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News Items of 12 and 20 Years Ago

May 28, 1936

Bill Montgomery of Pesotum spent the weekend here with his brother, Abe.

Maxine Henson spent the weekend with Roma Gaile Maxfield at Villa Grove.

E. O. Moore of Tulsa, Okla., was visiting his brother, Mark Moore and family.

O. P. Witt and family attended a birthday dinner given for Mrs. Leonard Luallen at Paris.

The Ladies of St. Paul's Ev. Church of near Sidney gave a bridal shower for Rev. Baldauf and Miss Van Busker at the home of Mrs. Kerna Block.

Mrs. Hilda Seider, Miss Wilma Messman and Miss Mabel Bahlow gave a shower for Mrs. Vera Bahlow Place, a new bride, at the home of Mrs. Seider.

20 Years Ago

May 25, 1928

Miss Nettie Fuell of Detroit, Mich., was visiting her mother here.

Richard Flick spent the weekend with his sister, Mrs. Ward Martinie and family, Champaign.

Miss Laura Rothermel spent the weekend with her sister, Miss Margaret, who was attending Normal university.

John Bruhn was carrying his arm in a sling, having suffered a painful injury, when a piece of wire pierced his right hand.

Immanuel Lutheran Church

P. E. Kerkhoff, Pastor

School for Religious Instruction Saturdays at 1:00 p. m.

Lesson next Saturday: "What the Second Commandment Commands."

Sunday School and Bible Class—9:30. (CST)

Bible Class Lesson: "The Benefits of the Sacraments."

10:15—Public Worship. (CST)

Sermon: "How the Kingdom Grows."

Evangelical United Brethren Church

W. M. Robinson, Pastor

10:00—Sunday School. Mrs. O. P. Witt, Superintendent.

7:30—Divine Worship.

6:15—Youth Fellowship.

7:30—Tuesday Prayer Service.

LONGVIEW

10:00—Sunday School. Chas. Dyar, Superintendent.

11:00—Divine worship.

Methodist Church Notes

W. H. Loyd, pastor.

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

Worship Service—11:00.

MYF leave for Longview at 5:45. There will be no wiener roast.

LONGVIEW

Church School—10:00.

MYF—6:00, at church. There will be no wiener roast.

St. John's Evangelical and Reformed Church

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

Memorial Program at Fairfield Cemetery

The following program will be given at the Memorial Day service to be held at Fairfield cemetery at 2 p. m. (CST), Sunday, May 30:

Trumpet duet—Jackie Richard and Charles Sutton.

Pledge to the Flag.

Solo—Dorothy McIntyre.

Address—Wm. L. Roller, Danville.

Quartet—Max Henson, Marion Zenke, Donald Turner, Neil Matthews.

Roll call of veterans buried at Fairfield cemetery.

Taps.

Shut-In's Day to Be Observed Sunday, June 6

Governor Dwight H. Green has requested the people of Illinois to take part in a generous and widespread observance of Shut-In's Day, Sunday, June 6. The Governor's statement said:

"Because of the unselfish activities of a number of organizations and individuals, the first Sunday in June of each year has come to be observed as Shut-In's Day. It is a time for expressing especial thoughtfulness and practical friendship for the persons who are kept in their homes or on hospital beds by disability or long illness.

"A great many people are so confined in Illinois and throughout the nation. Their days are long; they deeply appreciate the friendly proof that they have not been forgotten."

Parties Agree to Set Aside Drain Hearing

(News-Gazette)

Allotment for hearing in county court on the condemnation suit brought by the Little Vermilion Special Drainage district against Coll Gillies for right-of-way property across the Allerton estate, Vermilion county, has been set aside.

The cause was vacated from the docket by agreement of all parties involved. Judge William L. Springer entered the order.

A jury was to have heard the action to determine the amount of damages for the right-of-way grant. The land was sought by the district to carry on a \$60,000 improvement project.

Gillies is associated with the First National bank of Chicago and the land is held in his name.

The district had sought about 33 acres of the estate.

155 Persons Die In Auto Accidents During April

A rising trend in the number of deaths from automobile accidents on Illinois highways is disclosed in the latest report from Walter A. Rosenfield, state director of public works and buildings. The April death total was 155, a nine percent increase over the 142 fatalities in the same month last year.

During the first four months of 1948 there were 607 fatalities, an increase of about four percent over the 585 recorded for the same period in 1947.

Lost—A light blue billfold containing \$8 and pictures, in Longview at the Alumni banquet. Hope Celestine Zenke, Longview.

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TRAFFIC SIGN SILHOUETTES

OCTAGONAL OR EIGHT-SIDED TRAFFIC SIGNS ALWAYS MEAN STOP!

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THE CHICAGO MOTOR CLUB REMINDS YOU THAT YOU CAN ALWAYS READ TRAFFIC SIGNS IF YOU KNOW THE MEANINGS OF THEIR STANDARD SHAPES, EVEN IF ICE, SNOW, SLEET, RAIN OR DIRT OBSCURE THE LETTERING ON THE SIGNS.

Local and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith are parents of a son, born Tuesday, at Burnham hospital, Champaign.

Alvin Zenke entered Lakeview hospital in Danville, Tuesday, as a surgical patient.

Mrs. Raymond McClelland and son, Bob, were Champaign shoppers, Thursday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Zenke of Champaign left today (Thursday) for a week's visit with relatives at Chester, Neb.

John Sailor, local agent for the Standard Oil Co., found a weather balloon one day last week.

