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With only 19 days remaining before the days start getting longer, it might be a good time to try to figure out whether or not we're going next summer on golfing time, country club time, railroad time, "sun" time, daylight time, farm time or just plain central standard.

Many of the local workers up early for work out of town — here, there and everywhere. The main stem on an early weekday morning — in semi-dark these short days — looks like State and Randolph Sts., Chicago; hot coffee and toast swallowed in a hurry at nearby hostelries; pick-up and "pool" cars taking riders to work; buses crowded. From 4:30 to 6 in the evening, the same rush, but in reverse. Lots of hurry and bustle these days.

Dear Town Crier:- I see by the papers where "Cactus Jack" turned 80 Monday but had no birthday statement full of advice to offer. Mr. Garner who was the 32nd vice-president of the U. S., thinks that there have been "too many statements by too many people." So timely, after a recent national upset, C. J. is probably prompted to proclaim pronouncements of pre-election pollsters as pretentious prognostications.

But out in the cattle country, where men are men and women are sorry of it, the tongue which has never been conquered, wags on as elsewhere in the land of free speech and this helps to keep newspapers in business, while columnists are given an excuse for being. Even a span of Texas mules would be of little use without a wagon tongue. So, give us statements from great and near-great that this column may thrive and not deteriorate.

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The lark is up to meet the sun,
The pheasant's on the wing
The cook her labor has begun,
On turkey and its trimming.

Shall hunters of game apologize
While I anticipate this chow?
Pilgrim fathers were very wise,
Let's not change it now.

—Thor.

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Lots of out of town folks here for the Thanksgiving holidays; seemed like old home week . . . A number of out of town visitors expected to see the annual football game . . . Thanksgiving weather was an almost perfect Indian summer day — nicest weather for Thanksgiving within the memory of most citizess.

Why should any college fight to win enough games to play in a dirty old "Dust Bowl?" . . . Rumors are that pictures of American football games in action are being shown in Russia to prove that there is internal strife in the U. S. A.

Everyone seems surprised that the holiday season is coming up so rapidly . . . Pacing along with the speed of light, sound and the jet plane is the rumor that gets a start in a small town . . . Col. Todd Roesch has joined the Clean Story Club . . .How about naming the new prince "Sam," after his rich uncle?

Our Clean Story Club—"I want to buy some invisible hair nets for my wife," said a customer.

"All right, here you are sir. That will be 25 cents."

"Are you sure these hair nets are invisible?"

"Invisible!" exclaimed the salesman. "Why, I've been selling them all morning and we've been out of stock for two weeks."

Why editors leave town: From a **Jamaica (N. Y.) paper** — We kill our poultry three times daily . . . From the Paducah (Ky.) Sun-Democrat — The winner of the raffle for two guinea pigs at the Boy Scouts' cavalcade Saturday is requested to communicate with Box 3, Glenville; the prize has since increased to four guinea pigs . . . From an Iowa paper — Special! The world's champion eater of sweet corn is E. K. of Ortonville, who ate 37 years at one sitting. He ate without napkin, and did not once get his ears or hair mussy.

WILL SING IN 'MESSIAH'

Odelle Woods, student at Illinois State Normal University, will sing in the chorus of Christmas parts of the "Mesiah" in Capen at the University at 8 p. m. The presentation will be by a combined chorus with orchestra and organ.

THERE IS STILL TIME TO HAVE your name imprinted on your Christmas cards. 25 beautiful cards for $1. 25c extra for name. Georgetown News Office.

Westville Firemen Praised for Aid in Grain Elevator Fire

Valuable Assistance Given, Says Company

Officials of the Federal-North Iowa Grain Co. in a statement issued the first of the week gave praise and commendation to the members of the Westville Fire Department for their assistance in preventing the spread of fire and in salvaging grain in the grain elevator fire in Georgetown early Thanksgiving morning.

The prompt response of the Westville, firemen, who were called by Chief Riley Smith of the Georgetown Fire Department, was much appreciated, and valuable assistance was rendered. Several members of the Danville Fire Department and a pumper also arrived on the scene.

An incomplete estimate of the damage by Fire Chief Smith and officials of the company places the loss at $85,000. Final determination of the loss will depend upon the salvage value of the soybeans in the reinforced concrete elevator, which remained standing. The frame elevator, built in 1893, with its contents of beans, corn and equipment, represent a total loss.

The company already has plans under way to repair the damage and to build the two additional units of concrete and reinforced steel, similar to the unit that was damaged. Each is to have 33,000 bushels capacity. In addition, it is planned to build four large overhead connecting bins between the concrete units, each with automatic dumping hopper bottoms. The plans also include a new sheller and cleaner. The work on the repairs and the improvements is to start in March. Including the overhead bins, the capacity of the entire plant will be about 75,000 bushels.

A grain storage inspector of the U. S. Agriculture Department Tuesday asked that all grain be removed from the concrete and steel unit and stored in the company's other plants. These beans will be put through dryers and all efforts will be made to reclaim a considerable amount. Insurance was carried on the grain and on the buildings.

In the absence thus far of determining evidence as to the cause of the fire, it will be listed as of unknown origin.

Fire Chief Smith made his calls to the Westville and Danville Fire Departments over the two-way radio system of the car of the deputy sheriffs. State police cars in this locality also are similarly equipped.

This was the worst fire disaster in Georgetown since that of the winter of 1934, when the business block on the southwest corner of the Public Square was destroyed.

