



News Items of 12 and 20 Years Ago

April 7, 1933

Misses Anna Clem and Margaret Gore were Ogden visitors.

A baby son arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Moser.

Misses Wilma Messman and Hilda Zenke were home from Charleston over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Maxfield and baby of Villa Grove visited in the Clark Henson home.

Mrs. Avery Henson and daughters of Champaign spent the weekend in the A. E. Reed home.

Gayle Potter, Jessie Witt and John Richard, who were attending Allerton High School, were absent due to illness.

Sneak thieves entered the Philip Limp home while the family were at church and took \$2.55 from two children's banks.

20 Years Ago

April 3, 1925

Mrs. Margaret Russell of Mattoon arrived for a visit with friends.

Misses Blanche Busick and Beulah McCormick were Danville shoppers.

Mrs. Lyda Griest, Misses Florence Kesterson and Helen Smith were Danville shoppers.

Mrs. Edna Harrison of Champaign spent the weekend with relatives here.

Roy Harvey and Lawrence Mast were given a dinner at the Elva Harvey home, the occasion celebrating their birthdays.

Immanuel Lutheran Church

P. E. Kerkhoff, Pastor

Sunday School—9:30.

Morning Worship—10:15.

Sermon: "Jacob's Wrestling a Reflection of Things to Come."

We believe that Christianity is still the saving salt of nations, and that the faith, hopes and service of Christianity, as personalized in our Lord Jesus Christ, are the one undimmed Light of the World, that shines out into all the ages.

St. John's Evangelical and Reformed Church

Carl E. Hartwig, Pastor

Sunday, "Quasimodogeniti," April 8.

Sunday School at 9:40, Carl Zenke, Superintendent.

Divine Service at 10:45.

Sermon-subject: "What are the Fruits of the Resurrection of Our Lord?"

After the morning service the quarterly meeting will be held.

On Monday night the Young People's Class will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kilian.

Thought for the week

What are the marks by which a Christian can be recognized? The seven basic virtues that distinguish Christian character are: Faith, hope, love, courage, patience, sincerity and humility. These traits are perfectly exemplified in Jesus, and we can strengthen them in our lives by daily home devotions.

About The Boys In The Service

(Contributions to this column will be appreciated)

Rex Thomas went to Springfield, Monday for physical examination, having enlisted in the navy.

Elmer Pugh has just received a letter from his son, Sgt. Lowell Pugh, who is now somewhere in France. Max, his other son is now located on Saipan in the Marianas.

Word was received by relatives that Pfc. Vernon Greenwell of the 133rd N. C. B. Co. of the U. S. C. B.'s was wounded in action on Iwo Jima. Greenwell is the son of the Bert Greenwells of Chicago, former residents of Broadlands, and a grandson of Mrs. Olive Benefiel.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Henson entertained the following relatives at dinner Sunday evening in honor of Smith Hamilton who is entering the service: Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Powell, Salem; Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Griffith and children, Fairland; Mr. and Mrs. Edward Maxwell and children, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Crain and children, Mrs. Ella Maxwell.

Pfc. Bryce Hardyman, Champaign, son of the Ross Hardyman, former residents of Broadlands, is visiting his parents and other relatives on a 45-day furlough from the Pacific area. He was on duty with the coast guard in Honolulu for two years. He participated in the battle for Saipan, and has been stationed there since.

Chaplain James Ferris of the U. S. Navy paid The News office a pleasant call Monday. He has been chaplain with the U. S. Air Corps at Cherry Point, N. C., and Walnut Ridge, Ark. After brief visits in Broadlands, Longview and Evanston, he will be driving to the West coast. His new duty will be on the U. S. S. Wasp, a large type carrier with the Pacific fleet.

Mr. and Mrs. Labon Eddy had as dinner guests, Sunday, in honor of Pvt. Oliver Eddy who left on Wednesday for Fort Meade, Maryland: Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Eddy of Danville; Mrs. Gladys Cadle and children, Kenneth, Margaret and Elsie, of Ogden; Mr. and Mrs. Merton Eddy, sons Bobby and Earl of Longview; Dale O'Bryant, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Eddy and children, Danny, Dennis and Patty. Evening callers were Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hesser and children, Byron and Janie of Logansport, Ind.; Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Rush and daughter, Jo Ann of St. Joseph.

U. B. Church Notes

Dale Mumaw, Pastor.

Sunday School—10:00.

No church this Sunday.

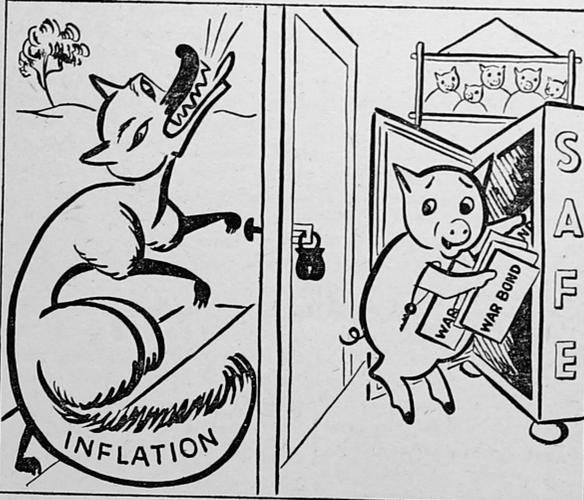
"The Victorious Life Crusade" in the Longview U. B. Church under the leadership of Evangelist G. E. Vinaroff is progressing very well. Sixty-three were in attendance on Tuesday evening to hear a stirring message on "The Need for the Way to Have a Revival."

