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## News Items of 12 and 20 Years Ago

Mar. 21, 1935

Pete McCormick was ill with pneumonia.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gerike.

Fritz Thode was driving a truck for the Diamond Oil Co. in Champaign.

Miss Mabel Block of Longview and Albert Nonman were united in marriage at the Immanuel Lutheran parsonage.

Members of the G. T. Club entertained their husbands at a potluck supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Cook.

Miss Alice Anderson was injured in an automobile accident while returning home from Danville with some friends.

20 Years Ago  
March 25, 1927

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hurst of Longview.

Mark Moore and O. E. Anderson were Danville visitors.

Miss Helen Warner of Bailey Station spent the weekend here with her mother.

Misses Frances Walsh, Pearl Clester, Maude Block and Leathie Anderson entertained at a miscellaneous shower in honor of Miss Florence Kesterson, bride-elect.

### Immanuel Lutheran Church P. E. Kerkhoff, Pastor

9:30—Sunday School.  
10:15—Divine Worship.  
Sermon: "How Great is Jesus Christ?"  
Lenten Service (Wednesdays) 8:00 p. m.  
Sermon: "Overestimating Physical Suffering."

Seven young people have completed the three year course in the Chief Parts of Christian Doctrine. They will cheerfully give answer to what they hold to be true in the Service of Public Examination. The more formal confession of faith (Confirmation) will take place on Palm Sunday.

### St. John's Evangelical and Reformed Church Carl E. Hartwig, Pastor

Sunday School at 9:40. Raymond Kilian, Superintendent.  
Divine Service at 10:45.  
Sermon: "Remember Jesus Christ."

### Methodist Church Notes W. H. Loyd, Pastor

Church School—10:00. Harold Smith, Supt.  
Worship Service—11:00.  
This Sunday is being observed as a special gift day for Cunningham Home sponsored by the WSCS. Everyone is urged to bring a gift of canned goods, or something suitable for the children in the Home.

LONGVIEW  
Church School—10:00. Miss Clara Warnes, Supt.  
MYF—5:30.  
Worship Service—7:00.  
Conversation Group 7:30 Mar. 25, at Don McQueens.

## Mrs. Robeka Taylor Is Hostess to Home Bureau

The March meeting of the local unit of the Home Bureau was held on Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Robeka Taylor, with Mrs. Thelma Clem as assistant hostess.

Roll call was answered by 19 members. Mrs. Leona Bergfield was a guest.

Mrs. Lola Kincanon, 4-H chairman, gave a report on 4-H Club work. Mrs. Neva Frick, reading chairman, gave a report on books in the Champaign Co. library.

Mrs. Lois Beatty gave a report on glove making, and it was planned to meet Tuesday, March 25 in the United Brethren church basement for all day glove making, the meeting to start at 9:30.

Each member making gloves is requested to bring one dish of food and sandwiches, for luncheon.

Mrs. Edith Woolverton and Mrs. Nola Donley gave the major topic, "Understanding Ourselves and Others, and Heredity." Mrs. Ruth Henson gave the minor topic.

Mrs. Ida Messman had charge of the music.  
The April meeting will begin at 2 p. m. and will be held at the home of Mrs. Frances Smith.

## Important Meeting at Longview Thursday, March 27

There will be a Community meeting at the Longview High School, Thursday, March 27, at 8:00 P. M. to discuss school consolidation. Come and bring your neighbor. Express your opinion now on this important subject.

### Card of Thanks

We wish to thank our kind friends and neighbors for their acts of love and sympathy during our recent loss of our loved one, and also extend grateful thanks for the beautiful floral tribute.

The Fogerson Family.

### U. B. Church Notes W. M. Robinson, Pastor

Sunday School—10:00. Mrs. Oscar Witt, Supt.  
No preaching service.  
LONGVIEW  
Sunday School—10:00. Charles Dyar, Supt.  
No preaching service.

## To Organize 4-H Clubs

The boys and girls of our community have an opportunity to belong to the 4-H club this year. The clubs are to be organized between April 1 and June 1, and the members must be 10 years old to enroll.