Funeral Thursday For Mrs. Galetko, Oldest Resident

Mrs. Anna Galetko, 95, died Monday, Nov. 29, following an illness of several months. She was said to have been Westville's oldest resident.

Funeral services were held at 10 a. m. Thursday at St. Procopius Church, with the Rev. Father Jesiek officiating. Burial was in Ss. Peter and Paul cemetery, Urbas Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Galetko was a native of Rumania, but had lived in Westville for many years.

Former Resident Dies in Danville

Funeral services for Michael Kerkes, 53, of Danville, former Westville resident, were held at St. Paul's Catholic Church Wednesday, Nov. 24, the Rev. John Sweeney officiating. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery.

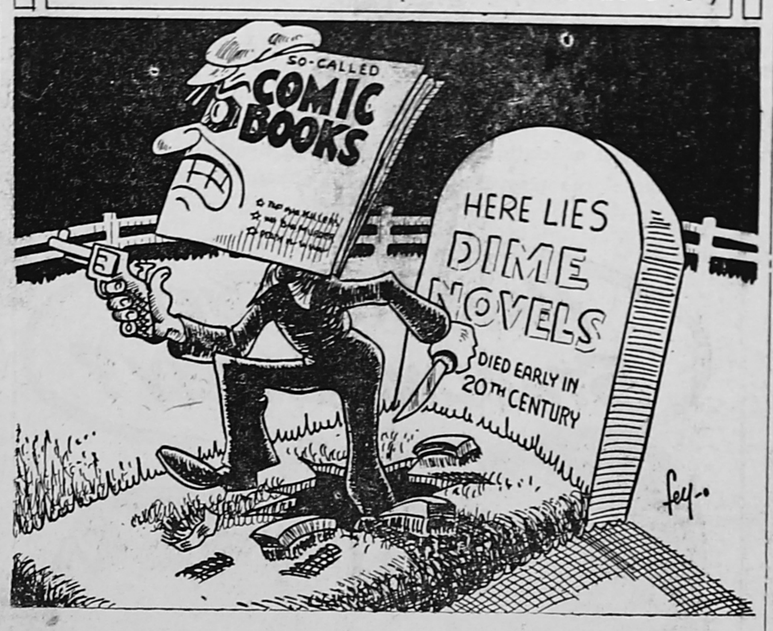
Surviving are the widow, Grace, and a son, John, at home; a daughter, Mrs. Alberta Gatterman, Danville; two sisters, Mrs. Mary Meyers, Westville, and Mrs. Johanna Waclaw, Hegeler; and a half-brother, John Popadines, Westville.

Pastor Asked to Remain By Congregational Board

Members of the Board of Trustees of the Westville Congregational Church have asked Rev. C. R. Dierlamm, pastor for the last three years, to continue his work here. The pastor has made many friends in Westville and is interested in many of the community activities. He has been honored in the International Blue Book for his church work in several states. He received his education in Canada and in eastern universities and seminaries.

Members of the church board are supporting the United Church drive of Vermilion county. Homes of members will be visited Sunday afternoon, Dec. 5.

Slightly lower farm prices reported for November.



Girl Scouts to Give Edison PTA Christmas Party Program

The November meeting of Edison School PTA was held last Tuesday with the president, Mrs. Florence Frankino in charge. Plans were made for the December meeting which will be a Christmas party to be held on Dec. 21.

The school's Girl Scouts will present a Christmas program, followed by a 30-cent gift exchange and refreshments. Mrs. Mary Cruppenink, Girl Scout leader, reported that Brownies and Scouts have changed their meeting dates from Thursday and Friday evenings to Saturday afternoons during the winter. All parents are asked to attend the December meeting.

Westville Maudes Honor Officials With Supper at Hall

Westville Maudes held a supper at Redmen Hall Wednesday evening in honor of Great Maudes Mary Jane Jackson and Betty Swank. Members and guests enjoyed a social evening following the meal.

Membership Drive Under Way By Sportsmen's Club

Westville Sportsmen's Club is continuing an active campaign for new members. Much interest is being shown in the drive.

Prospective members may obtain application blanks from any of the officers of the club or at the Sportsmen's Inn.

Funeral Wednesday For Mrs. Troja, 72, Resident 36 Years

Mrs. Virginia Troglia Troja, 72, wife of Baptiste Troja and a resident of Westville for 36 years, died early Sunday morning, Nov. 28, after an illness of several months. She had been in poor health for several years. The family home was at 1270 S. State St.

Mrs. Troja was born May 8, 1876, at Sale, Italy, daughter of John and Demenica Biacco. She came here in 1912, and was an active member of St. Mary's Church and of the Altar and Rosary Society.

Besides her husband, she is survived by the following children, Paul, Mrs. Mary Fiocone, Mrs. Angelina Cimo and Mrs. Natalie Giacone, all of Westville, and Mrs. Ernesto Oberto in Italy; nine grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren. Four daughters preceded her in death.

Funeral services were held at 10 a. m. Wednesday in St. Mary's Church. Rev. J. L. Seisel officiated. Burial was in Ss. Peter and Paul cemetery.

County Official to Address Congregational Brotherhood

Members of the Brotherhood of the Westville Congregational Church will have a dinner meeting Wednesday evening, Dec. 8, in the church dining room. William Moyer will preside over the business meeting and the guest speaker will be Assistant State's Atty. John Unger.

Joe Ottino is chairman of the program committee and ticket sales are in charge of Fred Sneyd.

Lions Club Zone Meeting Is Held in Georgetown

A zone meeting of presidents and secretaries of Lions Clubs in this territory was held Monday evening in Snook's Cafe in Georgetown. Presiding was Joe Ottino, zine chairman.