Hugo Dewitt went to Dwight on Tuesday where he entered the Veterans' hospital for medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Huston of Milwaukee, Wis., were overnight guests of the D. P. Brewers, Sunday.

Mrs. J. H. Kitchen of Danville is spending the weekend in the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Dicks.

Mrs. Katherine Seider returned home Saturday from St. Elizabeth hospital, Danville, where she was a patient about four weeks, suffering from a broken ankle and broken ribs.

Those from here attending the White Sox-Boston baseball game in Chicago, Sunday, were Jerry Crain, Roy Bergfield, George Cook, Mark Moore and Paul Warner.

Miss Martelle Nohren, who has been employed as a dietitian at Carle hospital, Urbana, for the past five years, will leave the first of June for Terre Haute, Ind., where she has accepted a similar position at Union hospital. Miss Nohren has been spending a few days here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Nohren.

Sunday dinner guests in the Walter Schumacher home were: Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Keran, Brocton; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Craig and family, Newman; Mr. and Mrs. Max Seeds and family, Urbana; Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Keran, from Louisiana; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Chafin.

Afternoon callers were Mrs. Helen Dalzell and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Foster, Mr. and Mrs. James David and family.

4-H Club News

Our meeting for May 8 was held at the home of Mona Church. Talks were given on first aid, cloth, and what the beginners are to make. They decided on skirts and scarfs.

Our meeting May 22 was at Patty Kerkhoffs. We cut out our skirts.

The next meeting is to be held at the home of Shirley Stutz on May 29 at 1:00 o'clock.

At the next meeting Betty Brewer will give a talk on "I Dream of Jeanie With the Light Brown Hair." She also will tell what is needed in a sewing basket, and is to choose a game for the day. Ardella Gerike is to talk on cuts and scratches received in sewing and how to take care of them.

Ardella Gerike, Reporter.

Letters To The Editor

Valparaiso University, Valparaiso, Indiana, May 17, 1948

Byron Struck, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Struck, Broadlands, is one of the 275 engineering students enrolled at Valparaiso university who are cooperating in the building of three engineering shops on the university's new campus. The students initiated this unprecedented action when informed by University authorities that it would be several years before a full four-year course could be inaugurated because of high building costs.

A Mr. and Mrs. Banquet

Broadlands Community Building, June 15, 6:30 p. m. (CST). Good dinner, good speaker, good entertainment.

All Husbands and Wives are urged to attend.

Get your tickets early to be sure of one. \$1.25 per plate. Call 50F22, 56-R4, 8-R3, or 69F12.

Sponsored by Evangelical U. B. Church.

To Have Third Degree Work

Broadlands lodge A. F. & A. M. will have work in the Master Mason's degree, at 7:30 p. m. (CST), Thursday, June 3, Worshipful Master Harry Nohren has announced.

"The Man Who Lost Himself" is the name of the free movie show to be shown at Broadlands this Saturday night.

Allerton High School Commencement Exercises

The annual commencement exercises of the Allerton Community High School will be held at 8 p. m. (CST) this Friday in the Allerton high school gym. Prof. Lewis W. Williams of the U. of I. will deliver the address.

Sara Sue Dicks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Dicks of Broadlands, has been named valedictorian of the class of '48. With the exception of her first two years of high school in Broadlands, Miss Sara Sue received other elementary education in the Allerton schools. She has just been notified that her scholastic average was 4.67 out of a possible five-point average.

Miss Sara Sue plans to enter De Pauw University, Greencastle, Ind., next fall to prepare for a career with Pan American airlines for transcontinental work as a stewardess.

Broadlands School Closes With Picnic Dinner

The Broadlands Community Consolidated school closed Wednesday of this week with a picnic dinner at the school house, which was largely attended by pupils and patrons.

Promotional exercises for the 15 members of the 8th grade were held the same evening in the community building, with a large attendance. Wm. Montgomery, a former teacher, and who is now assistant county superintendent of schools, gave the address.

George H. Cook, who has been principal of the school for the past 28 years, has resigned, as has Mrs. Ruth Walker, music teacher, and Andrew Henson, coach.

Mrs. George Cook, Mrs. Carl Dicks and Miss Corene Taylor, have signed contracts for another term of school.

Bud Comer and Chas. A. Smith, bus drivers, have signed contracts for another term. John Jones, the janitor, has resigned. George Thomas is the new janitor.

Renew Efforts to Prevent the Sale of Fireworks

Attorney General George F. Barrett today urged all law enforcement officers of Illinois to renew their vigilance in enforcing state statutes and local ordinances regulating the sale of fireworks as an important step in furthering the annual safety campaign of the Illinois Society for the Prevention of Blindness.

Congratulating the society for its work in enlisting the Girl Scouts and Boy Scouts in the 1948 drive for an accident-proof Fourth of July, Barrett called the campaign "an extremely worthwhile undertaking on behalf of every boy and girl in Illinois."

"Every parent and guardian of children owes his active support to this effort," the Attorney General said. "It is the eyesight of boys and girls which is at stake."

Food Sale

The Methodist W. S. C. S. will hold a food sale Saturday, May 29, at 2 p. m. at Hurst's store. All food should be in by 1:30.

John M. Smith sold two of his saddle horses, Banner and Parade of Beauty, last week.

Woman's Club Meets With Mrs. Alfred Pogendorf

The Broadlands Woman's Club met on Thursday, May 20, at the home of Mrs. Alfred Pogendorf with Mrs. Howard Clem and Mrs. Raymond Wood assisting.

The business meeting was conducted by the president, Mrs. Roy Bergfield, and Mrs. Oscar Limp, chairman of the Public Health Department, introduced the speakers.