The following projects are available this year:

1. Dairy Products—preparation of dishes using milk and cheese, milk drinks, soups, desserts, baking.
2. Quick Breads—making muffins, biscuits, waffles, ginger-breads, etc.
3. Yeast Bread—making rolls and bread.
4. Ways of using fruit and vegetables—includes making salads and cooking vegetables and fruits.
5. Food Preservation—includes canning, freezing, salting and drying of fruits and vegetables.
6. Outdoor Meals—planning, preparing and cooking meals out-of-doors.
7. Clothing—making over garments, putting wardrobes in condition for next fall, making new garments.
8. Draped Dressing Table—make a draped dressing table by covering a chest, box, or an old piece of furniture.
9. Flower Arrangement—Selection of containers and arranging flowers for different occasions and making corsages.
10. Party-a-month—planning and directing games, etc., for parties.

There were 54 clubs with 595 boys and girls in 1946, the largest county enrollment in the state, and the clubs are sponsored by the Champaign County Home Bureau in cooperation with the State University and Department of Agriculture.

Mrs. Lola Kincanon is chairman of the 4-H Economics Clubs; Mrs. Ferne Nonman, assistant chairman.

Jess Ward is chairman of the Agriculture Club; Harold Anderson is assistant chairman.

Anyone wishing to enroll in any of these clubs should contact one of these persons or Mrs. Howard Clem.

Watch for organization date next week in this paper.

Springfield—State Auditor Arthur C. Lueder announced today that February payments for Old Age Pension in Illinois amounted to \$4,952,085.00.

## "Brother Goose" at Longview High School Soon

Brother Goose will be on stage at the Longview high school sometime in the near future when Don Turner assumes the role of head of the family and attempts to control his two unpredictable sisters and one girl-crazy brother. His chief accomplishment is to capture the heart of the true-silk saleslady, played by Delores Hedrick.

The part of 10-year-old Hyacinth, first team of the "Palace of Sweets Saber-Tooth Tigers," is played by Rita Bergfield, who handles the football well and practices her plays right on the stage. Hyacinth has a mind of her own and likes Eve but "wishes Lenore were dead."

Jeff's younger brother, played by Tony Bosch, is "hooked" by Southern charmer Eve, played by Shirley Smith. Lela Belle Partenheimer plays the role of Jeff's other sister, Carol. She spends most of her time writing limericks for box-top contests.

To round out the cast are: Marion Dohme, as the haughty Lenore; Dorothy McIntyre, as the sarcastic Mrs. Trimmer, owner of the Wee Blue Inn; Howard Block, as the fighting-mad truck driver; Evelyn Katterhenry, as the housekeeper who "quits;" and Betty Gerike, as the Negro maid.

### Entertain at Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Witt entertained Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Nohren, Mr. and Mrs. John Nohren, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bergfield, Mrs. Minnie Stearns.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Nohren entertained Sunday, Edward H. Rayl, Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Rayl, Metcalf; Mrs. Lillie Bowman and Mrs. Alice Struck.

Mr. and Mrs. John Nohren entertained Saturday evening, Edward H. Rayl of Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Rayl of Metcalf; Mrs. Lillie Bowman, Mrs. Alice Struck and little Jo Ann Nohren.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Brewer entertained at dinner at their home in Homer on Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Schweineke, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Schweineke and daughters, Newman; Mrs. Hannah Luth, Broadlands; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Stuebe and son, and Miss Margaretha Stuebe, Danville.

## Guy Nicholson, Former Newman Undertaker Dies

Tuscola—Guy Nicholson, about 55, former Newman funeral director, died at Dallas, Texas, on Friday. He had been ill since December.

The body arrived at the Wadlington funeral home in Tuscola on Monday, where services were held at 2 p. m. Rev. J. W. Armstrong, pastor of the First Methodist Church officiated. Burial was in the Newman cemetery.

Mr. Nicholson was a salesman for an undertaking firm. He was a member of the Masonic lodge and the Methodist church. He is survived by his wife, the former Fern Coolley of Mattoon, and a son, Jack, of Dallas.

## Mrs. Lula Pearson Is Hostess to L. W. Class

The L. W. Class of the U. B. Church met Wednesday with Mrs. Lula Pearson. Six members were present.