Methodist Church Notes

Sunday School—10:00 a. m.

Sunday, April 15, will be Rally Day.

No! No! You Can't Come In



Buy an extra War Bond for protection against the wolves of inflation.

Happy Birthday To You!

The News wishes to extend "Happy Birthday" greetings to the following, whose birthday anniversaries occur on the dates given:

- April 1—August Oye
- April 2—Mrs. Russell Potter
- April 2—Mrs. Herman Struck
- April 2—Mrs. Lucy Sullivan
- April 2—Jean Miller
- April 3—Ray Boyd
- April 3—Bill Eckerty
- April 4—Michael Schumacher
- April 4—Sandra Lee Elliott
- April 4—Alberta Hardyman
- April 4—Clarence Kraft
- April 5—Mrs. Delbert Smith
- April 6—Mrs. Gladys Walker
- April 6—Melvin Struck
- April 6—W. E. Green
- April 7—F. A. Messman
- April 7—Mrs. P. E. Kerkhoff
- April 7—Mrs. Lula Pearson
- April 8—Paul Thode
- April 8—S. A. Howard
- April 9—Carl Benschneider
- April 10—Marjorie Messman
- April 12—Donald Eugene Limp
- April 13—Eloise David
- April 13—Adolph Anderson
- April 13—Mrs. M. F. Parks
- April 15—Mrs. Merle Crane
- April 15—Alfred Thode
- April 16—Mrs. Virgil Reed
- April 16—Ruth Ann DeWitt
- April 16—John Thomas Golle
- April 16—Donald Lookingbill
- April 18—Graydon Griffin
- April 18—Mrs. Herschel Kerans
- April 19—Mrs. Philip Limp
- April 20—Lysle Brown
- April 21—Tom Dicks
- April 22—Eugene Ward
- April 24—E. L. Baldwin
- April 24—Dale Edward Eckerty
- April 24—Alvin Windler
- April 24—Wallace Warnes
- April 25—Mrs. Wallace Warnes
- April 25—Edna Schumacher
- April 25—John O'Bryant
- April 25—Mrs. F. A. Messman
- April 27—Mrs. Russell Young
- April 28—Joe Smith
- April 29—Mrs. Harold Anderson
- April 29—Joyce Gore
- April 29—Malcolm Pigg

To Open Dump Ground On Saturday, April 7

Effective Saturday, Apr. 7, the local dumping grounds will be open all day for four consecutive Saturdays.

By Order Village Board.

Your attention is called to ad of Baldwin's garage in this issue.

Carolyn Marie Schumacher Is Baptized on Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Schumacher and Miss Edna, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schumacher and family, spent the week end with Mrs. Emil Schumacher's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Blemker, in Huntingburg, Ind.

Carolyn Marie, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schumacher, was baptized Sunday morning in the Methodist church by Dr. N. G. Talbott. The grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Blemker were sponsors. The baby was baptized in a dress which her father had worn when a baby.

Celebrate 27th Wedding Anniversary on Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Peterson celebrated their 27th wedding anniversary, and also the 39th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Shumake of Atwood, and Mrs. Shumake's birthday, with a dinner Sunday, at the Peterson home. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Shumake, Mrs. Elizabeth Elston, Aletha Mae Elston, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Peterson and family.

Will Blacktop Streets

The Village Board of Trustees met in regular session Tuesday night, paid all bills, and passed a resolution to blacktop eight blocks of streets. The project will cost \$1700.00 and the bill will be paid with motor fuel tax funds.

Undergoes Major Operation

Mrs. Anna Neal was taken to Mercy hospital, Thursday of last week for observation and treatment. She underwent a major operation on Wednesday of this week.

Roll of Honor

The following is a list of those who have renewed their subscriptions and new subscribers for this paper for March:

- Lt. Gaile Warner, % P. M., San Francisco, Calif.
- Mrs. Lydia Brown, Champaign
- Mrs. Donald Scott, Danville
- Mrs. Edith Burt, Minneapolis, Minn.
- Mrs. Rosetta Williams, Elgin
- Pvt. Loyde E. McCormick, % P. M., San Francisco, Calif.
- Max Seeds, Seneca
- Norman Seider
- Vernon Luth
- Mrs. Lena Nonman
- Hans Biesterfeld
- John M. Smith

Place your news items in our mail box.

