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News Items of 12 and 20 Years Ago

Feb. 13, 1936

Mrs. Clark Henson underwent an operation at Lakeview hospital.

A daughter, Cornelia Sue, arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bud Comer.

Miss Jessie Witt of Broadlands and Harry Archer of Allerton, were married at Danville.

Oliver Coryell and family moved to Allerton, where he was employed in a filling station.

20 Years Ago

Feb. 10, 1928

Earl Greenwood attended the Chevrolet instruction school at Janesville, Wis.

Miss Dorothy Taylor of Catlin spent the weekend with Miss Helen Smith.

Vohn Snow returned to Detroit, Mich., after spending several weeks here with his family.

Avery Dewitt and family who moved to the Pleasant Hill neighborhood, were given a farewell party.

Rev. R. Krenzien and the Alfred Krenzien returned to Hartford, Mich., after a visit with the Herbert Krenzien.

Immanuel Lutheran Church

P. E. Kerkhoff, Pastor

Sunday School and Bible Class—9:30.

Bible Class Lesson: "Thou Shalt Not Covet."

10:15—Public Worship.
Sermon: "The Divine Necessity of the Cross."

The offering will be for Valparaiso University. The church at her best estate has always been an honest, upright friend and patron of Christian education.

If Anti-Christ has been seen sharpening his sword wisdom demands that the children of the Kingdom do likewise. Eph. 6, 12.

Evangelical United Brethren Church

W. M. Robinson, Pastor

10:00—Sunday School.

11:00—Divine worship.

LONGVIEW

10:00—Sunday School.

7:30—Divine Worship.

Living Endowment for Indiana

Central College.

4:00, Thursday, Junior Bible Study.

7:30, Thursday—World Day of Prayer service in the Christian Church.

Methodist Church Notes

W. H. Loyd, pastor.

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

MYF—Saturday at the church at 6:30.

LONGVIEW

Church School—10:00.

Worship Service—11:00.

St. John's Evangelical and Reformed Church

Sunday School—10:00. Floyd Magill, Superintendent.

Chanute Field Is Now "Air Base" Not "Field"

Chanute Field is no longer Chanute Field—as far as its name is concerned.

The United States air force announced officially on Saturday that Chanute Field, Rantoul, Ill., henceforth will be designated as Chanute Air Base, Rantoul, Ill.

The change effective under an order dated Jan. 13, 1948, also effects all other USAF installations in the world in accordance with last summer's establishment of the air force as a separate national defense branch.

All USAF installations will be called either an "air force base" or an "air force auxiliary field."

It was also announced Saturday that Wright field and Patterson field across the highway from each other at Dayton, Ohio, will be designated in the future as Wright-Patterson air force base.—Rantoul Press.

L. S. Griffith Buys Villa Grove Property

Another Main St. business property sale was announced this week by L. S. Griffith, who purchased the building located at 1-3 S. Main St., Villa Grove, from the Villa Grove Building and Loan Co. The transaction was completed Feb. 1.

The building is occupied by the Post Office, the IGA City Market, Nelle Speelman's Beauty Shop, and the second floor houses the offices of Dr. R. W., James and Robert Taylor.

Mr. Griffith stated he intends to remodel the building when materials are available and to build an additional building on Monroe St. at the rear of the building.

Mr. Griffith operates a farm and slaughter house at Fairland and a recreation hall in a building owned by Fanakos Bros., on S. Main St.—Villa Grove News.

Broadlands Bowling League

Standings for the Broadlands bowling league for the 19th week are as follows:

	Won	Lost
Coddington	52	20
Struck Bros.	50	22
Sidney	45	27
Allerton Imp.	43	29
Luth	40	32
Gardner's Service	38	30
Rothermel	37	35
Henson & Sons	35	37
Brewers (Homer)	33	35
DeKalb	32	40
Crain	29	43
Marathon Oil	27	41
Brewer's (Broadlands)	26	46
Hurst's Grocery	25	47
Senter's Cafe	20	48
High Series For Week		
F. Smith	505	
High Line For Week		
K. Baker	192	

Open Bowling For \$1.00
Men, high line, H. Mohr 203
Women, high line, F. Hood 172

Mrs. Isabel Melton and children of Molalla, Oregon, arrived here Thursday of last week to make their home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kunkel. Her husband, George Melton Jr., was accidentally drowned in December.

Wanted—Dress making. Especially wish to do children's sewing. See Mrs. Forrest Walker or call 57F12.



Traffic safety posters carrying the timely reminder to school children to cross streets only at corners are being distributed by the Chicago Motor Club for January display in the classrooms of elementary schools, both public and parochial throughout its Indiana and Illinois territory. Elaborating this theme are lesson sheets for teachers' use in classrooms, keyed to the various elementary grades from kindergarten to junior high school. January safety lessons highlight the urgency of crossing at corners only during the winter season of poor visibility and unreliable stopping ability of motorists. The poster is one of a series of winners in a national poster contest for high school children conducted by the motor club and affiliated organizations of the American Automobile Association.