Officers of Lions Clubs of Westville, Georgetown, Ridgefarm, Danville and Tilton were present.

American Lincoln Christmas Food Train will leave Springfield Dec. 20; 300 cars to be loaded; Arnold P. Benson, state chairman of CROP, directing drive.

Westville Briefs . . .

Mr. and Mrs. William Pierce and son of Indianapolis spent the weekend with relatives and firends in Westville. Mr. Pierce is attending medical school in Indianapolis.

Stanley Bitout of the U. S. Navy has reported to Memphis, Tenn., where he will attend an air mechanics school. He completed a 10-day leave with his parents on Clark St, following boot training at Great Lakes.

Mrs. Lucille Herman and Mrs. Helen Hitzeroth attended a dinner meeting of Danville Toastmistresses at Ole King Cole last week, when plans were made to hold just one meeting in December, a party on Dec. 8, with a gift exchange.

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Rasmussen and sons of Bloomington spent the weekend with Mrs. Rasmussen's mother, Mr. Mary Chicas, Bowman Ave.

Weekend visitors at the home of Mrs. Anna Van Dyke, W. Main St., were her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Van Dyke and son of Peoria. Recent visitors at the home of Mrs. Van Dyke were her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Van Dyke, also of Peoria.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Timerman and Mr. and Mrs. Alex Pelszynski spent the Thanksgiving weekend in Gary, Ind., where they visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cox, daughter and son-in-law of the latter.

Mr. and Mrs. Anton (Shack) Carp of Chicago spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. George Carp and family, W. Main St.

Bill Soderstrum of Grand Junction, Colo., and a student at the University of Illinois, was a weekend guest at the home of John Appanaitis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Algy Appanaitis.

M/Sgt. and Mrs. Walter Urevich have returned to Georgia following a week's visit with his mother, Mrs. S. Urevich, Bridgett St.

Carl Davis of Chicago spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Catherine Davis, Scott St.

Mrs. Jane Billot, Norman St., is convalescing at St. Elizabeth Hospital following a major operation.

Miss Helen Rimshas, former Westville grade school teacher, now teaching at Itasca, Ill., visited relatives and friends here over the Thanksgiving vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. William Cottrell, Jules St., entertained at a family dinner at their home Thanksgiving Day when the following guests were present: Mrs. Anna Benedict, Mike and Charles Benedict and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Chmielewski.

Dr. and Mrs. Saul Lipton, Mrs. Tess Bente and the Misses Jessie and Phyllis Carp were among those from Westville in attendance at the Danville Musical Cycle concert at Danville High School Monday night, when they heard Ginette Neven, the young Parisian violinist.

Many College Students Are Home for Thanksgiving

University of Illinois students spending the Thanksgiving vacation with their families in Westville included Don Merlie, Albert Miglin, Lucian Courtney, Henry Vacketta, Walter Godels, Gene Groppi, Myron Browning, Bob Howard, James Sneyd, Henry Waclaw, Jonh Appanaitis, Beverly McArdle, Carol Wagle, Phyllis Ann Jones and Wilma and Marie Pellizzari.

MacMurray College students home on a visit were Carol Ronchetto, Betty Sereno and Elizabeth Somers.

Butler University students home on a visit included Bob Libert, Anton Lesko and Don Batrich.

Richard Polancyak was home from Illinois State Normal.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Lewis are the parents of a daughter born in St. Elizabeth Hospital Wednesday, Nov. 24. The mother is the former LaWanda Rippon.

Coming Events

Date, Place

Westville Tigers' basketball team plays Georgetown High School at Georgetown Tuesday evening, Dec. 7; varsity game starts at 8:20.

Gifts for Yanks drive Nov. 28 to Dec. 10.

County meeting of American Legion and Legion Auxiliary to be held in Legion Home, Westville, Thursday evening, Dec. 9, beginning at 8; 14 county Posts and Auxiliary Units expected to be represented.

Sport film to be shown Wednesday evening, Dec. 8, in Central School by the Westville Sportsmen's Club; public is invited.

Early Bird stag party of Westville American Legion Post to be held Friday evening in Legion Home.

Slovak Political Club meets at 2 p. m. Sunday in St. Procopius Hall, with Joseph Haluska in charge.

Vermilion County Sad Sacks No. 47 to have steak fry Tuesday evening, Dec. 7, at Am-Vets Hall, Georgetown.

Final Burial Friday For Gold Star Hero

Body of Lieut. Dowiatt Arrives from Italy

Final rites for Lieut. Richard Dowiatt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter A. Dowiatt, who was killed in action while with the Air Corps in Italy during World War II, will be held at 10 a. m. Friday in St. Mary's Church, and final burial will be in Springhill cemetery. The body arrived from a temporary military cemetery in Italy early Wednesday morning and was taken to the Urbas Funeral Home, where the casketed remains were in state until the funeral hour.

Rosary service was held at the funeral home at 8 p. m. Thursday.

The Rev. J. L. Seisel will officiate at the church services and at the grave. The Westville American Legion Post will conduct the military service at the grave.

Lieut. Dowiatt enlisted in August, 1941, and while awaiting call for service worked as a timekeeper at the Hegeler Zinc Co. He reported for basic training in Texas on his 20th birthday anniversary, Feb. 10, 1942.

In December, 1942, he received his pilot's wings at Mission, Tex. After additional flight training in the South, he was sent overseas in July, 1944, with the 15th Air Force, with which he saw combat duty. He was killed in action near Bari, Italy.