Miss Mildred Neal Is Bride of Luther Ward Broadlands Lodge Celebrates Anniversary

Luther G. Ward, of Bellflower, and Miss Mildred Neal, daughter of Mrs. Anna Neal, Broadlands, were married on Wednesday afternoon, March 28, in the Mattoon Methodist parsonage. Rev. J. Fred Melvin officiated, using the single ring ceremony.

The couple was attended by Mrs. Gladys Walker, sister of the bride, and Joe Ward, brother of the bridegroom.

The bride was attired in spring blue with white accessories and a corsage of roses and sweet peas. Mrs. Walker wore an aqua print with blue accessories and a corsage of roses and sweet peas.

Rev. and Mrs. Melvin gave a dinner for the wedding party following the ceremony.

The couple will make their home on a farm northeast of Bellflower.

All Republican Candidates Elected Without Opposition

All Republican candidates were reelected in Ayers township last Tuesday. The Democratic side of the ballot was blank. Hence, there was no opposition to the Republican ticket and little interest. Sixty-nine ballots were cast.

Those elected were as follows: R. M. Astell, assessor; Harold O. Anderson, town clerk; B. H. Thode sr., justice of the peace; F. A. Dicks, member board of managers of the community building for a term of six years; Harold O. Anderson, member of board of managers of the community building for a term of two years.

All candidates elected are incumbents with the exception of Mr. Dicks, who was elected for the first time.

The Emil Schumachers Entertain Royal Guards

The Royal Guards class of the St. John's Evangelical church met on Tuesday evening, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Schumacher.

Mrs. Howard Mohr led the devotions. Henry Kilian had charge of the business meeting, which was followed by a social hour.

Refreshments consisted of salad, chicken sandwiches, potato chips and coffee.

Members present were Messrs. and Mesdames Edward Nohren, George Dohme, John Nohren, Karl Partenheimer, Louis Frick, Howard Mohr, Clarence Kilian, Henry Kilian, Emil Schumacher.

Results of Election In Raymond Township

Longview—Supervisor Merton F. Parks, Republican, won reelection easily, defeating J. T. Arwine, 213 to 94. All other Republican candidates also won in Raymond township.

Other results were: Town clerk, Willard Maxwell, R., 203; Henry Keefe, D., 106; assessor, O. H. Hedrick, R., 215; C. R. Bergfield, D., 91; Justice of the peace, D. A. Smith, R., 222; no opposition.

The Allerton youth center is celebrating open house, Thursday, April 12, from 3 to 5, and from 7:30 to 10:30. There will be entertainment and everyone is invited.

Friday, March 30, was a gala day for Broadlands Lodge, No. 791, Ancient Free and Accepted Masons, when it celebrated its 55th anniversary, observed Past Masters' Night and awarded 50-year pins to three of its members.

Those awarded 50-year pins were Messrs. Harlan W. Six, Harry Allen and the late A. A. Cable. The award of the 50-year pin, given posthumously to Mr. Cable, was received by Ronald Cable, a son, who is also a member of the local lodge. Past Master George Cook made the presentation of the pins in a very pleasing manner.

Twenty of the 24 living past masters were present, each receiving a red carnation. Worshipful Master A. A. Zantow presented the carnations with a few choice remarks to the brethren.

Past masters present were: Harry Allen, W. A. Cooley, Carl B. Dicks, Geo. H. Cook, Edward H. Nohren, Fred J. Mohr, Ralph B. Allen, Earl C. Roller, John M. Moore, Joe F. Darnall, Oscar P. Witt, John A. Bruhn, Kenneth T. Dicks, John F. Nohren, Clark T. Henson, Henry K. Mohr, Lyman F. Mohr, Roy V. Davis, Harold O. Anderson and Elmer W. Mohr.

Past masters not present were Joe E. Johnson, H. K. Allen, Walter W. Witt, and John Telling.

The program started at 2 o'clock p. m. and concluded at 10:30, with three candidates being given the third degree. There were 106 Masons present to witness the work.

There were 114 in attendance at the banquet given by the Order of the Eastern Star in the community building.

U. B. Ladies Aid Meets With Mrs. Freda Maxwell

The Ladies Aid of the U. B. Church met Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Freda Maxwell. The meeting was opened with Mrs. Olive Benefiel in charge of the business session.

Devotions were conducted by Mrs. Thelma Clem, the subject being "God's Gardens," in keeping with Easter. Mrs. Jessie Archer read the scripture.

Singing was led by Mrs. Juanita Eckerty, who also sang "In the Garden of Tomorrow."

Following the meeting refreshments were served consisting of fresh strawberry sundaes, angel cake and coffee.

Members present were Mesdames Jessie Archer, Olive Benefiel, Jessie Bergfield, Ruth Henson, Leona Bergfield, Hattie Dicks, Thelma Clem, Ella Maxwell, Olive Rayl, Belle Smith, Dophia Warner, Zermah Witt, Erma Wood, Juanita Eckerty, Freda Maxwell, and Rev. Dale Mumaw.

The May meeting will be held with Mrs. Ruth Mumaw, Longview.