Thanks A Million

The March of Dimes tournament was a great success, thanks to a grand bunch of fellows that responded to the call to play ball so that a good crowd of loyal citizens could build up a March of Dimes fund. They saw some good clean sport and also felt that they had done their part again so that some boy or girl could have the benefit of treatment so that they too could some day participate in a sport of some kind and enjoy life through the use of a stronger body made possible through a fund such as we have added to.

It is a great thing, when a call can be made to the churches of the community and they respond as they do. We want to especially thank the Longview team for coming out of their own territory and making it possible for us to round out the tournament. We enjoyed their sportsmanship and appreciated their support.

The gross proceeds were \$107.45. Expenses of \$19.00 were deducted, leaving a total of \$88.45 to be given to the fund. Expenses were, \$7.00 for advertising; \$5.00 for officiating; \$7.00 for cleaning jerseys and trophy repair.

The same trophy is being used as was used in former games. It is retained by the winning team until another team can win it. It has changed hands in all three tournaments held, and was won this time by St. John's Evangelical and Reformed Church of Broadlands.

Again as chairman of the drive I want to say thank you. It has been a pleasure to work with such a grand group.

Harold O. Anderson,

Don't Forget

John Deere Day at Allerton Implement Co., Allerton, Ill., Monday, March 8, 1948, starting at 10:30 a. m.

Magill Was Red Hot

Floyd (Doc) Magill, a former athlete of Sidney and Urbana, and a family man with a wife and three children, came out of retirement two weeks ago and announced that he would like to try the hard wood again. Diligent training and knowing that an athlete must key himself to the occasion, "Doc" managed his team to first place in the four team tournament. Managers are expected to know the game and urge them on to victory, but "Doc" went much farther than that. He showed the way in the final game by burning up the nets with six baskets in seven attempts, probably the greatest shooting percentage that has ever been witnessed on the local court.

We hope that Magill has not retired again, but if he does and puts this tournament up as a goal for his two sons to shoot at, we will certainly vouch for him and produce the evidence to prove it.

Nice going "Doc," our sons need more sports minded fathers like you.

The tournament was held for the March of Dimes Drive.

It's A Date

The local Home Bureau unit will meet at the home of Mrs. Eva Walker at 10:00 a. m. Tuesday, Feb. 17, for an all day meeting. A covered dish luncheon will be served at noon. Members are asked to bring their own table service.

The Broadlands Woman's Club will meet on Thursday, February 19, at the home of Mrs. Henry Wiese. She will be assisted by Mrs. Norman Seider and Mrs. Woodrow Woolverton. The topic will be "International Relations" with Mrs. Chester Whitfield in charge.

Donations For Friendship Food Train Are \$206

Local contributions for the Lincoln Friendship Food Train sponsored by the Council of Churches and aided by the Farm Bureau, amounted to \$206.77.

Grain donated amounted to five bushels of ear corn, one bushel of shelled corn, seven bushels of oats and one bushel of beans.

Solicitors were Howard Clem, unit chairman, Jess Ward, Bill Seider, Alfred Poggendorf, Carl Zenke.

Mr., Mrs. O. P. Witt Entertain At Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Witt entertained a number of relatives at a potluck dinner Sunday, in celebration of the twelfth wedding anniversary of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Archer, and also the birthday anniversary of their son-in-law, Wayne Nofitz.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Nofitz, Champaign; Mr. and Mrs. Reimer Witt, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Umbarger and family, Frank Smith, all of Homer; Mr. and Mrs. Amiel Witt and Vernon, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Witt and family, Mr. and Mrs. Orval Witt and family, Hume; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Archer and Harriett, Miss Marie Witt, Walter Witt, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Darnall.

Marathon Farm Show at Longview, Tues., Feb. 24

Merton Eddy, local distributor of Marathon Products, in cooperation with The Ohio Oil Company, producers and marketers and refiners of Marathon Products will present the Marathon Farm Show at the Longview high school gym on Tuesday night, Feb. 24, starting at 8:00 p. m.

The show will feature the personal appearance of Ezra and Elmore, famous Marathon comedians who have been associated with The Ohio Oil Company for the past 19 years, appearing at state and county fairs as well as on the Marathon Farm Shows.

The show will also include the presentation of a technicolor film which will be of interest to everyone attending, and several door prizes will be awarded to some of the lucky ladies, gentlemen and children.

The Marathon Farm Show is designed to entertain all members of the family and absolutely no admission charge is to be made. It is absolutely free. Everyone is cordially invited to attend the show with the compliments of Merton Eddy, and The Ohio Oil Company.

50 Broadlands Residents Ask For Fire District

Fifty residents of Broadlands filed a county court petition Monday for establishment of a Broadlands Fire Protection district. Judge William L. Springer set hearing on the petition for 9 a. m., March 8.

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.

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Celebrate Golden Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. August Wiese celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary at their home here on Sunday, Feb. 8.

