melvin Place and daughter Joyce, visited relatives at Decatur, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray McClelland, son Bobby, and Mrs. Leanna Miller visited relatives at Evansville, the latter part of last week.

Clarence Brandt of Ansley, Neb., arrived Thursday of last week for a visit with his aunt, Mrs. Margaretha Kracht, and his brother, Walter Brandt.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert McCarty and children of Charleston, and Clyde Ramsey and children of Arcola were Sunday guests of Mrs. Belle Smith and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Orland Golden of Sullivan spent Tuesday and Wednesday here with the former's father, Elvas Golden, and wife.

Leslie Cooper and family of Tuscola, Floyd Block and family, and Rev. W. Earl Ballew, were dinner guests at the D. P. Brewer home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Messman and daughter arrived home Saturday evening after a week's visit at the Wisconsin Dells, and at Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

Bert Smith and Mrs. Alice Struck, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Lincicum left Saturday for a visit with relatives in Kokomo, Converse and Marion, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillips of Detroit, Mich.; and Mr. and Mrs. Cash Shipman and son of Champaign, called on friends here Monday afternoon. Mrs. Phillips was formerly Mrs. Lydia Hutton.

Mrs. Stanley Scheeter of Danville spent Tuesday with her mother, Mrs. Lottie Astell.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Smith and Mrs. John M. Smith returned on Friday of last week after a visit with relatives at Byhalia, Miss.

Rev. H. G. Ott baptized Carol Ann Benschneider, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Erhardt Benschneider, Sunday, at the home of the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Benschneider. Mrs. Clarence Kirby and Carl Benschneider were sponsors.

Clarence Busick of Detroit, Mich., visited friends here Sunday. He accepted a position in the police department in Detroit 15 years ago and is still on the job. He informed us that his brother, Jack, is still on the police force at Flat Rock, and his other brother, Glenn, is managing one of Henry Ford's farms near Detroit.

Get Report On Limestone From 150 State Quarries

To safeguard Illinois farmers in their purchases of limestone, more than 150 quarries producing the essential soil-building material have been visited and sampled this year by John R. Spencer, director of soil improvement for the Illinois Agricultural Association.

According to Spencer, detailed information on limestone quarries supplying farmers in every section of the state is now available at all county Farm Bureau offices. Farmers are urged to review this information before making purchases.

At least one and usually several tests are made of each quarry's product each year, Spencer reports. Source sheets are prepared for inspected quarries to make available to farmers such data as percentage of calcium carbonate and screen fineness of the product of each quarry.

The IAA's sampling work, according to Spencer, shows that reasonably adequate supplies of good quality limestone are available to farmers in all parts of Illinois. A new record for consumption of agricultural limestone is expected to be established for the state this year, he adds.

Because of the steep grade on Bank Street in New Milford, Conn., officials of the town are considering the installation of hitching posts to keep parked vehicles from rolling away.

Mrs. Maude Luedke Entertains at Bridge

Mrs. Maude Luedke was hostess to a number of friends at a bridge party, last Wednesday afternoon, with five tables in play.

Prizes were awarded as follows: Mrs. Delia Nohren, high score; Mrs. Freda Maxwell, consolation; Mrs. Jessie Bergfield, traveling.

Refreshments consisted of angel food and spice cake, ice cream and iced orange ade, with umbrellas as favors.

Those present were: Mesdames Mary Dicks, Freda Maxwell, Freda Limp, Louise Zenke, Betty Dicks, Bertha Cook, Delia Nohren, Edna Struck, Gladys McClelland, Helen Eckerty, Jennie Nohren, Loraine Mohr, Merle Block, Margaret Anderson, Neva Frick, Lillie Bowman, Hilda Zenke, Zermah Witt, Olive Rayl, Jessie Bergfield.

Mrs. Anna Seeds Is Hostess to W. C. T. U.