The program consisted of talks by Miss Mary Jane Fee, county school nurse, Mrs. Alice Douglas and Miss Thomason, all of Champaign. They described in detail the work being carried on for crippled children; and hearing loss and speech defects, in the schools.

Mrs. A. O. Struck described the district convention held in Rantoul, April 22; Mrs. Ed Nohren told of the county convention held in Champaign, April 29; Mrs. Andrew Henson described the State convention, held in Chicago, May 18-19-20.

The new president, Mrs. Andrew Henson, appointed the following committees for the year 1948-49:

Program committee—Mesdames A. O. Struck, Roy Bergfield, Norman Seider, Alfred Pogendorf, Harold Smith.

Revision committee—Mesdames Ed Nohren, Oscar Limp, Marvin Cooper.

Scrap Book—Mrs. Adolph Anderson.

Membership committee—Mesdames Woodrow Woolverton, Ed Maxwell, Raymond Wood.

Courtesy and social—Mesdames Raymond McClelland, Dan Brewer, Henry Wiese.

Guests at the meeting were Mrs. Gertrude Farmer, of Louisville, Ky., Miss Mary Jane Fee, Mrs. Alice Douglas and Miss Thomason, Champaign.

A social hour was enjoyed and dainty refreshments were served by the hostesses.

The September meeting will be held with Mrs. E. F. Schaarman at Champaign.

Members present were Mesdames Henry Wiese, Clark Henson, Andrew Henson, Roy Bergfield, Howard Clem, Raymond Wood, Floyd Block, Raymond McClelland, Louis Frick, Oscar Limp, Addie Freeman, Leanna Miller, A. O. Struck, Woodrow Woolverton, Emil Schumacher, Arch Walker, Adolph Anderson, Dan Brewer, Edward Nohren.

Governor Green Proclaims Memorial Day, May 30-31

Governor Dwight H. Green has issued a proclamation requesting the people of Illinois to carry out the customary observance of Memorial Day. The Governor pointed out that since May 30 comes on Sunday, the following day, Monday, May 31, will be a legal holiday and the observance of either or both days is appropriate.

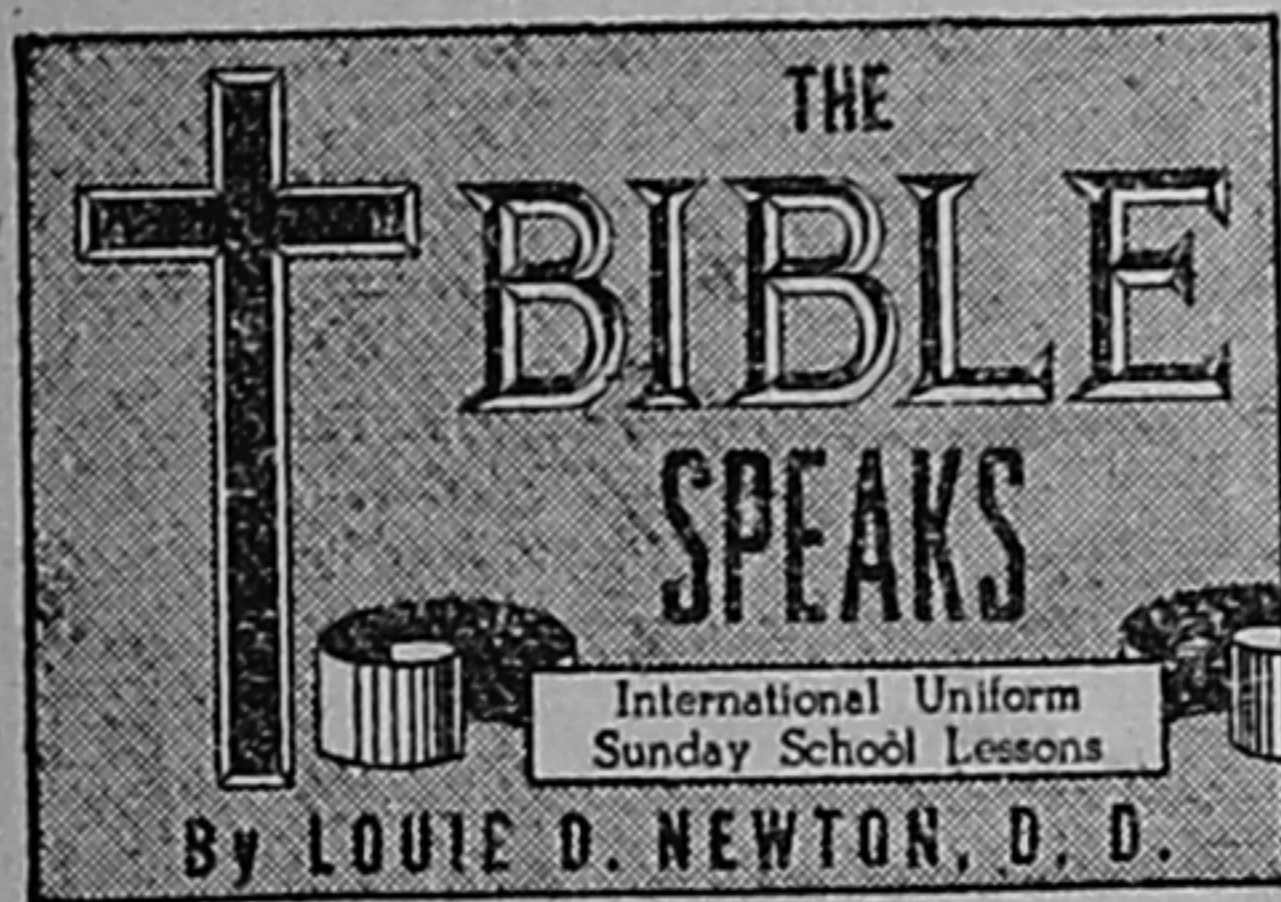
"The soil of Illinois is hallowed by the dust of heroes who fought in our Nation's every armed conflict, from the Revolution down to our own times," the Governor's proclamation said.

