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News Items of 12 and 20 Years Ago

Nov. 14, 1935

Carl Zenke was ill with pneumonia.

A nine pound son arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Dalzell.

Albert Clem of Harristown spent the weekend with relatives here.

Mrs. Floyd Block of Chicago was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Brewer.

Among those attending the National Corn Husking Contest at Newtown, Ind., were Mr. and Mrs. John Nohren, Miss Anna Clem, Miss Juanita Bergfield, Fred Eckerty, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Clem, son Ralph, and Miss Mamie Darnall.

20 Years Ago

Nov. 18, 1927

A baby daughter arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Six on Nov. 7.

Miss Josephine Overman submitted to an operation for appendicitis at Lakeview hospital.

Mrs. Ethel Burns of Philo spent the weekend with her sister, Mrs. M. B. Kesterson.

M. B. Kesterson and family moved to Dr. T. A. Dicks' farm near Waveland, Ind.

Mrs. Avery Henson and children of Urbana spent the weekend with relatives here.

Mrs. B. H. Thode jr. entertained the D. of K. class of the Methodist Sunday School. Mrs. Mary Temple won the prize in a contest.

Immanuel Lutheran Church

P. E. Kerkhoff, Pastor

9:30—Sunday School.

10:15—Public Worship.

The undersigned will be absent for 10 days to serve as special representative for Valparaiso University in the Chicago area. A guest speaker will be provided for November 16th.

P. E. Kerkhoff.

Methodist Church Notes

W. H. Loyd, pastor.

Church School—10:00. Harold Smith, Supt.

LONGVIEW

10:00—Sunday School.

Worship Service—11:00.

MYF Council meeting at Philo Sunday at 3:00.

Evangelical United Brethren Church

W. M. Robinson, Pastor

10:00—Sunday School.

7:30—Divine Worship.

LONGVIEW

10:00—Sunday School.

7:45—Thursday, Prayer Service.

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

A small classified ad will sell that article you no longer have any use for.

The Walther League Entertains Congregation

The Im. Lutheran Walther League entertained the congregation at a "Family Night" program on Friday night of last week, in the church basement.

The following program was announced by Verle Goldenstein: Group singing—Congregation. Humorous reading, "Smoke Dream"—Eric Kincanon.

Piano solo—Mary-Ann Rothermel.

Two act play, "The Family Next Door," with the following characters: the Pastor, Rev. Kerkhoff; Grandma Becker, Evelyn Seider; Peter, age 7, Eric Kincanon; George Jr., age 21, Paul Cress; Mrs. Helen Becker, Elvira Biesterfeld; George Becker, Carl Wienke; Alice, (married daughter), Helen Wienke.

Two vocal solos—Alice Wienke. Talk on "The Christian Family"—Rev. Kerkhoff.

A free will offering was taken which amounted to \$33.65, after which refreshments of sandwiches, cake, cookies, doughnuts and coffee were served by the members of the Walther League.

Mrs. Eva Walker Hostess to WCTU

The local W. C. T. U. unit held an all day meeting at the home of Mrs. Eva Walker, Tuesday.

At the noon hour a group of fifteen partook of a delicious covered dish luncheon.

At the regular hour, the president, Mrs. Ruth Henson, called the meeting to order.

Barbara Lou Johnson and Ruth Rohl each favored the group with piano selections.

Mrs. Henson had charge of devotions and discussed the afternoon topic, "The Foreigner In Our Midst." Mrs. F. B. Johnson, county president, gave a very interesting talk, and Mrs. Henson gave a report of the annual W. C. T. U. Convention that was held in Peoria.

Illinois Will Be Capital of Aviation This Month

Illinois will be the capital of world aviation this month when more than 600 outstanding leaders of the American public and private aviation industry will formulate the basic American air policy at the Fifth National Aviation Clinic on Nov. 19 to 22 in the State Capitol, Springfield, according to an announcement by Robert Dewey, director of the state department of aeronautics. Governor Dwight H. Green and the State of Illinois will be host at the gathering with the National Aeronautic Association serving as sponsor.

In addition to 98 delegates and an equal number of alternates selected from all phases of the industry, the gathering will draw more than 400 consultants and observers, including specialists in aircraft and engine manufacturing, airline executives, pilots, and government officials.

Petition Wienke Estate Administrator

A petition was filed in the probate court of last week asking for the appointment of an administrator in the estate of the late Mrs. Mary K. Wienke of Broadlands. She died on October 28, leaving \$7,000 in personal property.



"Look Both Ways" before crossing streets is the message stressed during November on school safety posters issued by the Chicago Motor Club to 44,000 classrooms in its Indiana and Illinois territory. The friendly puppy illustrating the poster message was drawn by Joseph Ziegler, Cathedral High School, Springfield, Illinois, first prize winner on this phase of pedestrian safety in a national poster contest conducted by the American Automobile Association among high school students. Classroom lesson sheets on pedestrian safety supplement the poster theme.

Qualified Veterans Homer Man's Car Wrecked By Train

Qualified veterans of any of the armed forces who were discharged on or after May 12, 1945 may now choose duty in the European Command or assignments within their Army Area in the United States, by reenlisting for a period of three or more years, Sgt. A. F. Bucher of the local recruiting office said today.