Mrs. Anna Seeds entertained the local unit of the W. C. T. U. on Tuesday afternoon.

The meeting opened with devotions led by Mrs. Eva Brewer. The prevailing thought for the afternoon was "Self Management the Basis of Citizenship." A prayer was offered by Rev. W. Earl Ballew.

A very interesting and instructive talk was given by Rev. Ballew, the guest speaker of the afternoon. His topic was "Destruction of Alcohol Upon Man." Wanda Rayl and Betty Jackson sang a duet.

The business meeting was in charge of the president, Mrs. Ruth Henson.

Delightful refreshments were served by the hostess.

Thirteen members were present, and the following guests: Mrs. Cora Chafin, Mrs. Alice Schumacher, Mrs. Kathleen Seeds, and Rev. W. Earl Ballew.

The September meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Emma Jackson.

Wins Premiums at Vermilion County Fair

Harold O. Anderson won premiums at the Vermilion County Fair at Fairmount last week as follows:

Belgian mare, heavy draft, 3 years old and over, 1st and Champion and Grand Champion horse of the show.

Belgian mare, heavy draft, 2 years old and over, 2d.

Time Tables

C. & E. I.	
Northbound	11:49 a. m.
Southbound	1:27 p. m.
Star Mail Route	
Southbound	7:15 a. m.
Northbound	8:30 a. m.

In 25 years consumption of cigarettes in the United States has increased from less than 30 billion to more than 175 billion a year. The 100 billion mark was reached in 1928.

The News is \$1.50 a year.

Herschel Bruhn Accepts Position at Washington

Herschel Bruhn has accepted a position in the Adjutant General's office of the War Department, at Washington, D. C. having assumed his duties last Saturday. Mrs. Bruhn accompanied her husband to Washington and they are now residing at 1328 Columbia Road.

Herschel took a civil service examination about two years ago but had almost forgotten it until he received word to report for duty, about two weeks ago.

Miss Marianna Kilian Is Hostess to Phi Beta Deltas

The Phi Beta Delta Class of St. John's Evangelical Church held its monthly meeting at the home of Miss Marianna Kilian.

Ralph Schumacher gave the topic, and Marianna Kilian read the scripture. The president, Miss Edna Schumacher, had charge of the business meeting, during which plans were made for a wiener roast to be held early in September.

Members present were: Misses Edna Schumacher, Margaret Anne Mohr, Norma and Hilda Partenheimer, Wanda Nohren, Mabel Bahlow, Mary Mohr and Marianna Kilian; Rev. H. G. Ott, Ralph Schumacher and Gene Partenheimer.

The September meeting will be held at the home of Wanda and Wayne Nohren.

Mrs. Gladys McClelland Hostess to Ladies Aid

The Methodist Ladies Aid met at the home of Mrs. Gladys McClelland on Thursday afternoon of last week, with Mrs. Leanna Miller assistant hostess.

Mrs. McClelland led the devotions, and Mrs. Eva Walker conducted the business meeting. Election of officers was postponed until the September meeting.

During the social hour contests were enjoyed.

Refreshments consisting of sandwiches, potato chips, pickles, brick ice cream, cookies, and iced tea were served by the hostesses.

Guests were Mrs. Earl Shultz, Miss Watkins and Rev. W. Earl Ballew.

Members present were Mesdames Lottie Astell, Mary Fitzgerald, Alice Cable, Anna Laverick, Anna Seeds, Eva Walker, Gladys Walker, Stella Miller, Eva Brewer, Bertha Cook, Pearl DeWitt, Mary Dicks, Leanna Miller, Edna Dicks, Gladys McClelland; and Miss Mildred Neal. The next meeting will be held Sept. 5 at the home of Mrs. Alma Bruhn.

Market Report

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

No. 2 hard wheat	63c
No. 2 white corn	67c
No. 2 yellow corn	58c
No. 3 oats	25c
No. 2 old beans	65c
No. 2 new beans	57c

Lodge Meets Next Monday

Broadlands Lodge, No. 791, A. F. & A. M. will meet next Monday night at 7:30.