Mr. Wiese, now 81 years old, was born near Sidney, going to Brocton with his parents in 1893. There he met his wife, the former Pearl Geiling, now 68, and they were married at the home of the bride's parents. Retiring from the farm they came to Broadlands in 1933.

The couple have four children, Ernest and Ormal Wiese of Brocton, Mrs. Floy Willoughby, Brocton, and Mrs. Freida Kilian of Broadlands; four grandchildren, Mrs. Marianna Janssen, Boston, Mass.; Mrs. Phyllis Kesler, of Champaign; Norman Willoughby, Brocton; and three great grandchildren, Elaine and Paul Janssen, Boston, Mass.; and Karen Ann Kesler of Champaign. All were present except the Melvin Janssens of Boston.

The table was beautifully decorated for the occasion with a large bouquet of jonquils and a three-tiered cake with "50" written in gold icing.

Mrs. Edna Struck, Mrs. Louise Hamilton and Mrs. Genevieve Broadway poured; Mrs. Kathryn Dohme and Mrs. Irene Wiese cut and served the cake.

The couple was presented with eight lovely bouquets of yellow rose buds and jonquils, also many other beautiful gifts. The children presented their parents with wrist watches.

Guests present were Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Wiese, Mr. and Mrs. Ormal Wiese, Mr. and Mrs. Otho Willoughby, Brocton; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Witmer, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Aitkens, Mrs. Shell and Mrs. Mary Winans of Paris; Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Morris, Bismark; Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Linnebarger, Mr. and Mrs. Dolf Aitkens, Metcalf; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Knight, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Winans, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Patchett, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Witt, Mrs. Mary Fenwick, Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Geiling and Shirley, Frank Geiling, Mrs. Genevieve Broadway, Brocton; Mrs. Louise Hamilton, Mrs. Naomi Elliott, Oakland; Mr. and Mrs. James Gorman, Marcella and Jerry, of Sidney; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kesler and daughter of Champaign; Norman Willoughby, of Brocton; Mrs. Raymond Wood, Mrs. Earl Eckerty and Dale, Mrs. Hugo Dewitt and Geraldine, Mrs. Ora Wiese, Mrs. Emma Block, Mrs. Edna Struck, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Schumacher and Edna, Mr. and Mrs. George Dohme and family, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Dicks, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kilian and Harold, Mrs. Irene Wiese, Marjorie and DeLou, and Mrs. Neva Frick.

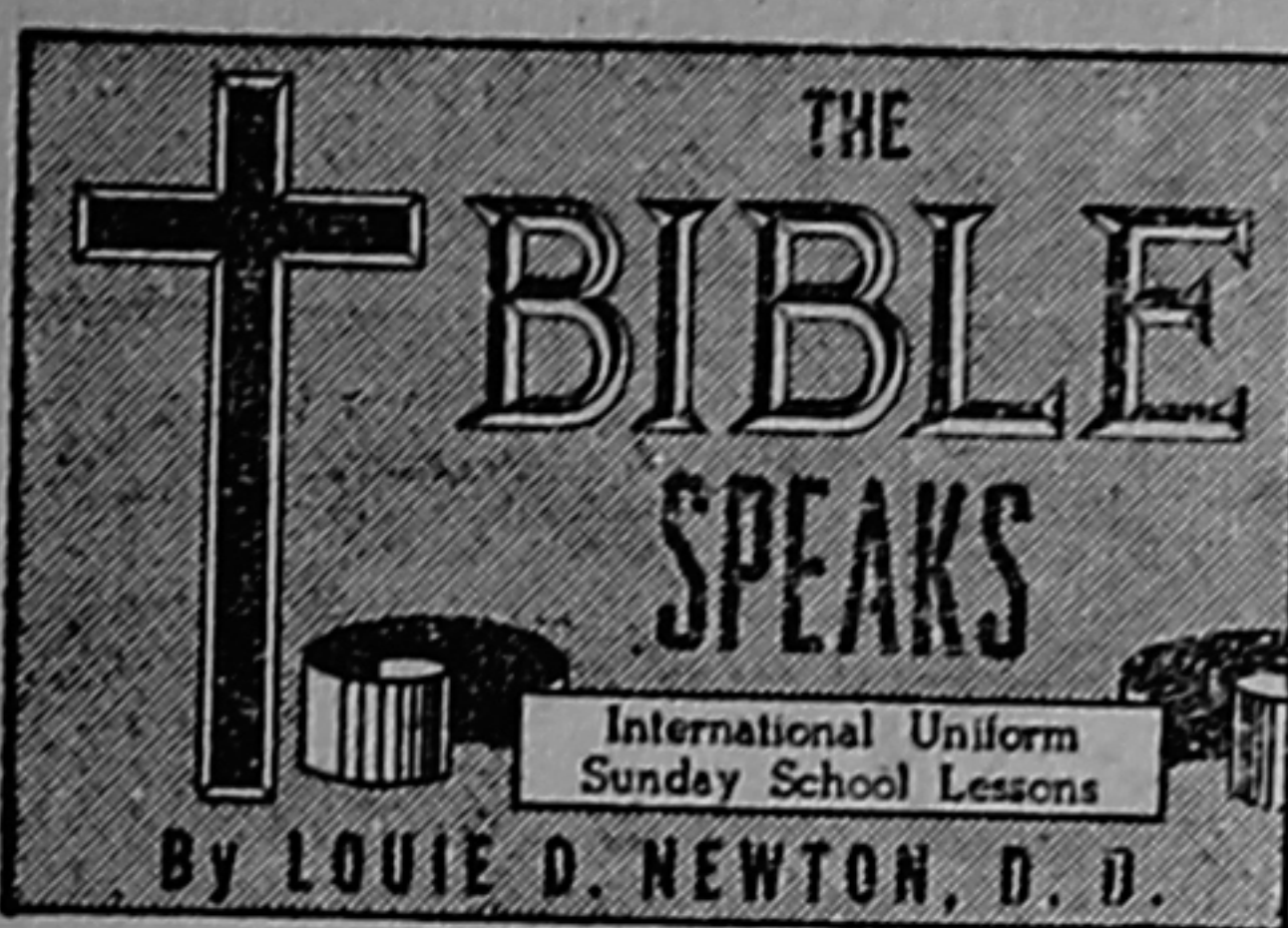
Postoffice Breaks "Tea Towel" Club Chain