Lieut. Dowiatt was born in Westville Feb. 10, 1922, a son of Walter A. and Mildred Ord Dowiatt. His father is a veteran of World War I. Richard was graduated from Westville High School in 1940, and attended Milikin University, Decatur, for a year prior to his enlistment. In high school he distinguished himself in many activities, including football and basketball. He was awarded the sportsmanship trophy in his senior year. He also took part in athletics while at Milikin University. He was a member of St. Mary's Church.

Besides his parents, he is survived by his grandmother, Mrs. Mark Ord, and his paternal grandfather, W. A. Dowiatt Sr., Westville.

Congregational Church Notes

Rev. C. R. Dierlamm, Minister

"We get tired of being asked for money to feed the starving nations of the world. Why doesn't the preacher forget it and put his mind on something else?" Well, that is not so easy as you think it is. He knows that the Marshall Plan was somewhat political and those who were fortunate financially in Europe to pay for the shipments, received the food. Now comes the organization called C.R.O.P., which means Christian Rural Overseas Program. Now this is the real thing that does feed starving children in Europe. The nice part of it is that each church sees to it that the food and money are accounted for. The best way to give is by religious supervision. You can depend on the church you belong to to give an honest account of where the money goes.

Catherine Davis Joins Silver Cross Hospital Staff

A former Westville girl, Catherine Davis, will soon leave Danville to take up her new duties in the office of the Silver Cross Hospital at Joliet.

The office force of Lake View Hospital, where Miss Davis has been employed for a number of years, held a farewell party in her honor recently when they presented her with a gift.

INJURED BY TRACTOR

Donald Lee, 4-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Strader, Westville Rt. 1, suffered bruises of the head and thighs last Monday afternoon when he was caught betwen a fly wheel and driving wheel of a tractor at his home. He was attended at St. Elizabeth Hospital by Dr. Saul Halpern.

Relatives of War Dead Must File for Income Tax Refunds

Short Time Remains; Deadline Jan. 1

Next of kin of those who died while serving in the military forces during World War II are strongly advised to prepare their claims for refund of federal income taxes, paid by those who gave up their lives in service, before Jan. 1, 1949.

Federal income taxes for all military personnel, who died while in active service on or after Dec. 7, 1941, and prior to Jan. 1, 1948 are abated for the year in which they died, as well as any unpaid income taxes for other years during which they were in active service within the same period. Income tax paid in such years by deceased military personnel is refundable to the next of kin provided a claim for the amount due is filed before Jan. 1, 1949.

Ross Macklin, county service officer, states that it is absolutely necessary that such claims be made by next of kin before Jan. 1 in order to obtain the refund. Claims may be submitted on Treasury Department Internal Revenue Form 843 to the collector of internal revenue in the district in which the claimant resides.

As the time is short, next of kin are being advised to act promptly.

Mayor Byron Again To Be Candidate

A. A. Galan Also Asks Club Endorsement

Interest is appearing in the 1949 municipal elections in Westville, when a mayor and three aldermen will be chosen. Friends of Mayor Charles Byron have asked him to be a candidate for re-election, and he has indicated his willingness to be a candidate.

At a meeting of the Lithuanian Citizens Club last Sunday afternoon, the name of the mayor was presented for endorsement. Another member also has asked for the support of the club as a candidate for mayor. He is A. A. Galan, club secretary.

The Lithuanian club will hold a membership party Sunday, Dec. 19, for members and families, in Barber Hall. Preceding the membership party, the club members will hold a business session in City Hall.

Funeral Saturday For Mrs. Shukites; Resident 40 Years

Mrs. Agatha Shukites, 68, died at 7 p. m. Wednesday at her home near Westville of a heart attack. She had been ill four years.

Mrs. Shukites was born Oct. 15, 1880, in Lithuania, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kasimir Shapuras. She had lived in this vicinity 40 years. Surviving are her husband, William Shukites; five children, Mrs. Josephine Wilff, Chicago; William Jr., Gary, telle Villano and Lois Shukites, all Ind.; Mrs. Agatha Baum, Mrs. Es- of Chicago; and 10 grandchildren.

Funeral services will be at 11 a. m. Saturday at Ss. Peter and Paul Church, with Rev. Father John Paukstis officiating. Burial will be in the church cemetery. The body will remain at the Brookshier Funeral Home until the funeral hour.

Open House at High School For View of New Improvements

The public has been invited to an open house to be given from 2 to 4 p. m. Sunday, Dec. 5, at the Georgetown High School building to see the improvements made to the high school structures made within the last several months, particularly the improvements to the gym floor. A new hardwood floor has been laid throughout, which has been resurfaced and polished to perfection.

Another new feature of the gym are the built-in bleachers and reserved seat sections. The invitations to the open house were extended by the High School Board of Education through Principal George Kriviskey and Athletic Director Ike Burch.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

A marriage license was issued Saturday, Dec. 27, to Rex W. Kochell, 22, of Danville, and Miss Helen Balsis, 17, of Westville.

A marriage license was issued Saturday, Nov. 27, to Joseph Timko, 30, of Westville and Miss Esther Yoho, 22, of Georgetown.

