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News Items of 12 and 20 Years Ago

April 16, 1936

Postmaster Leonard Block visited relatives at Decatur.

Miss Wilma Richard of Champaign visited friends here.

Miss Adelia Pogendorf returned to Chicago after a visit with home folks.

Mrs. Orval McCormick underwent an appendectomy at Lakeview hospital, Danville.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Nichols and daughter, Helen, spent the weekend with relatives at Oakwood.

Rosemary, Tommy and Barbara Hobbs returned to Indianapolis after a visit with relatives here.

20 Years Ago

April 13, 1928

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ray Thode.

Miss Virginia Richard of Danville spent the weekend with home folks.

Miss Gladys Dohme of Champaign spent the weekend with Misses Hazel and Anna Dohme.

Claude Combs and family of Stillman Valley spent the weekend with relatives here.

Miss Alma Holz of Sidell spent the weekend in the Emil Schumacher home.

Mrs. Earl Baker of Detroit, Mich., spent the weekend in the H. W. Six home.

Immanuel Lutheran Church

P.E. Kerkhoff, Pastor

School for Religious Instruction

Saturdays at 1:00 p. m.

Lesson: "The Power of Baptism."

Sunday School and Bible Class

—9:30.

Lesson for the Bible Class:

"The Last Years of Elisha's Life."

10:15—Public Worship.

Sermon: "Sir, We Would See Jesus!"

Monthly meeting of the Walther League, Wednesday, April 21, 8:00 p. m.

Topic: "My Obligation to the Man Next Door."

Methodist Church Notes

W. H. Loyd, pastor.

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

Worship Service—11:00.

MYF—6:15.

LONGVIEW

Church School—10:00.

MYF—6:30.

St. John's Evangelical and Reformed Church

Sunday School—9:45. Floyd Magill, Superintendent.

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

Place your news items in our mail box, please.

Dwight Allen Elected Governor of Moose

The Villa Grove Moose held its annual election of officers Monday, April 5. Dwight Allen, 26, was elected as Governor of the lodge. Allen has served the local lodge as prelate since he returned from three and one half years in the armed service in 1946. Mr. Allen is manager of the C. T. Henson Hardware store in Broadlands, and is quite active in civic affairs.—Villa Grove News.

Volunteers Clean Up Debris From Tornado

Squads of volunteer workers last Friday began wiping out the traces of a freak tornado that cut a 10-mile path across portions of Stanton and Compromise townships late Wednesday afternoon, April 7, wrecking seven farm homes.

Under the supervision of directors of community Farm Bureau units, work crews assembled pieces of broken lumber from torn and battered buildings, cut and piled broken trees for burning, and picked up debris scattered over nearby fields.

Working in groups of 50 or more, volunteers removed all the wreckage of the Marion Shumate home near Leverett during the morning. Only the foundation of the former home remained as evidence that a house had stood in the broken clump of trees.

All fields were cleared of rolled-up metal and roofing that had littered the fields.

Mrs. Shumate, blown from the house with the Shumate baby in her arms, was cut on the head by a piece of flying metal. She was hospitalized but was released Thursday, still suffering from shock and nervousness.

Although practically all the farming equipment and machinery was ruined by the tornado, much of the Shumate's furniture was saved. Friday morning the keys to a schoolhouse adjoining the John Buss farm were handed to him by the directors. We will make our home in the school in a few days, Shumate said.

At the Charles Woller home, partially roofless and badly twisted on the foundation, no start was made in making the house livable. Seventy or more neighbors and volunteers were busy clearing fields and cutting a path through the maze of broken trees.

Workmen started the task of replacing the roof on the barn, apparently untouched except for the upper structure, in an effort to save as much as possible of the stored hay and grain.

No decision had been reached on repairs for the house. It is doubtful that the building can be repaired without completely clearing the site. A quonset building was moved onto the farm Friday morning which will serve as a temporary home for the Woller family.

We are extremely grateful to the friends and neighbors who extended a helping hand today, Mr. Shumate said Friday morning. "Without their help, it would have been a well-nigh impossible task to make even a small dent in a cleanup that will be necessary before anything else can be done." Similar sentiment was expressed by other victims of the storm.

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DON'T TAKE MY PENNY

The senior class play of the Longview High School, "Don't Take My Penny," will be presented at 8 p. m. in the Longview gym, on Thursday, April 22.

CHARACTERS

Sally, a maid with a purpose.....Delores Hedrick
Norman Porter, a publicity man.....Bill Markel
Penny, a pretty miss.....Rita Bergfield
Caleb, her absorbed father.....Joe Laley
Mark, farm-minded brother.....Tony Bosch
Mavis, an attractive sister.....Helen Ward
Lydia, her busy mother.....Shirley Smith
Joanna, her girl friend.....Lela Partenheimer
Kerry, boy friend.....Don Turner
Greg, a pal with ideas.....David Dalzell
Gram, just herself.....Juddie Morris
Monsieur Henri, French designer.....Marion Zenke
Claire, model.....Evelyn Katterhenry
Elsie, model.....Shirley Smith
Lucile, model.....Marion Dohme
Red, a delivery boy.....Bill Markel
Harrison Day, a young author.....Orville Frick

Broadlands Bowling League

Standings for the Broadlands bowling league for the 28th week are as follows:

	Won	Lost
Coddington	75	29
Allerton Imp.	70	34
Struck Bros.	64	40
Sidney	58	46
Brewers (Homer)	58	46
Gardner's Service	57	47
Rothermel	56	52
Henson & Sons	54	54
Luth	53	51
DeKalb	47	57
Marathon Oil	44	60
Crain	41	63
Brewers (Broadlands)	39	65
Hurst's Grocery	37	67
Senter's Cafe	33	71
High Series For Week		501
Eddie McCormick		
High Line For Week		
Bob Hurt		188

Those winning \$1 prizes in open bowling last week were: G. Partenheimer, 199; N. Hurst, 149.

Newcastle Disease Causing Great Loss of Baby Chicks

Newcastle disease is causing losses of baby chicks as high as 75 per cent in some instances, according to reports the state department of agriculture is receiving from Illinois poultry raisers.

The mortality in laying flocks afflicted by the disease is said to be less than 10 per cent, but egg production frequently is checked for several weeks.

Department of Conservation Releases 3,600 Breeder Quail

The state department of conservation released about 3,600 breeder quail last week, putting approximately 120 birds in each of thirty Illinois counties.

The department plans to release more than 65,000 quail in various Illinois counties this year and hopes to set more than 100,000 pheasants free in an effort to keep the state's hunting grounds well stocked with game.

Mrs. Herman Rohl Is Hostess to W. C. T. U.