The tea towel club chain encountered difficulties with the Champaign postoffice on Monday when A. C. Parris, postmaster, gave instructions that the postal cards sent out by members and potential members be held up as non-deliverable mail.

Market Report

There are no firm bids as yet this week, states F. A. Messman, local grain dealer.

Place your news items in our mail box, please.



By LOUIE D. NEWTON, D. D.

Power of Holy Spirit
Lesson for February 15, 1948

TWO decades ago, the famous preacher, Rev. Reginald J. Campbell, declared, "The 18th Century may be characterized as the Century of God the Father; the 19th Century as the Century of God the Son; and we are praying that the 20th Century may be experienced as the Century of the Holy Spirit." That was a brave and hopeful prayer. May we claim the same hope.



Dr. Newton
"These things have I spoken unto you, being yet present with you. But the Comforter, which is the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, he shall teach you all things, and bring all things to your remembrance, whatsoever I have said unto you," John 14:25 and 26. Go on to read Acts 2:1-4; 3:1 to 4:31; Galatians 5:22-26. DEVOTIONAL READING: Ephesians 6:10-20.

PETER ACTS BRAVELY
IN THE passage in Acts we have the picture of Peter and John about to enter the temple on the Sabbath, when suddenly they find themselves confronted by a sick beggar. What could they do with him and for him? He was asking for money.

Peter said, "Silver and gold have I none, but such as I have give I thee, in the Name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth rise up and walk!"

The lame man stood up, leaping and walking and rejoicing, and went into the temple with Peter and John. Only the power of God can do such mighty works. Peter was not afraid to tackle the man's needs, since he relied upon God's wisdom and strength.

WHY PETER WAS BRAVE
PETER is often pictured as a very quick-tempered person. He was usually the first to speak in every situation. He was the leader of the group—a natural leader of men. But Peter did not assume to meet the poor man's need in his strength. Only "in the Name of Jesus."

When we forget self and rely upon the Holy Spirit for direction, we are enabled to meet and master any situation. Juniors will do well to remember these words, "Not by might, nor by power, but by my Spirit, saith the Lord of hosts," Zechariah 4:6.

Junior boys and girls can meet life's tasks in the same assurance in which Peter dealt with the lame man, if we rely upon the Holy Spirit. **SECRET OF CHRISTIAN POWER**
"YOU shall receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you," Acts 1:8. That is the secret of the Christian's power. It does not originate elsewhere. It is God's gift to those who implicitly trust in him.

This great truth is particularly appealing to intermediates and seniors. Young people are keenly sensitive to the times in which they live. We live today in an hour of unprecedented power—atomic energy! But all of the marvels of modern science have not been able to give young people the sense of mastery. Rather, we are afraid. The scientists themselves tell us that this is history's most precarious age.

Only when the Holy Spirit is regnant in our hearts can we possess the power of which Paul is writing in Galatians, when he says, "But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, long suffering, gentleness, goodness, faith, meekness, temperance."

WHEN WE HAVE THAT POWER
WHY, then, should we ever be weak, when we may always possess that power? This is the most searching question for any Christian. The answer will lead us to certain inevitable admissions. We become weak spiritually when we forget to pray, when we forget to read God's word, when we allow the interests of this world to blind our eyes and deafen our ears to the reality of God's presence.

The Holy Spirit will dwell within us, if only we will welcome him. He will not come unbidden; he will not remain unwanted. He cannot be made secondary. Either he guides or surrenders the reins to us.

