



## News Items of 12 Years Ago

March 13, 1931

P. O. Rayl was nominated for mayor on the Citizens' ticket.

The Business Men's Vaudeville Show given at the Broadlands Theater was largely attended.

The D. of K. class of the Methodist Sunday School was entertained at the home of Mrs. Minnie Anderson.

A snowstorm which started on Thursday developed into a blizzard and by Friday night cars were stalled everywhere in this vicinity by deep snowdrifts.

20 Years Ago  
March 9, 1923

Wilma Messman was given a party on the occasion of her 10th birthday.

Kenneth Brewer received a broken arm while trying to crank a truck.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Arch Walker were ill with the flu.

Miss Emma DeWitt, Vermilion County Home Bureau Advisor, visited her sister, Mrs. Fred Messman.

James Cheshier of Broadlands, and Miss Mayple Bland of Allerton were married at Danville, with Justice Brown officiating.

### Methodist Church Notes

James S. Ferris, Pastor

Sunday School—10:00.  
Preaching—11:00.

Sermon: "A Successful Service." Text, "Now therefore are we all here present before God, to hear all things that are commanded thee of God." Acts 10:33.

Young People's Fellowship at the United Brethren Church at 6 o'clock.

### St. John's Evangelical and Reformed Church

Robert B. Frey, Pastor

9:40—Sunday School, Ed Nohren, Superintendent.

10:40—Morning Worship.  
First Sunday in Lent. Sermon: "He Was Numbered Among Us."

Friday, March 12—The World Day of Prayer service will be held in the United Brethren Church at 2:15.

Wednesday, Mar. 17, 8 o'clock, Lenten Service at St. John's Church. All are welcome.

### Immanuel Lutheran Church

P. E. Kerkhoff, Pastor

10:00 A. M.—Sunday School.  
10:45 A. M.—Divine Worship.

Sermon: "The Cost of Our Salvation."  
Mid-week Lenten Service, on March 17th (Wednesday), 7:30 P. M.

If there is anything like heaven or hell, is it reasonable to suppose that men will enter the one and escape the other by doing absolutely nothing about it?

One of the strongest proofs of the Christian religion is the fact that it gives its possessors in times of greatest stress the sweetest inward calm.

## IT NEVER FAILS



### Herman Struck Suffers Heart Attack Monday

Herman Struck, Broadlands, suffered a heart attack Monday in the court house at Urbana, where he had attended the farm sale of the George Bosch estate, and also attended to some business matters. He was taken to the Carle Memorial hospital for observation and treatment. He is feeling good at present but will remain another week before returning home.

### Young People's Fellowship

Victor Sherring, a young man from India, entertained the young people at a dinner held in the Methodist Church basement at 6:15 Sunday evening. The meal was enjoyed by all and only Victor could tell you the name of the hot dishes he prepared. Jello salad and cocoa were served with the meal.

At 7:30 the young man gave a talk and demonstrated his Indian instruments for the public. Some of the topics in his discussion were politics, government, transportation, marriage, sports, and music.

The next young people's meeting will be held at the U. B. Church Sunday evening at 6:00. —Contributed.

### Bingo Party This Saturday Night

There will be a Bingo Party in the local Community Building, this Saturday night, beginning at 8 o'clock. There will be twenty games and twenty one dollar prizes will be awarded.

Proceeds of the party will be used to purchase equipment for the Community Building. The admission will be 25c. Everybody welcome.

### U. B. Church Notes

Dale Mumaw, Pastor.

Sunday School—10:00 a. m.  
Evening Worship—7:30.

We enjoyed very much our visit with the Evangelical and Reformed Churches last Sunday.

March weather records for 37 years were broken here last Monday morning when the mercury dropped to five degrees below zero, it is said.

O. H. Hedrick, local agent for DeKalb Hybrid seed corn, has opened the building formerly occupied by the Eckerty Cafe, as a distributing point.

### Mr., Mrs. Ray McClelland Entertain at Bridge Party

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McClelland entertained a number of friends at bridge Monday night.

Refreshments served consisted of sandwiches, sweet dill pickles, potato chips, fresh strawberry short cake with whipped cream, and coffee.

Those present were Messrs. Oscar Witt, Roy Bergfield, Edward Nohren, John Nohren, Harold Smith, Harold Anderson, Robert Luedke, Bud Struck, Kenneth Dicks, Raymond McClelland; Mrs. Olive Rayl and Mrs. Lillie Bowman.

### ERC Members at Normal Get Calls

Members of the Enlisted Reserve corps at Illinois State Normal university have been ordered to report March 11 and 12 for active duty, President R. W. Fairchild announced.

Six of them will go to Fort Custer, Mich., and the others will report at Scott Field.

Among those called were: Andrew T. Henson, Broadlands; Dane F. Walker, Sidell.

### The Citizens' Party Nominates Ticket

The Citizens' Party nominated the following ticket at their caucus which was held on March 4:

For Aldermen—Henry Schumacher, Herman Struck, Will Messman.