The Broadlands unit of the W. C. T. U. met at the home of Mrs. Herman Rohl, Allerton, on Tuesday afternoon.

Rev. Nehrig, pastor of the Allerton Methodist church, was the speaker. Mrs. Eva Brewer led the devotions.

Those present were Rev. and Mrs. Nehrig; Mesdames Kemp Wartens, Mabel Anderson, Anna Seeds, Eva Brewer, Maude Anderson, Ruth Henson, Garnet Stutz, Eva Walker, and Mrs. Rohl.

Refreshments of fruit salad with whipped cream, cake, coffee, mints and nuts were served. The May meeting will be held with Mrs. Ruth Henson.

Sew & So Club Meets With Mrs. Helen Dalzell

The Sew & So Club met Wednesday for an all day session at the home of Mrs. Helen Dalzell.

A potluck luncheon was enjoyed at the noon hour.

The afternoon was spent in sewing and visiting, following which refreshments of homemade ice cream and cake were served.

Mrs. Hilda Seider was a guest. Members present were Mesdames Alice Schumacher, Erma Wood, Garnet Stutz, Ethel Comer, Olive Pigg, Helen Dalzell, Alyce Crain, Misses Nellie and Blanche Smith.

It's A Date

Mrs. Neva Frick will be hostess to the Broadlands unit of the Home Bureau at 2 p. m. Monday, April 19.

There will be an important meeting of the Sportsman's club at 8 p. m. this Friday at the community building. Every member is urged to attend.

NOTICE

Dr. Bowser will be out of town for two weeks—from April 18 to May 2.

O. E. S. Observes Friends' Night

One of the early Friends' nights for east central Illinois was held Saturday night, April 10, by Broadlands Chapter, O. E. S. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Jahr of Mecca Chapter, Mahomet, served as guest worthy matron and patron. After they were introduced Mrs. Ray McClelland sang "Playmates" to them.

A friendship ceremony was given by the local officers with greetings to the guests from the East, West, South and North. Mrs. Louis Frick, a member of the Special Endowment committee of the Grand chapter, was introduced as guest of honor, and Mrs. Elmer Mohr sang "As We Desire You" in her honor. A Friendship Bank for Broadlands chapter was presented by the worthy matron. Money collected in it will be used to buy a gift for the Eastern Star home at Macon, Ill. in remembrance of Broadlands chapter's fiftieth anniversary.

All past and present Star points attending the meeting were honored at a service for the Areme. Forty-seven members were presented with small white Bible books by the associate conductress as the conductress gave a eulogy at each point of the Star.

The worthy matron expressed appreciation to the committees who worked to make the bingo party a success; to the members who worked hard and faithfully on housecleaning day; to the Line officers who helped with the programs; and to the refreshment committee.

More than one hundred friends and members were served ice cream, cake and coffee. Stars and star point colors were everywhere in evidence to help honor the Areme. Mrs. Ray McClelland sang "April Showers" as a closing number.

Circle of W. S. C. S. Meets Tuesday Night

Mrs. Betty Dicks and Mrs. Isabel Dicks were co-hostesses at the April meeting of the Circle of W. S. C. S., which was held at the home of the former on Tuesday evening.

The meeting was in charge of the president, Mrs. Ella Miller.

Mrs. Edith Woolverton gave the Bible study.

Refreshments consisting of fruit salad, cookies and coffee were served.

Those present were Mesdames Nancy Hurst, Myrle Block, Bertha Cook, Thelma Smith, Ida Messman, Ella Miller, Edith Woolverton, Gladys Walker, Emma Darnall, Isabel Dicks, Betty Dicks, and Miss Corene Taylor.

Mrs. Zermah Witt Is Hostess to U. B. Aid

The April meeting of the Ladies Aid society of the Ev. U. B. church was held at the home of Mrs. Zermah Witt. Fifteen members were present.

Mrs. Erma Wood led the devotions. Mrs. Ruth Henson conducted the business meeting.

Refreshments of chicken sandwiches, pickles, graham cracker pie and coffee were served.

The May meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Jessie Bergfield.

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Rites For Mrs. Sam Kraft Held Wednesday

Sidney—Mrs. Samuel Kraft, 73, lifelong resident of Champaign county, died at 12:45 a. m. Monday, at her home a mile northeast of Sidney. She had been in failing health for two years.

Funeral services were held at 3 p. m. Wednesday at St. Paul's Evangelical and Reformed church three miles south of Sidney. Burial was in St. John's cemetery, northwest of Broadlands.

Mrs. Kraft, the former Amanda Newkirk, was born Feb. 7, 1875, on a farm near Broadlands, daughter of Charles and Anna Newkirk. She was married Feb. 7, 1895, to Samuel Kraft, and they lived near Broadlands for three years before moving to a Sidney township farm. They retired to their present home several years ago. She was a member of St. Paul's Evangelical and Reformed church.

Surviving are her husband; six sons, Henry, Alton; Edgar, Danville; Clarence, Longview; Fred, Charles and Walter, Sidney; six grandchildren, one great granddaughter; and a sister, Mrs. Meda Frick, Broadlands.

Fire Destroys 3-Story U. of I. Fraternity House

Fire which roared through the Sigma Alpha Mu fraternity house at 1008 South Fifth street, early Tuesday morning, completely gutted the three-story structure and destroyed the belongings of 53 University of Illinois students.

Unofficial estimates placed the loss at well over \$50,000, and Carl Grip, assistant dean of men, said he believed it would top \$100,000.

Fifty of the students were trapped on the second and third floors, but were rescued by the Champaign firemen, who found the house a blazing inferno when they were called at 5 a. m.

Some of the students were hanging from windows while flames licked out at them. Others were huddled on roofs. Only three were able to get down a wooden ladder erected by the house porter before firemen arrived.

Firemen were bowled over but escaped injury in a terrific gas explosion that sent flames shooting 30 feet from the house about 30 minutes after they arrived. Force of the explosion blew two firemen through a door and tossed three others over a fence into a neighboring yard.

Walls of the octagonal shaped building, built in 1926, were left standing, but the interior was a total loss. Assistant Fire Chief Gus Schalk said it was the worst UI campus fire in 25 years.—News-Gazette.

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.

Market Report

Following are the prices offered for grain on Thursday in the local market:
No. 2 yellow beans, new...\$3.92
No. 2 yellow corn, new...2.30
No. 2 oats...1.25

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

The News appreciates your news items. Place your news items in our mail box, please.

Classified Ads.

Plumbing and heating supplies—Courson Hardware, Allerton.

For Sale—Oats seeder. George Dohme, Broadlands, Ill.

For Sale—7-ft. Electrolux ice box. Harold McGarigle, Allerton.

For Sale—One Brooder House, 12x16. Bill Fitzgerald, Longview.