The meeting was opened by the president, Mrs. Olive Benefiel with the group singing "What A Friend." Mrs. Pearson, devotional leader for the month, took charge with all singing "The Way of the Cross Leads Home." The topic was "The Cross," and scripture was taken from Galatians 1, 3-4. The aim of the talk and object lesson was to teach that Christ died for our sins. He arose from the dead proving beyond a doubt that He is the Son of God, and that we must be on one or the other side of the Cross. We think of the Cross as a place of tragedy and suffering, in reality it is the open door to the Kingdom of eternal truth.

Mrs. Leona Bergfield offered prayer. Mrs. Belle Smith conducted very interesting contests. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Ella Maxwell. Mrs. Benefiel will lead devotions; entertainment in charge of Mesdames Leona Bergfield, Dophia Warner and Essie Shultz.

## Mrs. Helen Dalzell Is Hostess to Sew & So

The Sew and So club met on Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Helen Dalzell.

Vice President Mrs. Florence Watkins had charge of the business meeting. Roll call was answered by each member telling a comical incident which happened in their home.

Mrs. Hilda Seider was a guest. Members present were Mesdames Ethel Comer, Alyce Crain, Florence Watkins, Garnet Stutz, Margaret Rayl, Lola Lookingbill, Helen Dalzell, and Miss Nellie Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Massey and family of Chicago spent the weekend in the Arch Walker home. On Sunday Mrs. Walker accompanied them to Martinsville to the Roy Hammond home to help celebrate the 84th birthday of their mother, Mrs. Emma Massey. There were 35 present including two great-grandchildren. Mrs. Massey was presented with a lovely orchid by her granddaughter, Mrs. Hazel Block and husband, Raymond.

Mrs. Hattie Dicks returned home Saturday after a week's visit in the Kenneth Dicks home at Arthur.

## C. H. Daniels, 71, Longview, Dies Sunday

Funeral services for C. H. Daniels, of Longview, who died Sunday at Jarman hospital, were held Wednesday at 10 a. m. at the home. Burial was in Lynn Grove cemetery with Dicks Bros. of Broadlands in charge.

Mr. Daniels was found unconscious by the side of his car at the grade school about 10 o'clock Sunday morning, and was taken to Jarman hospital where he passed away at 5:40 p. m.

C. H. Daniels, son of Baldwin and Mary Daniels, was born Feb. 6, 1876, at Sidell. On Feb. 4, 1903, he married Miss Daisy Duncan of Longview. In 1919 they moved to a farm near Longview, and several years later moved to their present home in Longview. To this union two daughters were born, Mrs. Russell Smith, Longview; and Mrs. Robert Cresap, Seymour, who survive. He worked as a carpenter and took care of the grade school building.

He leaves his wife; two daughters; three grandchildren, Shirley and Frances Sue Smith, and Bruce Cresap; a nephew, Ross Duncan of Chicago, who lived in the Daniels home until he married; a brother, Luther, of Danville; three sisters, Mrs. Elizabeth Ellis, Decatur; Mrs. Alice Griffin and Mrs. Callie Fletcher, Claremore, Okla.

## Mrs. Logan Akers Hostess to Missionary Society

The Fairfield Missionary society met at the home of Mrs. Logan Akers on Wednesday afternoon.

The meeting was opened by the president, Mrs. Jas. Church. Mrs. D. F. Freeman led the devotions, reading the 13th chapter of Corinthians, and a paper on "Love."

Mrs. Don McIntyre gave an interesting paper, and a talk on religious schools and work among youth of many nationalities.

During the social hour delicious refreshments were served. The April meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. Don McIntyre.

## Miss Baker "Capped" In Burnham Rites

Miss Joan Baker of Homer, one of eight students enrolled in the Julia F. Burnham school of nursing, was officially "capped" Friday night, March 7, in a ceremony in the Champaign First Methodist church.

The student nurses were honored after completing the first six months of training in the three-year course. They now will be permitted to wear nurses' caps in their immediate study of operating room and maternity procedure.—Homer Enterprise.

### Special Announcement

The W. S. C. S. wishes to remind everyone to bring their gifts of eggs, clothing, money, canned goods etc., for the Cunningham Home to the special service this Sunday morning.