Retires as NYC Switchman After 36 Years' Service

E. L. Jessup, Lyons, has retired as switchman following 35 years' service with the New York Central Railroad yards.

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Georgetown Expects Stiff Westville Game

Georgetown is expecting a stiff basketball battle next Tuesday evening, Dec. 7, at the opening of the team for the opener that evening will Buffaloes' season. The Georgetown have the Westville Tigers as opponents. The reserves will play at 7 p. m. and the varsity game will start at 8:20. The following comments are given on the Georgetown team:

Capt. Kenny Stark and his teammates will open their basketball season at home Tuesday evening, Dec. 7, with the reserves playing at 7 p. m. and the varsity at 8:20. Westville will furnish the opposition and, as everyone knows, that will mean a battle.

Coach Bill Rook states that he is not certain as to his starting team for the opening game, and when interviewed relative to the opening line-up said that it was a battle for positions, and he only would give probable positions.

He has Virgil Biava, Joe Tanzey and Carl Dawson working at center. At the forward positions, Alfred Morris, Leland Humrichous, Ronald Grider and Charles McKenzie are scrapping for the starting call, and Capt. Stark, Tom Maudlin, Dominic Bildilli, George Spang and James Bratton are all working at guard spots.

Assistant Coach Richard Parke, has some 20 young boys who are working to try to get into that starting line-up, or at least in the first 10, by Tuesday night. Just who will comprise the reserves' starting team very likely will not be known until game time.

On the varsity squad, Kenny Stark, Tom Maudlin, Leland Humrichous, Alfred Morris and Grider were letter winners last year. Stark and Morris are seniors and Maudlin, Grider and Humrichous are juniors this year.

The squad, as a group, will have better average height than has been available for several years, but the squad still lacks that big, tall lad around the basket. Mr. Rook hopes that Biava can fit into the pivot position and learn to do the rebounding chores, although he lacks height, being only 6 feet tall.

Coaches Rook and Parke are not at all pessimistic as they go about their job of getting ready for Westville.

LaVerne Cowell Loses 4 Fingers in Corn Picker Accident; Hand Badly Cut

LaVerne Cowell, 30, farmer east of Georgetown, was seriously injured Friday about 6 p. m. when his right hand became caught in a corn picker. All four fingers were completely severed and a part of his hand was severely lacerated. Mr. Cowell used his pocket knife in getting his hand out. He was taken to Lake View Hospital, Danville, and is being attennded by Dr. J. Gilbert Ellis. He is getting along as well as can be expected. The four fingers were amputated.

Mr. Cowell was almost through with his corn harvest when the accident occurred. Neighbors went Saturday and picked the remainder of his corn and stored the loads he had already picked.

About 14 months ago Mr. Cowell fell from a ladder while painting and broke both arms.

Local Real Estate Brokers Are Listed in State Report

(Special)

SPRINGFIELD — Vermilion county has 88 licensed real estate brokers, according to a yearly report issued this week by Frank G. Thompson, director of the State Department of Registration and Education, which listed the names of the brokers in the county.

Those listed in Georgetown, Westville and Ridgefarm total 12.

The report shows the following licensed real estate brokers in Georgetown: Middleton J. Brookshier, Andy O. Colom, John P. DeMude, Paul Frazier, Horace M. Jenkins, Leonard K. Madden and Benjamin C. Richie.

Westville brokers listed are: John F. Haworth and Helen M. Redulis.

Ridgefarm brokers include John P. Bever and Frank Carsman.

Georgetown Lions Club To Give 'Highway Dinner'

Plans are being made to entertain a large number of members and guests at the Lions Club appreciation dinner to be held Monday evening, Dec. 6, in celebration of the completion of the main work on the new concrete highway extending east from Mill St.

Several officials of the Illinois Highway Division will be present, as well as members of the hard roads committee of the Vermilion County Board of Supervisors. Another guest will be Walter C. (Pete) Dye, county highway commissioner.

B. F. Henderson, chairman of arrangements for the dinner, is desirous of having all members present who can possibly attend. The club has been interested for a number of years in the development of the highway east of Georgetown, which, it is hoped, eventually will be extended to the Indiana state line. The completion of the first link in the project during last summer has been made the occasion for the special observance.

The dinner will be at 7 p. m. in Snook's Cafe.

Ottino Addresses Danville Club on Youth Delinquency

Joe Ottino, assistant county probation officer, gave an interesting talk before the Danville Lions Club at a luncheon meeting Tuesday in the Hotel Wolford. His subject was "Juvenile Delinquency."

The speaker pointed out that the problem of juvenile delinquency is less serious in this area than was the case several years ago, due to the co-operation of the schools and the increasing tendency of law enforcement officers to help rehabilitate wayyuths. The biggest problem, he said, is that of dealing with the youths under 12 years of age who cannot be committed to institutions.

. . . Christenings . . .

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Martin, South St., was christened Linda Lou at Ss. Peter nad Paul Church Sunday, the Rev. John Paukstis officiating. Sponsors were Miss Lucille Mikuconis and John Bednar Sr.

A family dinner was held at the home of the baby's maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George Ambrose, South St., following the ceremony. Out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. John Ambrose and daughter, Chicago, and Mr. and Mrs. Gus Ambromaitis and family, Springfield.

Westville Boy Is Miltary Weather Observer in Japan

(Special to the News)

NAGOYA, JAPAN — Pfc. Thomas N. Rudd, son of Mrs. Pearl Rudd, 220 Wisconsin Ave., Westville, Ill., has been promoted to the grade of corporal, according to a recent announcement by Headquarters, 20th Weather Squadron in Nagoya. Cpl. Rudd has been in Japan with the 20th Weather Squadron since March, 1948, as a weather observer at the 20-4 Air Weather Service Detachment located on the island of Hokkaido, the northernmost of the Japanese islands.