Spray painting contractor; floor finishing.—Courson Hardware, Allerton.

For Sale—Used Maytag washing machine, and Copper-Clad range. Alfred Zenke, phone 57F4.

NOTICE

I have purchased Edgar Davids corn sheller and am now prepared to do your shelling and hauling. Also limestone and phosphate hauling. L. W. Donley, Broadlands.

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Lewis Evades Truth

With characteristic evasion of the truth, John L. Lewis told the President's board investigating the coal strike recently that he did not cause the walk-out of soft coal miners which began on March 15, three days after he sent the miners a letter saying the mine owners had "dishonored" their contract.

In the same letter Lewis reminded the miners that their contract required them to work only when they were "able and willing" to do so.

Now, John L. Lewis knew full well that the letter would cause a strike, and that it was intended to cause a strike. For him to pretend otherwise is just another example of his brazen disregard of the truth whenever it suits his purpose to deny or distort the facts.

The present contract between the United Mine Workers and the mine owners provides that the owners must pay into the miners' welfare fund a royalty of 10 cents on every ton of coal mined, which they have done. It also provides that the fund shall be administered by a board of three trustees.

The board as set up last year was composed of John L. Lewis, representing the union; Ezra Van Horn, representing the operators, and Thomas E. Murray, a neutral member. When the board failed to agree, Murray resigned.

Lewis insisted that miners who had reached the age of 60 and had also worked 20 years or more in the mines should receive pensions of \$100 a month. The other two members objected to this amount, on the ground that the fund could not stand such large payments. There the matter stood when Lewis wrote the letter which caused the nation-wide strike.

Thus the nation was again deprived of its desperately needed coal supply through the arbitrary and arrogant action of one man.

Baruch's Advice

Testifying before the Senate Armed Services Committee recently, Bernard M. Baruch, who has given the nation much sound advice in the past, called for several measures to strengthen the military position of the United States, including the following:

1. Provision for universal military training.
2. Temporary revival of Selective Service.
3. A law permitting new wage and price controls if made necessary by a national emergency.
4. A total plan for industrial and economic mobilization.

Mr. Baruch declared that the greatest single necessity today is for America to make up its mind where it stands, so that the free peoples of the earth will know where to rally, and added: "Unless we come to a decision among ourselves, we invite a scattering of our friends, and another war."

Testimony similar to that of Mr. Baruch was offered by Chas. E. Wilson, president of General Electric, and former vice chairman of the War Production Board who urged "an army, navy and air force fully staffed with thoroughly trained personnel." Nothing else, he said, could be adequate at this stage of world events.

Wilson also declared that we should back up these expanded armed forces by the mobilization of industry, stockpiling of critical materials and scientific research. He said the dramatic and drastic turn of world events has all but demolished our hopes for an early return to normal peace conditions.

The Armed Services Committee also heard the views of a number of persons who oppose military preparedness, including Henry Wallace, who would leave the United States helpless in the face of Soviet aggression.

It is to be hoped that Congress will soon arrive at some decisions in the vital matters affecting the national defense, and the advice of Mr. Baruch appears to be as sound as any that has been offered.

Sidelights

The story is told of two lawyers who were in a heated argument over a point of law. Finally, one of them declared: "If that's the law, I'll go to my office and burn every one of my books." His opponent, seeing an opening, remarked: "My friend, it would be better if you would go to your office and read them."

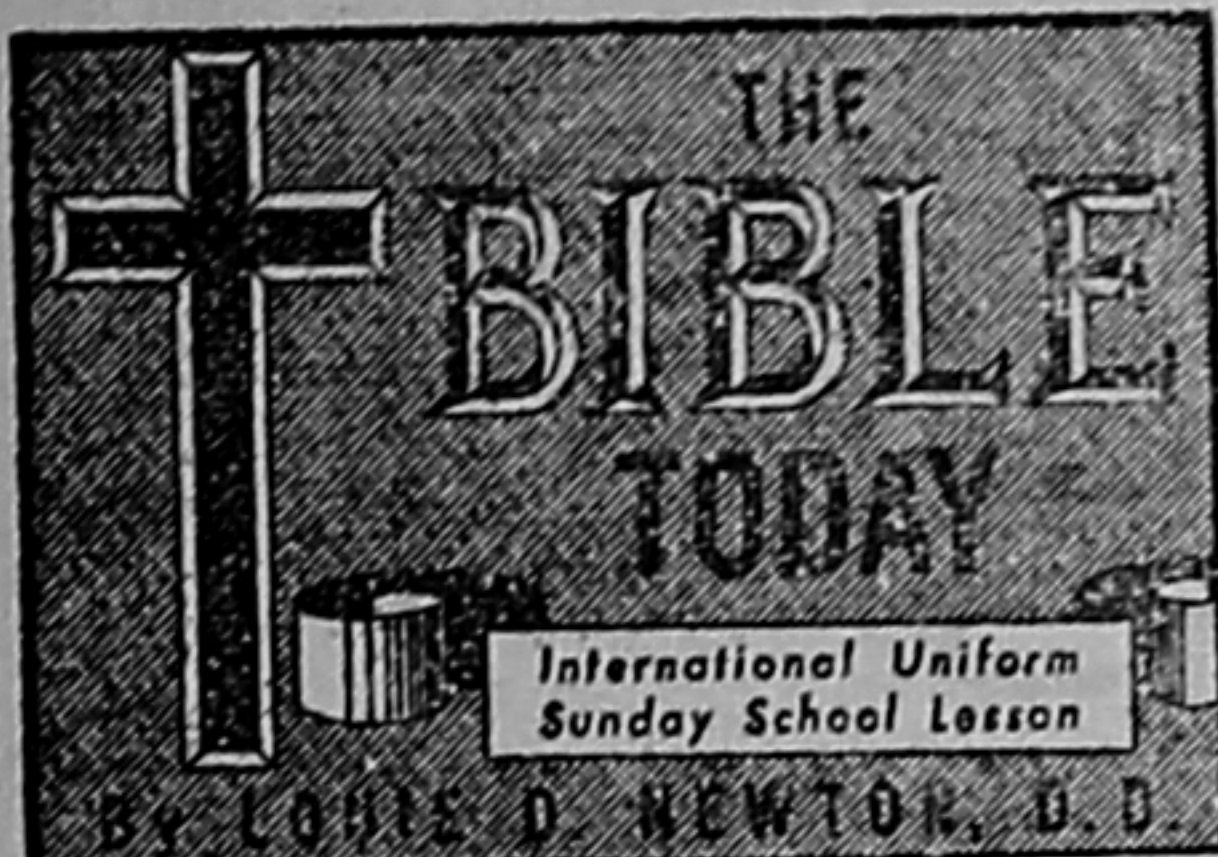
And speaking of trials, it is said to be true that not long ago during a murder trial, the final arguments were about to start, when the presiding judge noticed a vacant seat in the jury box. Turning to the juror next to the vacant seat, the judge asked where the missing man was. "Your Honor," said the juror, "he had some important business to attend to—but he left his verdict with me."