Market Report

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

No. 2 soy beans	\$2.10
No. 2 hard wheat	1.58
No. 2 white corn	1.15
No. 2 yellow corn	1.06
No. 2 oats	.72

We want your news items.

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL Lesson

BY HAROLD L. LUNDQUIST, D. D.
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Lesson for April 8

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THE BOOK AND THE FAITH

LESSON TEXT—Psalm 145:10-17.
GOLDEN TEXT—The word of the Lord endureth forever.—1 Peter 1:25.

Christians are the people of one book—the Bible. They read and use other books, but the book is God's Word, and everything else must be in accord with its teaching.

In this blessed Book they find the only revelation of God's saving grace. Other attributes of God may be found in the book of nature. There we find that God is powerful, orderly, wise, etc., but nowhere in nature is it written that God can save a man from his sin. We find that only in the Bible, God's written Word as it reveals Jesus Christ the Saviour who is the Living Word.

I. The Eternal Glory of God's Kingdom (vv. 10-13).

The kingdom of God refers to His reign over all things and beings, but with special reference to those who are willingly subject to Him and eager to live for His glory.

Everything in God's creation is to be lifted up in praise of that kingdom. All His works shall praise Him. They reveal Him in part, but even that limited revelation is glorious. The man who cannot see God in nature is indeed a dull clod. The heavens declare His glory and the earth shows forth His handiwork (Ps. 19:1).

Greater and more precious in God's sight is the praise of His saints. Dumb adoration is acceptable only from a dumb creature. We, His saints, are to speak His praise, to "bless" Him (v. 10). We are to spread abroad among all men (v. 12) the news of God's greatness and goodness.

"His kingdom is an everlasting kingdom," and thus it at once takes its place as so superior to what men call kingdoms as hardly to be mentioned in the same breath. There is no limit to God's kingdom either in its extent or its duration.

How stupid then that some, yes many, foolish men and women set themselves up in rebellion against God. That is the height of all folly and leads only to disaster. How wise are those who yield their lives to His control that their little span of life may find rich meaning in the One who endures forever.

II. The Abundant Provision of God's Mercy (vv. 14-16).

We are all completely dependent on the mercies of God for everything that we need for life—physical, mental, and spiritual.

Consider the food for the body. God opens His bountiful hand and every living creature is provided with the food necessary for its sustenance. How this is accomplished is a mystery and a marvel to us, but God is able to do it.

Centuries ago men were fearful that the earth could not produce enough food to keep the increasing population of mankind alive, but God sees to that even when He has to do it in spite of man's waste and destruction.

However, life is not just material. There must be a satisfying of man's spiritual nature. He needs someone to save him from his own sinful weakness, to deliver him from his sorrow and affliction. Who can do this but God? And He does it (see v. 14).

How does He do it? Through the ministry of His Holy Word. Therein man finds salvation and satisfaction. The Bible is the light that shines upon his way. It is his comfort in sorrow and his strength in temptation. It exhorts and encourages, convicts and cures.

How endless and how overflowing is the mercy of our God. Let us "wait upon" Him, knowing that He is not only mindful of our need, but eager to do for us more than we can ask or think.

III. The Saving Power of God's Grace (vv. 17-19).

The Lord, who "is nigh unto all them that call upon him" (v. 18), is able to save because He is "righteous in all his ways and holy in all his works" (v. 17). Only a just and holy God can deal with sin, and yet only a merciful God would provide redemption; but in our God mercy and truth meet (Ps. 115: 1; Ps. 103). He is both "just and the justifier of him that believeth in Jesus" (Rom. 3:26).

He it is who is near to all that "call upon him in truth" (v. 18), and surely it is such a calling on the Lord which is in mind in Romans 10:13, where we read that "whosoever shall call upon the name of the Lord shall be saved."

Notice that God's nearness, His salvation, and His fulfillment of the desires of man are for those who call on Him and who "fear Him" (v. 19). This is not a matter of magical use of a name, or an outward profession of faith. It must come from the heart, and when it does, God responds.

So we find God's word to be the source of our instruction concerning those things which can make us wise unto salvation (II Tim. 3:15). It is the Book of our faith!

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Iwo Jima's High Cost

To capture eight square miles of volcanic rock and ashes on Iwo Jima, the U. S. Marines paid the heavy price of 19,938 casualties—4,189 killed, 15,308 wounded and 441 missing.

As virtually all those listed as missing on this small island may be presumed to have lost their lives, American dead doubtless reached a total of 4,630.

The Japanese casualties on Iwo Jima are estimated at more than 21,000, nearly all being dead, as few prisoners were taken.

It is natural that many have wondered whether any means could have been found to capture this small island without such heavy cost. With our present weapons and methods of warfare, it is unlikely that a better plan than that actually employed was possible. The island was subjected to aerial bombing for more than 70 days, and by shelling by our warships for many hours before a landing was made. All this apparently had little effect on the Japanese fortifications, which provided underground shelters that could not be penetrated.

As at Tarawa, Saipan, Guam, Peleliu and elsewhere, the enemy had to be destroyed principally by hand-to-hand combat. And considering the strength of the Japanese defenses the wonder is that our losses were not greater.