### Market Report

Following are the prices offered for grain on Thursday in the local market:  
No. 2 yellow beans, new...\$3.75  
No. 2 hard wheat, new...2.75  
No. 2 white corn, new...1.65  
No. 2 yellow corn, new...1.52  
No. 2 oats...83

LEADING CAUSES OF DEATH FROM DISEASE IN VARIOUS AGE GROUPS

Age Groups	5-14	15-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64
1st	Heart Diseases	Tuberculosis	Tuberculosis	Heart Diseases	Heart Diseases	Heart Diseases
2nd	Pneumonia	Heart Diseases	Heart Diseases	Cancer	Cancer	Cancer
3rd	Appendicitis	Diseases of pregnancy, etc.	Cancer	Tuberculosis	Cerebral hemorrhage	Cerebral hemorrhage
4th	Tuberculosis	Pneumonia	Diseases of pregnancy, etc.	Nephritis	Nephritis	Nephritis
5th	Cancer	Nephritis	Pneumonia	Pneumonia	Tuberculosis	Diabetes
6th	Nephritis	Appendicitis	Nephritis	Cerebral hemorrhage	Pneumonia	Pneumonia
7th	Congenital malformations	Cancer	Cerebral hemorrhage	Syphilis	Syphilis	Tuberculosis

Source: U. S. Census Bureau, 1943

Tuberculosis is curable when found in early stages and treatment is started promptly. Early TB gives no warning. The best way to make sure TB germs are

not damaging the lungs is by chest x-ray. Free chest x-rays are available at 505 South Fifth Street, Champaign, on Wednesdays, 1 to 4, and Saturdays, 9 to

11. This service is financed by the sale of Christmas Seals by the Champaign County TB Association.



**IMPROVED  
UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL  
SUNDAY  
SCHOOL Lesson**

By HAROLD L. LUNDQUIST, D. D.  
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Released by Western Newspaper Union.

**LESSON FOR MARCH 23**

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**PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN BROTHERHOOD**

**LESSON TEXT**—John 17:1-11, 20-23.  
**MEMORY SELECTION**—And now I am no more in the world, but these are in the world, and I come to thee, Holy Father, keep through thine own name those whom thou hast given me, that they may be one, as we are.—John 17:11.

The voice of the Son of God lifted in audible prayer! What could be more sacred and more blessed? He who had by act and example taught his disciples loving service (John 13), and had spoken to them words of comfort and assurance (John 14-16), now prayed for himself, for them, and for us.

While he spoke most intimately with the Father as his only begotten Son, he prayed aloud that his disciples might hear his prayer and join with him in it.

This prayer is often called the high-priestly prayer of Christ, and rightly so, for here the "one mediator between God and men, the man Christ Jesus" (I Tim. 2:5) spoke as "the High Priest of mankind who begins his sacrifice by offering himself to God with all his people" (Godelet).

First we find that he prayed for himself as he spoke of

**I. Salvation Finished—Then Glory with the Father (vv. 1-5).**

He looked up and said, "Father," that was all. No struggling, no pleading, just the recognition of his own divinity, his intimate and unique Sonship to God. Throughout this entire prayer the same close relationship is found. It was not as we would pray "Our Father," but "Father."

Jesus was the Son of God. Yes, he was and is God. He and the Father are one in blessed eternal, infinite unity. But as he is in the Father, we who believe are in him. So the poet well says:

"Near, so very near to God,  
Nearer I cannot be,  
For in the person of His Son  
I am as near as he."

This divine Redeemer, who laid down his glory when he came to earth (Phil. 2:7, 8) to be a Saviour, was now ready to take up that glory again. He spoke of the work of salvation as completed—for in his obedient soul the death on the cross which was just ahead was already accomplished.

Now he was ready for the Father to glorify him even as he had glorified the name of the Father. That prayer was answered, and Christ now sits at the right hand of the Father in heaven. What a glorious Saviour we have!

His prayer was soon turned to those who had believed in him. They were precious to him, for they were given to him by the Father.

**II. Out of the World—Then Kept by the Father (vv. 6-11).**

There is something powerfully assuring to the believer to read the words of Jesus which declare that these who had believed on him had been given to him by the Father. They belonged to the Father, and he gave them to the son. They kept the Word of God, and thus they knew the Son as the manifestation of the Father's name. What could be more certain for time and eternity!

Note that they were taken "out of the world"—that does not mean that they left this earth. They lived here as we live here, but they were delivered from that evil world power which opposes God.