When the weather observer goes on duty, he becomes extremely weather conscious. Every hour he notes and records such pertinent atmospheric conditions as temperature, relative humidity and all weather phenomena, such as rain, snow or fog. The information is encoded for transmission over a world-wide weathser network. From the same network, reciprocal information is received, from which the observer plots the many charts used by the forecaster in making his predictions.

Prior to his entry into the Air Force on October 5, 1946, Cpl. Rudd attended Catlin High School, Catlin, Ill.

HALE - FERGUSON

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ankrum have announced the marriage of their daughter, Charlotte Ferguson to C. E. Hale, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Hale, Danville Rt. 6. The marriage took place at Piggot, Ark., on Nov. 9. The bridegroom is a fireman on the New York Central railroad.

CAYEZ - KALUZA

Folowing a short wedding trip, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Cayez left Wednesday for California, where they will make their future home. The young couple were married at St. Mary's Church Saturday, Nov. 27, in a beautiful and impressive ceremony, the Rev. J. L. Seisel officiating.

Bridal music was played by Mrs. Esther Karushis, the church organist. Mrs. Elizabeth Norvilaitis sang "Ave Maria," and Ore Vacketta sang "On This Day" and "Panis Angelicus." Attendants were Miss Evelyn Kaluza, maid of honor, sister of the bride; Walter Godels, best man; Miss Ethel Bossoloni and Miss Marie Fridmanski, bridesmaids; and Vic Giacoma and Thomas Yuhas, ushers.

The bride wore a white slipper satin gown with a long train and fingertip veil of illusion with embroidered edges. She carried a bouquet of white carnations and pale pink roses with satin streamers. The maid of honor wore a sapphire green satin gown, and the bridesmaids wore identical gowns of dusty rose satin, and carried bouquets of dark red carnations with silver ribbon.

Following the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served to the wedding party and relatives at the home of the bride's parents. A reception was held in the evening at Ss. Peter and Paul Parish Hall with approximately 200 guests in attendance. Out-of-town guests included Mrs. Rose Sungail and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Culbertson, all of Chicago.

The bride is the former Margaret Kaluza, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Kaluza, S. State St., and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Marcel Cayez, Delaware St. Both are graduates of Westville High School. Mrs. Cayez is a graduate of Loyola University School of Nursing, and has been employed at the Veterans Administration Hospital, Danville. The bridegroom is a veteran of the last war, and is a graduate of Curry's School of Aeronautics, Galesburg. He will be employed with the United Air Lines in San Francisco.

GIRL INJURED

Miss Nina Mascari, 521 Green St., Danville, was treated at St. Elizabeth Hospital for a scalp wound sustained Friday night while visiting at the home of a sister-in-law in Westville. The girl fell down a flight of stairs. Four sutures were necessary to close the wound.

Am-Vets Nominate, Endorse Bonus, Plan Gifts for Children

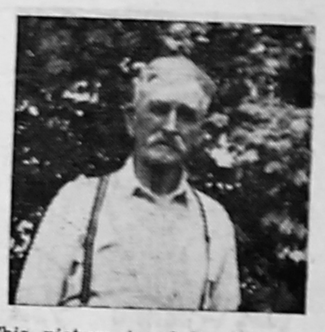
Twenty-one members were present at the meeting of Vermilion County Am-Vets Post 146 in Am-Vets Hall, Georgetown. Tuesday evening, Nov. 23. Everett Hoggatt reported for the nominating committee with the following nominations for officers for the various offices:

Commander, Ray Norris and Paul Thornton; senior vice-commander, John Holstine and Glenn Smith; second vice-commander, Kenneth Thornton and Harold Pribble; treasurer, Dorwin Jenkins; adjutant, Oscar Hurst and Joe Tamalunis; chaplain, Joe Balskus; provost marshal, Everet Hoggatt and Dean Patterson; historian, Dixon Asquith and Harold Swank; service officer, William Holaday; judge advocate, Ed Dietkus and J. W. Humrichous; public relations, Bernard Thompson and Robert Grider.

Ray Norris, district representative, reported on a resolution received from national headquarters with regard to a federal bonus. The vote of the Post was in favor of the bonus plan as follows: Payment to be made in the form of government bonds to mature in 1955 at an interest rate of 4 per cent per year; principal to be computed on the basis of $3 per year for each day of service in the continental United States and $4 per day for overseas duty.

The Post also voted to have a drive for Christmas "Gifts for the Wanks Who Gave." A committee was named to conduct the drive and to make a report soon. Teams were chosen for a membership drive. The team having the lowest number of new members on Jan. 31 is to be host to the winning team at a party.

Oldest Resident



This picture is of D. W. Byerly, Georgetown's oldest citizen, who observed his 93rd birthday anniversary with open house Sunday afternoon, Nov. 21. The reception was attended by more than 100 of his relatives, friends and neighbors.

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Because good Americans all take their politics and voting mighty seriously. But when the issue's settled, and the die is cast, they accept the verdict in a spirit of good humor.

And that's as it should be when it comes to *any* difference of opinion. Some folks vote for beer as their favorite beverage—others vote for cider. In fact, we all have differences of taste in almost everything! But that doesn't mean that we can't live together in a spirit of good fellowship.