Market Report

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

No. 2 yellow beans	\$3.96
No. 2 yellow corn	2.21
No. 2 oats	1.02

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SCRIPTURE: Daniel 1.
DEVOTIONAL READING: I Timothy 6:11-16.

Daniel Stands By His Convictions
Lesson for May 30, 1948

"A picket frozen on duty—
A mother starved for her brood—
Socrates drinking the hemlock—
And Jesus on the rood."

SUCH a picture we have before us in Sunday's lesson. All you need to do to get this dramatic picture is read the first chapter of Daniel. You will then feel anew the meaning of that cherished statement, "Tis conviction that convinceth."

BRAVE TO DO RIGHT

WE GET the first draught of this tonic in verses 8-9, 14-15 and 17. "But Daniel purposed in his heart that he would not defile himself with the portion of the king's meat, nor with the wine which he drank..."



Dr. Newton

He was brave enough to take a stand for what he knew was right. Which reminds me of the story told of Henry Ward Beecher, when yet a small boy. A teacher in the school he attended asked a boy a question which he promptly answered. The teacher appeared displeased, and told the boy to sit down. He asked several other boys the same question, and got the same answer. Finally he asked Beecher, and Beecher gave the same answer, but refused to sit down when the teacher frowned at him. Seeing that Beecher was going to defend the answer, the teacher said, "Boys, you were all correct, but only Beecher was sure enough to stand his ground. I was simply trying to teach you the lesson that you must stand by what you know is right."

DARE TO STAND ALONE

DANIEL knew that he was taking an unpopular position, but he was willing to be alone so long as he knew he was right. He knew that the consequences would take care of themselves. That is the quality of character which America needs today in her youth.

It is easy enough to be popular, if you run with the gang; but remember this—the gang is always heading downhill. Daniel stood by his convictions when it was costly. In the final windup, he was the head man.

ENDURING INVESTMENTS

DANIEL, winning his point, made every hour count toward victory. He not only abstained from strong drink, but used his superior strength to serve the king in such way that his talents were sought out and brought into larger fields of opportunity.

Standing by his convictions, he had won over those who at first were disposed to poke fun at him. By superb performance, due to clear thinking and high purpose, Daniel made enduring investments that paid off in big dividends. He did not do right for reward, but because he did right, the reward was inevitable. And so it will be with every young man and woman who purposes in his or her heart to do right.

GOD'S FAVOR

I WANT you to look carefully at verse 17. "God gave them knowledge and skill in all learning and wisdom; and Daniel had understanding in all visions and dreams."

It is impossible to account for Daniel's fortitude apart from his implicit trust in God. Remember the incident of Daniel opening his window toward Jerusalem in prayer?

God never fails those who stake their all on Him. He will not—can not let them fail. It was because of God's favor that Daniel and his companions proved themselves ten times better than the young men who defiled themselves.

"Who sides with God must always win."

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New Heart Aids

A new advance in the treatment of one of the most common and fatal forms of heart disease—coronary thrombosis—is described by Dr. Irving S. Wright, associate professor of clinical medicine at Cornell University, in a paper prepared for the annual meeting of the Illinois State Medical Society.

Explained in its simplest terms coronary thrombosis is the formation of a blood clot in an artery which supplies blood to the heart itself. If the clot becomes large enough to shut off all or most of the blood to the heart, the patient dies.

Certain drugs for the treatment of coronary thrombosis have been known and used by physicians for many years, but a continuous search has been made for more effective drugs with which to combat the disease. The improved treatment described by Dr. Wright consists principally of the use of the anticoagulants dicumerol and heparin in connection with others commonly employed. These drugs tend to prevent blood from clotting.

The new method has been studied in investigations sponsored by the American Heart Association, with financial support of the U. S. Public Health Service, over a period of 20 months in 17 government hospitals, and involved 1,000 heart patients.

Patients admitted on even days of the month received conventional treatment for the disease. Those admitted on odd days received conventional treatment, plus the anticoagulant treatment. Of the results noted, Dr. Wright says:

"The results to date indicate that the incidence of deaths from coronary thrombosis can be reduced from approximately 23 per cent to 13 per cent, and the incidence of blood clots in the lungs or elsewhere can be reduced from 19 to 9 per cent by the proper use of the anticoagulant treatment."

The new treatment does not appear to be of a revolutionary nature, but rather an improvement over conventional drugs and techniques. These are not understood by the layman, but he is interested in the results obtained, as heart disease kills far more people than any other ailment.

Cost of Medical Care

The cost of medical care given to citizens of Illinois during the month of March under various assistance programs totaled \$766,994, according to Carl Schmidt, Jr., executive secretary of the Illinois public aid commission.

Of this amount, \$500,281 represents care provided under the old age pension, aid to dependent children, and blind assistance programs, while \$266,713 was expended under the heading of general relief.

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.

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Sidelights

We are told that there are three kinds of men. Some men like to sit and think how much money they have. Others sit and think of how much money they need. Still others just sit.