There are still openings for service with five famous combat divisions in Japan and Korea for veterans and non-veterans alike, Sgt. Bucher pointed out. The divisions, all of which made outstanding records during the Pacific fighting, are the 6th and 7th in Korea, and the 24th and 25th Infantry Divisions and the 11th Airborne Division in Japan. The new enlistment policy covers the men now in the Regular Army who desire discharge to reenlist for European assignment, and men whose current term is expiring.

In requesting service within the United States, Sgt. Bucher said that eligible men may choose any unit or installation where vacancies exist within the geographical limits of the Army in which they enlist.

Sgt. Bucher explained that in addition to the regular army's high pay, men going to Europe or the Far East receive 20 per cent additional for overseas service. They also can advance their education in Army Technical training schools abroad, or by enrolling in correspondence courses offered by the United States Armed Forces Institute or by cooperating colleges and universities.

Vance Teel Buys Farm

Vance Teel has purchased a farm of 60 acres near Muncie, and the family will move there in the spring. They have resided for many years on the Wm. Parks farm, one mile northeast of Sidney.—Sidney Times.

Homer—Emil Wiese, Homer implement dealer, escaped serious injury but his car was wrecked almost completely in a freak tussle with a Wabash freight train at 7 p. m. Wednesday of last week, on the crossing one block west of Main street.

Wiese, stopping his car just as it hit the side of the stalled train incurred only slight cuts from flying glass.

When the auto jammed into the side of a box car, Wiese raced up the track to keep the train from starting, but his efforts were futile. The train began moving and dragged the car more than 100 feet, smashing it almost completely.

Friendship Train Will Reach Chicago Friday

Governor Dwight H. Green has proclaimed Nov. 7 through November 14 as Friendship Week in Illinois. The Governor has requested that generous donations of food be made to a friendship train which is enroute from California to New York, bearing food to be shipped to Europe. The train will stop in Chicago on Nov. 14.

A committee headed by Otto K. Eitel of the Bismarck hotel, Chicago, will receive food donations, while Lester Armour, vice-president of the City National Bank & Trust Co., Chicago, will receive cash donations for this cause.

Wheat, wheat flour, evaporated milk, dried peas and beans, sugar, macaroni, spaghetti and bar soap are the commodities most needed.

Lodge Meets Monday

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

Harry Nohren, W. M. Harry L. Archer, Sec.

D. P. Brewers Celebrate Their 46th Anniversary

On Thursday evening of last week Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Brewer entertained at a family dinner, celebrating their 46th wedding anniversary, also Charles Brewer's birthday anniversary.

Those present were Mrs. Leslie Cooper, of Tuscola; Kenneth Brewer, Villa Grove; Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Brewer and children, Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Brewer and son, Homer; Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Block and family.

Mrs. Mary Partenheimer Hostess to Ladies Guild

The Ladies Guild of St. John's Church met on Thursday afternoon of last week at the home of Mrs. Mary Partenheimer.

Mrs. Kathryn Dohme led the devotions, and Mrs. Neva Frick had charge of the business meeting.

Refreshments of sandwiches, pickles, pumpkin pie and coffee were served, with favors of nut cups and mints.

Members present were Mesdames Kathryn Dohme, Freda Kilian, Meda Frick, Neva Frick, Anna Mohr, Jennie Nohren, Tillie Schumacher, Hattie Zenke, Pearl Wiese, Emma Block, Wilma Magill, Edith Jordan, Mary Partenheimer.

The December meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Anna Mohr.

Mrs. Tillie Schumacher Hostess to Ladies Guild

Nine members of the Ladies Guild of St. John's Evangelical church met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Tillie Schumacher for the purpose of making aprons for the ladies at the Bensonville Home for the Aged.

Those present were Mesdames Pearl Wiese, Hattie Zenke, Mary Partenheimer, Katherine Dohme, Meda Frick, Anna Mohr, Delia Nohren, Neva Frick and Tillie Schumacher.

B. Porter Suffers Burns When Tractor Explodes

Bernard Porter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Porter of northwest of Broadlands, suffered severe burns on his legs on Thursday of last week, when a tractor on which he was working exploded.

His clothing caught fire and he extinguished the flames by rolling on the grass.

The tractor, which was owned by Bud Struck, was ruined by the fire.

Longview FHA

The FHA girls are looking for a job for Saturday, Nov. 15. If anybody has some work they would like to have done, contact them by signing name on paper in Jim Hart's store or Senter's restaurant.

A joint meeting of the Longview FFA and 4-H Clubs was held at the high school on Nov. 6. The 4-H club elected its officers for the coming year. They are as follows: Kenny Partenheimer, pres.; Orville Frick, vice pres.; Tony Bosch, sec.; Russ Block, treas.; Neil Mathews, reporter.

Place your news items in our mail box, please.

Marguerite Twigg Is Bride of H.W. Marlatt

Miss Marguerite Twigg, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Twigg of Longview, was married to Harry W. Marlatt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry S. Marlatt of Villa Grove, on Wednesday, Oct. 29, at 8 a. m. in St. Mary's church, Champaign. Reverend Father F. D. Hogben officiated at the double ring ceremony.

The bride who was given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of white taffeta, a fingertip veil which fell from a tiara of pearls, and a strand of pearls which was a gift from the groom. She carried a white Bible and red roses.

The bride's sister Louise was maid of honor and wore a rose taffeta gown with an aqua fingertip veil, and carried pink carnations. Kay Hopkins, little flower girl, was in powder blue with a fingertip veil.