Lyman F. Mohr, W. M.
Carl B. Dicks, Sec.

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New Plane Detector

Designed to give defending forces warning of approaching enemy airplanes, a highly secret detecting apparatus has been perfected by the United States Army, according to meager information given to Congressional committees by General Marshall, chief of staff, recently.

Safeguarded as carefully as the new Air Corps bomb sight, the plane detector has been developed during the last two years, and actual field tests are said to have been satisfactory and very gratifying to the experts.

The new device will pierce fog and darkness to pick up an approaching enemy plane in time to give fighters a chance to get into the air to meet it. The present plan is to install 40 of these detectors, at an estimated cost of \$54,700 each, at strategic points on our coasts. Provision would also be made for setting up other stations where needed on short notice.

In asking Congress for an appropriation to build these detectors, General George V. Strong of the Army war plans division declared them to be "apparently far in advance of any similar equipment available to any of the belligerents abroad."

It is said that the use of these detectors would give defenders of our coasts at least 15 minutes notice of the approach of the fastest enemy attack planes.

Synthetic Rubber

Great strides are being made in the development of synthetic rubber to take place of the natural product which is not produced in the United States. This country uses in peace time about 600,000 tons of crude rubber, about 98 per cent of which is imported from the Far East.

If present sources of supply should be cut off through falling into the hands of an enemy nation, the production of synthetic rubber would become a matter of vital importance. It is fortunate, therefore, that American manufacturers are now able to produce the new substitutes, although it would take some time to develop plants to meet the country's needs.

Owing to the sensational progress which has been made in research and actual production in the last two or three years by the rubber industry of the United States, it is believed that through a capital investment of between 100 and 200 million dollars enough synthetic rubber could be obtained by mass production methods to prevent a rubber famine.

The price of the artificial product is now three or more times as high as natural rubber, but this will be largely overcome if mass production is really attained. Germany is said to be using synthetic rubber tires on about 40 per cent of all vehicles, and there now seems no reason why the United States cannot do the same, if necessary.

Being examined for a driver's license in Williamsburg, Va., an aged darky correctly told the meaning of green and red lights, but when asked what an amber light meant he was stumped. After a little thought he ventured the answer "amberlance."

What's New

Plastics similar to bakelite have been developed in Mexico from cactus.

A combination gas mask and telephone has been invented for firemen working inside burning buildings.

Fireproof paper containers in which water can be boiled over a candle flame have been invented.

A new electric hand lantern carries a spare bulb that can be slid into position with an outside lever if the first bulb burns out.

By pressing a button from any room in the house, electricity operates a new device for turning on a gas water heater.

A carving knife with an electric motor in its handle that causes the blade to move backward and forward rapidly was recently invented.

Establishment this month of air mail service between the United States and New Zealand completed the last link of an around-the-world service by way of Australia.

Do You Know Illinois?

By Edward J. Hughes
Secretary of State

Q. Who organized the Territory of Illinois?

A. Nathaniel Pope, Secretary of the Territory.

Q. In whose stead did Pope act?

A. His cousin, Ninian Edwards. Edwards had been appointed Governor of the Territory on April 25, 1809, but word had not come from Washington, and Pope under the law assumed the functions of Governor.

Q. When did Pope issue the proclamation organizing the Territory?

A. April 28, 1809.

Q. What did the proclamation contain?

A. It established the counties of St. Clair and Randolph with the same boundaries as under the Indiana Territory, and issued commissions to two justices of the peace and one sheriff.

Q. How long did Pope act as Governor?

A. For six weeks until Edwards took office on June 11, 1809.

Q. How old was Pope at this time?

A. 25.

Q. What effort to oust Pope was made during his acting governorship?

A. The opposition, headed by John Edgar and William and Robert Morrison, charged that since he had taken oath before a Louisiana magistrate he was improperly qualified and without power to act.