When we read of the bickerings and arguments that go on in the U. S. Senate, which seem to stall the workings of our government as it faces crisis after crisis, we can more fully appreciate a remark of Edward Everett Hale, who was Chaplain of the Senate for many years. One day he was asked: "Do you pray for the senators, Dr. Hale?" "No," replied the good man, "I look at the senators and pray for the country."

It had been the custom for years for the colored people of a certain church to hold an annual strawberry festival. The date for the big event had been postponed for weeks because of the high cost of the berries. It was hoped that a drop in price might occur, but this didn't materialize. Finally, a date was set and the following notice appeared on the church bulletin board. "The Annual Strawberry Festival will be held Saturday night but because of the high cost of strawberries, prunes will be served."



Representatives of Protestant, Jewish and Catholic faiths together with representatives of many interfaith and interdenominational agencies, are promoting the observance across America of "National Family Week," May 2 to 9. There will be special services and sermons in churches and synagogues and in mass meetings, challenging "our American people to create homes which will be a blessing to the men, women and children in them." Says Dr. Foster Wood, chairman of the Protestant agencies promoting the observance: "Wreckage of homes is now accumulating too fast. When our homes are wrecked, we are part of the wreckage. Our happiness, our emotional security, and the well-being and guidance of our children depend on the home."



SCRIPTURE: Ezra 1-5; Haggai. DEVOTIONAL READING: Psalms 126:1-6

The Return From Exile
Lesson for April 18, 1948

COWPER'S lines come to mind as we study the dramatic return of the Jews from their exile in Babylon to Jerusalem in the first year of the reign of Cyrus, king of Persia, 536 B. C.:

"God moves in a mysterious way His wonders to perform; He plants his footsteps in the sea And rides upon the storm."

And yet it is not altogether strange, for if you will turn to Jeremiah 29:4-14, you will find a prophecy given 50 years before the event that this very thing would occur.

There were two other deportations of the Jews from Babylon, prior to the incident in our lesson—the return

led by Daniel, 606 B. C., and the one led by Ezekiel, 597 B. C.

PROCLAMATION OF CYRUS

THE proclamation of Cyrus, Ezra 1:1-5, records the happy word to the Jews that they would not only return, but that the temple would be rebuilt. Cyrus called upon all the people who would to make offerings by which the temple might be restored. Cyrus was acting under divine impulse in this gracious and generous proclamation.

"The Lord God of heaven hath given me all the kingdoms of the earth; and he hath charged me to build him an house at Jerusalem, which is in Judah," said Cyrus, Ezra 1:2.

Fifty thousand Jews, their hearts rejoicing at the thought of returning to the land of their fathers, set out on the trek of 600 miles, laden with gifts from the Persians for the restoration of the temple in Jerusalem. They could now sing the song of the Lord, and no longer did their harps hang silently on the willow trees.

THE DECREE OF ARTAXERXES

THE fourth chapter of Ezra brings us to the halting of the work on the temple, after they had raised the magnificent sum of approximately \$400,000, and had laid the foundation for the temple, with imposing ceremonies.

This delay was occasioned by the jealousy of the Samaritans, who went to Artaxerxes, through employed counsel, and convinced him that it would be dangerous to allow these Jews to rebuild Jerusalem. At first, the Samaritans proposed that the Jews let them use the temple in joint worship, but the Jews feared the Samaritans and refused their offer. It was then that the Samaritans effected the delay in the building of the temple by the space of 14 years. Meanwhile, the Jews went forward with the building of their homes and reestablishing themselves and their civilization in Jerusalem.

STICKING TO ONE'S PURPOSE

WE come now to the part Haggai played in summoning the Jews to their duty and obligation to God to restore the temple. It was in the second year of the reign of Darius that Haggai received the word of the Lord. "Is it time for you, O ye, to dwell in your ceiled houses, and this house lie waste? Now therefore thus saith the Lord of hosts, Consider your ways."

It was enough. The people rallied to the call of Haggai, and the temple was completed. Men can always do what they ought to do, if they will to do it.

GOD'S PURPOSE FULFILLED

THE message of Haggai was heeded. The temple was completed, Ezra 6:13-18, and God's purpose was fulfilled. Read Psalm 126. This brings us to the golden text: "No man, having put his hand to the plow, and looking back, is fit for the Kingdom of God," Luke 9:62. When once the returned exiles felt the iron of God's purpose surging through their veins, they quitted themselves like men, and God's power was everywhere manifest. So may it ever be with us!