For Police Magistrate—James Jackson.

The village election will be held Tuesday, April 20.

### Card of Thanks

We wish to extend to all, our heartfelt thanks and sincere appreciation for their acts of kindness, expressions of sympathy, and beautiful flowers, during the illness and death of our dear mother.

Mrs. Essie Foreman,  
Mrs. Ella King,  
Mrs. Grace Schecter,  
Russell Astell,  
Guy Astell.

For Sale—International plow, 3-bottom, 14-inch, \$90.00. Good shape. Also a Bradley feed grinder, 8-in. burr, \$10.00. Alfred Zenke, Longview, Ill.

### H. Allens To Observe Wedding Anniversary

Allerton—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Allen will observe their 50th wedding anniversary Sunday (3-14-43) in their home. They will have open house from 2 p. m. to 3 p. m. for those at a distance, from 3 to 4 for their Broadlands friends and from 4 on for their friends in and around Allerton.

Fifty years ago on March 14 Miss Alice Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Brown, and Harry Allen, son of George and Elizabeth Allen, were married by the Rev. Loyal Madden (now living in Decatur) of the Presbyterian church. They were married in the house now the home of Mrs. I. C. Morris. They were married at 8 a. m. and took the 9:30 train and spent their honeymoon in Chicago. They began housekeeping in an old schoolhouse converted into a three room dwelling, which stood one-half mile south of the Allerton depot. Mr. Allen's parents lived in the large house one-half mile east of this house, which was one of the show places of its time. It was torn down some 15 years ago. George Allen owned one and one half sections of land here at that time.

Mrs. Allen, born Oct. 14, 1865, has lived her entire life in this vicinity. Mr. Allen was born in Staffordshire, Eng., Nov. 28, 1865, and came to the United States with his parents in 1879, leaving Liverpool October 9, and landing here November 15. They got off the train at Newman then their nearest town.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen have three children: Cecil, the eldest, now Mrs. Norman Westfield of Blue Island; H. Kenneth of Springfield, until recently an instructor in the University of Illinois; and Lieutenant Colonel Ralph B. Allen of the U. S. Army, located at Fort McClelland, Alabama; and six grandchildren.

Mr. Allen made four trips to England. The last one, accompanied by Mrs. Allen, was in 1924. Mr. and Mrs. Allen left the farm in 1896 and went into the grain business at Broadlands and Allerton. They have continued in the business since that time. Their house in Broadlands burned in 1933, and in 1936 they built their present home in Allerton.

Remember Pearl Harbor!

### Mrs. Lottie Jane Astell Fern Walker Is Bride of Pvt. Charles Hood

Funeral services for Mrs. Lottie Jane Astell, who passed away at her home in Broadlands, Friday, March 5, 1943, following a long illness, were held on Monday afternoon from the local Methodist Church, with Reverend James S. Ferris, pastor of the church, officiating. Burial was in Fairfield cemetery, with Dicks Bros. in charge.

Mrs. Kenneth Dicks and Mrs. Lillie Bowman sang "No Night There," "Face to Face," and "In the Garden," and were accompanied at the piano by Mrs. George Cook.

Pallbearers were Messrs. Harold Smith, Charles Smith, Max Astell, Claude Smith, Will Johnson and Oliver Astell.

The following obituary was read:

Mrs. Lottie Jane Astell was born near Paris, Ill., July 12, 1873, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Camerer.

On October 22, 1890, she was married to William Astell, who preceded her in death.

She was one of the early members of the Methodist Church and Ladies' Aid Society, and was a faithful attendant as long as her health permitted.

She was also a member of the Order of the Eastern Star.

She leaves surviving the following children: Mrs. Essie Foreman, Mt. Giliad, Ohio; Mrs. Ella King, Aurora, Ill.; Mrs. Grace Schecter, Danville; Russell and Guy at home. Also five grandchildren, one great-granddaughter, one great-great-granddaughter; a brother, William Camerer, of Decatur, Ill., and a number of nieces and nephews.

This does not take into account the almost countless number of friends, everyone bereaved. Surely a beautifully sweet character has gone from our midst; but we know that we now have one more treasure laid up in heaven.

"Dear mother, you are not forgotten,

Though on earth you are no more;

Still in memory you are with us,

As you always were before."

### Visit News Office

The following fifth grade pupils of the Broadlands Public school visited The News office, Tuesday afternoon, for the purpose of learning something about the printing business which they are now studying: Max Henson, Barbara Gallion, Carmen Smith, Frances Dohme, Richard Thode.

During their visit they saw our newspaper press in operation and learned how many papers we print per minute or per hour. They also learned something about the various materials used in a printing office, such as type, cuts or electrotypes, leads, pigs and slugs. Then came the big treat, when they were shown the millions of type lice (?) that live in the print shop and learned the pests subsist on ink.

### U. B. Church Will Observe World Day of Prayer

World Day of Prayer will be observed at the local United Brethren Church, on Friday, March 12, beginning at 2:15 p. m.