Q. What did the Illinois Territory include at this time?

A. Not only the present state but the lands to the north as far as the Canadian boundary.

Q. What attempt in 1809 did Pope essay in the Indian question?

A. He planned to summon the Kickapoo, a belligerent tribe between the Wabash and the Illinois, to a council at Kaskaskia, and to try to secure the attendance of the Shawnee and Delaware.

Q. Was the council held?

A. No. Edwards vetoed the plan upon his arrival to assume the governorship.

Henry Glayre of Palmetto, Fla. has cultivated a tomato vine 16 feet tall from which he has harvested 1,200 tomatoes.

Walter McNutt, World War aviator who is a candidate for governor of Arkansas, announced recently that he will descend by parachute to fulfill speaking engagements at three towns.

**Early Romances Colored
By Kettle of Blue Dye**

A kettle of blue dye, often found in Illinois homes during early days, is said to have played an important part in winning pioneer brides.

The kettle was reserved primarily for the unromantic purpose of holding a liquid dye commonly used by ladies of the time to color yarns for weaving. However, frequently it served as a convenient seat for the youthful settler who "came calling" on the lady of his choice, for it was covered with boards when not in use and thereby made a convenient seat next to the fireplace.

An early record found by the Illinois Writers' Project, WPA, says that "some of our best men wooed and won their brides while seated on the kettle of blue dye." The same account also tells of a time when the wooden covering over one kettle gave way and one unfortunate suitor fell to the bottom of the vessel.

Eugene Fry, farmer of Killeen, Texas, has made a coat from the skins of 35 rattlesnakes killed near his home.

**Pros and Cons About
the Moon and Potatoes**

That early Illinois residents did not lack subjects for discussion is clear from a reading of newspapers of the day. Indeed, topics touched upon by lecturers at forums throughout the state probably differed but little from many subjects of present day discussion.

However, discussions following lectures, even though they were "learned," at times must have been very disconcerting to lecturers, says the Illinois Writers' Project, WPA. At a meeting of the Peoria Farmers' Club at Peoria in 1871, for example, a local reporter wrote that "following a short talk on evergreens a learned discussion took place as to whether the moon had anything to do with the growing of potatoes."

To the bride of every couple he marries, Mayor James A. West of Paulsboro, N. Y., gives an oak rolling pin.

An odd combination of names was found in three men fined in one day for speeding in St. Louis. They were Alex Staid, John C. Slowe and George Faster.

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MONDAY, AUG. 19

SPRINGFIELD DAY
TUESDAY, AUG. 20

REPUBLICAN DAY
WEDNESDAY, AUG. 21

GOVERNOR'S DAY
THURSDAY, AUG. 22

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FRIDAY, AUG. 23

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Shapely Neck Important to Good Looks

By PATRICIA LINDSAY

AS THE mode changes we re-fashion our bodies! No wonder men marvel at us. One year we are without chests. The next, we develop nicely rounded bosoms! If the walking vogue is a slouch—we slouch and allow our shoulders to grow rounded! Just bring on the style and we grow into it!

Honestly, we are queer, we of the female sex. But at last only good posture and regal carriage is fashionable. Thank heaven for this era's style for now we must learn to walk erect with easy grace. Our shoulders must be firm and lovely to set off the new strapless gowns and swim suits. Our necks, usually neglected, must be beautiful, as appropriate pedestals for smartly coif-



Exercises will help to fill out chest and straighten shoulders.

fured heads. Hair sweeping up into a cluster of curls with tantalizing ringlets in back of our ears. Yes, it is practically the Gibson Girl period returned, and we might conceivably look forward to wasp waistlines!

To Keep Neck Beautiful

A few brief rules for keeping the neck beautiful. Scrub it each morning with a rich deep lather and body brush, using a light rotary movement. Rinse it well. Dry well. Powder with the same shade of powder you use for your face. Remember your neck is a continuation of your face!