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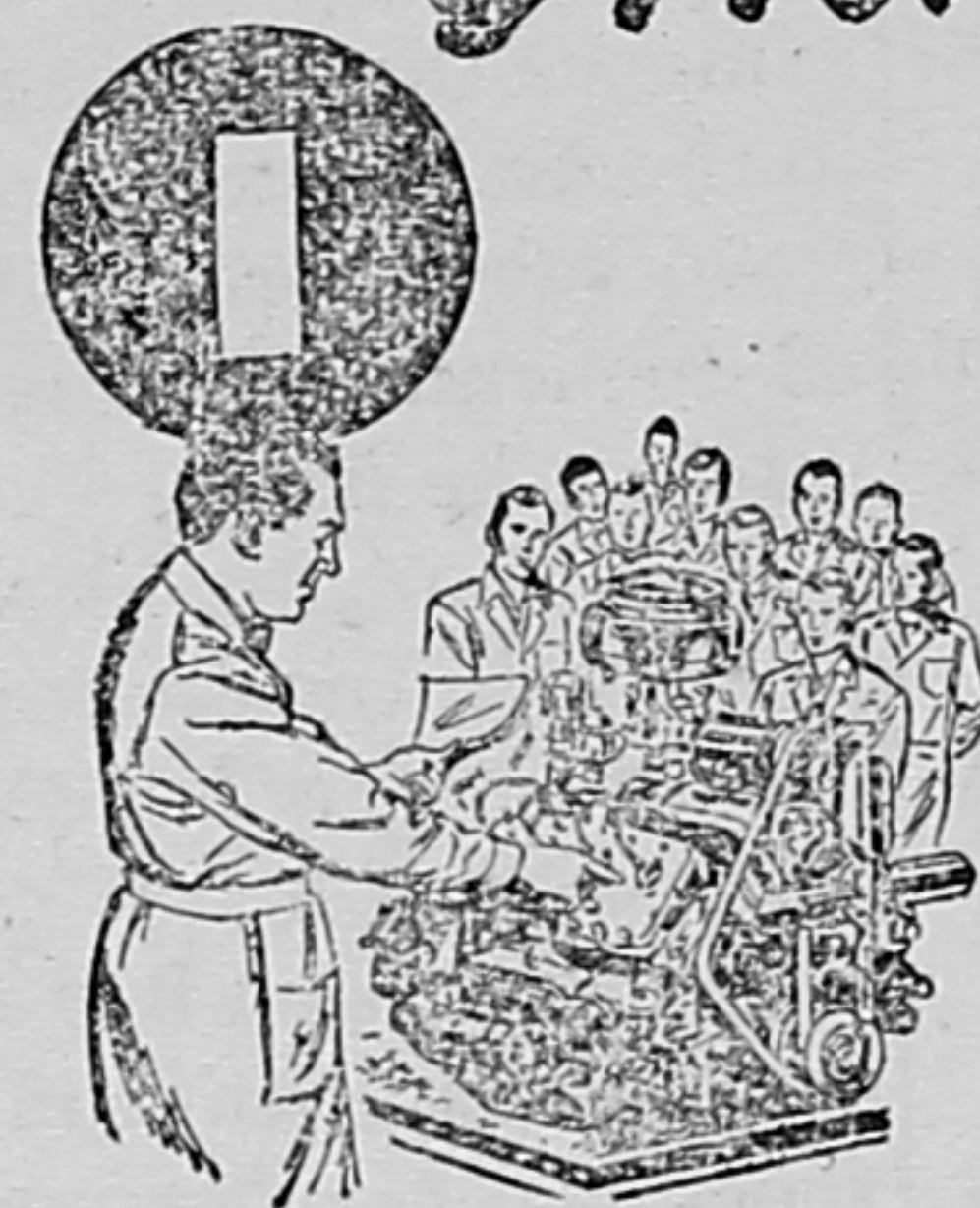
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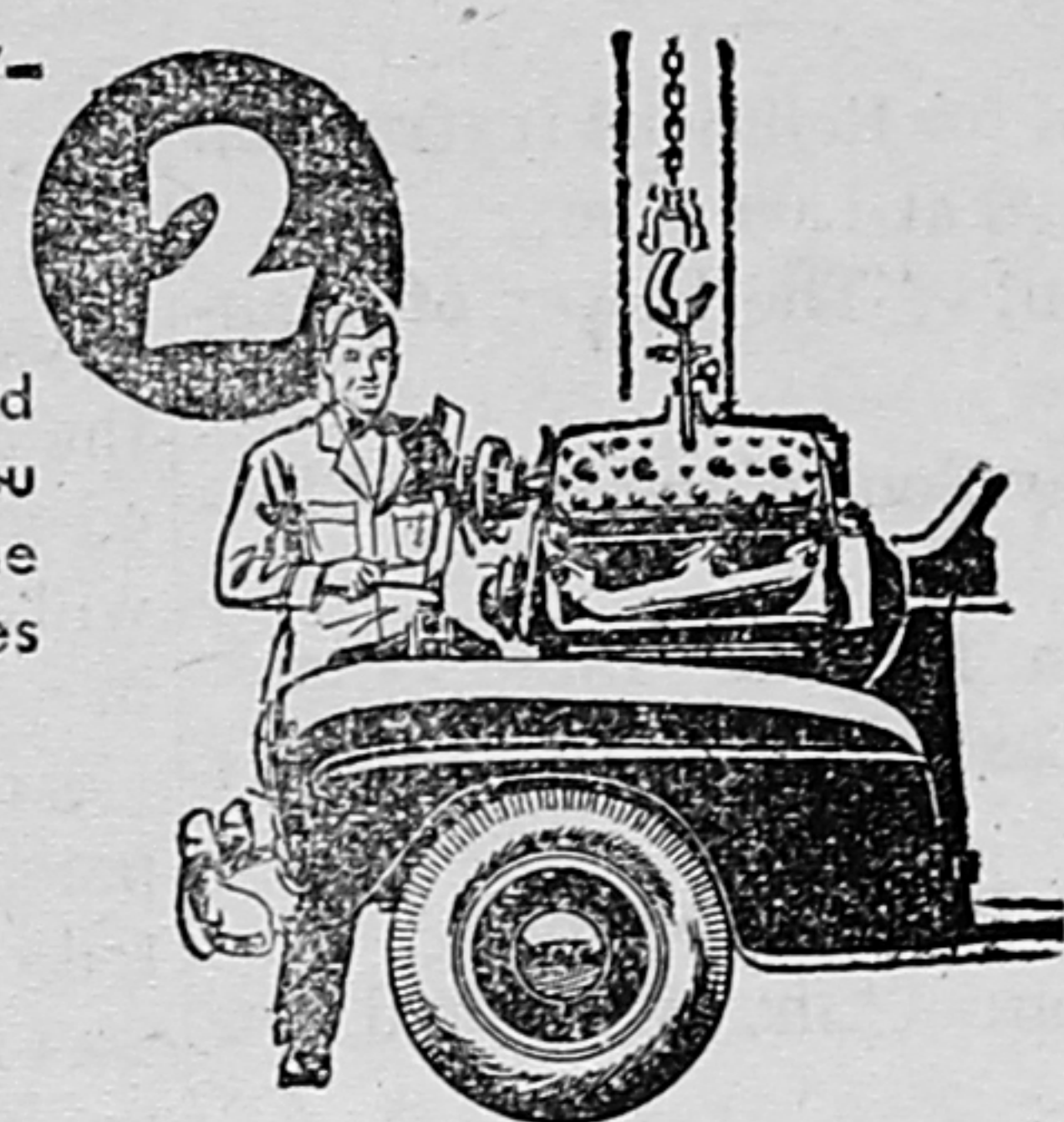