Our lives are spiritually strong and healthy when the Holy Spirit governs. Our work is effective, our words are compelling. We speak not our wisdom, but the wisdom of God. We go not in our strength, but in his strength.

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Lincoln's War Aim

The recurrence of Abraham Lincoln's birthday on February 12 revives memories of our first martyred President, now revered in the South as well as in the North.

So rich in human interest was Lincoln's life that it represents almost unlimited material for the writer—material of which wide use has been made during the past eighty years. But by the present generation it is probable that Lincoln's paramount aim during the Civil war is not so well understood as it should be. Doubtless the general impression is that his chief object was the abolition of slavery.

While Lincoln was always against slavery on principle, his original idea was to abolish it by paying slave owners for their property from the national treasury, thus gradually emancipating the negro. Such a proposal was made by him as early as 1849 when a member of Congress, and was renewed in 1862, while the war was in progress.

But his real aim during the war was the preservation of the nation as one union, with the abolishment of slavery as a secondary consideration. This is best illustrated by his famous letter to Horace Greely on August 22, 1862, in which he said:

"My paramount object is to save the Union, and not either to save or destroy slavery. If I could save the Union without freeing any slave, I would do it; if I could save it by freeing all the slaves, I would do it; and if I could do it by freeing some and leaving others alone, I would also do that."

Eisenhower Says "No"

At a time when public opinion polls showed General Eisenhower to be the most formidable candidate the Republicans could nominate for President, the general took himself out of the running by saying: "I am not available for and could not accept nomination to high political office."

Several leaders of the Eisenhower movement are now trying to throw his former support to Stassen, but the big fight in the convention will be between Dewey and Taft, at least on the first few ballots. Then anything can happen, if neither gets a majority in the early balloting.

In his statement declining to become a candidate, General Eisenhower said he was convinced that the subordination of military to civil power would be best maintained if professional soldiers refrain from seeking high political office. He added:

"Nothing in the international or domestic situation especially qualifies for the most important office in the world a man whose adult years have been spent in the country's military forces. At least this is true in my case."

It is generally conceded that General Eisenhower's withdrawal from the Republican race has helped President Truman's chances for re-election. Eisenhower was the man most feared by the Democrats.

We wouldn't know, but someone has said that the honeymoon is over when he takes her off the pedestal and puts her on a budget.

Sidelights

Today, we heard a man say: "I didn't know it was so much fun staying home nights until this blasted weather kept me from going out."

The New Look, according to the Christian Science Monitor, is being applied to practically every thing—the Republicans even want to lower the President's budget.

We are told that recently a young lady applied for a position as secretary and gave the name of her former employer as reference. Her former boss was called and asked why she was let out. "Well, I'll tell you," said the man, "the only reason I let her go is she's clocked."

Why is it that if some minor trouble develops in a man's automobile he will rush it to the garage to have it fixed and yet, when something goes wrong with his own machinery, it takes all the coaxing at his wife's command to get him to consult a doctor?

Sound-proof glass booths are being provided by movie houses where mothers may take and soothe their crying infants and still keep their eyes on the picture. We view this as a progressive forward step, but why stop there? Why not add: Cloth bags for popcorn, silencers for amateur commentators, pillows for sleepers and love benches for young couples not interested in the show. Maybe those who are there just to enjoy the show could be allotted a few rows of seats.



The Rev. James McEldowney, missionary in Jubbulpore, Central Provinces, India, recently travelled "the pilgrim trail" to sacred Badrinath Temple, high in the Himalayas. Of all the pilgrims, none touched my heart more than the widows, he says. Widowhood is considered a curse among Hindus for it is thought that the wife must have done some great wrong to cause her husband's death. As a result she will be punished by being reborn a woman. One escape offered is that of death while on a pilgrimage. If she dies, her soul will no longer know rebirths but will become one with God. So, after a beautiful ceremony of dismissal, with shaved head, the widow begins her pilgrimage.

Household Hints

To keep your iron from sticking, place a teaspoonful of salt in each quart of starch.

To remove tea or coffee stains from your china, rub with a damp cloth dipped in soda.

Be sure milk is covered tightly when placing it in the refrigerator, as it absorbs odors quickly.

Mineral oil makes a good substitute for furniture polish and will really make your furniture gleam.

One good way to lengthen a skirt is to insert fabric that can serve as a yoke; then cover it with a bias-cut hip drape, or a wide crushed hip sash.

To set one pint of liquid, one tablespoon of gelatine is needed. It will take a dish of gelatine two to three hours to set in the refrigerator.

The cleaning of chromium-plated trimmings such as are found on refrigerator hinges is simple

—just wash in warm water and soap.

Soaking clothes overnight is not desirable, as the long soaking has a tendency to let the dirt freed from clothes settle back into the fabric.

In arranging your kitchen, place the stove away from the sink, and you avoid having water splash on the range, also the work surface at the sink will not be reduced.