At night cleanse it with a light cleansing cream. Then, with an upward movement, massage the skin well, using a rich nourishing cream or a bit of mineral oil.

Whenever you think to do it, exercise your neck by bending it forward and backward and rotating it slowly.

There is no beauty in hollow shoulders or a skinny neck. You develop them through exercise and eat enough to fill them out. A simple exercise does wonders for both. Here it is:

Lie on your stomach across a chair, balancing the body carefully with feet and arms as if you were swimming the breast stroke. Out straight—slowly to the sides—back until you feel a pull on your shoulder blades. Relax after a minute or two and repeat.

Of course, the actual breast stroke while you are swimming will do more than anything else to make your shoulders beautiful.

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HINT-OF-THE-DAY

For Glorified Eyes

From Paris comes a new beauty secret that does wonders in rejuvenating tired eyes. For the girl who has read until the small hours to finish a book, or for the lady who's missed out on her normal quota of sleep, this new product is said to restore the sparkle of youth in a jiffy.

It comes in the form of a jar full of featherweight masques saturated in a solution that relieves eye tension and tiredness and leaves the eyes clear and radiantly alive.

You place one of the pads on your eyes and lie down for five minutes of relaxation. There comes a feeling of refreshing coolness to take the sting out of tired eye-balls and gently stimulate the skin area around the eyes, where age and fatigue show first.

Best part of the treatment is that good effect lasts for hours. The pads are harmless.

Quinine Has Saved Many Lives

The quinine tree gets its name from a grateful lady, Countess Chinchon. While her husband was Spanish governor of Peru, she contracted malaria and suffered from it for several years. Then, in 1638, says the Washington Post, she was given tea brewed from cinchona bark. She immediately recovered. Overjoyed, she returned to Spain and publicized this remedy. In the three centuries since she first used it, quinine has saved countless lives, brought relief to millions of malaria sufferers in all tropical countries.

Aquila an Imaginary Place

Aquila is an imaginary place. In the novel, "Action at Aquila," it is supposed to be a few miles south of Luray, Va., and west of the Blue Ridge along the Shenandoah river.



Here's a chance to test your knowledge and have a lot of fun doing it. Simply read the question, indicate choice of answer in space provided, check for correctness, then tally score to get your rating.

(1) Will Rogers, America's famous humorist, was a native son of: (a) Missouri, (b) Arkansas, (c) England, (d) Oklahoma.

(2) Lewis and Clark: (a) won the Davis cup for the U. S. in 1929, (b) led an expedition through the Northwest territory in 1804-6, (c) completed the first successful non-stop flight to Hawaii, (d) surveyed the first railroad through the Rockies.



(3) If you were introduced to this animal you would meet: (a) Sammy Skunk, (b) Billy Beaver, (c) Ronald Raccoon, (d) Ferdinand Fox.

(4) Proper method of displaying the U. S. flag is: (a) with field of stars to upper-right of the audience, (b) to upper-left, (c) stars in lower right corner, (d) there is no definite rule.

(5) First all-motion picture theater in the world was opened in 1905 at: (a) New York city, (b) Paris, (c) Pittsburgh, (d) Hollywood.

(6) "I'd rather be right than President," said: (a) Alfred E. Smith, (b) Alf Landon, (c) Henry Clay, (d) William Jennings Bryan.

(7) Flat-foot is a term applied to: (a) World war draft dodger who purposely broke his own arches, (b) a sneak-thief, (c) a policeman, (d) a tap-dancer.

"GUESS AGAIN" Tally Score Here

ANSWERS

- Score 10 points for (d)
- Plus 10 more for (b)
- 15 points for (c)
- It was (b)—20 pts.
- This was tough—25 pts. (c)
- This was easy—10 pts. (c)
- So was this—10 pts. (c)

YOUR RATING: If you scored 100 pts. TOTAL
 you peaked: 90, excellent: 80, good: 70, average: 60 and below: You didn't concentrate.