There will be 15 minutes of organ music, and the program will start at 2:30. Everyone is urged to attend.

Miss Fern Walker, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Charles Walker of Broadlands, and Pvt. Charles Hood, son of Mrs. Frank Hood of Oakland, were married January 30, in the First Methodist Church, Albuquerque, New Mexico. Vows were read by Rev. James Braun, pastor of the church.

Attending the couple were Miss Harriet Foster of Attica, Ind., and Corp. Charles Whitcomb of Albuquerque.

The bride wore beige wool with brown accessories, and a corsage of red roses. Miss Hammond was dressed in white wool with black accessories, and a corsage of yellow roses.

Mr. and Mrs. Hood are both popular young people of the community and both were graduates of Longview High School with the class of 1939. Mrs. Hood is a registered nurse, receiving her training at Lakeview hospital, Danville, and was graduated on Jan. 19, 1943. The bridegroom, before his induction into the army, was associated with his brother, Lester, in Hood's Garage at Longview.

The bridegroom, who is stationed at Oxnard Field, Albuquerque, is on a 14-day furlough, and the young couple are visiting relatives here and at Longview.

### Mrs. Eva Boyd Entertains W. C. T. U.

The local unit of the W. C. T. U. met in the home of Mrs. Eva Boyd on Tuesday, March 9.

Mrs. Boyd conducted the business meeting in the absence of the president, Mrs. Ruth Henson, who was ill.

The devotional period was in charge of Mrs. Boyd, with Mrs. Elizabeth Frey assisting.

An article entitled "Alcohol in the War Emergency" was read by Mrs. Brewer; and one entitled "Can't Enforce Prohibition" by Mrs. Boyd.

The following octette, comprised of Lorine Hardyman, Jean Miller, Marilyn Miller, Sue Gordon, Lois DeWitt, Wanda Rayl, Vera Elliott and Patricia Boyd sang "The Rosary."

Delectable refreshments of cookies, coffee and nuts were served.

Members present were Mesdames Eva Collom, Eva Brewer, Hattie Dicks, Mary Dicks, Elizabeth Frey, Emma Jackson, Anna Laverick, Gladys McClelland, Leanna Miller, Tillie Schumacher, Anna Seeds, Faustine Smith, Mattie Utterback, Eva Walker and Eva Boyd.

The April meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. Maude Anderson.

### Lodge Meets Next Monday

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

Second degree work.

Harold O. Anderson, W. M.  
Edward Nohren, Sec.

### Market Report

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

No. 2 soy beans	.....	\$1.66
No. 2 hard wheat	.....	1.38
No. 3 white corn, new	.....	1.08
No. 3 yellow corn, new	.....	.93
No. 2 oats	.....	.60

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**Bombing For Invasion?**

(Christian Science Monitor)

Is the day-and-night hammering of Europe by British-American bombers the prelude to invasion? Surley it is, but a prelude may last for some time. Actual landings may not come until the softening up process has gone considerably farther. Moreover, the pattern of the bombing immediately before invasion probably would take on a somewhat different shape from that of the last few days.

The recent attacks upon ports might be useful in helping to free the Channel from small enemy craft of all kinds, but many harbors have been left untouched; the big attacks have been upon submarine bases. These attacks also might protect an invasion, but are almost as necessary now for one in July as for one in March. And some of the other bombing, as of Nuremberg, is difficult to understand as a help to immediate invasion.

Unless the British had notice of some particular bottleneck, or storage of especially valuable supplies there, bombs dropped on rail lines leading to an invasion port or on defensive airfields would appear more useful.

Of course, there may be diversions, to mislead the enemy. The landing points will hardly be disclosed by the pattern of bombing more than two days ahead of landing. But one of the main tasks in establishing a beachhead will be to destroy all the communications and supplies which could be used in quick counter attacks. A semi-circular bombing barrage 30 to 100 miles inland would be the natural pattern. And there may be a lull while the air forces are resting and munitioning for the big job of providing an air umbrella and air transport for the invasion.

Prelude? Yes, an indispensable one, a prelude that it may be wise to continue and which may rise in new crescendoes before the main show begins.

**Allied Air Power**

One of the most encouraging aspects of the war at present is the evident permanent superiority of Allied air power on all battle fronts. This superiority consists not only of a greater number of planes than the Axis, but also in the higher skill of our airmen.

Airplanes turned the tide against Rommel after his initial defeat of American ground forces in Tunisia. They are responsible for most of our successes in the Pacific, where our harassment of the Japanese is now almost continuous. Even Russia appears to have more than held her own against the Luftwaffe in recent months.

The air raids of the RAF and Americans over German targets in Western Europe have reached an intensity far beyond anything hitherto known in aerial warfare. More than 30 raids in February were climaxed by the heaviest attack ever made on Berlin, in which nearly 1,000 tons of bombs were dropped.