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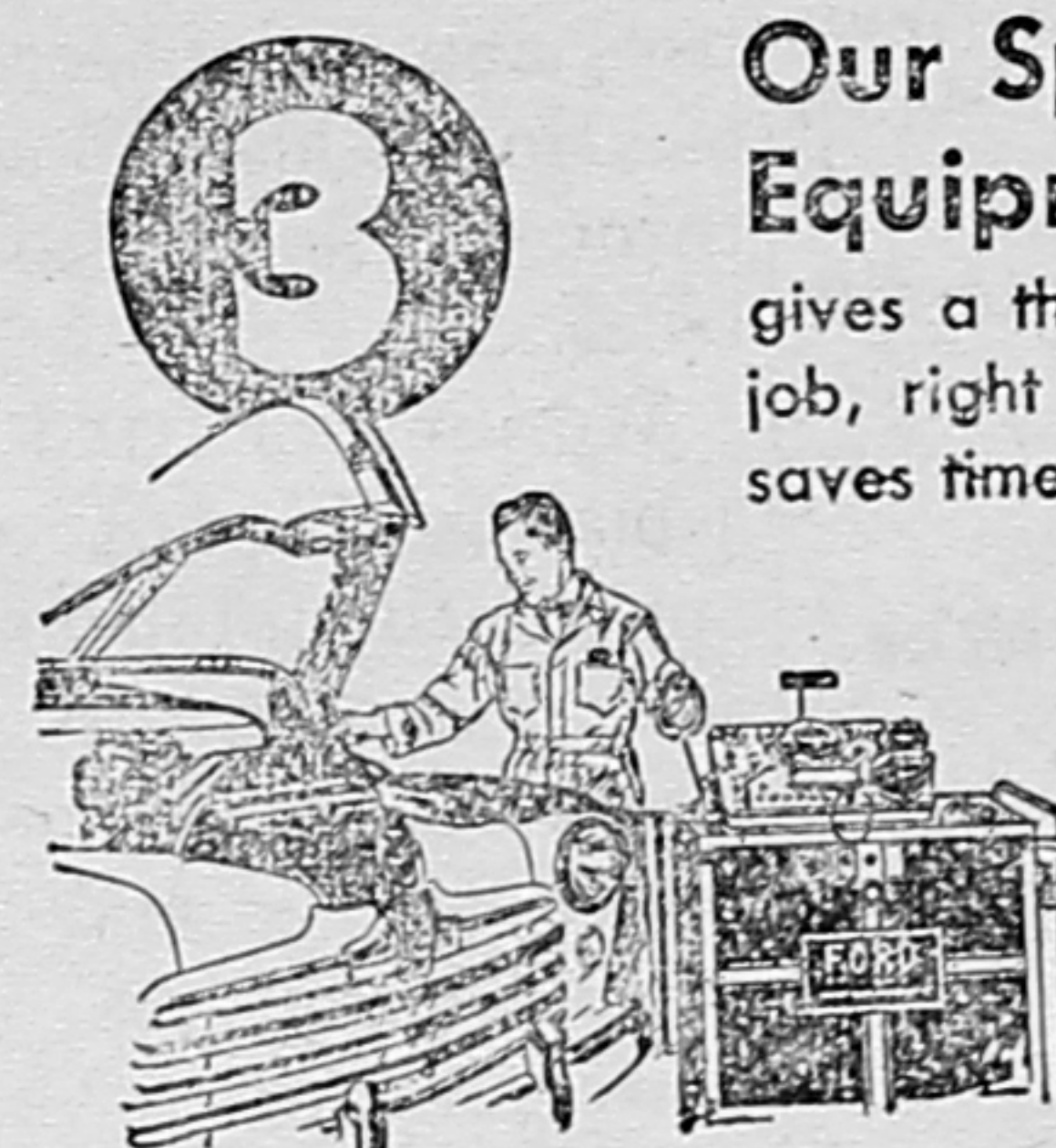
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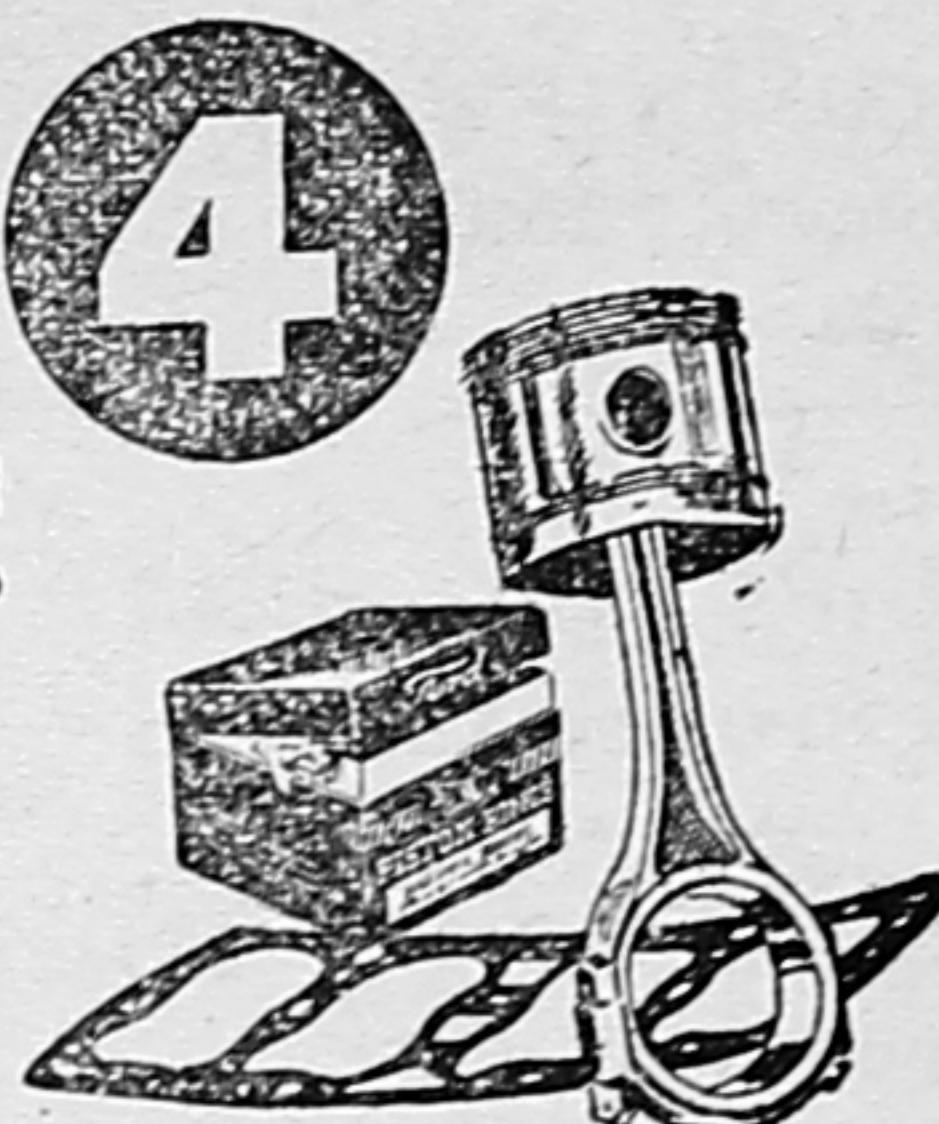
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Smile Awhile

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Yes, missie, replied the old fisherman. It's because it was out last night.