DOLLAR MAKERS—Ads Invariably 'Contact' Part Of Community

By GEORGE T. EAGER

THE owner of a fine florist shop in a midwestern city was recently discussing advertising with a business friend. The friend owns a thriving food store that does an annual volume of \$300,000. A complete stock of choice foods, excellent service and judicious use of newspaper advertising had built the business.

"Don't talk to me about advertising," said the florist. "There is so much of it everywhere that it just can't pay. Look at this newspaper here. So chockful of ads that mine would never be seen or noticed."

The two men happened to be walking through the busiest section of the city. "You are one of a number of men in this city who would be making more money if you understood how advertising works," said the owner of the food store. "Advertising is just like the traffic in this city. Traffic looks tangled up and confused, there's too much of it and you might think that any single automobile or truck would be lost in the shuffle. But just remember that this gray car that is passing us and that red delivery wagon that just turned the corner, are very important to a certain number of people in this city."

"It's the same way with advertisements. There seem to be so many of them that they are confusing. But each advertisement is important to somebody. Today's papers carry an advertisement of my store featuring a special purchase of oranges and grapefruit, a lot of new cheeses and a special offer on ginger ale. To a lot of people that advertisement is lost in the traffic. But experience has taught me that this same advertisement will seek out for me enough people to whom the merchandise is highly important to make it pay."

(Bell Syndicate.—WNU Service.)

Pioneers Swapped Work During Harvest Days

In the early 1850s when neighbors in Illinois swapped work on their fields, five "cradlers," five binders, two "shockers," and a water boy comprised a harvesting outfit. An account noted by the Illinois Writers' Project, W. P. A., states further that cutting two acres of grain was consider-

ed a good day's work, and calling a man a "good cradler" was to confer upon him a high compliment.

Elmer Frank, director of a choral society in Sandusky, O., made a survey which, he says, proves that only "three persons in a hundred know the second verse of the Star Spangled Banner."

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Lora

By DOROTHY PIPER
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WNU Service.

WHEN the good ship Estrella left her dock for southern ports, there were two persons on board who were taking the cruise with one purpose in view. Tom had told his friends he was sailing to escape the dull monotony of business for awhile. Alice had informed hers that she was traveling to improve her health. They both had fibbed a little; their sole object was love and matrimony, and knowing the languor and romance which prevail in the tropics and the ease with which shipboard love matches are made, each booked passage on the southbound Estrella.

Fate and the second steward assigned them to the same table in the dining salon. The rest was easy.

Tom's handsome, tanned face and the upright carriage of his athletic young body caused Alice's heart to go pitty-patty-pit every time her eyes met his. In turn, the young man was fascinated by her vivacity and petite fairness.

By the time the Estrella had passed from the Gulf of Mexico into the Caribbean sea, the ship's gossips were satisfied that Tom and Alice were really in love.

Then, womanlike, Alice decided she should do something to make Tom jealous. She began to dance and flirt with other young men. She even snubbed him a little—just to arouse his envy. Poor Tom was made miserable by Alice's sudden change of heart.

Then came a day, however, when she couldn't find Tom. A thorough search of the decks and salons failed to reveal him, and for several days they met only at mealtime. Alice was perplexed over Tom's strange behavior.

"Tom," she said, one evening at dinner, "I've missed you a lot lately. Where have you been keeping yourself?"

"Oh," replied Tom enigmatically, "I spend most of my time with Lora."

Lora! Lora! It was Alice's turn to worry now. Fearfully, she studied the passenger list, but there was nobody by that name indexed there.

Miss Briton was the kind of stewardess one could be friendly and confidential with, and Alice told her the circumstances which had led up to her misery.