Clarence Cler of Champaign was best man, and Eddie Hopkins was ring bearer.

Mrs. Margaret Flesher, organist, furnished the bridal music.

Following the ceremony a reception and luncheon was held at the home of the bride's parents with about 30 present.

Mrs. Marlatt graduated from Longview high school with the class of '46 and is employed by the telephone company in Champaign.

Mr. Marlatt attended the Villa Grove school and spent two and a half years in service. He is employed with the R. H. Bishop company. They will make their home in Champaign.

Mrs. Ernst Mohr Is Hostess to Woman's Club

The Allerton Woman's Club held their November meeting on Tuesday, Nov. 4, at the home of Mrs. Ernst Mohr, president, with twenty members present. Hostesses were Mrs. Pearl Wilson, Mrs. Mary Morris and Mrs. Dwight Brown.

Mrs. Ross Glasgow, Jr. was appointed treasurer by the board of directors.

Informative articles on public health were given by Mrs. Paul Morris, Mrs. Walter Hicks and Mrs. Ralph Allen.

Music included a piano number, Chopin's, "Quarte Mazurka," by Mrs. Eli Hurt.

Mrs. E. Partenheimer Is Honored By Wives of Vets

The wives of the Longview veterans' class recently honored Mrs. Eugene Partenheimer at the home of Mrs. Paul Tondini, in Longview.

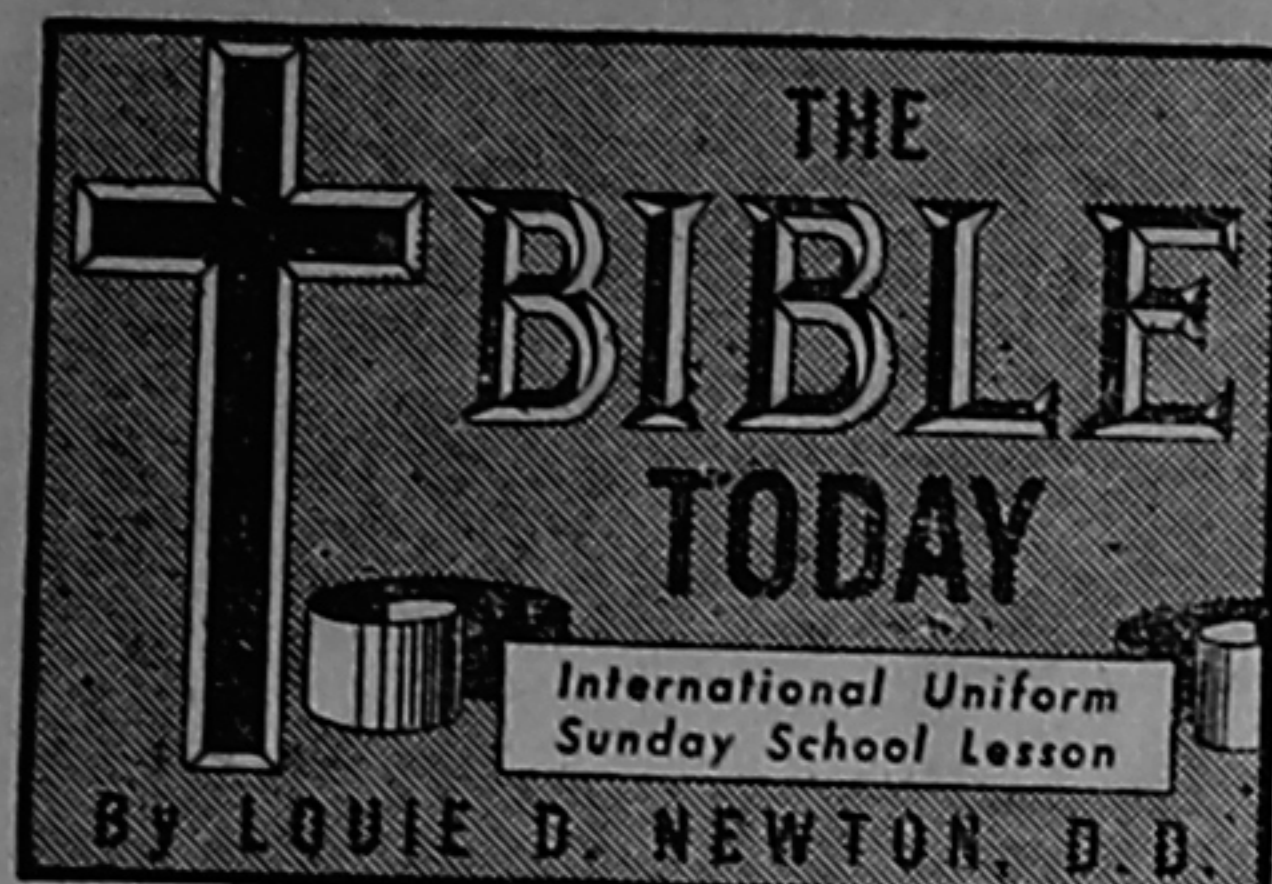
The afternoon was spent playing cards with Mrs. Claire Noblitt winning first prize. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess.