It is only recently that American airmen have begun to get into action on a large scale in Europe, because of the great number we have had to distribute throughout the world for defensive purposes, in addition

to offensive action against Japan. Now that our defensive needs have been provided for—in the United States, Hawaii, Alaska, Panama, Iceland and elsewhere—more and more planes will become available for offensive purposes.

As our air forces become stronger, those of the Axis are being weakened, according to competent observers. The question is being asked: Where is Germany's once overpowering air strength? Some have been of the opinion that Hitler is keeping a large number of planes in reserve for a mighty stroke at an opportune time, but this seems improbable. He will hardly need air power more urgently than in the last three or four months, during which time he has failed to make a strong aerial offensive anywhere.

While the Germans have taken a terrific hammering in Europe, they have been unable to make more than a few relatively minor raids over Britain. The Allies have had air superiority in Africa since last summer, and this contributed greatly to Rommel's defeat in Egypt and may do the same thing in Tunisia. Hitler's plane losses in Russia have run into the thousands, although what air strength he may have there at present is unknown.

Within a few months Allied air power should not only be superior but positively overwhelming everywhere, and this may well be the decisive factor in the war.

**Sidelights**

The Ferdittee family of Braintree, Mass., can lay claim to an army of its own. When Robert Ferdittee, 17, joined the Marines the other day, he told recruiting officers that he had seven brothers in the army, one in the Navy and one in the Marines. There are 24 children in the family, 14 boys and 10 girls.

Steve Vasilakos is dead. Steve was the the most famous peanut vender in the world. For more than 30 years, Steve has had his peanut stand across the street from the White House grounds and had seen all the Presidents from Roosevelt I to Roosevelt II come and go. Born 58 years ago in a Greek town near the site of ancient Sparta, Steve was acclaimed the "common man of the year" by Greeks meeting in New York last December. He has sold more than \$50,000 in war bonds from his stand on Pennsylvania avenue.

The many jokes we hear on the shortage of meat and the high prices charged for what is available, was no joke to Roscoe Whaley of Kansas City. Whaley entered the grocery of Joe Panarisi and inquired the price of a small piece of pork. Upon being advised of the price, Whaley promptly fell to the floor in a faint. The groceryman anxiously used all his first-aid knowledge to revive his prospective customer and apologized if his quotation had been the cause of the fainting spell. All was cleared up when Whaley, again feeling normal, explained that it really wasn't the price of the meat that caused the trouble but that he was subject to fainting.

A boy and his dog—there's nothing like it. And so it was with three-year-old Kenneth Eugene Slagle, Jr., of Somerset, Pa., who wandered three miles from his home one night recently when the weather registered below freezing. Off into the Allegheny Mountains the youngster wandered—but his faithful collie dog went along. When his disappearance was discovered, state police and six volunteer fire companies began a search for the boy. After six hours he was found, safe and uninjured. The dog had dug a hole in the ground in which his young mas-

ter could lie, protected from the bitter cold wind. The boy and his dog were found snuggled happily against each other.

**Do You Know Illinois?**

By Edward J. Hughes  
Secretary of State

Q. What is the present area of Illinois?

A. It is 56,665 square miles.

Q. What was the membership of the First General Assembly?

A. Fourteen Senators and 29 Representatives.

Q. What was the tenure of office of the first members of the General Assembly under the Constitution of 1818?

A. Representatives were elected annually and Senators for a term of four years.

Q. What were the powers of the Governor under the 1818 Constitution?

A. Pardon and reprieve; nomination to the Senate of all offices whose choice was not otherwise prescribed by law; Commander-in-chief of state army, navy and militia.

Q. Who were the first U. S. Senators for Illinois?

A. Ninian Edwards and Jesse B. Thomas.

Q. Who was Illinois' first representative in Congress after admission to the Union?

A. John McLean, for whom McLean county is named.

Q. What were some of the penalties prescribed by the Criminal Code of 1819?

A. For hog stealing and altering marks, \$50 to \$100 fine and 25 to 39 lashes; for defacing brands a fine of \$5 plus the value of the animal and 40 lashes if a first offense and by branding for the second offense.

Q. What was one of the dictating factors behind the Criminal Code of the early days of the state?

A. The inadequacy of funds to provide proper jails led to the laying of fines on malefactors and whipping as punishment when fines could not be collected.

Q. What was behind the removal of the state capitol from

Kaskaskia to Vandalia?

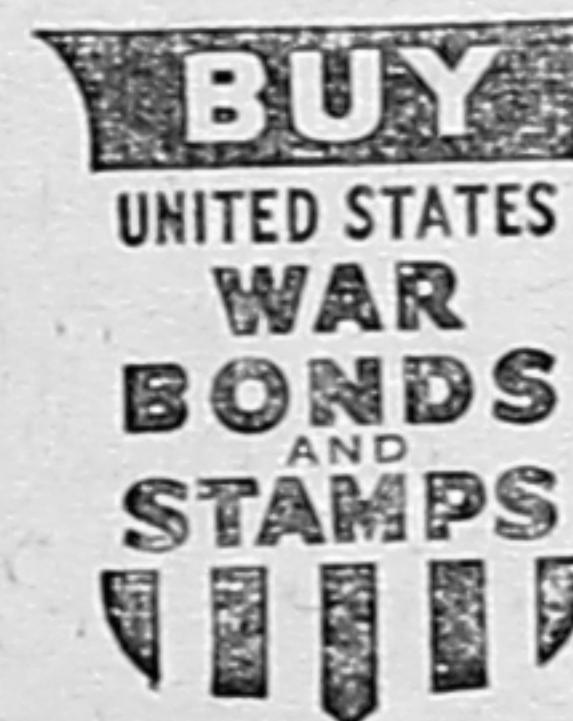
A. One of the prime factors was speculation in land, one of the favorite "get-rich-quick" schemes of the time.