Throughout life a man, or a woman for that matter, will encounter many thrilling experiences. To some a simple happy surprise is enough while to others it takes the unexpected receipt of a large sum of money to bring a lasting thrill. But, possibly there is nothing nicer than being able to kick off a tight pair of shoes.

Necessity continues to be the mother of invention. A. L. Barkslee, a Michigan stove manufacturer, bedeviled by the fuel shortages, is now making a three way stove. After getting into peacetime production, his company began producing oil furnaces. And then followed the oil shortage. Immediately a gas furnace was put into production. Then arrived the gas shortage. Back to making coal furnaces went Mr. Barkslee and immediately the miners went on strike. "So," he said, "we're now turning out a three-way stove; you can burn oil, gas or coal in it. 'What's more,' Mr. Barkslee added as he left a news conference, 'you can burn corn cobs in it if things really get tough.'

We got a kick out of the story about Eph Williker. Eph, it seems was the laziest man in the county. He was always thinking—thinking of some easy way to make money or the easiest way to get a job done. He spent most of his time on the front porch of his cabin in his favorite rocker. One day a neighbor saw him as he rocked. First, he would turn his face to the west and rock awhile and then to the east and rock some more. Then he'd turn to the south and rock for a spell. He kept changing his direction from time to time and so aroused the interest of his neighbor, who asked the reason for the moving around. Eph explained: "I'm jest tryin' to find out which is the easiest—rockin' east and west with the wind or north and south with the grain in the floor."

Household Hints

Water drained from spaghetti can be used in place of starch.

Stale rolls grate easily and produce fine, light crumbs.

Roast meats will carve more easily if allowed to cool a few minutes after they are taken from the oven.

Add a few drops of glycerin to the rinse water when washing pigskin gloves; it helps soften the leather.

Keep light bulbs and globes free from dust—even a light coating of soil can reduce the amount of light considerably.

Open wrapped bread carefully on one end. Replace the unused slices and roll wrapper down tight to keep fresh until the last crust is used.

For extra plump, juicy raisins, rinse in hot water before using. When used in baking, dust raisins with part of the dry ingredients to keep them from sinking and spread their flavor.

A traveling clothes line saves steps and eliminates walking on wet grass, etc. The wire may be threaded through a well pulley attached at the kitchen window and another on the garage, tree, post or whatever is situated at a convenient distance and the line is reeled out or in as clothes are hung or taken off.

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Early Writing Implement
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SHORT STORY

No Need For Words

By **LILA LENNON**

IT HAD been a silly quarrel, really, Peg reflected. The quarrel had started from such an insignificant thing as her new hair-do.

Now, here she was sitting alone, the slam of the front door still ringing in her ears.

Bob had gone out alone, and on a Thursday night, too. That was what really hurt most, because Thursday nights were such special nights. The stores were all open, and after

the dishes were done, Bob and Peg always went window shopping. There never was

a lot of money to spend. Sometimes they did buy one or two little things, and it was always such fun!

Peg thought for a moment about how Bob used to tuck her hand under his arm and say, "Some day, honey, I'll give you all the things you want." And she had always said:

"But I have what I really want . . . you. And, what we share has no price, it can't be measured in terms of dollars and cents!"

It was true, Peg reflected. You can't put a price on the magic of contentment and love and understanding.

Understanding! It was something of a shock to discover that Bob could be so critical . . . and so stubborn. And, he hadn't understood, at all.

Bob had been tired . . . but even so, all she had done was to say, "You haven't even noticed my new hair-do!"

HE SAID grumpily, "I don't know why you spent all afternoon getting that done, you look like you're getting ready to take a bath!"

Tears smarted Peg's eyes. Her words rushed out. "You'd look better with a hair-cut yourself!"

"I know it," Bob admitted, "but I hurried home so we could go shopping."

There seemed to be a broom handle stiffening in Peg's back. "I don't think I care to go shopping tonight," she answered slowly.

When the dishes were done, Bob turned to her. "Are you ready?"

Peg answered stubbornly, "I'm not going."

Bob had been equally as stubborn, though. "I won't beg you to come, Peg. I'll go alone." And he had gone, just like that.

Darkness crept over the room, but Peg didn't turn on a light. She dropped her head on her arms and remembered other Thursday nights. Bob, helping her to choose a slip, saying critically, "That looks too big for you, you're so little." Bob, being amused . . . "Those little pink things with the bows are sure cute!"

BUT, tonight, he was alone . . . he had wanted it that way . . . what was he thinking? Did he feel the same loneliness?

Silly? No, Peg reflected, maybe it wasn't silly, after all. Maybe it was really very important. Maybe the little things were, after all,

important to real understanding. Maybe . . . it was up to her, too, to be as Bob wanted her to be.

Quickly, her hair came tumbling down. When Bob came home she would say the things that were in her heart; he'd understand.

The sound of the door opening quietly, reached her. "Peg?" Bob called.

"Here," she said softly.

He walked over to the lounge. "Why are you sitting in the dark? I was worried, I thought . . . want a light?"

"No," she answered quietly.

Bob cleared his throat. "Here . . . I brought you a little present." He thrust the small package into her hands. "Wait a minute, I'll turn on the light."

The light shone down on her head as Peg undid the folds of tissue. It made little colored beams dance up from the two tiny jeweled combs.

She turned to Bob, and all the things she wanted to say rushed to her lips, but Bob was staring at her hair tumbling to her shoulders. Then he took her in his arms and held her tight. There was no need for words.

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Smile Awhile

Some people are go-getters, but more are have-it-bringers.

The best aid for a young girl's complexion . . . put it to bed before midnight.