Those present were Mrs. Maurice Gorman and daughters, Donna and Barbara, Mrs. J. Eugene Gourley, Mrs. Claire Noblitt, Mrs. Eugene Partenheimer, Mrs. M. S. Brown and Mrs. Paul Tondini.

Market Report

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

No. 2 yellow beans, new ... \$3.55
No. 2 hard wheat ... 2.80
No. 2 yellow corn, new ... 2.25
No. 2 oats ... 1.08



SCRIPTURE: II Peter; Jude; Luke 2:40-52.
DEVOTIONAL READING: Matthew 5:3-16.

Building Character

Lesson for November 16, 1947

WE SHALL need to read carefully Second Peter if we are to profit most in the study of Sunday's lesson. Peter tells us:



Dr. Newton

"According as his divine power hath given us all things that pertain unto life and godliness, through the knowledge of him that hath called us to glory and virtue."

We may partake of the divine nature, having escaped the corruption that is in the world through lust. That, I realize, is very difficult for us to understand, and yet it is within the grasp of every boy and girl, every man and woman, in all the world.

In addition to Second Peter, we are asked to read Jude and Luke 2:40-52. The passage in Luke tells how Jesus grew and waxed strong in spirit, filled with wisdom; and the grace of God was upon him.

As Jesus Grew

WE HEAR a great deal today about juvenile delinquency. The question everywhere arises, What can we do to prevent juvenile delinquency?

We have the answer in Sunday's lesson. As Jesus grew in wisdom and stature and in favor with God and man, so can every youth in America grow into strong and beautiful manhood and womanhood.

The parents of Jesus, we are told, obeyed God in doing for the Child all that they were commanded to do.

The Love of God

"KEEP yourselves in the love of God," Jude 21. There is the formula for building Christian character.

This business of building Christian character is based on a formula—keeping within the circle of God's love.

It is just as essential to have the proper nourishment in building Christian character as in growing a fine ear of corn. Progress is not accidental. It is the result of right thinking, right behavior, right purpose. Only in the love of God can the young life find the nature for Christian character.

Christian Mathematics

TURN again, if you will, to Second Peter, and read his mathematical formula by which Christian character is realized:

"Add to your faith virtue, and to virtue knowledge, and to knowledge temperance, and to temperance patience, and to patience godliness, and to godliness brotherly kindness, and to brotherly kindness charity. For if these things be in you, and abound, they make you that ye shall neither be barren nor unfruitful in the knowledge of our Lord Jesus Christ."

Old-fashioned stuff, someone will cynically observe. Aye, old-fashioned it may seem, but only from this old-fashioned formula can character be built—Christian character.

And what is it that our needy, frightened world is asking for above everything else today? For the certitude of hope that is found only in hearts that are staid upon God. We may smile at Peter's mathematics, but his formula is the only hope for United Nations, the only hope for world peace, the only hope for civilization.

Jude's Benediction

YOU have read, I hope, the brief Book of Jude, only 25 verses. You have followed his pungent, cogent argument. You have followed his exhortation. And now you come to his benediction—a very fitting climax for Sunday's lesson:

"Now unto him that is able to keep you from falling, and to present you faultless before the presence of his glory with exceeding joy to the only wise God our Saviour, be glory and majesty, dominion and power, both now and evermore Amen."

As you sit in your living room, or on the train, or in the plane, or in the hotel, or at the hospital, or wherever you may be, reading these lines, remember this—the need of America today is more Christian character in the home, factory, store, bank, mill, field, school room, in the meeting house. God grant that we may heed the admonition of the Scripture passages above cited, and think on our ways while it is yet day. The night cometh apace.

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On Aid to Europe

Much of the talk which has been going on in opposition to additional aid to Europe appears to come from those who do not fully realize the danger of the present situation. They only think of the dollars involved, and fail to grasp what it would mean if the nations asking this aid should suffer complete economic collapse.

It is easy for opponents of the Marshall Plan to argue that Britain, France and Italy have not done enough to help themselves since the end of the war, and in some cases this is true. But in fairness these facts should be remembered:

1. These and other countries were devastated by war to an extent which we, who have not seen such destruction, cannot imagine.
2. On top of that they have suffered during the last year the longest and coldest winter, the most disastrous floods, and the most severe drought in a century.
3. They have been handicapped by a lack of farm animals and implements, and other tools of production.
4. In many large areas railroads, highways, bridges and transportation equipment were wrecked, with insufficient material available for rebuilding.

Even in peace time, these countries were unable to raise enough food for their people, but were able to import additional food through the export of manufactured goods. With both agriculture and industry still crippled, they will need further aid in order to get them back on their feet.

To enable them to do this is the object of the Marshall Plan, which is intended to cover a period of four years. Sixteen nations have pledged their cooperation in the plan, by using their utmost efforts to help themselves and each other.

Of course, the aid to be given must be approved by Congress, and Congress will be governed by what appears to be the will of a majority of the people of the United States.

What if America refuses to give this sorely needed assistance to Western Europe?

Russia is openly doing everything possible to defeat the Marshall Plan. She is also working through the Communist Party in France and Italy to overthrow the governments of those nations. Russia's ultimate objective is to force Communism on the whole world—by propaganda and political maneuvering if possible; through war if necessary.

Like Hitler, Stalin will go as far as possible without war. Hitler occupied the Rhineland, Austria and part of Czechoslovakia without firing a shot, but when Poland refused to meet his demands, he made an alliance with Stalin and started World War II.