Q. What and where was the Icarian Colony?

A. A group of French Communists. Settled in 1849 at Nauvoo in Hancock county, which had been vacated by the Mormons.

Q. What became of the Icarian Colony?

A. The experiment succeeded at first, but a majority rose against the leader, A. Charles Cabot, and repealing the act of incorporation, removed to St. Louis. A few remained, but the spirit of the community was broken and in 1859 the property was disposed of.



The poster shown above is another in the series calling the attention of school children to the parallel between safe habits practiced by the armed forces and those which should be practiced by the children. The March "Victory Hero" poster is being distributed to more than 38,000 classrooms in the Illinois and Indiana territory of the Chicago Motor Club. The motor club directs many appeals for safe pedestrian practices to children of school age because the children not only are more careful themselves but are likely to carry the safety lessons home to other members of the family.

Charlie Claims that he is a self-made man. Really? What interrupted him?

This new 35-mile speed limit will mean a great saving. Yes, in more ways than one. A pedestrian now has an even chance of out running a car.

Why are you going steady with her? Because she's so different from

all the other girls I know. How's that. She'll go with me.

Wife—Think of it! Here's a couple who got married after a fifty-year courtship.

He—I suppose the old fellow was too weak to hold out any longer.

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We who are free and independent farmers—how would we like to live and work with such terrible odds against us? That is

why, as we sell our crops and milk and eggs, we must buy Bonds. We must buy Bonds to the full limit of our ability.

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### Getting Up Nights Makes Many Feel Old

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### Household Hints

To oil a door lock, dip key into oil and turn several times in lock.

A little salt added to the last rinse water will prevent clothes from freezing on the line.

A few cranberries added to applesauce when cooking will give it a delightfully new flavor.

Rub a bit of melted paraffin on a snowshovel before using it, to keep the snow from sticking.

Heavy brown paper may be used as a pressing cloth. Sprinkle with water and iron until dry.

If a fruit pie runs out in the oven, sprinkle salt over the spilled juice and the oven will not become filled with smoke.

When liquid glue has hardened so as to be unfit for use, try softening it with a bit of hot vinegar.

If shredded coconut becomes too dry to use, soak it in milk for a few minutes. Then drain and use.

Corn meal sprinkled on felt or furs and then brushed off briskly, will leave hat or garment clean and freshened.

If garden tools are stored in a small box in which a little lime has been placed, they will not rust.

To stretch the fingers of washable kid gloves when cleaning, place a curling iron in each finger and it will be easy to bring back to the original size.

Photographs that have become soiled may be made to look like new by washing them with a piece of white cotton wadding dipped in cold water. Do not use colored cotton and never use soap or ammonia—just the cold water.

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We are engaged in a war to save our American tradition of liberty and opportunity for ourselves and our children. Our leaders have committed us to become the arsenal of democracy; to furnish food for our allies; through our lend-lease to help finance the Allied war machine and, finally, to raise and equip an army of some 10 million men.

Any one of these jobs is a tremendous undertaking. We are thousands of miles from the theater of war, and this involves tremendous problems of transportation. All of these jobs together will tax every resource of the United States. Already we face rationing and priorities in our materials and acute shortage of manpower, and a burden of taxes which indicates our financial resources are strained to the utmost.

Of a certainty, we must have complete unity if we are to do this job, and face the postwar future with hope and confidence.

American industry, agriculture and finance must use to the maximum the productive power, initiative and intelligence latent in every American.

#### No Time or Place for Drones

There must be no drones hidden away on public payrolls, engaged in peacetime experiments which are useless under the emergency of war. Every branch of the sole purpose of fighting and winning this war. Our government, both local, state and national, should inspire and lead in the support our civilian population gives to the war effort. Unnecessary civic expenditures, surplus payrollers, useless economic and social experiments have no place in a war emergency.

The new Congress is tackling this job with a will and a purpose. Those Congressmen are our representatives and we, the people, should support them to the limit. Right now they are trying to bring some order and efficiency in the prevention of excessive profits in war contracts by the Army, Navy and Maritime Commission. The present law, passed by the old Congress, provides for a "renegotiation" of their war contracts by each department.