Some professed Christians who find their greatest delight in fellowship with the Christ-rejecting world had better read carefully here, for it appears that the one who is truly in Christ is not "of the world."

These disciples had to remain in the world (though they were not of it!) and they needed to be kept. Now that the earthly ministry of Jesus was to be brought to a close, he tenderly placed them anew in the Father's mighty hand. Again we say, what could be more blessedly secure than that!

We must note that our Lord had a special interest and prayer for his own. Verse 9 obviously does not mean that he is not interested in all mankind. He died for them (John 3:16). But here his prayer was for his own, and in that prayer the world was left out. That makes us feel still more assured in him. He, the blessed Son of God and only Saviour, prayed for me, for you!

The closing words of verse 11 reach out into the third petition of our Lord, as he prayed for their

**III. Unity in Christ—Then Testimony to the World (vv. 20-23).**

The verses between the foregoing division and this one (vv. 12-19) are important. Our Lord was concerned about the hatred of the world for those who had received the Word of the Father, and yet he would not have them taken out of the world. They were to be his witnesses—even as we are to be in our day. They must remain in the world; but being one in Christ and sanctified through the truth, they were to be kept for God and used by him.

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**The Mill Beside the River**

The pale golden dust of cornmeal clung to everything, weighted the spiderwebs in the dusky corners of the mill, dusted the grey fur of the mice that gnawed holes in the grain sacks, filmed the whiskers of the fat cat that hunted there, and laid a gentle mark on all who came through the prairie wilderness to do business at the mill. For the grist mill beside the river was the vital pulse of a scattered community. Cabins were far apart; the prairie grass grew tall and the forests were deep, but always there were rutted trails that led to the nearest mill. Here folks could have their corn ground into meal and their wheat into flour to last them through the winter. At the saw mill, which usually operated near the grist mill, they could have logs sawed into boards to bring a higher standard of living to the cabin life of the wilderness.

Many families lived miles away from the nearest mill. It became a day of high adventure therefore, when the growing boy of the family, scrubbed and polished, sat astraddle the fat old mare, with a bag of shelled corn balanced across the saddle. But sometimes the trip to mill was too far and through rough and dangerous country, so that a boy could not be sent alone. Then the man of the house went to mill and because there was no place to stay, camped out over night. It was this need for lodging that caused inns and taverns to be built near the mills. And often a village grew up around the nucleus of the mill and its patrons.

In just this way New Salem originated, when James Rutledge and John Cameron came up from Kentucky and in 1829 built a grist mill on the bank of the Sangamon. Back a distance on the slope was a saw mill. Mill customers could spend the night at Rutledge's tavern on the hill, and many liked the hilly place so well that they came back and built cabins in the new village. The mill was a colonizer, the mill dam an agent in making history. For it was the New Salem mill dam that delayed the flatboat from Sangamo Town, upriver, which resulted in Abraham Lincoln, pilot, finding a job in New Salem.

Most of the old mills of Illinois are gone, but at New Salem, rebuilt by the State of Illinois, there is a careful restoration of the Rutledge-Cameron mill beside the Sangamon, and the big carding mill in the village.—The Living Museum.

**Russia's Aims Clear**

On the very first day of the Moscow conference, Foreign Commissar Molotov proposed that the Chinese question be taken up, although the avowed purpose of the conference was to try to reach an agreement on peace treaties for Germany and Austria. This move on the part of Molotov was obviously another attempt to obstruct and delay the principal work of the conference.

It is only another indication of Russia's determination not to cooperate with the Western Powers in any sincere effort to settle the disposition of Germany and Austria, the most vital matter now before the nations.

Events before and since World War II have made Russia's aims clear enough. The ultimate object of the Soviet Union is to dominate the world through Com-

munist. Before the war she had Communist agents working in virtually all countries, including the United States, sowing the seeds of discord and unrest. Russia fought gallantly during the war on the side of the Allies after Hitler's attack on June 22, 1941, and no one would wish to take from her the indispensable part played in that struggle.

But immediately after the war was won, Russia became antagonistic toward her former allies, and increasingly unreasonable in her demands. Countries occupied by Soviet troops have been absorbed, as in the case of the Baltic States, or made puppets of Moscow, as in the case of Poland, Rumania, Bulgaria, Albania and Yugoslavia, while Hungary and Czechoslovakia are largely under Russian domination.