Russia then occupied part of Poland and Rumania and invaded Finland before being attacked by Hitler in 1941. Since the war Russia has absorbed the Baltic States and has made puppets of Poland, Hungary, Rumania, Bulgaria, Yugoslavia and Albania, besides largely dominating Czechoslovakia. She also holds large portions of Germany and Austria

with no intention of relinquishing them.

Is anything more needed to prove that Stalin is bent on world conquest? Shall we further play into his hands by refusing to aid Western Europe in the present emergency?

America must decide this question—and quickly.

Sidelights

Everyone gets a certain degree of pleasure from contact with a superior article. For instance, there were the burglars who attempted to enter the safe of Berger's Florist Shop in Philadelphia. After hours of chiseling and hammering without success, they gave up. But before leaving they penned and left the following note: "A very good safe."

Wm. I. Murray was one of the most envied men in Uncle Sam's Army, as holder of the lush job of private chauffeur to General Dwight Eisenhower. Each has a deep affection for the other and it was natural that General "Ike" should take Murray into his confidence when he decided to take the job as President of Columbia University. Immediately Murray became the most unhappy chauffeur in Washington—he had just reenlisted for three years.

Of course, doctors are not in the habit of telling about the ills of their patients, but one case that a certain doctor had recently may be repeated without affecting ethics. It seems that Sam, a colored boy entered the office. Just a fleeting glance revealed that Sam's face was fairly well sliced up. "Got cut up again, I see," was the doctor's greeting. "Yes, sir, Doc, I done got carved up right bad," was the reply. As the doctor was laying out his bandages he asked: "Sam, why don't you keep out of bad company?" "Doc, I sho' would like to," Sam moaned, "but I ain't got 'nuff money to git a divorce."

This may not be funny at all but several people laughed when it was first told. It seems that the doctor was called to attend a confinement. He had been upstairs a few minutes when he came running down and asked the husband if he had a corkscrew. He was given one and then he raced back upstairs. A few minutes passed and down he came again and this time he asked for a screwdriver. The nervous husband found one and back up the stairs the doctor went. A few minutes more and he was down for the third trip and this time he asked for a chisel. "Good gracious, doctor," the worried husband said, "is it a boy or a girl?" "Don't know yet, son," replied the perspiring physician, "can't get my medicine case open."

Believe It or Not!

Elephant Has Light Step

"Toby," the elephant, despite all his lumbering 10,500 pounds of weight, can stalk his prey, if need be, more stealthily than most animals in Ringling Brothers, Barnum & Bailey circus, a vibration meter proved. As a matter of fact, with exception of the snake charmer's python, the only member of the circus who could match "Toby" in lightness of step was the 500-pound fat lady.

The vibration meter, sensitive electronic instrument which can measure extremely small shocks or vibrations, tested the walk of most of the animals and found the lion, the tiger, the hippo, the polar bear, the llama and even the giraffe to be heavier on their feet than the elephant.

Whether he has tender tootsies or whether he's just naturally a light stepper, "Toby" rang up only 3 miles per second vibration as he walked less than a foot from the vibration meter. In contrast, the lion measured 12 miles per second, the hippo 14, the tiger 9, the polar bear 6, and the llama 7.5. The long-necked giraffe, a sad sack who never utters a peep because he has no vocal cords, evidently speaks through his feet for he planks 'em down exactly twice as hard in average walking as the elephant.

Household Hints

Leaves used for decoration will last longer if dipped in paraffin right after cutting.

Needles can be stored in a small bottle to keep them from rusting or getting lost.

To make a ladder safe on soft ground nail a board across the bottom to keep it from sinking.

An easy way to do scouring is to use a cork dipped in scouring powder.

A monkey wrench can be used as a lever for bending various kinds of soft metal.

Give your white blouse a bright touch by wearing one of those small colored chiffon scarfs tied in a bow at the neck.

A furnace that does not do the job adequately often can be coaxed along merely by permitting a little air to get into the basement. Furnace men will tell you that a poor air mixture is often responsible for incomplete combustion.

Wheat an Ancient Grain

Wheat has been long known in many parts of the world and described in many different languages, yet there is no universally recognized classification of the different types and varieties. The five kinds of wheat officially recognized by the U. S. federal food and drug administration include: Hard red spring wheat, hard red winter wheat, soft red winter wheat, white wheat and durum wheat. Average wheat production in the United States is far below that of Denmark, Holland, Belgium and the United Kingdom.

"The Lying Gazette" was the epithet applied to Rivington's "New York Gazette and Commercial Advertiser" during the Revolution, on account of its disregard of truth.

Scotland Yard's Origin
A group of buildings surrounding a courtyard at corner of Charing Cross, London, famous as headquarters of the metropolitan police force for many years was the original Scotland Yard. The name is derived from the old palace which was situated on this site and used by visiting Scottish kings and ambassadors from the 10th to the 12th centuries. The metropolitan police, including the detective department in 1890 moved into an imposing group of buildings on the Thames embankment.

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LOOKING AHEAD

by **GEORGE S. BENSON**
President—Harding College
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Great Teacher, Experience!

They thought that industrial strife would be over. High production, harmony, and peaceful work—all would be rosy ahead. No longer would the coal mines be operated for profit! That ghastly dragon, private enterprise, had gasped his last in a free election. From now on, the coal mines would be operated for use—for the benefit of the public. A labor government had taken possession of the mines and would be in charge of operations.