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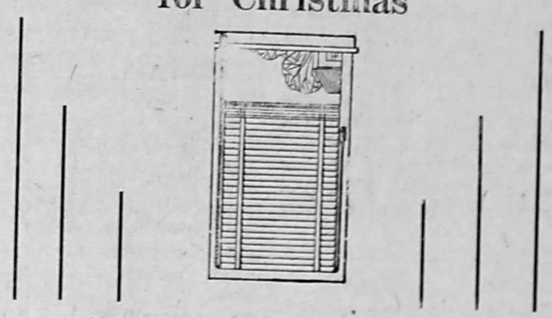

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This is a "must" assignment to all for the holiday season.Don't send a Christmas gift, package, card or letter without these seals. Get more if you need them. This is the only "drive" in the year made for this worthy cause. Buy Christmas seals and know that you have spent wisely at this season of good will.

The In-Between Season

As another Thanksgiving Day passes and we look again toward Christmas, we come into that dark in-between season marking the end of the celebration of a year of plenty and the beginning of the celebration of a new birth. This is the darkest period of the year, when the hours of daylight in the temperate zone grow steadily shorter.

But for many of our citizens, this season becomes the busiest of the entire year. Gray and drab though this season may become outwardly, it carries a glow of interest and enthusiasm. The period between two of the most pleasant festivals of the year reflects externally the drabness of the works of Nature, but offers the hope of rebirth, of a beckoning springtime of life. The days will grow longer again within a few weeks. The promise of summer will strengthen with the increasing light, even when that light is reflected from cold snow and ice.

Drab this season may be, but it carries an enthusiasm for both young and old that is difficult to explain. It offers a flood of fresh inspiration ahead, to be culminated in the coming Christmas season and the undying hope of another springtime.

What Is to Happen?

The aftermath of an election, like the aftermath of battle, is filled with talk of "what might have been." Of greater importance to the average citizen, however, is the question of what is going to happen now that Mr. Truman has become President in his own right, and has with him a Congress which is solidly of his own party in both branches.

It is heard from various sources that Mr. Truman, during the campaign, took a stand that was somewhat to the left of his natural position, or, in other words, his bark was worse than his bite as far as business and industry of the country is concerned. But other views appraise the situation from an entirely opposite standpoint.

A conservative newspaper points out editorially that in its opinion Mr. Truman meant exactly what he said during the campaign and will do everything he can to put his election promises into full effect. This view is that Mr. Truman keeps his commitments and he honors his allegiances even when it is difficult to do so. At any rate, the prospects for the immediate future are down in black and white and it seems rather foolish to discount the words that have been said and given in apparent good faith.

Of course, Mr. Truman's legislative program must be approved by Congress to become effective. This situation affords one of the big question marks of the hour. Joe Martin, the present speaker of the House, who will resume his old role as minority leader next session, has said that the President can get just about everything he really wants from Congress. But this view is not generally accepted. It must be remembered that a considerable part of his party's strength in the House is from the South, and its leanings tend in a conservative direction. A number of the Democratic seators are not in sympathy with much of the program the President has proposed. But here is how many of the guessers are predicting the trend of events:

Labor Legislation — It is not considered likely that the Taft-Hartley Act will be repealed outright. It will be subject to major changes, of the kind labor wants. Special attention will be given to the subject of "critical strikes" — those in the so-called basic industries which directly affect the whole country and economy.

Agriculture — Price support seems definitely here to stay. All that is in doubt is the level at which farm prices will be supported. Beginning in 1950, a flexible support policy, as contrasted with the present policy of supporting prices at 90 per cent of parity, was to take effect. It is possible now, however, that the 90 per cent figure may be continued.

Price Control — It is likely, but is expected to be different from OPA. Probably an effort will be made to impose it at the source on certain key items, rather than at the consumer level. This may stir one of the hotest debates in Congress. Rent contorl, of course, is certain to go on.

The Budget — Federal spending will increase, according to indications, and to a somewhat greater extent than would have been the case in a GOP administration. During the next fiscal year, outgo will be $45 billions, perhaps much more.

Taxes — Early increases in personal income taxes are unlikely — that would be the toughest of all medicine for Congress to swallow. Corporation taxes, however, are in for a boost. The President is expected to urge doing this through an excess profit levy, rather than an increase in the regular corporate rate.

Social Security — There will be more of it, apparently, and it will cost more. Both the present payroll tax and the wage limit on which the tax is now levied will probably be raised. Emphasis will be on larger benefits for the aged. Dhether Congres will accept compulsory government health insurance is another matter.

Public Works — The President is likely to ask for considerable expansion in this field, including power development and land conservation. Congress may not give him all of what he asks. Other budget requirements, such as national defense, will have a strong bearing on the final result.

Inflation — There will be more talk than effective action. Few believe that significant changes, either way, will take place.

There is one fact that may be kept in mind. The President is pledged to a big-spending policy, and also to a balanced budget. To achieve this goal, industries must be kept operating at a peak level, as at present. It is likely, therefore, that the government cannot afford to step too much on "big business." It will probably attempt to maintain a difficult and delicate balance between more and more government on the one hand, while seeking to keep business reasonably happy on the other.

The President fell heir to the New Deal and, in substance at least, he is continuing it. Virtually all the personalities have changed since he took office. And so have some of the policies. But the basic New Deal ideas still are there — a fact which the President made most definitely clear during the campaign. And nobody could actually mistake his words.

HASTINGS THINKS

By HASTINGS BAKER

The trial of Japanese war criminals, recently completed, cost almost 10 million dollars. This is a lot of money for a doubtful purpose. The time will probably come when we will be embarrassed by all these war trials, which are so similar to the dark ages when the losers always were killed. It is difficult to understand how these trials manage to cost so much money. The Japanese trials droned on for two and a half years, and for every word of testimony taken, the cost was more than a dollar.