A production expert declares that sedentary work lessens a man's resistance. The more he sits the less he can stand.

Friend to Doctor—How's your wife's driving these days?

Doctor—Oh, she was getting along pretty well but she took a turn for the worse yesterday.

Emperor Mulai Ismail of Morocco would have been buried under the avalanche if his family had known about Father's Day cards. He had 548 sons, 340 daughters.

Tommy—Pop, a man is a bachelor until he gets married, isn't he?

Pop—Yes, my son.

Tommy—Then what does he call himself afterward?

Pop—I'd hate to tell you.

Little Boy—I met Mr. Jones in the street going to school and he said he wanted to see papa about something, and he called papa a walking encyclopedia.

Mama—Indeed! And what did you say to Mr. Jones?

Little Boy—I called him an old centipede and threw a snowball at him.

Grandma's improvement after the visitor left seemed remarkable. The little old lady, who had been seriously ill, was bright and chipper.

When her daughter came into the room, grandma asked, What did you say was the name of that new minister?

Oh, no, grandma, the daughter told her, that wasn't the new minister who called on you. That was the doctor—the specialist we called from the city.

You don't say, said grandma. Well, now that you mention it, I did think he was a mite too familiar for a minister.

Churches in Iowa
Iowa now has 4,000 churches and 2,500 ministers and priests.

Yeast From Citrus
Production of feed yeast, rich in high-quality protein and in the vitamin B complex, by growing the yeast on the juice pressed from ground, limed citrus peel has been announced by the department of agriculture.

Favorable Spring Outlook For Illinois Farm Crops

A generally favorable spring outlook for Illinois farm crops is shown in the May report of the state and federal departments of agriculture.

Present prospects indicate a winter wheat crop of 32,000,000 bushels, which is well above last year's harvest of 28,000,000 bushels, and the ten-year aver-

age of 29,000,000 bushels. An increase of about five per cent in the oats acreage in the principal oats producing area of the state is reported, with condition of the growing crop average or better.

Food Sale

The Methodist W. S. C. S. will hold a food sale Saturday, May 29, at 2 p. m. at Hurst's store. All food should be in by 1:30.

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From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

It's Leap Year, Girls!

First girl in our town to "get her man" on Leap Year was the Cuppers' daughter, Jane, who wed Bill Webster's boy last Saturday.

I know it's usual for older folks to shake their heads over the younger generation. (It's gone on for hundreds of years, now.)

When I asked Bill Jr. if it was true that Janey really did the proposing, Bill said: No, but she made it plain she'd make an ideal wife. Instead of looking for diversion or excitement every evening, she was content to chat beside the fire.

But from where I sit, young people of marrying age today are every bit as commendable as their elders were—in their temperance (a glass of beer for instance), tolerance, and common sense. So to Jane and Bill—the best of luck!

"I could plainly see," says Bill, "that we'd really have a happy home life—which is just exactly what I want from marriage."

Joe Marsh

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SHORT STORY
The Weed Was Dying
By John Christopher

JOE COLIN looked at the blonde girl behind the counter as if he hadn't seen her for the last 21 years. And he hadn't. Almost to the day, come October 5. Even after 21 years a guy can't forget the birth date of his daughter.

She looked the spitting reflection of her mother, years back when Martha and Joe had decided they had made a mistake in marrying each other. It was too late then, because the kid was on its way, and even Joe knew it took a father and a mother to give it the correct backing. But if the old man hadn't had the same correct backing, Joe had decided, he was like a weed. He had to be pulled out, to let the good seed grow.

Joe had figured he was a weed, and had pulled himself out.

"Evening, mister! Can I help you?" Joe looked up. A lump settled in his throat. His daughter was smiling at him with stars in her eyes.

Twenty-two years old! When he had last seen her, she was a mere trick of one, a curly-haired kid, learning her first steps. Carrie, they had named her. After nobody in particular. Martha had just liked the name, that was all. One thing, though. Wonder if Martha had done something with "Colin"?

"I used to live here years ago," Joe said, to start conversation.

"You did?" Her blue eyes met his for a moment of sparkling interest. "Thought you'd come back and see how things have changed?"

"Well, sort of," He stroked the beard. "I used to know a lot of people around here. What's your name? I might know your old man."

"Name's Lester," she told him. "Carrie Lester."

LESTER. So Martha had ditched "Colin." "Lester," Joe mused. "Heck, I knew your old man! What's he doing now?"

"I don't know," she said. "Mother thinks he's out in California." "How about you?" he asked finally. "Got a husband—or maybe a boy friend?"

Her face gave off warmth like sunshine. "A boy friend," she said brightly. "But it won't be long before the 'Mr. and Mrs.' If you're here in another 15 minutes, you'll see him. He's coming after me."

Joe grinned. "I'll be here," he said.

She brought in his meal. He just finished it when the door opened and a tall, young man in a brown tweed suit swept into the room like a stray, autumn leaf.

Her eyes brightened but politely she asked Joe his name, and introduced him. The boy, she said, was Harry Bradshaw.

"Years ago," she explained, "Mr. Colin used to live here. We got



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sort of acquainted while he waited for his food.

"So you kids are slated for the long walk up the altar, eh?" Joe remarked.

THE Bradford kid's face split in a long smile.

"Look," Joe said, matter of factly, "I got a few green-backs saved up. I'd like to give it to you two for a wedding present. Two hundred dollars. Maybe you'd like to buy something for the baby—when it comes. Huh?"

"No thanks," Harry said. "We certainly appreciate it, but we both work. It wouldn't be right."