Since labor was the government, said brain-trusters in the party, all would be harmony. Of course there would be no more strikes in the coal mining industry. Labor would have no cause to strike against a labor government which was operating the mines solely for the welfare of the nation. This kind of fanciful thinking was popularly done in England when the British government took possession of the coal mines in January, 1946.

Learned The Lesson

The English people have had to learn an important lesson from their experiments in socialism. This lesson is: You can't change economic fact and law by switching political power over to another group through elections or revolutions.

What is the English experience? On September 3, 1947, the Associated Press reported from London that 50,000 miners were on strike. This action closed 46 mines in a spreading strike called "England's worst labor disturbance in three years." Coal had become so scarce because of the strike that 2,400 industrial plants employing 100,000 men warned the government they would be forced to shut down unless they could get coal.

This present strike is most serious. England is in a crisis of Dunkirk proportions—certainly her worst since peace came. Yet, despite the crisis, regardless of the labor government and the fact that it manages the coal industry, the great, spreading strike occurred. A labor government has not been able to keep workers from striking. Britain's program of nationalization has not resulted in cooperation from labor.

Free Work Is Best

For a long time the world has been plagued with ideas that there are substitutes for work. There will always be men who can make such ideas sound pretty good. But the ideas are just as false as are the men who want the political power required to put some paper "plan" into effect. There is no substitute for the opportunity of honest work, under the kind of free economic system we have in America. When some political system calls for all the economic power it can get, you may be sure that the common man is going to lose out. One of the first powers sought is the power to control industry.

In a country that speaks our language and enjoys our same civilization, a government that manages industry has brought forth no solution for industrial strife. Government management of industry has made conditions worse. It has brought loss of efficiency in England, to the tune of 60 million less tons of coal a year. Do we want high wages (which come only with efficiency and high production), and do we want industrial peace and national prosperity? Then surely we want no part of government management of American industries.

Uncle Sam Says



What did the Secretary of the State of Wyoming say to the Banking Commissioner when they met in Cheyenne in 1937? "I'd like to find a plan to assure a comfortable retirement for myself and my family," said the Secretary of State. "Why don't you do what I am doing, buy Savings Bonds regularly out of income?" his friend replied. Today they have begun the second 10 years of their retirement plan. The then Secretary of State is now Governor Lester C. Hunt, and the former Bank Commissioner is the present director of Savings Bonds sales. You, too, can emulate their example. If you invest \$18.75 each month in a Series E Savings Bond of \$25 maturity value over a period of 20 years and hold ALL the bonds to maturity you will receive an average yearly income of \$700 for the ten years following.

U.S. Treasury Department

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Smile Awhile

If you fear that people will know, don't do it.

Did your niece, Janette, marry a man of culture?
Yes, agriculture.

Perhaps fewer women would conceal their age if more men acted theirs.

Shall I boil the missionary? asked the cannibal cook.
Don't be silly, replied the chieftan, 'that's a friar.'

Teacher (after writing LXXX on the blackboard) — Tell me, what does that mean?
Sweet Young Thing—Love and kisses.

And now, doctor, that I've told you I am going to marry Jane, there's one thing I want to get off my chest.

You just tell me about it, my boy.
It's a tattooed heart with the name Mabel on it.

Mrs. Smith was vigorously powdering her face before going out. Why do you go to all that trouble? asked Smith, who was waiting impatiently.

Modesty, my dear, was the reply.

Modesty?
Yes—I've no desire to shine in public.

Two dairies were engaged in an advertising war in a Western city. One of the companies engaged a daredevil racer to drive a car around the town with large placards, reading:

"This Daredevil Drinks Our Milk."

The rival company came out with placards, twice as large, reading:

"You don't have to be a daredevil to drink our milk."

Arriving at a strange hotel, a fussy woman thought she'd better know where the fire escape was. So she started exploring. During her tour, she opened a door and found herself in a bathroom occupied by an elderly gentleman.

Oh, I'm sorry! she twittered. I was looking for the fire escape. Continuing her search, she presently heard the pad of bare feet behind her and a shout made her turn. It was the elderly man clad in a bath towel.

Wait a minute! he gasped. Where's the fire?

A Western auto dealer likes to remember a certain occasion, not so many years ago, when he sold two cars to the same man in one day—and made immediate delivery.

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gin in the front seat, fared forth to see the world. In about an hour he came back, bleeding and bruised, ready to buy another car.

For Heaven's sake, what happened? the dealer inquired.

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From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

Prissy's Got a Man! (Maybe)

Yesterday Sis Martin, our librarian, found an article cut from their file copy of the *Clarion*. When she compared it with another copy that I gave her she found it was my column on "How to Keep a Husband Happy."

Nothing unusual about that. Except the last person seen reading the paper was Prissy Hoskins (our town's proverbial Old Maid)!

Well, if Prissy has finally got a man, more power to her. And more tolerance to both of them . . . because that's what my column was

about: Tolerance of a husband's taste for old hats, old pipes, old friends, and mellow beer. And tolerance on the husband's part of a wife's tastes and habits.

From where I sit, nobody begrudges Prissy taking that clipping from the *Clarion*. But I'd like to hint that if she'd just subscribe, she'd get my thoughts on tolerance firsthand. And in return I'll treat her to a glass of beer.