The great value of an air base on Iwo Jima already has been demonstrated. Even before the battle was over, B-29 Superfortresses damaged in raids over Japan, and which could not have made it back to Saipan, were landed safely on Iwo.

When Iwo's airfields are fully developed, the distance that our planes must fly to reach Japan will be cut in half, and our bombers will have fighter protection. This can mean more frequent attacks with heavier bomb loads, and a great reduction in the percentage of planes lost.

While the cost of Iwo Jima was distressingly high, its capture was the most important single victory of the Pacific war up to this time.

Why Shoes Are Scarce

Some facts intended to explain why the present shortage of shoes for civilian use may continue for a considerable time are given in a recent statement by the Department of Commerce, after a survey of the situation.

Although the amount of leather tanned last year was 8 per cent greater than in 1939, the number of leather shoes produced was 11 per cent less. Here is the reason:

Men's oxfords take about two and one-half square feet of upper leather per pair, and shoes worn by women and children take one and one-half square feet or less. But the Army service shoe takes four square feet of upper leather, and a pair of combat boots takes almost twice that amount.

Therefore, the number of pairs of shoes produced for the armed forces contains enough leather to produce nearly three times as many pairs of civilian footwear. Approximately 50,000,000 pairs of military shoes were made on government contracts in 1944.

The shortage of leather for civilian footwear during the war has been partly offset by the out-

put of other types of shoes, which has increased from 72 million pairs in 1940 to 150 million pairs in 1944, these being to a large extent unrationed. In 1940 leather footwear constituted 82 per cent of the total produced, while in 1944 the percentage had decreased to only 68.

Fortunately, dealers' shelves were exceptionally well-stocked when rationing began, but this reserve now has been reduced about 45 per cent. The Department concludes that there is little prospect of an early easing of shoe rationing.

"Time to Time" Shortages

Civilians may continue to expect food shortages "from time to time" as a result of multiplying military and lend-lease needs, but these shortages will not be serious if farmers repeat their record productivity and if Americans plant victory gardens and do as much home canning as possible, Marvin Jones, War Food Administrator, declares. There is need for all of the meat and milk and vegetables and grains and dozens of other foods that the nation's farmers can produce, Jones said. Farmers are being asked to plant more acres to crops this year. Farmers and their wives as well as older people and children on farms are working to the limit of their ability, and the help of city and townspeople will be needed in addition to meet this year's needs. He said the surest way to assure a full supply of fruits and vegetables for home use is to grow a garden and do as much home canning as possible.

Sidelights

The midnight curfew certainly has far reaching implications, judging by the question asked curfew authorities in New York by a young lady of that city, who wrote: "I'm going to be married. Is it all right to celebrate after midnight?"

The proposal made to Congress by Rep. Fulton to let wives visit their mates on the fighting fronts all over the world has met with varied response. When a certain GI on the Western front was told of the proposal he hastened to remark: "Leave them home. One war is enough!"

The best answer we have seen to the question: "Why doesn't Germany surrender?" comes from Chrisier Jaederlund, Swedish newspaper correspondent just returned from Naziland, who says: "Today the Germans are fighting on because they feel they are postponing a situation which appears to them even more terrifying than the war itself." Maybe so, maybe so.

Here's a list of "don'ts" for wives or prospective brides of GI's returning from the Pacific theater of war: Don't suggest taking a trip to the seashore—that's all he's seen. Don't mention going on a picnic—that's the way he's had to enjoy his meals. Don't scramble his eggs—they'll remind him of dried eggs. Don't serve canned luncheon meats—he knows too much about them. Don't suggest going to a picture show—at least for awhile. He has seen most of the pictures several times. But the biggest don't is—don't disappoint him by throwing cold water on his plans. He has made a lot of them and he's expecting you to co-operate fully and completely.

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War Bond Dollars Are
DOUBLE DUTY
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Women IN THE CHURCH
by Mary Fowler

Mrs. Francis B. Sayre, wife of the former American High Commissioner to the Philippines, is chairman of a committee to assist in reorganizing the work of the Young Woman's Christian Association in Manila. The National Board of the Y. W. C. A. has voted an increase of budget for help to Manila; members of the Board have made personal contributions; and Filipino members of the Y. W. C. A. in Honolulu have given \$1,000. It can now be revealed that during Japanese occupation of Luzon Island, the Y. W. C. A. assisted stranded foreigners and Filipino students; had a center near the concentration camp at Capiz, Tarlac, to help 50,000 men imprisoned there; conducted a center in Guadalupe, Rizal, for war orphans and widows; and devised ways for the people to earn their own food supplies.

Remove Scorch
If the threads of the material are not too badly charred to "take it," scorch is simple to remove. On long-nap woolen garments, dry brush the stain to remove charred fibers. On white wool and silk, moisten the area with peroxide weakened with 50 per cent water and place garment in sun. This procedure should be repeated until the spot is gone. Colored fabrics should first be tested, where possible, to see if the color can withstand the peroxide which, for such fabrics, should be diluted by more than 50 per cent. Don't place colored fabrics in sun. Flush peroxide out with water.