Joe drew out a checkbook. He grinned good-naturedly. "I'll draw up a check, anyway."

The two youngsters looked bewildered.

"Go on," urged Joe. "Take it. It's good. Don't worry about me."

She took it. "You—you're wonderful," she whispered. "And I can't understand why. Thanks—a lot."

Joe smiled and walked out, breathing in the cool, night air.

Funny thing, but now he realized that something had changed in the weed. And suddenly Joe knew that after years of battling harsh winds, snow, cold, and rain, the weed was dying.

And Joe was the weed.
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Longview News

(Thelma D. Kraft, Reporter)

Jimmie Walls of Hillsdale is working for Ralph Robison.

Mr. and Mrs. Montell Sidors spent Sunday with relatives at Yorkville.

Miss Dorothy Eckerty is employed in a restaurant in Champaign.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Duncan of Chicago spent the weekend with Mrs. Daisy Daniels, and also attended the alumni banquet.

Mrs. Tom Whitson and Mrs. Myra Patchett of Villa Grove spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Alice Hanley.

Rev. and Mrs. Kenneth Hanley and daughter of St. Francisville arrived Monday for a visit with relatives.

Mrs. Sue Harden and daughter Fauniel of Chicago spent the weekend here with Barbara and Philip Beatty in their home.

Mrs. Roy Davis, Mrs. Merton Parks and Mrs. Delbert Warnes attended an Eastern Star meeting in Newman, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dyar and son spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ted Dyar and family of Urbana.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Eckerty and family of Urbana spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Warnes.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Murray of Fisher and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Walls of Hillsdale, Ind., spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Everett Green.

Miss Evelyn Carleton was hostess to the W. C. T. U., Tuesday afternoon with eleven members present, and one guest, Mrs. Joe Beatty.

Rev. and Mrs. Harold Loyd and family of Broadlands, and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Warnes spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Warnes.

Mrs. Grace Parks entertained at supper, Monday. Rev. and Mrs. Kenneth Hanley and Alice Mae, Merton Parks and family, and Mrs. Alice Hanley.

Mr. and Mrs. James Warnes and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Davis and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Warnes of Champaign.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Crawford and Miss Mildred Crawford of Covington, Ind., attended the alumni banquet Saturday night at the high school.

Mr. and Mrs. Merton Parks and Mrs. Grace Parks spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Parks in Urbana, in honor of Robert on his birthday.

Mrs. John Peden was hostess to Loyal Workers of the Christian church Wednesday afternoon in the church. Ice cream and coffee were served at Senter's cafe.

Barbara and Philip Beatty are staying with Mrs. Daisy Daniels for a week while their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Beatty are in Martinsville for Mr. Beatty's health.

About 140 attended the 32nd annual alumni banquet and dance held Saturday night in the high school. The dinner was prepared by the Block Ladies' Aid, and served by sophomore and junior girls.

M. W. Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Eastin and daughter attended the wedding of their son and brother, Saturday evening, and then spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Griffith of Indianapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Wade and family of New Orleans arrived here Friday. On Monday, Mr. Wade began working as a section hand on the railroad. They are staying with his parents for the present.

Russell and D. A. Smith were called to Lincoln hospital Tuesday night where Mrs. Henry Turner of Lincoln was suffering with a heart attack. She was reported a little better on Sunday.

Mrs. J. T. Arwine was hostess to the Tuesday Dessert Bridge club with three tables in play. Mrs. Ed Nohren held high score; Mrs. W. E. Warnes, 2nd high; Mrs. Lyman Mohr, consolation; and Mrs. T. M. Sullivan, traveling.

Glen Edward, only son of M. W. Robertson, and Miss Marilyn Beaman of Plainfield, Ind., were united in marriage at 6:30 p. m. Saturday, in the home of the bride's parents, with the pastor of the Christian church reading the single ring ceremony in the presence of relatives and a few friends. A reception was held in the bride's home. The couple left by plane from Indianapolis on a honeymoon trip unknown to relatives. On their return they will be at home to their friends in Plainfield where the groom has an electrical shop.

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

Local and Personal

Mrs. Arch Walker visited her mother in Danville, Tuesday.

Mrs. D. P. Brewer and Mrs. Floyd Block were Champaign shoppers this Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Delmer Butz of Danville visited Mr. and Mrs. Bud Comer, Sunday.

Mrs. Chet Lookingbill and daughter, Gwendolyn, of Newman visited in the Bud Comer home Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Simmons have purchased the Thomas Elston property on the north side. The Elstons will move to Gary, Ind., in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Smith visited in the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Carrol Williams, at Elgin over the weekend.

Mrs. Walter Schumacher and daughter, Mrs. Elmer Chafin and Phyllis Ann Dalzell were dinner guests in the Bruce Keran home at Brocton, Wednesday of last week.

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Gene Autry and his horse, Champion, in—
The Last Round-up

Notice!
All Midweek Shows Start at 8:30 Daylight Time.

and family moved to Georgetown on Saturday, where they recently purchased property. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Walters, co-owners of the Village Inn, will move from Homer to the rooms vacated by the Brattons.

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

The News is \$2 per year.

Classified Ads.

Lost—One small black beaded bag. Mrs. Leanna Miller.

Plumbing and heating supplies—Courson Hardware, Allerton.

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

Rats Cause Big Losses

There is nothing good about a rat, says Prairie Farmer. According to an article in the May 22 issue, the rat population in the United States is now 60 million, twice that of human population on farms. Each rat destroys or eats \$20 worth of feed each year, besides carrying diseases that cause sickness and death.