About nine o'clock that evening the stewardess tapped on Alice's door and told her she had located Lora. "Lora is, indeed, a pretty creature," said Miss Briton. "If you care to, I'll take you to see her. Your Tom is with her now."

The stewardess led Alice through a maze of corridors and down companionways, until they reached a deck that was level with the water line. Away aft, in the stern of the ship, they came to a cabin that was used by the crew as a lounging-room. There, sitting upon a box and watching four engineers playing cards, was Tom. Perched upon his shoulder was a parakeet with sleek green feathers and bright, beady eyes. The bird rubbed its head against Tom's dark hair and lovingly pecked at one of his ears.

"That's your rival," said Miss Briton. "That's Lora!"

"Do you mean to tell me," exclaimed Alice hopefully, "that Lora is only a—?"

"Yes," said the stewardess, "Lora is only a parakeet. In fact, the word Lora is a Spanish one and means parrot, or Polly, in English. She belongs to one of the crew."

Alice turned to go before Tom saw her, but Tom had already glimpsed her through the half-open door, and he felt stupid and ashamed.

The next morning, feeling in a much happier frame of mind, Alice went on deck to see which passengers were disembarking at Balboa. Surrounded by trunks and suitcases, and dressed to go ashore, was Tom. Timidly, Alice touched him upon the arm. "Why, Tom," she stammered helplessly, "I thought you were going to Callao! Why are you getting off here?"

"After what happened last night," he said with difficulty, "I couldn't finish the trip. I tried to make you jealous, but succeeded only in making myself appear ridiculous in your eyes!"

"I am the one who appeared ridiculous," Alice corrected. "To satisfy my vanity, I risked my dearest possession. Well, if you are going ashore, I'm going, too! I'll get my trunks immediately."

"I'm afraid there isn't time, Miss," said the kindly old captain, who had overheard snatches of their conversation. "We don't dock in Balboa, we just stand by until the launch comes out to take the passengers and baggage ashore. There goes the signal to stand by now. Why don't you both stay aboard? You know, I can be a parson when we're on the high seas. Decide to stay, and I'll have the boy run up the honeymoon pennant."

"It's a go, captain!" said Tom, gayly, after receiving a nod of consent from Alice. "Here, steward, put those trunks back in my cabin."

MULES AND MEN

Over the hill trailed a man behind a mule drawing a plow. Said the man to the mule: "Bill, you are a mule, the son of a jackass, and I am a man, made up in the image of God. Yet, here we work, hitched up together year in and year out. I often wonder if you work for men, or if I work for you. Verily, I think it a partnership between a mule and a fool, for surely I work as hard as you. Plowing, we cover the same distance but you do it on four legs and I do it on two. I therefore do twice as much work per leg as you do. Soon we'll be preparing for a corn crop. When the crop is harvested, I give one-third to the landlord. One-third goes to you and the balance is mine. You consume all of your portion except the cobs while I divide mine among seven children, six hens, two ducks and a banker. If we both need shoes you get 'em. Bill, you are getting the best of me. Is it fair for a mule the son of a jackass, to swindle a man, a lord of creation, out of his subsistence?"

Why, you only plow and help cultivate the ground and I must cut, shock and husk the corn, while you look over the pasture fence and hee-haw at me.

About the only time I am better than you is on election day for I can vote and you can't. And after election I realize that I was fully as great a jackass as your papa. And that isn't all, Bill. When you are dead that's supposed to be the end of you. But me? The parson tells me when I die I gotta go to hell yet, unless I do just as he says. And most of what he says keeps me from getting any kicks outa life.

Tell me, Bill, considering these things, how can you keep a straight face and look so dumb and solemn?"—Rantoul Press.

Long View News

Mr. and Mrs. James Parks, Mr. and Mrs. Merton Parks, attended the Parks-Hart reunion at Twin Lakes, Paris, Sunday.

Mrs. S. J. Williams and daughter Jessie Irene, of Mitchell, were guests in the E. C. Hagerman home last Friday and Saturday.