Man—Watcha cryin' for?
Boy—I lost my nickel.
Man—Where?
Boy—In Virginia.
Man—How come?
Boy—She swallowed it.

Harry, said the fellow next door, do you think I'm crazy because sometimes I talk to myself?

For a moment Harry soberly pondered the question.

No, he finally decided, but you are if you listen.

Two small boys were discussing the capabilities of their mothers, both active club members.

My mother can talk on just about any subject, the first lad declared proudly.

Phoey! retorted the other. My mother can talk without any subject at all.

Friend Smithers, remarked a neighbor to the old gentleman whose family had relegated him to a dark little room in the attic, don't you think your children are treating you rather badly?

Yes, I suppose they are, admitted the old man. He pondered the question a few moments, then suddenly cackled with glee. But they have children, he added, and they will avenge me!

A favorite picture star who married well—and often—found it expedient to get a divorce in a hurry. Her lawyer suggested Mexico. But I don't speak Spanish, she protested. That's all right, said the lawyer. Whenever there's a pause, all you have to do is to say "si, si."

When she appeared in court, the whole population of the little Mexican village turned out to witness the event. There was much emoting and bowing, and the star said "si, si" very firmly on numerous occasions.

Suddenly the crowd gave a great cheer.

Well, I guess I'm divorced, she said complacently.

Divorced, my eye, cried her perspiring attorney. You have married the mayor!

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

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USED CARS

- 1947 Chev. Aro Sedan, like new
- 1942 Ford Coach, new motor, perfect
- 1941 Ford Sedan
- 1938 Chev. Coach, A-1
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- Grapefruit Juice, 46-oz. can21
- Ice Cream, brick, pt. .21, qt.40**
- Honey and Butter, 1-2 lb. pkg35
- Tapioca Dessert, pkg.09
- Lettuce, head12
- Brick Cheese65

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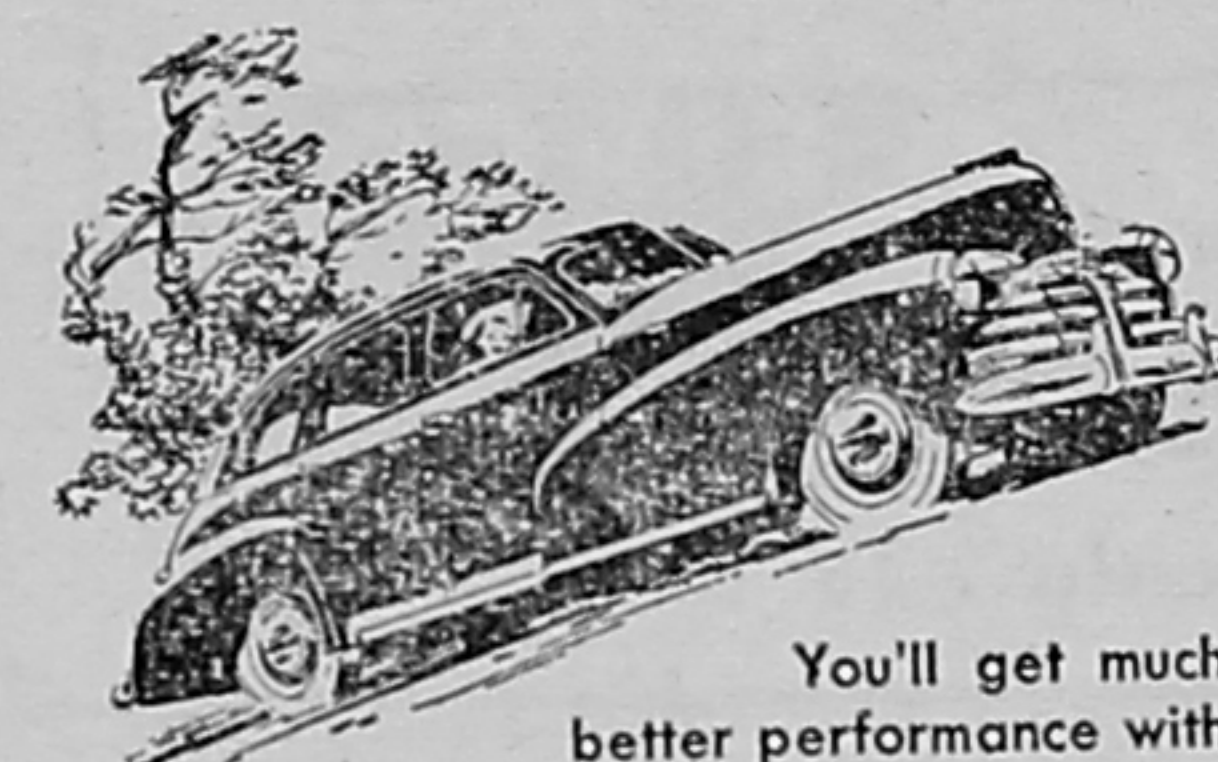
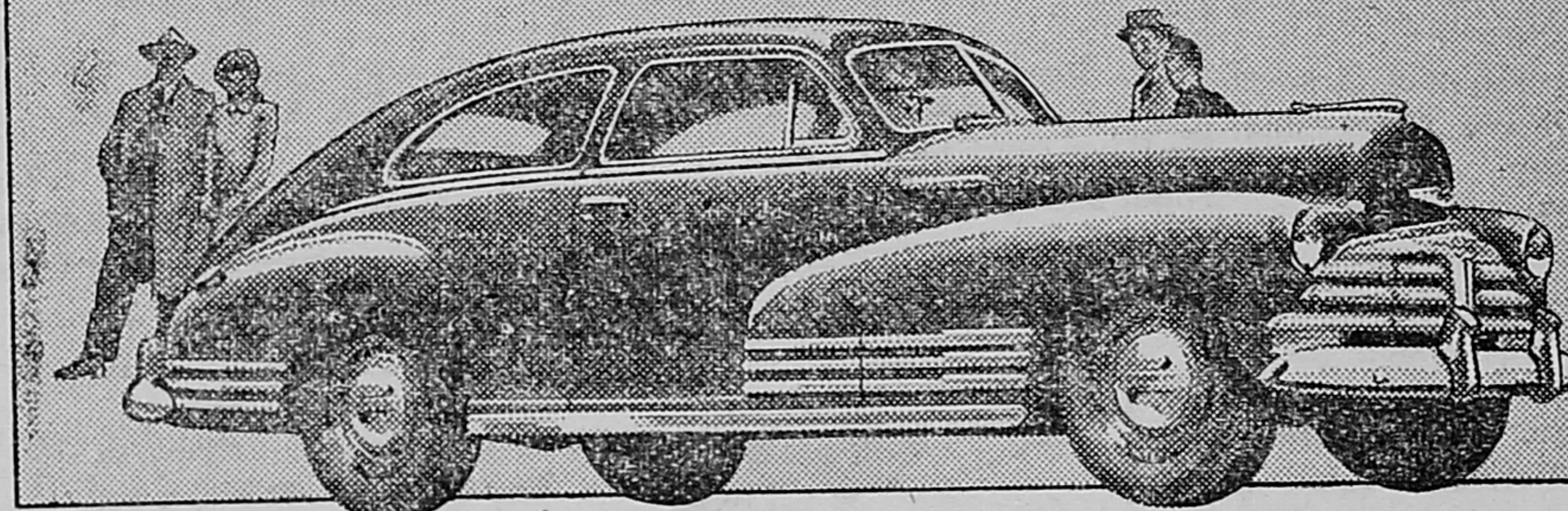
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Local and Personal

Mrs. Addie Freeman is a patient at Cole hospital, Champaign.