#### New Bureaus Not Needed

There are over three million of these contracts. Not more than 5 per cent will show any excessive profits after taxes have been paid. The ordinary man on the street would say that the Internal Revenue Department can easily discover any excess profit from any war contract. Certainly we can use the manpower that would be wasted to much better advantage in other places.

We, the people, want Congress to adopt the most direct, efficient and economical method of doing this job. None of us believes in excess profits on war contracts. There are ceiling prices on most things we produce. Now let's get at the job of cutting down unnecessary civic expenditures and cutting unnecessary payrollers off the payroll.

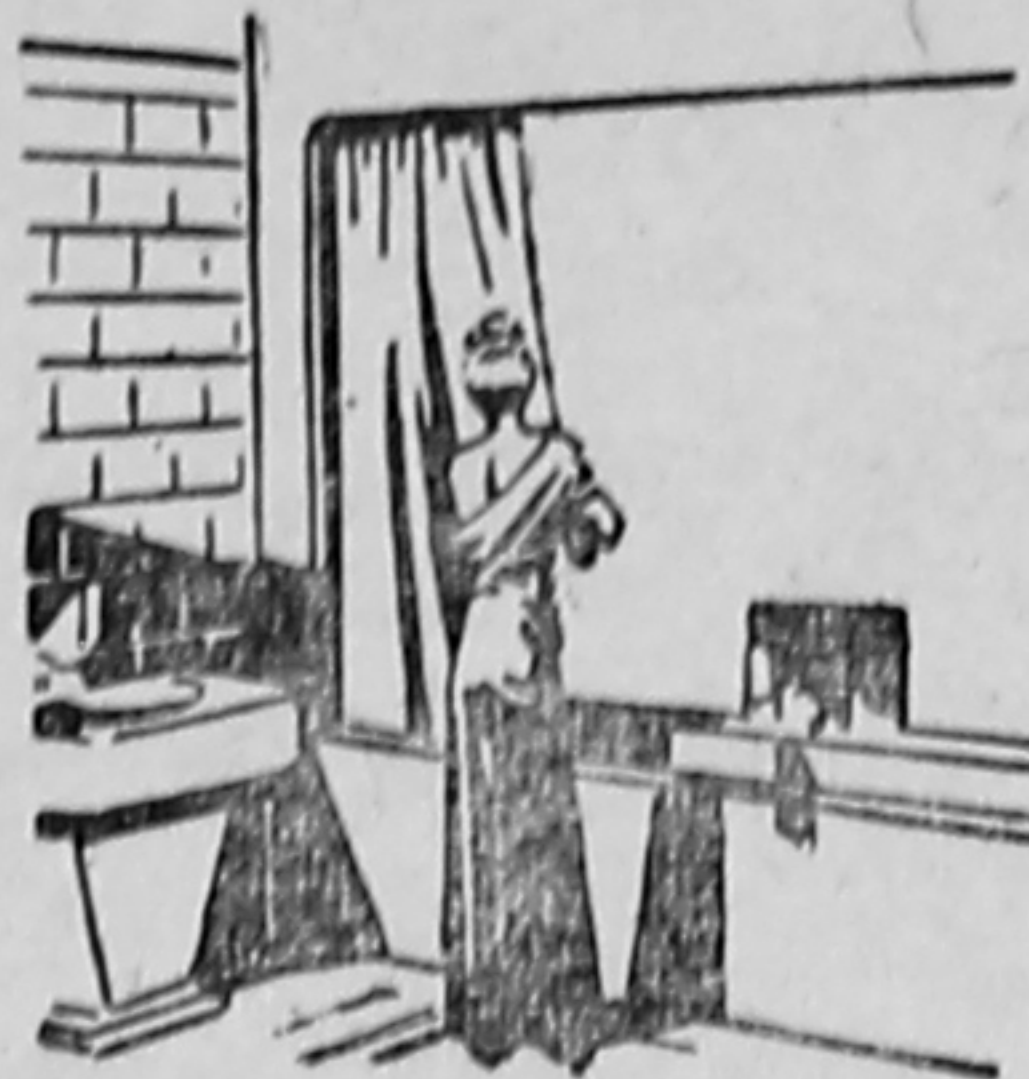
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### Silver Belt Buckle

By V. YARDMAN

Associated Newspapers, WNU Service.

AFTER listening to Cy Vesta's story of the hold-up, Sheriff Jim Kohr got into his ramshackled, topless car and drove out toward Temple Valley. Vesta had said that the bandit was masked, neatly dressed in a light gray suit and wore a silver belt buckle. "He wasn't any one I'd seen before," the banker stated. "He came in at noon when Brig was out to lunch, paused in the entry way, I suppose, to slip on his mask, then stuck a gun under my nose. He trusted me up, helped himself from the cash drawer. I watched him remove the mask when he reached the entry, unbutton his coat and slip his gun into his hip pocket. I must say he was pretty cool and matter-of-fact about it all."

It was the silver belt buckle that set Sheriff Kohr to thinking. There was only one man living anywhere around Shapleigh who would wear a silver belt buckle. That was young Clark Eldridge, Jake Eldridge's son. Jake owned the Triangle E, and Clark had graduated from the state university that spring and had come home to live with a lot of high ideas in his head.