It's best to begin at the bottom unless one happens to be a well digger.

A human skull with horns was found in Oregon. Maybe Old Nick is dead at last.

Remember Pearl Harbor!

We sometimes think we are killing time, but as a matter of fact it is time that kills us.

Dear Contributor—When you have any news items for this paper, we kindly ask that you make our Wednesday noon deadline, if possible.

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What a 4-H Club Daughter Taught a "War Worker" Father

"MY DAUGHTER HELEN came home the other day with the nicest dress she's ever had. She made it herself, as a 4-H Club project. I was mighty proud, and told her so."

"Do you know what this represents?" she asked with a twinkle in her eye. "It represents \$18.75 I didn't have to pay out of my egg money, and therefore it means another War Bond toward going to school."

"She taught me a lesson, all right. Guess I'd been thinking too much about the things that can't be done today, instead of all the things that can."

It's our part in this fight to keep the home front going with as little spending as possible, so that most of the country's money and productive strength can go into planes, ships and guns to win the war.

For instance, you can invest in War Bonds the money you would normally be paying out for new machinery—machinery you can't get today. Then you'll be ready for the day when new equipment will be on the market again.

War Bonds thus serve a double purpose. Today they buy "fighting tools" for our boys. Tomorrow they will help to "re-tool" the farm.

Thousands of owners and tenants on farms and ranches all over the country are already salting down their money in War Bonds against their future needs. Join them. Put every dollar you can spare into your future. Do it with War Bonds!

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Teacher (to dumb student)—That's just about as clear as mud—that answer you gave.

Student—Anyway, it covers the ground.

Teacher—What is the wife of an Indian called, Jimmy?

Jimmy—A squaw.

Teacher—And what is an Indian baby called?

Jimmy—A squawler, I guess.

First Little Girl—I wonder why silk is more 'spensive than wool?

Second Little Girl—I guess its cause it's a lot more trouble to shear the little silk worms than the big sheep.

Old Lady—Where did those large rocks come from?

Tired Guide—The glaciers brot them down.

Old Lady—But where are the glaciers?

Tired Guide—They've gone back after more rocks.

I suppose, Willie, you're going to be a great man when you grow up.

You bet! I'm going to be an explorer.

That's the right spirit. There's a great deal of glory in a career of that kind.

Yes'm, and you don't have to wash your face unless you want to.

A negro minister preached a sermon on King Solomon and his 600 wives and concubines. After the sermon one of the deacons came forward with a question.

Parson, he said, I wants to know something mo' about dat bible story. What do dat word concubine mean?

Well, my good friend, said the parson, in the Greek language that am de word for stenographer.

Notice of Village Election

Public notice is hereby given, that on the 17th day of April, 1945, at the Community Building in the Village of Broadlands, in the County of Champaign and State of Illinois, an election will be held to elect the following officers of said Village of Broadlands:

One President of the Board of Trustees to serve for a full term of four (4) years.

One Clerk of the Board of Trustees to serve for a full term of four (4) years.

One Police Magistrate to serve for a full term of four (4) years.

Three Members of the Board of Trustees to serve for a full term of four (4) years.

Which election will be opened at 6:00 o'clock in the morning and shall be closed at 5:00 o'clock in the evening of that day.

Dated at Broadlands, Illinois, this 29th day of March, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-five.

O. E. Gore,
Village Clerk.

Household Hints

A bottle of furniture polish on a clean dry mop works wonders on polished floors.

Weather stripping the doors of closets and cupboards will keep out dust.

To prevent apple skins from wrinkling when baking, slit the skins in three or four places.

Remember that rayon, cotton and linen goods will shrink more lengthwise than crosswise.

One cup of sugar will sweeten one quart of any mixture which is to be served cold or frozen.

Always open canned fruit an

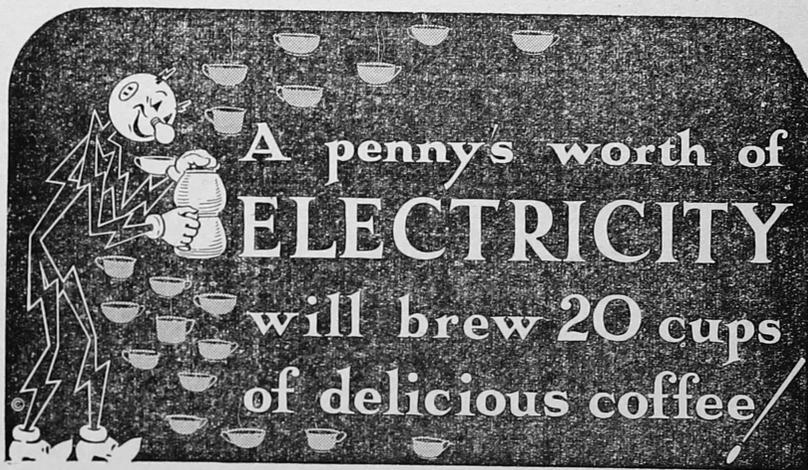
hour before serving. Fruits become richer in flavor after they have absorbed oxygen.