Joe Marsh

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SHORT STORY
The Barrier Collapses
By JOHN ADLINGTON

THE Rev. Mr. Jones claimed that the stronger the relationship between two men, the wider the rift if anything happened to break the bond. He said it was human nature, and he liked to tell about Frank Holly and George Clyde to prove his point.

The two men had been neighbors and the closest of friends all their lives. It was the same with their wives, and when Jim Holly and Betty Clyde came on the scene, the two youngsters grew up as much at home in each other's houses as in their own. It didn't seem possible that anything could come between the two men. Yet they did fall out, and the cause was so trivial folks couldn't believe it.

The Clyde farm and the Holly place adjoined each other, sort of back to back, and the line fence between them was an old rail affair that a new-born lamb could have climbed over easy almost any place. So one spring, just before seeding time, the two men got together and decided to replace it with a brand new wire fence. When they had finished both men stood around telling each other what a neat job they'd done.

"She's as straight as a gunbarrel," says George Clyde, squinting down the row of posts.

"Sure is," agreed Frank Holly, taking a look. "But your place has grown a little. We're over about a foot too far on my side."

He said it joking like, and if George had let it pass there would have been no harm done. But one word led to another, and first thing they knew both men were yelling and shouting at the top of their voices. When each of them finally grabbed up his tools and headed for the barn, the most beautiful friendship in Reefer county was busted wide open. And no one could do anything about it.

Their wives tried hard enough. But it was no use. The truth was both knew they were acting like idiots, but each was too stubborn to make the first move. After the quarrel they both got so cranky there was no living with them. And they took it out on the two youngsters.

BUT human nature is human nature, and before the year was over Jim and Betty were meeting in town on Saturday nights, and sort of hanging around together after church. Everybody could see the way it was with them, except their fathers. The Rev. Mr. Jones tried to get in a word with Frank and George on the matter, but it didn't do a bit of good, and there's no telling what way things would have gone if it hadn't been for Frank's old bay mare.

George Clyde was at the barn doctoring some shoats when his wife and Betty came rushing in. "Mrs. Holly just phoned," said his wife,



Everybody could see the way it was with Jim and Betty.

all out of breath. "She says she was down the lane when she saw their old bay mare on her back, all tangled up in the line fence. Frank and Jim are in town, and she's afraid the poor thing will cut herself to pieces time they get back. She thought maybe you'd do something about it."

"Holly can look after his own stock," says George. "Why, Dad!" says Betty horrified, and the next minute she tears out of the barn as fast as she can. She stops long enough at the drive shed to grab a hammer and a pair of wire cutters, then disappears down the lane. It doesn't take long for George and his wife to follow her. By the time they reached the back pasture, Betty had released the poor beast that had caused all the commotion. Mrs. Holly was there, too, fussing over both of them. And that's the way it was when Jim and his Dad rattled up in the truck.

It was George who rose to the occasion.

"Frank," he says, a bit on the shaky side, "this danged fence broke us up, but we'd have less sense than that dumb brute yonder if we let it keep these youngsters apart."

For once, Frank seemed at a loss for words but he contrived a grin.

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Local and Personal

Miss Leora Brewer of Champaign spent the first of the week in the D. P. Brewer home.

Mrs. Lloyd Donley and daughter, Mary Rose, were Champaign visitors, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Shahan and children were Danville visitors Monday.

Mrs. Hilda Seider will be hostess to the G. T. Club on Tuesday, Dec. 2.

Bus Baldwin left Wednesday evening for Lima, O., to drive back a new school bus.

Mrs. Chas. Keilbach left Sunday for Bloomington, Ind., for a visit with her son, Charles, jr., and family.

The Allerton independent basketball team defeated the Brocton team, 58 to 14, Tuesday night on the local floor.

Farmers of the Broadlands community report their corn crops are making from 40 to 45 bushels per acre.

Tough To Handle, and Border Phantom, are the titles of the pictures to be shown at the local community building this Saturday night.

Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Loyd and their guests, Dr. and Mrs. Richard Miller of Evanston, were Sunday dinner guests of Rev. and Mrs. Carl Walker at Sidell.

The Broadlands Woman's Club will meet on Thursday afternoon, Nov. 20, in the home of Mrs. Edna Henson. Mrs. E. F. Scharman, county president, will be the guest speaker.

Coach Henson's lightweight basketball five beat Sadorus, 24 to 10, on the local floor on Friday night of last week. His heavyweights also won over the Sadorus heavyweights, 29 to 14.

Mrs. D. P. Brewer will leave Chicago by plane Monday for Long Beach, Calif., accompanying her brother, Fred Moore, to his home there. She expects to be gone several weeks.

Rev. and Mrs. P. E. Kerkhoff and son, Larry, made a business trip to Chicago, Monday. Mrs. Kerkhoff and Larry returned on Tuesday. Rev. Kerkhoff remained as a representative for the Valparaiso University.

The local Home Bureau unit will meet at the home of Mrs. Ora Wiese on Tuesday, Nov. 18, at 1:30. The Home Adviser, Mrs. Esther K. Thor, will give the major topic, "Perfect Elimination for Good Health."

The Broadlands Chapter of the Valparaiso University Guild met Thursday, November 6, at the home of Mrs. Ernst Mohr.