Mrs. Irene Witt is a surgical patient at Carle hospital, Champaign.

Paul Bratton underwent minor surgery at Carle hospital on Monday.

Mrs. Lewis Powell of Salem visited her mother, Mrs. Ella Maxwell, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Parsons of Villa Grove visited the Ben Rayls on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Zantow were Danville visitors Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold L. Smith and children spent the weekend with relatives in Danville.

John O'Bryant of Hammond, Ind., visited relatives here Wednesday night.

Mrs. Bud Comer and Mrs. O. E. Anderson were Paris shoppers, Wednesday.

The Ora Millers have improved the appearance of their home with a new enclosed back porch.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Brown and family of Urbana visited in the Grover Peterson home Sunday evening.

Mrs. Albert Cummings returned home Friday from Burnham City hospital, where she had been a patient two days.

George Parsons of Villa Grove, a former editor of this paper, paid The News office a pleasant call, Tuesday.

Miss Florence Jones and Joe Robertson of Champaign were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Billie Zenke.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Anderson entertained Mr. and Mrs. Jake Kamm of Atwood at a turkey dinner on Thursday night of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Comer, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Bennett of Fairmount, Mr. and Mrs. Loren Comer of Sidney visited in the Bud Comer home, Sunday.

Corp. J. P. Rayl of Ft. Eustis, Va., who has been visiting his family here the past week, will leave this Friday for Camp Stone-man, Cal.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Isaacs, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Simmons have moved to the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Boyd. The Boyd's reserved one room for storage of their furniture.

Billie and Carl Zenke, Howard Cooper and Carl Bryant made a business trip to Colorado Springs. They left Saturday in the Zenke plane, and returned home Tuesday.

C. T. Henson, chairman of the local Red Cross drive, reports contributions as follows since report was made in last week's issue of The News: Bus Baldwin, \$10; Irene Witt, \$1.

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Public Notice

Notice of filing Application for Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity as a Local carrier under the provisions of The Illinois Truck Act.

To Whom It May Concern:

The undersigned applicant hereby gives notice to the public that there has been filed with the Division of Motor Carriers of The Department of Public Works and Buildings of the State of Illinois an application for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity as a Local carrier with base point at Allerton, Illinois, and authority to transport by motor vehicle the following commodities: limestone, grain, sweet corn and tomatoes.

All parties interested in this application and the public hearing to be held thereon may obtain information relative thereto, by addressing the Chief Clerk, Division of Motor Carriers, Ridgely Building, Springfield, Illinois.

Dated this 14th day of April, A. D. 1948.

Edgar Lawless,
Applicant.

Address: Allerton, Illinois.

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Illinois State Capitol News

Diphtheria is becoming less and less of a menace in Illinois, and last year reached an all-time low, with only 173 cases and 12 deaths, according to Dr. Roland R. Cross, state director of public health. Widespread immunization of children is causing this

gratifying result, Dr. Cross reported. In 1927, Illinois had 6,272 cases, resulting in 649 deaths.

Calling for greater efforts for fire safety in every Illinois community, Gov. Dwight H. Green opened a statewide fire prevention conference at Springfield recently. Municipal officials from all parts of Illinois were present.

Governor Green pointed out that 306 persons perished in fires in Illinois last year, and the downstate property loss from fires exceeded 18 million dollars. "The causes of most of these fires are simple," the Governor declared. "High on the list are careless smokers—the No. 1 offender. Unsafe electrical practices and equipment take a tremendous toll. Rubbish and litter ignite easily and fire spreads quickly. Careless use of gasoline and petroleum products is a major cause of fire. Unsafe heating equipment and defective flues are other prolific sources."

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Wed., Thur., Apr. 21-22

Greer Garson, Richard Hart, Robert Mitchum, in **Desire Me**

Fri., & Sat., Apr. 23-24

Double Feature
Charles Starrett, Smiley Burnette, in

Buckeroo From Powder River
Adele Mara in **Song of Mexico**

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

GEM THEATRE
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Thur., Fri., April 15-16

Drama—Starring Wallace Beery, Tom Drake, Dorothy Patrick, in

Alias A Gentleman

Saturday, April 17, 2 Features

Eddie Dean, Roscoe Ates, Shirley Patterson, in **Driftin' River**

Plus: Exciting Mystery—Starring William Halop, Ann Todd, Jerome Cowan, in

Dangerous Years

Matinee at 2:00. Evening at 6:30—8:40.

Sun., Mon., April 18-19

Excellent Comedy—Starring Van Johnson, June Allyson, Butch Jenkins, Hume Cronyn, Lloyd Corrigan, in

The Bride Goes Wild

Shows Starting Sunday at 2:00—4:05—6:10—8:15

Tues., Wed., April 20-21

Action Western—Starring William Bishop, Gloria Henry, Forrest Tucker, Edgar Buchanan, in

Adventures In Silverado

Thurs., Fri., April 22-23

Musical Comedy—In Technicolor—Starring Rita Hayworth, Larry Parks, Marc Platt, Roland Culver, in

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Fellow in Andy Botkin's Tavern was boasting about a trick necktie he was wearing made out of a by-product of milk. "Took 33 pounds of milk to make this tie," he says. Bill Webster was unimpressed. "Personally," he says, "I'd rather have the milk to drink. Just as I wouldn't change one glass of good American beer for a necktie made from thirty barrels of it!"

Yes, modern science being what it is—seems like you can make "anything out of anything" these days. But in the case of milk, well

I guess drinking it is still a whole lot better than just wearing it. Of course there are lots of other ways of abusing goods and beverages—like a fellow who doesn't appreciate good beer enough to drink it slowly and in moderation. But from where I sit, most people who enjoy a wholesome beverage like beer or ale are moderate—because beer itself is a beverage of moderation.

Joe Marsh

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