To keep patent leather protected, rub on vaseline regularly, wiping away any excess with a soft cloth.

To prevent rocking chairs from traveling, glue a narrow strip of velvet on the part of the rocker touching the floor.

Meat should not be salted before cooking. Salt after the surface has been seared and the meat partly cooked.

Noah sure could have saved the world a lot of trouble if he had put his foot on the bedbug when it was going in the ark.



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Lieut. R. D. Bost, Frankfort, Ind., smiles after rescue by a Navy "Catalina" 150 yards from the Japs when his plane was hit, pinning him 40 feet under water. War Bonds paid for the plane that saved his life.
U. S. Treasury Department

THE OLD JUDGE SAYS...



"That's news to me, Judge. From the way some people talk you would think it was at least 50%."

"No, Clem, there's the statement right here in the paper...from authorities who have made an exhaustive study of the subject. Only about 5% of the people who drink occasionally abuse the privilege... 95% drink sensibly."

"No wonder you say it wouldn't be fair to take the privilege away from the other 95%, Judge. I agree with you."

"I can't see it any other way, Clem. No

more than I could see taking automobiles away from everybody because a few drive recklessly and have accidents. Or preventing the making or sale of cake or doughnuts because some folks eat too much and get indigestion."

"In the case of spirit beverages, the answer is one of education and better control."

"As a matter of fact, the responsible members of that industry are working constantly toward that end. They don't want folks to abuse the use of their product any more than we do."

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Local and Personal

Mrs. Chloe James and grandson Darrell Eckerty of Dana, Ind., spent the weekend here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Dalzell and family visited the Bruce Rankins at Oakland, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy White and family of Danville were Sunday guests in the Ora Miller home.

Miss Sara Sue Dicks spent the weekend with the Kenneth Dicks family at Arthur.

Mrs. Neva Crain of Chicago spent the week end here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Monroe and family and Mrs. Neva Crain were Sunday dinner guests of the Dwight Browns, Allerton.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Johnson and daughter, Miss Marjorie, of Danville were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Laverick.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Block of Alton visited in the home of Mrs. Emma Block over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Cronkite of Villa Grove visited the Raymond McClellands Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Potter and son, Ernest, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Potter at Allerton.

Miss Beulah Gore of Indianapolis spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Gore.

Byron Struck was home from Alton to spend the Easter vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Struck.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gerike visited in the Herschel Kearns home at Villa Grove, Thursday of last week.

Mrs. Alvin Zenke entertained at dinner, Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Seider and children, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Zenke and children.

Rev. and Mrs. Dale Mumaw and daughter, Shirley, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Eckerty and children were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Bergfeld.

Misses Maxine Henson, Dortha Stuebe and Lois Zantow returned to Normal Monday after spending the Easter vacation with home folks.

C. T. Henson, chairman of the Red Cross War Fund drive in Ayers township, informs us that he has received \$35 since our last week's report of the drive. This means that Ayers township contributed \$154.25 more than its quota. The total amount contributed was \$884.25.

The James Davids, who had been residing in the northeast part of town, removed to the Philip Limp farm south of Sidney last week. The place is known as the Fitzgerald farm and was purchased by Mr. Limp some months ago. The best wishes of their many friends will accompany them to their new home.

Mrs. Hattie Dicks entertained at dinner, Sunday, in honor of Tom Hobbs, who expects to join the navy soon: Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hobbs, daughter, Barbara, and Miss Mary Wells of Indianapolis; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Dicks, Arthur; Miss Isabelle Krugh, Homer; Mrs. Eva Colium, Champaign; Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Dicks and children, and Carl Dicks.

Longview News

(Thelma D. Kraft, Reporter)

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bengston spent a few days with their son, Earl, at Thomasboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wienke of Cayuga, Ind., were visitors in the Sam Kincanon home Sunday.

Clarence Churchill received a German watch last week from his son, S-Sgt. E. C. Churchill.

Pfc. Horace Fansler, U.S.M.C., informs his parents that he is located in the South Pacific.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wade spent

Friday with relatives in Champaign.

Mrs. E. E. Fansler spent the weekend with her uncle, D. P. Akers in Indianapolis.

Miss Mary Gillenwater was operated on for appendicitis, Tuesday at Burnham hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kraft and daughter spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Kraft, Sidney.

Mrs. Sam Kincanon and infant son, Dennis Paul, returned home Sunday from Jarman hospital, Tuscola.

Chaplain and Mrs. Ralph Martin spent several days with relatives and friends at Chicago and Dwight.

Robert Warnes left Saturday for a visit with his daughter, Mrs. Kenneth Hanley and family at Colusa.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Dyar entered the Dunne nursing home in Champaign Wednesday for treatment.

Chaplain Ralph Martin will hold a service at the Methodist church Sunday at 3:00 p. m. The public is invited.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Daniels, Mrs. Russell Smith and daughters spent the weekend with the Robert Cresaps at Seymour.