Only the presence of British troops in Greece has prevented the Communists from taking over that small country, and the situation of Turkey has become precarious. The threat to the sovereignty of Iran has been temporarily removed, but there is no doubt of Russia's desire to control the entire Middle East.

Meanwhile, the Soviets continue to foster Communism everywhere with considerable success, although the Communist International was ostensibly abolished during the war.

All this, and much more that might be cited, gives ample evidence of Russia's world-wide ambitions, and points to the impossibility of doing business with Stalin and Molotov on any reasonable basis.



Seventeen young Christian women of China, most of them graduates of Chinese colleges and universities, are now in the United States taking post-graduate and specialized studies "to fit themselves for better leadership in their native land." They are in America on scholarships provided by the Methodist church from "Crusade for Christ" funds raised in the churches for this purpose. Among the seventeen young women is one who was a Y. M. C. A. secretary in Szechuan during the war; two who are principals and two who are deans of important Christian schools in China; an M. D. who is now specializing in cancer prevention; a teacher of kindergarten teachers; an ordained minister; the editor of a Christian paper in Chinese; and a professor of biology who has done remarkable research work in Thibet.

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

Roy Hurst advertises cash specials in this issue.

**Announcing**

New Pioneer Representative For This Locality—

**Chester Hickie**

Phone 45 F 13  
Broadlands, Ill.

Pioneer Hi-Bred Corn Co.  
Princeton, Ill.

**Notice of Public Hearing**

Notice Is Hereby Given That

**A Tentative Budget and Appropriation Ordinance for the Town of Ayers**

in the County of Champaign, State of Illinois, for the fiscal year beginning March 25, 1947, and ending March 29, 1948, will be on file and conveniently available to public inspection at Office in Broadlands Community Building from and after 1 o'clock P. M., 22nd day, March, 1947.

Notice is further hereby given that a public hearing on said budget and appropriation ordinance will be held at 1 o'clock P. M., 1st day, April, 1947, at Community Building Office in this Town of Ayers, and that final action on this ordinance will be taken by the electors at the Annual Town Meeting to be held at 2:00 o'clock P. M., Tuesday, April 1, 1947.

Dated this 12th day of March, 1947,

**F. A. Messman,**  
SUPERVISOR  
**Harold O. Anderson,**  
CLERK

**Annual Town Meeting and Election**

Notice Is Hereby Given

To the legal voters, residents of the Town of Ayers, in the County of Champaign and State of Illinois, that the Annual Town Meeting and Election of Officers of said Town will take place on

**Tuesday, April 1, A. D. 1947**

being the First Tuesday of said month.

The polls will open at 6 o'clock A. M., and will close at 5 o'clock P. M. on said day in the Community Building.

The Officers To Be Elected Are:

- One Supervisor.
- One Commissioner of Highways.
- One Constable.
- One Board Manager of the Community Building.

The Town Meeting for the transaction of miscellaneous business of said Town will be held at the hour of 2 o'clock P. M. on said day at the Community Building, and a Moderator having been elected, will proceed to hear and consider reports of officers, to appropriate money to defray the necessary expenses of the Town and decide on such measures as may, in pursuance of law, come before the meeting.

Given under my hand this 15th day of March, A. D. 1947.

*Harold O. Anderson*

TOWN CLERK



**Smile Awhile**

In the ninth grade English class the teacher was discussing etiquette. When she finished, she asked Bobby how he would ask a girl to dance.

Bobby replied: 'Come on worm, let's wiggle!'

Army Sergeant—Have you any preference?

Draftee—Yes, sir.

Army Sergeant—What would you like to be?

Draftee—An ex-service man with a pension.

Fat Regimental cook (to excessively thin British Tommy)—Looking at you, you blinking skeleton, anyone would think there had been a famine.

Tommy—Yes, and one look at you would tell 'em who caused it.

Have you noticed the latest thing in men's clothes?

Yes. Women.

Scandalmonger—A prattle-snake.

Inflation—A period when two can live as steep as one.

Cocktail—An ice cube with an alcohol rub.

The teacher was explaining to the class the meaning of the word "recuperate."

Now, Tommy, she said to a small boy, when your father has worked hard all day, he is tired and worn out, isn't he?

Yes, ma'am.