In this first of a series of articles on rat control, special building protection against rats is advised. Corncribs can be made ratproof by concrete foundations and wire mesh coverings on the floors and ceilings. Poultry houses should be built off the ground, and feeders and nests protected by metal.

Your attention is called to the ad of Harlan W. Six, in this issue.

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Matinee at 2:00. Evening at 6:30—8:47.

Sun., Mon., May 30-31
An Excellent Show—Starring Spencer Tracy, Katharine Hepburn, Van Johnson, in
The State of The Union
Shows Starting Sunday at 2:00—4:25—6:50—9:15

Tues., Wed., June 1-2
Thrilling Drama—with Douglas Fairbanks, Paule Croset, Maria Montez, Henry Daniell, in
The Exile

Thurs., Fri., June 3-4
Exciting Comedy—In Technicolor—with Yvonne De Carlo, George Brent, Albert Dekker, Lois Collier, in
Slave Girl
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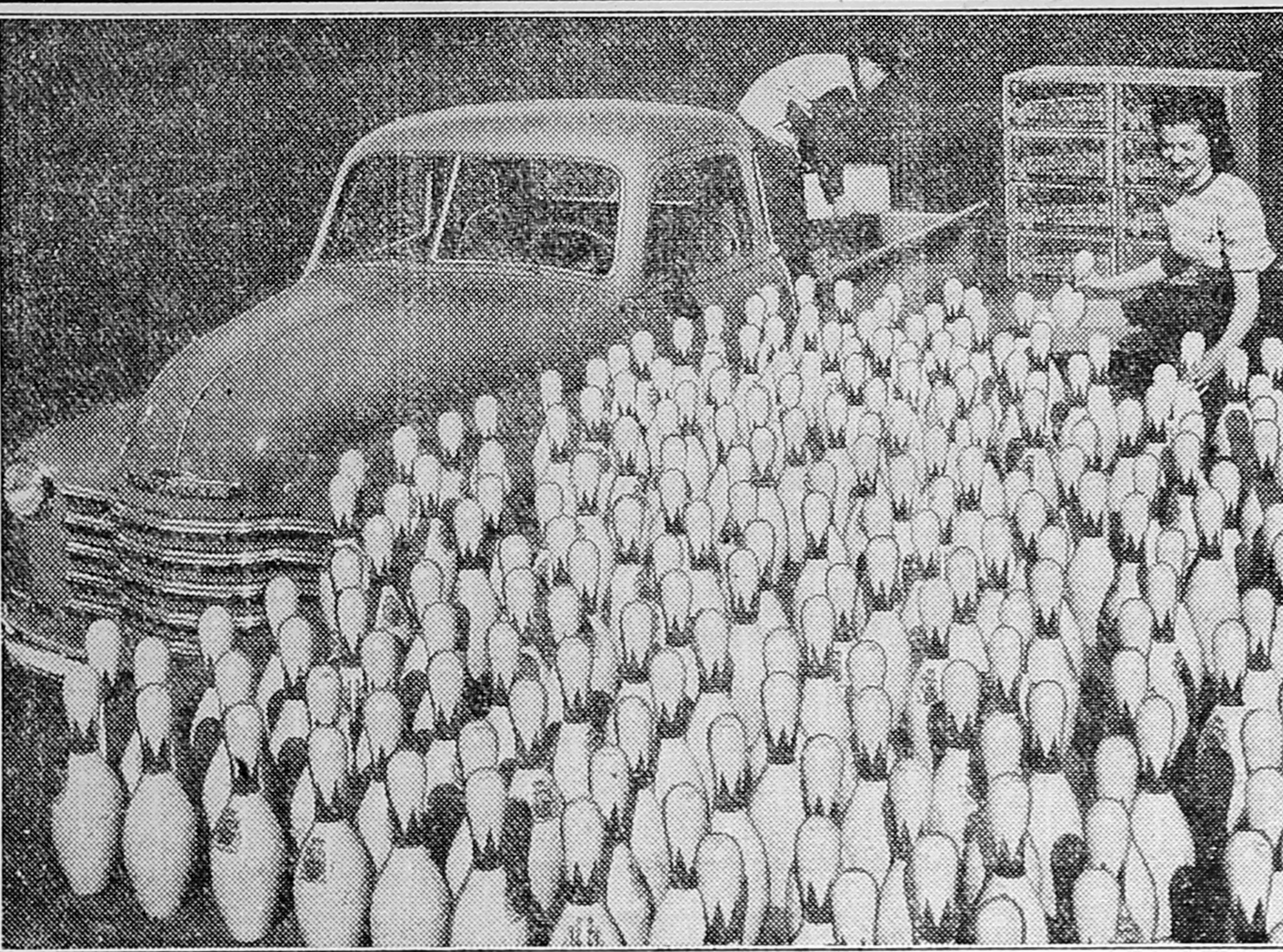
Friday & Saturday Specials

Lite, large box	\$.18
Tide, large	.32
Maxwell House Coffee, pound can	.53
Fruit Cocktail, tall tin	.25
Gold Seal Glass Wax, pt	.59
Brook's Bar B Q Sauce, 6 oz	.15
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Apricots, tall tin	.21
Fly Tox, deodorized, pt	.29
Fly Tox, deodorized, qt	.49
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Did you know that rules of the American Bowling Congress call for daily replacement of the bowling pins on its 40 tournament alleys? This means some 75,000 new pins are used in the course of the event. The practice assures that every team will compete under exactly the same circumstances. In the photograph above a girl is repacking a few of the discarded pins for distribution by Chevrolet truck to privately owned bowling establishments.