Mrs. James Shunk was hostess to Loyal Workers of the Christian Church on Wednesday afternoon with nine members present.

Mrs. Alice Hanley returned to her home Sunday after spending several months with her sister in St. Louis and with the Cletus Hanleys at Lovington.

The Christian Endeavor held a business meeting in the U. B. church Monday night, after which an Easter party in charge of Jas. Hagerman was enjoyed.

Miss Jane Jarman substituted at the high school Monday for Miss Marian Bonney who was called to Staunton by the death of her grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. James Guthrie entertained Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Walsh of Champaign, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kincanon of Villa Grove at dinner Easter Sunday.

Mrs. Thelma McDaniels was hostess to the Stitch and Chatter Sewing Club Thursday with nine members present. Miss Ada Paine was winner of a contest.

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Starkey of Pesotum; Mrs. Grace Elvidge, Mrs. June Goodwine, of Urbana; Miss Frances Howard of Pekin; Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Mohr and

daughter were Sunday guests in the S. A. Howard home.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Collins have been informed that their son, Master Sergeant Clyde Collins, has been awarded the bronze star medal "for effectively defending a command post of the combat command during the American fight against spearheads of the German winter counter-offensive." He won the silver star last October for heroism in battle near Metz.

The Longview community, together with representatives from various churches of the Broadlands and Longview communities served a buffet supper at the U. S. O. in Champaign Sunday evening to about 350 service men and women. The menu was chicken or beef and noodles, deviled eggs, pickles, rolls, homemade cookies, milk or coffee. Both military and management, were more than pleased with this special Easter day contribution.

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Fri. & Sat., April 6-7
Gail Russell, Diana Lynn
Our Hearts Were Young and Gay

Sun., Mon. & Tues., April 8-9-10
Bob Hope in
The Princess and The Pirate
with Virginia Mayo, Walter Slezak, Walter Brennan.

Wed., Thur., Apr. 11-12
Ronald Colman, Marlene Dietrich in—
Kismet
M-G-M's Technicolor Triumph.

Fri. & Sat., Apr. 13-14
Another Great Drama!
Alan Ladd, Loretta Young
And Now Tomorrow
with Susan Hayward and Barry Sullivan.

Shows Start—Midweek, 8:00; Sat. 7:00 and 9:00; Sun. Continuous 3 to 11.

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Directors and Officers of C. I. P. S. Co. Elected

Springfield, Ill., March 28.—Directors and officers of the Central Illinois Public Service company were elected at the annual shareholder's meeting held at noon March 28, in the Illinois building followed immediately by the meeting of the board of directors.

The eight directors of the company are: William F. Gerdes, Quincy; Henry F. Milligan, Mattoon; F. E. Kruesi, Chicago; Willard Bunn, Edward F. Kelly, L. A. Magraw, A. D. Stevens and Roy B. Tulpin, Springfield.

The officers re-elected by the board of directors are: L. A. Magraw, president; Edward F. Kelly, vice president; Roy B. Tulpin, vice president, secretary and controller; H. M. Parker, treasurer; Oliver H. White, assistant secretary and auditor; Charles M. Fox, assistant secretary and assistant auditor; C. C. Bredehoff, assistant treasurer; and R. C. Sloan, assistant treasurer.

Place your news items in our mail box.

Gem Theatre
Villa Grove - Illinois

Thur. & Fri., April 5-6
Dick Powell, Claire Trevor, Anne Shirley—

Murder My Sweet

Saturday, April 7
2 Features
Chester Morris, Nancy Kelly

Double Exposure
Allan Lane in
Sheriff of Sundown

Sun., Mon. & Tues., April 8-9-10
Judy Garland, Margaret O'Brien, Tom Drake and Mary Astor in—

Meet Me In St. Louis

Wed. Only, April 11
Warner Baxter, Hillary Brooke, Jerome Cowan—
The Crime Doctor's Courage

Thur. & Fri., April 12-13
Hedy Lamarr, George Brent, Paul Lucas in—
Experiment Perilous

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For Sale—About five tons of baled straw. Mrs. Margaretha Kracht, Broadlands.

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Village of Broadlands, County of Champaign, State of Illinois.
Election Tuesday, April 17, 1945.

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For Village President <input type="checkbox"/> C. D. McCormick	For Village President <input type="checkbox"/> Oliver M. Coryell
For Village Trustees (Vote for Three) <input type="checkbox"/> C. T. Henson <input type="checkbox"/> O. H. Thode <input type="checkbox"/> L. E. Skinner	For Village Trustees (Vote for Three) <input type="checkbox"/> James R. Skinner <input type="checkbox"/> Roy Hurst <input type="checkbox"/>
For Village Clerk <input type="checkbox"/> O. E. Gore	For Village Clerk <input type="checkbox"/> Alvin E. Monroe
For Police Magistrate <input type="checkbox"/> Carl Coddington	For Police Magistrate <input type="checkbox"/>

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