Then, when night comes and his work is over for the day, what does he do?

That's what mother wants to know, Tommy explained quickly.

**Interesting Notes**

Detachable collars for men's shirts were first manufactured in Troy, New York, about 1865.

Kentucky was admitted as a state of the United States in 1792.

Daniel Webster, outstanding early American statesman, was first elected to Congress in 1812.

The typewriter was patented in 1874 by a man named C. Graham Sholes.

The Mormons emigrated to Salt Lake City, Utah, in 1847, under the leadership of Brigham Young.

The original Constitution of the United States was adopted in 1787 and became effective in March, 1789.

The United States experienced its first financial panic in 1837, during the administration of President Martin Van Buren.

Nancy Hanks Lincoln, mother of Abraham Lincoln, died Oct. 15, 1818 at the early age of 35 years.

Every railroad running into the city of New York from the south or west has to enter it from the state of New Jersey.

Mount Vernon, the home of George Washington, on the Potomac river near the city of Washington, was built in 1743.

The state of Louisiana was purchased by the United States from France in 1803 for the sum of 15 million dollars.

An American, Eli Whitney, invented the cotton gin in 1793. Before this invention it took a worker ten hours to pull the seed from two pounds of cotton.

John Wesley, the founder of Wesleyan Methodism, visited America in 1725, when he accepted an invitation to speak to the colonists of Georgia.

At the beginning of the Revolutionary war there were 37 newspapers in the United Colonies. All but four of them supported the American cause.

Some 9,000 square miles in

central Kentucky contain numerous underground passages and caves, of which the best known is Mammoth cave, now designated a national park.

The News is \$2.00 per year.

**A MESSAGE FROM THE SECRETARY OF WAR**



**How you can help YOUR ARMY DO ITS PART FOR PEACE**

WITH the President's proposal for the discontinuance of Selective Service on March 31, America will rely on voluntary enlistments for the maintenance of the Regular Army at authorized strength.

In view of world conditions today, this is a step of the gravest importance to every American citizen. Never before in history has any nation raised and maintained a million-man army by the volunteer system alone. Our ideals, our belief in individual freedom, our safety and our duty to promote world peace—all are bound up in this decision.

This is your Army, and voluntary enlistment is your choice. It must not fail. With your help it will not fail. The Army must continue to provide adequate occupation forces overseas, to supply these forces, and to help in keeping America strong and secure.

Your help and understanding can do much to encourage a steady flow of 3-year voluntary enlistments, necessary to sound training and the efficient performance of the Army's task.

When you discuss this subject with your sons, brothers, husbands or friends who may be considering an Army career, bear in mind the advantages offered by a 3-year enlistment. Among them are the choice of branch of service and of overseas theater where openings exist, and the opportunity for thorough training in valuable skills.

A job in the new Regular Army compares favorably with the average in industry, and has more opportunities for promotion than most.

You can help by giving your respect and support to the man who enlists voluntarily—to do his part in carrying out your country's world-wide obligations to build a peace that will endure.

ROBERT P. PATTERSON  
SECRETARY OF WAR

FOR FULL INFORMATION REGARDING VOLUNTARY ENLISTMENT, CALL AT ANY U. S. ARMY RECRUITING STATION



2nd Floor City Hall, Champaign

**Official Publication of Specimen Ballot**

For an Election to be held in the Town of Raymond, County of Champaign, State of Illinois, on Tuesday, April 1, 1947.

Republican  Democratic

For Commissioner of Highways  H. E. MARTINIE  JAMES E. GUTHRIE

For Justice of the Peace (To Fill Vacancy)  R. A. HARRIS

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Ma allowed as how grateful she was . . . but when Pa missed her one afternoon, he heard a familiar sound that led him to the barn. There was Ma rocking happily in her old chair—squeak . . . squeak. No need to tell you how Pa felt.

From where I sit, that's one of the reasons the Hoskinses are the happiest, oldest-married, peace-fullest folks in our town.

Joe Marsh

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**Local and Personal**

The Broadlands News will appreciate your news items.

A two-inch snowfall visited this locality Wednesday night.

Mrs. Bertha Kracht is confined to her home with pneumonia.

Bud Struck was a Champaign visitor Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Sy were Champaign visitors Monday.

Mrs. Harold Smith and Mrs. Carl Zenke were Danville callers Monday.