If grease is spilled on a wood floor, pour cold water over it at once. This will harden the grease so it may be scraped off before it penetrates the wood. Then scrub with hot, soapy water.

Start of Berlin
Berlin was originally a Wendish fishing village. It was first granted municipal rights about 1240. The Hohenzollern rulers chose Berlin as their place of residence in 1448.

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

Highest Cash Prices Paid For Poultry, Eggs Hides
O. E. ANDERSON
Broadlands Illinois

You are cordially invited to visit our Service Department to see our new "Road King" Chassis Seal Demonstration—a brand new service you'll appreciate. This is an outstanding service which enables car and truck owners to have Rattle-free, Rust-free, Road-free, permanent chassis protection at moderate costs. Why not drop in and let us explain this service to you?—Thanks.
BALDWIN'S GARAGE

Alcoholism on the Increase
The rate of alcoholism in men as well as in women has been increasing sharply since 1930 despite the fact that since 1850 the per capita consumption of distilled spirits decreased by 53 per cent while per capita consumption of beer increased 862 per cent.

New Heating Idea
The radiant baseboard, consisting of a hollow unit through which hot water is circulated, is one of the newest and most significant developments in the heating industry. It takes the place of the conventional wooden baseboard around the exposed walls of a room.

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Lima Beans, 2 lb. bag.....	.60
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Potatoes, 15-lb. sack.....	.75
Crystal White Soap, large bars, two for.....	.15
Syrup, white, 1 1-2 lbs., two for.....	.25
Eagle Brand Milk.....	.27
Peas, No. 2 can.....	.15
Smoked Salt, 10-lb. can.....	.79

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SHORT STORY
Biggest, Not Best
By ANNA WILSON

"I HAD him hooked and was playing him," Sol's voice drifted across the wisteria to Cal's porch as Cal held forth in the local store. "Then he went round that old rock that sticks out just beneath Calder's Bend and my line snapped. I just saw his tail flicker as he broke water with my hook still in his mouth and—well, you know how it is, boys." Cal could hear the laugh Sol always got when he talked of Old Rusty. "It's always the big one that gets away."

Never knew a man so set on catching Rusty as Sol was—used to spend a lot of time fixing up fancy flies and such, but he never had a bit of luck. Used to swear the big fish laughed at him, especially after the big picnic.

The picnic was over at Calder and everybody knew that both Sol and Jim Cady aimed to take Nancy Brain. You'd never know Sol and Jim were brothers. Sol was so up and coming while Jim was tall, lanky and never looked much in his clothes, but steady, with a slow smile.

Cal had gone down the stream to sit by the big elm when Sol and Nancy came down. Sol was pleading with Nancy and once it looked as if she was giving in.

"I'm not sure, Sol," Nancy was no fool and didn't want to make a mistake. "The things you do don't seem so terribly important but they show up a lot—but in marriage a man needs—"

"What does a man need, Nancy?" Sol's voice shook.

"Ob, courage and endurance and sportsmanship—a lot of things."

Her eyes suddenly lit up. "Tell you what, Sol, everybody here has tried to catch Old Rusty. Let me see you try."

Sol went off for his line and Nancy came and sat down by Cal. She looked downright miserable.

OLD RUSTY always lay out under a big rock right across from where Nancy sat with Uncle Cal. Sol spent all of 20 minutes trying out flies. He was satisfied at last, and cast with a flourish. It seemed as if Sol had all the luck in the world for Old Rusty rose to the fly and snapped. Sol let out a whoop, and started to play the big fish that rushed away downstream and Sol followed letting out his reel. Rusty made straight for that sharp old limestone outcrop and snarled the line. Cal could hear Sol losing his temper and floundering in the brush and it came to him that Rusty must have got away.

"Well, Nancy," said Cal, placidly, "it's not likely Rusty'll bite again. Maybe, we should go and say something to Sol." Just then Sol came back, his face red and angry and a gaping rip in his pants, revealing a long, angry scratch. Nancy's indecision was forgotten as she started to patch up Sol, dabbing him with

iodine from Cal's pocket kit. It did look as if Nancy had at last made up her mind, but just then someone called for Sol to come and meet Senator Rand. Sol went off, patting Nancy's hand.

"I'll just fix the senator up, Nancy, and be right back—boy, we'll have something to tell them, won't we, honey?" He laughed at Nancy's desperate, "Wait, Sol."

Somehow they had forgotten about Jim—the moss was so soft that they came right up behind him unseen.

"Rusty," Nancy scarcely breathed for Jim was playing the big fish—he played it steadily, grimly, without moving and this time the big fish knew he'd met his master as Jim reeled him in.

It was fighting desperately as Jim took it and he detached the two hooks from its mouth gently—then Jim did a funny thing. "You're a grand fighter, Rusty," he said softly, and threw the big fish back in.

Cal and Nancy stole away quietly on the soft grass. Nancy was thoughtful, you could tell.

Yes, folks said afterwards that Sol looked higher than Nancy Brain when he married the senator's daughter, but Cal smiled cagily when Nancy married Jim.