Clark was sitting on the veranda reading a book when the sheriff drove up.

"Your pa home, sonny?"

"No one's home, but me. Why?"

"An' you ain't got nothin' to do but sit around readin' books, eh?"

"If it's any of your business, I'm reading up on law. Dad wants me to take a P. G. in law this fall."

"Git your coat, you're coming with me."

"What for?"

"You'll find out. Git your coat or I'll take hold of yuh."

Clark went into the house and came out again wearing his coat.

"Has anything happened to my dad?" he asked.

Jim stared at him. Sight of the boy all dressed up gave him a new train of thought.

"No," he said, speaking less harshly, "your pa's all right, as far as I know." On the drive back to town, Kohr said: "The bank was robbed this noon. Cy Vesta's description of the man that done it fits you perfect."

"What? Why, I don't even know Cy Vesta. I never saw him in my life. Tom Hardy was in the bank when I went away."

"All the same, Cy described you pretty perfect."

"Pshaw!" said Clark, more amused than alarmed, "you're wasting your time with me, and mine, too."

Sheriff Kohr made no further comment. There was a multitude of thoughts running through his mind, among them the decision to have a talk with Jake Eldridge about this boy of his. It wasn't good for a boy to hang around home doing nothing but read books.

The bank had closed for the day when Sheriff Kohr and his companion reached town, but Cy Vesta's admitted them through a side door. The banker looked sharply at Clark.

"This looks like the chap who held you up, Cy?" Sheriff Kohr asked.

Vesta nodded without a moment's hesitation. "That's him. That's the suit he was wearing. I'd recognize it anywhere."

Clark Eldridge lighted a cigarette. "I suppose," he said, "you're Vesta, treasurer of the bank. And I suppose you're also accusing me of robbing your bank." He blew smoke through his nose. "Do you mind my telling you you're crazy as a loon!"

Vesta bristled. Sheriff Kohr said: "Hold on a minute, Cy. There's one or two more questions I want to ask. In your description of the bandit you said he wore a silver belt buckle. That's what made me suspicious of young Eldridge. He's the only dandy around here who would wear a silver belt buckle. Clark, unbutton your coat and let's see what you hold up your pants with."

Clark started to protest, then changed his mind. He unbuttoned his coat, revealing the silver belt buckle.

"That's it!" Vesta exclaimed exultantly. "I'd know it anywhere."

"Humm," said the sheriff. "That suit Clark's wearing is a double-breasted affair. You couldn't see the buckle 'less his coat was unbuttoned."

Vesta looked blank. "Well, what about it?"

"Nothin', except that you explained to me how the bandit paused in the entry to slip off his mask. You also said he unbuttoned his coat and slipped his gun in his pants pocket. Now if he unbuttoned his coat, he musta had it buttoned, and if he had it buttoned you couldn't see the belt buckle. Which leads me to think, Vesta, you're a dirty liar and that you stole the money from your own bank and hatched up this story involving an innocent kid. Do you want to argue?"

Clark accompanied Sheriff Kohr and his prisoner to the jail. After Vesta was locked up, the officer said: "Clark, I'm coming out to talk to your pa one of these days about you. A kid like you shouldn't be sittin' around readin' an' nothin' more. Folks is apt to try an' make a sucker out of you."

Clark grinned. "Thanks, Sheriff. But be careful my dad or some one else, like Vesta, doesn't make a sucker out of you."

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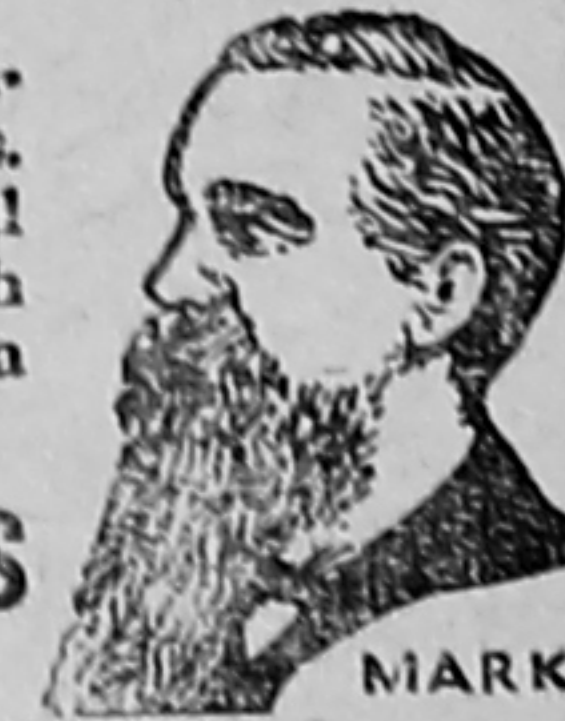
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**Local and Personal**

Mrs. John Sailor is confined to her home with chicken pox.