Robert Luedke was called to Mattoon last week by the illness and death of his father.

Danny Block has been ill at his home the past week with pneumonia.

Mrs. Russell Potter and Ernest were Champaign visitors, Monday.

Mrs. Edith Woolverton and Mrs. Nola Donley were Champaign visitors Monday.

There were 31 pupils absent from school last Friday on account of illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Bergfield visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Carr at Danville, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Eckerty and son, Billy, were Champaign shoppers, Saturday.

Edward H. Rayl of Chicago spent the weekend here with relatives.

Mrs. Zermah Witt and Mrs. Olive Benefiel were Champaign visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Eckerty and family were Sunday dinner guests in the Joe King home at Hume.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Krantz of Sadorus were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Foster.

Mrs. Veras Turner of Champaign spent Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Henson.

Mrs. Alice Cable is ill at the home of her son, Ronald, in Chicago. She became ill while visiting there.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Griffith and children of Fairland were Sunday guests of Mrs. Ella Maxwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Clem, son, Ralph, and Miss Mamie Darnall were Champaign visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Archer and children spent Sunday with the former's mother, Mrs. Louise Archer at Allerton.

Mrs. Edna Dunn of Allerton, Dickie, Paul and Raymond Ronk of Longview spent Tuesday with Mrs. Albert Cummings.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Warren and daughter of Danville were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Clem.

Mrs. Edith Woolverton will entertain the G. T. club on Thursday, March 27, instead of Mrs. Pearl Dewitt.

Mrs. Lucy Sullivan is recovering at her home from a heart attack which she suffered last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Johnson of South Bend, Ind., spent the weekend with their daughter, Mrs. Woodrow Woolverton, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Zenke and children, Mr. and Mrs. Billie Zenke were Sunday dinner guests in the Ernest Wiese home at Brocton.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Fellows and children have returned to their home at Crawfordville, Ind., after a week's visit with Mrs. Fellow's mother, Mrs. Elvina Sy, and other relatives.

Mrs. Ben Felkner who has been ill at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ora Miller, was removed to Burnham hospital, Champaign, Saturday, suffering with pneumonia.

**Longview News**

(Thelma D. Kraft, Reporter)

Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Gillen of Metamora called on friends and relatives here recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Don McQueen attended the funeral of an uncle in Tuscola, Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Robison were business callers in Champaign, Tuesday.

There was no grade school this week on account of the death of C. H. Daniels, father of Mrs. Russell Smith the principal.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Flood were Champaign visitors on Monday. Mrs. Flood went through the Christi clinic.

Mrs. C. H. Daniels was hostess to the U. B. Ladies Aid Wednesday afternoon of last week, with eight members present.

The special meeting held at the U. B. Church the past two weeks by Rev. Kenneth Hanley, closed Sunday night. A basket dinner was held at noon in the basement.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Green and son attended a potluck supper Tuesday evening in the Farm Bureau office held for the organization committee.

Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Hopkins and son of Belle Rive; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wall and family of Hillsdale, Ind.; Mr. and Mrs. Barney Thode Jr. and daughter, Urbana; Mr. and Mrs. Charles McNair and son of Savoy, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Green.

Mrs. W. H. Warnes and daughter entertained the WCTU on Tuesday afternoon with six members present. Mrs. Roy Davis led devotions, and Mrs. John Warnes gave a very interesting lesson. Mrs. Richard Davis gave a memorial for the late Mrs. Levi Driver. Delicious refreshments were served.

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**Gem Theatre**  
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**Thur., Fri., Mar. 20-21**

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Musical Comedy—starring Eddie Bracken, Cass Daley, Virginia Welles, Spike Jones and his City Slickers, in

**Ladies' Man**

Shows at 2:00-3:55-5:50-7:45

**Tues., Wed., Mar. 25-26**

Helmut Dantine, Adrea King, Don McGuire, Dick Erdman, in

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**Thur., Fri., Mar. 27-28**

Thrilling Drama—Starring Humphrey Bogart, Elizabeth Scott, Morris Carnovsky, in

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Election Tuesday, April 1, 1947.

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| For Commissioner of Highways<br><input type="checkbox"/> O. P. Witt  | For Commissioner of Highways<br><input type="checkbox"/>  |
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