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LOOKING AHEAD
By GEORGE S. BENSON
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Searcy, Arkansas

Just Communism, Again

Things have not been going well in France and Italy. Press reports speak increasingly of Communist-inspired rioting. These riots, in which people are being killed and many injured, are in perfect keeping with the well known methods of the Communists. They work with peaceful ways until they think they are strong enough to win with violence—showing their real colors.

When I visited Communist headquarters in Paris last year, it was clear from their own talk that they were building upon hate. Events that have come to pass therefore are not surprising. Where the individual is not respected, violence may be expected. Most of the hatred, destruction, and chaos still stalking the earth may be laid at the door of those bitter and false philosophers who have denied human rights and liberties!

Misuse of Labor
Of such is Communism, both in theory and in action. In the recent French elections, when the de Gaulists (anti-Communists) gained ground, the French Communists were ready to go into action. They had gone as far as they could by peaceful action, so the Communists used violence to take the great port city of Marseille. American and British flags, hanging in Armistice celebrations were torn from the city hall. Confusion was rampant.

Communist-led unions in other cities began to go out on strike, to add to the confusion. Coal miners and auto workers struck. The Communists have called for "committees of defense," to resist the peaceful election victory of the followers of de Gaulle. France continues to call up soldiers, anticipating continued trouble. Civil war could develop.

It is noteworthy that French Communists hold labor captive. So powerful is the Communist-led Trade Union Central committee, that apparently whenever it says so, a general strike is begun. It is a pity that, as desperately as France needs peace and production, its workers are misled into contributing to the political chaos. In Italy, the Communists also failed to win an election and adopted methods of violence in an attempt to start a civil war.

What Agitators Want
These things are not surprising. They are just the ordinary, well-established tactics of the Communists. But to Americans, these events must serve as warning. If we want to preserve peace, harmony, and prosperity, we should keep our own people well-informed. When Americans see through these tactics with understanding, it will be impossible for us to have enough Communists and "fellow travelers" to create such violence in America.

We should pay attention to trends, lest we give our Communist agitators the assistance they want: 1. Regulations on industry that would limit production and add to shortages of goods. 2. High taxes of a nature that limit capital flowing into tools of production, to make it appear the government should produce goods. 3. Industrial confusion, creating misunderstanding and suspicion between workers and employers. The agitators just love those things!

There's an old story that pays a left-handed compliment to a father. It was told by an Irish woman at a wake. She was bragging about her husband. She said, "Every Saturday night when Pat comes home from work he always hands me his pay envelope."

Then she noticed a neighbor woman, who was in the group, wink to another. Of course, the Irish woman added, there is never anything in the envelope,

The doctor was examining the school children. One youngster was underweight.

You don't drink milk?
Nope.

You mean to tell me you live on a farm, and don't drink milk?
Nope, we ain't got hardly enough for the hogs.

There's a beautiful necklace you are wearing, my dear, he said.

Yes, isn't it, darling? replied his wife, I found it in the back seat of the car.

Who can measure, accurately, the influence of one good man's life? We can count the apples on a tree, but cannot count the trees in an apple.

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Wife—You should shave before you go to bed darling.

The teacher wrote on the blackboard: "I didn't have no fun on my vacation." Then turning to the class she asked, How can I correct that, Johnny?

Get a boy friend, responded Johnny confidently.

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Smile Awhile

If a man could have half his wishes, he would double his troubles.

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but it's the principle of the thing that counts with me.

Why Diogenese Quit

He met an ex-soldier who confessed he had only been a private.

He met a politician who admitted he had made a mistake.

He met a defeated political candidate who did not blame his defeat on the perfidy and trickery of the other party.

He met a man who had been fishing and said he hadn't even gotten a bite.

He met a husband and wife both of whom said they had been wrong at the end of an argument.

He met an editor who did not blame the printer or proofreader for a mistake in his paper.

Having met all these honest people, Diogenese blew out his lantern and went home, being so old by this time that he could hardly walk.

West's Camel Race
A camel race was held at Sacramento, Calif., April 7, 1884.

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And farmers have willingly shouldered that responsibility. Will spends extra hours in his cornfield... comes home tired to a temperate glass of beer and early bed, to be ready for the next day's work.
From where I sit, America can be mighty grateful for her five million farmers... for their productivity, hard work, and temperate living—of which Will's moderate glass of beer is proof!
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Broadlands Couple Honored In Florida

St. Petersburg, Fla., Feb. 5—Mr. and Mrs. Joe Vedder of Broadlands, Ill., were honored at a picnic dinner at Municipal pier here Saturday in observance of their wedding anniversary.

Attending the dinner were: Mr. and Mrs. William Miller, of Catlin, Ill.; Mrs. Frances Grothe and Mrs. Bertha Jaekle, Decatur, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Zenke, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith, Frank Vedder, Jessie and Hazel Vedder, all of Broadlands, Ill.; and Addie Manspile, Mary Swick and Mrs. Delbert Drake, all of St. Petersburg, Fla.