An aluminum-ware salesman has given a number of "demonstration suppers" in local homes the past week, four couples being entertained at each supper.

Mrs. Katherine Deere entertained the L. S. L. Club, Thursday afternoon of last week. Mrs. Myrtle Boyd was a guest. A food sale for Friday night, Aug. 16, was planned for the club.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Hedrick and daughters, Otterbein Baptist

and Mrs. Anna Baptist attended the sixth annual Baptist reunion in Shelbyville Park, Shelbyville, last Sunday.

Roy Hurst is digging a well at his home, and J. A. Hart is digging a 270-gallon cistern on the lot in the rear of his grocery store. The latter is to be made available for fire protection.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schwartz and daughter of Urbana; Harold Schwartz, Philadelphia, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schwartz and baby, were dinner guests in the Charles Warnes home Wednesday evening of last week.

Rev. K. V. Hanley and family of Allendale spent part of last week visiting relatives here. Mrs. Alice Hanley and Betty Lou Dyar went home with them for a visit, while Alice May Hanley remained here to spend the week with her grandmother Mrs. Robert Warnes, and other relatives.

Chester the Pup
By GEORGE O'HALLORAN



WE HAD company for dinner tonight. It was a Mr. Smith, one of Brittlebrain's customers from Chicago. He was a big, crabby looking fellow with a derby hat, and a face like the missing piece of a jigsaw puzzle. Brittlebrain expected a big order from this visit and he knew just what he was going to say at the supper table. But he never got a chance. Clara's Uncle Sedgewick did all the talking. Can you imagine that old billy goat trying to tell us that he once tracked a black polar bear (the only one ever heard of, and therefore worth a fortune). Well, he tracked that bear for seven years and when he finally caught up with him the bear had turned gray from old age. That was too much for me so I went in the parlor and chewed the top out of the guy's derby. By the time dinner was over, Mr. Smith was kind of fed up on uncle's hot air. And finding his hat on the parlor floor without a top was no tonic either. He finally left without leaving an order, but he told Brittlebrain that he thought the frost must have crept through a crack in uncle's skull.

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Danger On City Streets, But Farm Has Perils Too

Yep! The farm's the place to be! Get away from all the noise and danger of city traffic. Get out in the country, where it is quiet and peaceful.

This kind of talk is heard every once in a while by the Illinois Agricultural Association's department of safety. But C. M. Seagraves, department director, is not so sure.

Out in the country, away from the dangers of city traffic, he says, there are lots of things to do—like cranking tractors that kick, turn over or catch on fire; falling out of haymows; acting as a sparring partner for a papa cow; stretching up barbed wire that breaks and wraps you up in a porcupine suit.

Many things can happen in threshing time. Sparks from machinery can set the buildings on fire; somebody can puncture you with a pitchfork; it isn't difficult to fall off a load of bundles or have the wagon tip over while crossing a dead furrow; heat exhaustion and sunstroke are not infrequent; folks walk into the belt or get tangled up in the separator when the machinery is started before everybody has been notified.

The farm is a fine place, Seagraves agrees. "But you have to be as safety-minded, as nimble-footed there to avoid accidents as you do on any city street."

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A group of volunteer firemen in Marysville, Mich., disappointed by the lack of fires in the town, organized an arson ring so that they could collect \$3 fees for answering alarms.

The New Gem
Villa Grove - Illinois
Friday, Aug. 16
GOLD RUSH MASIE
with Ann Sothern, Lee Bowman, Virginia Weidler.
"Q" Nite. Matinee & Nite.
Saturday, Aug. 17
2 Features
VILLAGE BARN DANCE
Lulu Belle & Scotty Don Wilson
Also
SAILOR'S LADY
Nancy Kelly - John Hall
Sun., Mon., Aug. 18-19
ALL THIS and HEAVEN TOO
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Special Bargain Nite
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