Malcolm Pigg was home from Joliet over the weekend.

Miss Inez Schweineke, Lake View hospital, Danville, spent the weekend with home folks.

Miss Faye Porterfield has purchased the Fitzgerald property on the north side of town.

Lt. Hal Warner of Camp Custer, Mich., spent the weekend in the home of his mother, Mrs. Dophia Warner.

Local Masonic lodge had first degree work last Tuesday night. There will be second degree work next Monday night.

The Misses Dortha Stuebe and Lois Zantow, of ISNU, Normal, spent the weekend with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Oye and daughter, Mary Lee, of Tuscola were Sunday visitors in the home of Mrs. Belle Smith and family.

Miss Beulah Gore was home from Indianapolis over the weekend. She will leave March 16 for Seattle, Wash., where she will work in a branch office of the firm in Indianapolis with which she has been employed for the past eleven years.

The Harold Andersons have purchased the property of Miss Anna Clem in the west part of town, and expect to occupy the same as soon as the present tenants, the Clarence Bergfelds, can find another place of abode. The Oscar Limps of northeast of town will occupy the property which will be vacated by the Andersons. Philip Limp is the owner of the place.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar David entertained at a 12 o'clock dinner Wednesday in honor of Max David, Gunners' Mate, U. S. Navy, who is home from Alaska for a week's furlough. Those present to enjoy the bounteous meal were Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Bretz, and son Louis, daughter Zella Mae, of Villa Grove; Miss Irene Smith of Allerton; Mr. and Mrs. Arch David, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Rayl, daughter Wanda, Mrs. John Paul Rayl, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Coryell, daughter Ethel Mae, and Max David.

**Plan Meetings For Farmers By Districts**

Meetings of farmers in each of the 200 school districts of Champaign county will be arranged between Friday and March 19, according to plans made Saturday by members of the county wartime extension education program planning committee.

Township chairmen and co-chairmen, meeting with J. E. Harris, farm adviser, and Mrs. Esther K. Thor, home adviser, in Farm Bureau hall, discussed topics to be presented to communities.

Committee members for Ayers township are Jess Ward, Mrs. Emil Schumacher; Raymond township, Henry K. Mohr, Mrs. Arthur Wilson.

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**Retirement of Bond to Cut County Tax**

(News-Gazette)

Retirement of the last of the original \$2,500,000 county highway bond issue by May 1 will bring the 1942 Champaign county tax rate down to 65 cents on the \$100, County Treasurer Willard Goodman explained Monday. Rate for 1941 was 75c on the \$100.

A refunded \$250,000 highway issue is still outstanding, Goodman said, but will be paid off within the next five years.

Urbana continues to pay the highest school tax rate in the county. The 1942 rate is \$2.63 on the \$100 with an additional 10-cent tax for the working cash fund. Lowest rate, 23 cents, is to be paid by residents of District 57, Tolono township. School tax for the non-high school district dropped from \$1.25 to \$1.08. Other township tax rates for 1942 are: Ayers, 85; Raymond, 10; Sidney, 38; South Homer, 63.

**Long View News**

Patsy Hood has returned to school after several days illness due to arthritis.

Mrs. Laurence Keefe was hostess to the L. S. L. Club, Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Cleo Dollahan, the former Lois Warnes, of Pekin, is recovering from a severe illness, in a Peoria hospital.

Forrest Martinie is at home after spending eight months as a welder in the Kaiser shipyards at Vancouver, Wash.

Charles Martinie, Indianapolis, and Miss Nellie Thomas, Broadlands, were supper guests in the F. L. Martinie home, Friday of last week.

Perry Melvin Todd was commissioned a second lieutenant in the army of the United States on March 2, when he successfully completed the officer training course at Ft. Benning, Ga. Lt. Todd, son of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Todd of Longview, was inducted into the army March 7, 1941, serving with the 19th Coast Artillery, holding the rank of corporal. He entered officer candidate school three months ago.

A fellow has to be a contortionist these days to pull through. He has to keep his back to the wall and his ear to the ground. He must keep his chin up, his nose to the grindstone and put his shoulder to the wheel. He must keep a level head and both feet on the ground.

**Goodman Mails Payments For Stock Killed By Dogs**

(News-Gazette)

County Treasurer Willard G. Goodman has just completed the annual task of reimbursing livestock raisers for animals lost from attacks by dogs during the year ending on March 1, 1943. Sheep are the principal sufferers.

The tax money dog owners pay each year goes into a separate fund for the payment for animals killed or injured by dogs and if enough money is not collected to pay the claims they are apportioned. What is left over, if any, goes into the general fund of the county.

The following is the way the claims were paid by townships: Ayers—Elmer Pugh, \$46; Russell Potter, \$92; Arthur Struck, \$166.10.

Raymond township—Alfred Seider, \$16; Russell Smith, \$16; Henry Kilian, jr., \$26.

What is your name, please? asked the precinct worker.

Maggie Dugan. And your husband's name? Dugan, like my own.

But what is his full name?

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