Adult Discussion Group Meetings at Longview High

The Agricultural Discussion Group of the Longview Township high school are holding their meetings in the agricultural room of the Longview high school.

The meetings are held from 7 to 9 p. m. and all farmers and those interested in agriculture are urged to attend. The next meeting will be held on Tuesday, Feb. 17.

Topic: "Availability of Food Required For Crops." Information as to the source of plant food and how it is used by the crop.

Local and Personal

Place your news items in our mail box, please.

H. B. Kenney of Decatur was a visitor here one day last week.

Rev. E. Busekros of Champaign, a former pastor of the local St. John's church, was a visitor here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Nohren and daughter returned the first of last week from a few weeks sojourn at Key West and St. Petersburg, Fla.

Guests of the Russell Potters, Sunday, were Messrs. and Mesdames John Nohren, Roy Bergfield, Ed Maxwell, Philip Limp, Carl Dicks and Forrest Dicks.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Williams of Decatur, and Miss Evelyn Taylor of Oakland were weekend guests in the Howard Clem home.

John Bahlow entered Mercy hospital at Urbana, as a surgical patient, on Wednesday of last week. His condition is improving.

Mrs. Ella Maxwell entered Carle Memorial hospital, Urbana, Sunday evening for observation and treatment. Her condition is reported serious.

Mrs. Edgar David spent a few days at her home here last week and returned to Tuscola on Saturday where she is caring for her mother who is ill.

Longview News

(Thelma D. Kraft, Reporter)

Mrs. John Mathews and daughter were Champaign callers Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Drinkwater of Camargo spent Sunday in the Chas. Warnes home.

A son, Martin Lee, was born Sunday at Burnham hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. James Warnes.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Appgar of Champaign spent the weekend in the George Appgar home.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Bryant of Oakwood spent Sunday with Mrs. Maggie Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Sullivan attended the wedding of Miss Betty Ann Wilson in Holy Cross Church, Champaign, Saturday.

Mrs. Ova Martinie has returned home after a week's visit with her daughter, Mrs. Frances Dague of Sidney.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Green attended the opening of Farm and Home week at the University on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Tuttle and family spent Sunday evening with the Wm. Taylors at Newman.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Struck, Mr. and Mrs. Alfons Struck attended the funeral of a relative in Ohio, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Nichols

of Villa Grove spent Sunday afternoon with the Chas. Bengtsons.

Mrs. Ralph Wrench and daughter of Mansfield are visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Coay.

Mrs. Wm. Fitzgerald and Mrs. Joe Spalding are numbered with the sick, both having the mumps. Mrs. Chas. Dyar has a severe cold.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gosnell and family of Newman, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Taylor and family of

Champaign spent Saturday evening with the Thos. Tuttles.

Miss Ova Carleton, who has been spending the winter with Miss Ada Carleton, took seriously ill Friday and her relatives were sent for.

Dr. and Mrs. Spreng of Naperville, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Warnes were six o'clock dinner guests in the W. H. Warnes home on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Merton Parks and daughter returned Tuesday from a trip to Chicago. Marilyn

was interviewed over WLS Monday morning. Several local people heard the interview.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Brooks of Eureka spent Saturday night in the O. L. Brooks home. Sunday guests in the Brooks home were the Everett Chandlers of Georgetown, and the Robert McCoys of Ogden.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kraft and daughter attended a supper celebrating the 53rd wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. S. C.

Kraft, also Mrs. Kraft's 73rd birthday, at Sidney on Saturday night. Five of their six boys were present with their families.

Everett Green attended a luncheon at the Urbana-Lincoln on Saturday, given for the executive board and vocational agriculture teachers. Mrs. Green attended a meeting of the senior 4-H girls, who entertained the local leaders at University Place Church.

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Musical Western—In Trucolor—Starring Roy Rogers & Trigger, Jane Frazee, Tito Guizar, in

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Matinee at 2:00. Evening at 6:30—9:05.

Sun., Mon., Feb. 15-16

Exciting Drama—In Technicolor—Starring Lon McCallister, Peggy Ann Garner, Edmund Gwenn, Reginald Owen, Charles Irwin, in

Thunder In The Valley

Shows Starting Sunday at 2:00—4:10—6:20—8:30

Tues., Wed., Feb. 17-18

Glenn Ford, Janis Carter, Barry Sullivan, Edgar Buchanan, Jim Bannon, in

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Thur., Fri., Feb. 19-20

Drama—Starring Tyrone Power, Joan Blondell, Colleen Gray, Helen Walker, Mike Mazurki, Taylor Holmes, in

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Oven Ready Biscuits15
Hominy, No. 1 tall tin10
Salt, 10-lb. bag29
Cinch White and Spiced Cake Mix45
Marshmallows22
Mush, 1 lb. 14 oz. can15
Dates, 1 lb. box39
Shredded Cocoanut22
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