Present were Mrs. P. E. Kerkhoff, Miss Mildred Messman, Mrs. Fred Cress, Mrs. Walter Poggendorf, Mrs. Leon Struck.

Dr. and Mrs. D. K. Farmer of Mansfield were Tuesday guests in the Harold Anderson home. On Tuesday evening the Andersons entertained at dinner: Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Dicks, Sara Sue and Tom, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Anderson and Margo, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Gore, Dr. and Mrs. Farmer, Mrs. Bud Struck and Marvin, Mrs. Andrew Henson, Mrs. Hattie Dicks.

Real Speed Writing
The book, "Another Language," was written by Rose Franken in three days.

Add Corner Cupboard
When remodeling don't overlook the possibilities of corner cupboards in the dining room. They utilize space otherwise largely wasted and provide a wealth of storage space.

Longview News
(Thelma D. Kraft, Reporter)

James and Paul Gentry are here from Kentucky visiting their niece, Mrs. Montell Siders.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Martinie and daughter of Indianapolis spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Martinie.

Montell Siders went to Springfield Sunday to visit his brother, Eddie, who is in a hospital there. His sister, Doris came home with him to spend the week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Warnes and Clara, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Green and son, and Mrs. George Warnes attended church at Broadlands Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Flood attended the funeral of Darrell Hodge, a nephew of Mrs. Flood, at Decatur Sunday. Mr. Hodge was killed in a truck accident on Friday.

Mrs. O. D. Struck was hostess to the J. F. F. club Thursday afternoon with three tables in play. Mrs. Daisy Daniels held high score; Mrs. Ed Carleton, low; Mrs. Lyman Mohr, traveling. Mesdames A. H. Oye, Delbert Smith and L. D. Duncan were guests, each receiving a prize.

Among those attending the County 4-H Achievement meeting at Champaign Friday night were Mr. and Mrs. Merton Parks and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Green and son, Betty and Doris Dobbs, Carolyn Hart, Phyllis Fitzgerald, Martha Jane Daltzell, Joy McQueen, Elizabeth Churchill.



Madame Sun Yat-sen, chairman of the China Welfare Fund, announces the formation of an institute in Chefoo for the treatment of kala-azar, one of the most dreaded of Oriental diseases, and one which is especially dangerous for children. The institute will be a part of the mission-supported East China Medical College, and much of the funds for its work will be raised in the United States. The disease, medical authorities say, is contracted through tiny sandflies, and is fatal in 96% of neglected cases; but if taken in time and before a cancerous condition develops, 90% of the cases, can be cured.

The Protestant women of Cincinnati and vicinity, working under the auspices of the Council of Church Women of Greater Cincinnati, have a notable record of thirty years of service to mothers, working women, and children of that industrial center. In 1917 they began their activities by opening the House of Friendliness for immigrant women; in 1918 they opened the Parkway Day Care Center to care for the children of working mothers; and in 1922 they added the Oakcrest Christian Home for Girls—Homeless girls or those from undesirable homes (but not delinquent girls). Today, under the leadership of Mrs. Walter Berry, Council president, the organization is planning to enlarge its services through a community center housing the Day Care Center and the House of Friendliness.

Sausage an Old Favorite
Sausage has been a favorite food for so long that a reference to it is made in Homer's Odyssey.

Filling Thermos Bottle
Before filling a glass-lined thermos with hot liquid, warm the thermos gradually by rinsing it in lukewarm and then in hotter water to prevent cracking the glass.

Illinois State Capitol News

Approximately 66,500 bonus checks have been mailed to Illinois veterans of World War II by the Springfield office of the State Service Recognition board up to the end of October, according to Admiral John Downes, director of the board. An additional 65,260 bonus checks have been sent to Cook county veterans by the board's Chicago office. Checks are now going out to downstate veterans at the rate of 5,500 a week.

The board's work is being slowed by the heavy amount of correspondence from veterans writing to ask about the status of their claims, according to Admiral Downes. He urges ex-service men not to write unless the board first addresses them.

The state division of highways has set up 300 miles of fence at exposed places to prevent snow from drifting over the main roads of Illinois this winter. Thirty thousand cubic yards of cinders have been placed at central points for use at grade crossings, intersections, and sharp curves. Walter A. Rosenfield, director of public works and buildings, says the highway division has been able to get only a small part of the new trucks and snowplows it needs, and is relying on old equipment in keeping the state's 12,000-mile primary road system open during the winter months.

Regular 24-hour road condition reporting service will start Dec. 15, with broadcast of bulletins over state radio stations.

Noon of Tuesday, Nov. 11, marked the opening of the Illinois pheasant, quail, and rabbit hunting season. The pheasant season will close Nov. 25; the season on quail extends to Dec. 11; and rabbit hunting will be permitted until Jan. 31. Through these periods, after the opening day, shooting hours for upland game begin at sunrise and extend to sunset.

Dr. Roland Cross, state director of public health, reports that tularemia, or rabbit fever, is about three times more prevalent this fall than last year, with 107 cases having been found up to Oct. 25. He urges the wear-

ing of rubber gloves while handling rabbits, and adds that thorough cooking of wild rabbit meat destroys danger of infection.

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Midweek Shows Begin at 8:00 O'clock; Saturday at 7:00; Sunday continuous 3:00 to 11:00.

Classified Ads.

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