Down in South America they have an automobile race that lasted three weeks and covers more than twice the distance from New York to California. The drivers roar along across pampas, deserts, jungels and high mountains with terrible fogs and dizzy precipices. They drive through Argentina, Bolivia, Chile, Peru, Ecuador, Colombia and Venezuela.

This year seven people died in the race and the finish had a twist that could only happen in South America. The leading driver, after covering all that distance, was within a few feet of the finish line when the crowd pulled him out of his car and onto their shoulders to celebrate. The judge ruled that he didn't cross the finish line. Another driver came bumbling along in a 1939 Chevrolet to win the prize of 114,000 pesos (more than $20,000).

Three years ago the "People are Funny" radio program dropped 12 transparent plastic balls in the Pacific Ocean, off California. Each ball had a note inside. By now six of the 12 balls have been picked up by puzzled South Sea islandsrs. The first one back, which came in two years later, received a prize of $1,000.

Probably one of the most thrilling experiences imaginable is to give sight to a blind person. The Eye Bank for Sight Restoration recently issued its annual report telling of their 333 operations last year, of which nine out of 10 were successful. Their work is to remove the cornea from the eye of a person who has just died and graft it into a blind person's eye within a few days. This does not mean that all blind people can be given sight. It is effective only for those with cornea trouble.

To get an idea of how much trouble is going on behind the scenes in work on the atom, consider the fact that the Atomic Energy Commission is now spending about $2 million every day, and next year that amount will be almost doubled. For better or for worse, most of the effort is to develop weapons. However, a great deal is also being done to harness the atom for the benefit of mankind.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS FOR VETERANS

This is another in a series of questions and answers regarding the rights of ex-servicemen and their families, as answered by Howard Bond, Veterans Employment Representative, Illinois State Employment Service, 220 N. Vermilion St., Danville. In this service, theISES attempts to answer questions most frequently asked by ex-servicemen and women.

Question — I am interested in learning when the U. S. Soldiers' Home in Washington, D. C., was founded.

Answer — By an act of Congress on March 3, 1851, which read "for the relief and support of invalid and disabled soldiers of the United States" the home was founded, and those eligible are former enlisted men, or warrant officers who have served in the Regular Army or Air Force.

Question — I want to know where a veteran can apply for a homestead under the government's reclamation project program.

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Question — Can you tell me how many individuals were awarded the Medal of Honor for heroism during World War II?

Answer — The Army and Air Force awarded 292; the Navy 137 (including 70 to Marines and one to a Coast Guardsman).

Questian — From what land base in the Pacific did the airplane leave that dropped the atom bomb on Hiroshima and Nagasaki?

Answer — The bombs were carried from Tinian in the Marianas, which now has the world's largest airfields.

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Westville

Mrs. Tony Bernotas of Gary, Ind., has returned to her home following a week's visit with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Stokis, N. State St.

John Ragish of Centralia spent the weekend visiting friends in Westville.

Mrs. Anna Ambromaitis, W. Main St., is convalescing at the home of her daughter, Mrs. George Ambrose, following an accident at her home in which she sustained a severely burned hand.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Messina and family of Chicago spent the Thanksgiving weekend visiting at the home of Mrs. Messina's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Misunas, South St.

Fete Karsavich of Chicago visited relatives and friends in Westville Thanksgiving Day.

Leo Razaitis of Chicago spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Stanley Razaitis, South St. His father, who is employed in Taylorville, also was a weekend visitor.

Russell Harmon of Crawfordsville, In., and Millard Harmon, Chicago, were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Ark, Cook St., Thanksgiving Day.

Thanksgiving Day visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Snapp included Mr. and Mrs. William Brannick, Champaign, Miss Marie Douglas, Danville, and Mrs. Allie Lape, Kokomo, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Attan, S. State St., celebrated their 13th wedding anniversary at a family dinner at their home Thanksgiving Dap. Guests present were T/Sgts. James A. and Howard O. Knox of Chanute Field.

Miss Stella Urban of Chicago is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Urban, South St.

Mrs. Clara Schecter has returned to St. Elizabeth Hospital where she will receive medical treatment. Visiting here since their mother's illness are her daughter, Mrs. Ruby Dahl of Dearborn, Mich., and son, Eugene Schecter, Montana.

Mrs. Joe Attan and son, T/Sgt. James A. Knox, drove to Eugene, Ind., Thanksgiving Day where they visited her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Reid. Also visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Reid were their son, Donald of Chicago, and daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Rudd of Terre Haute, Ind.

T/Sgt. James A. Knox of Chanute Field left this week for service in Wyoming where he will instruct in a government school.

Mrs. Lela Gastent and children were recent visitors at the home of her mother, Mrs. M. Wiltermood, N. State St.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Chestnut, Westville Rt. 1, entertained at a dinner at their home recently in honor of the birthday anniversaries of their children, Marion and Pamela. Guests present were Mr. and Mrs. Ottis Cross and Mr. and Mrs. George Wilson and daughter of Philo, and Mr. and Mrs. John Chestnut and son of Potomac.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Dalton of Danville were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Carp Thanksgiving Day. Also present were Mr. and Mrs. Anton Carp, Chicago.

George Carp Jr. left last week for Peoria, where he will receive medical treatment at the state hospital there.

Miss Elnora Bente of Aurora spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Bente, Cook St.

The being of grace must go before the increase of it; for there is no growth without life, and no building without a foundation. —Lavington

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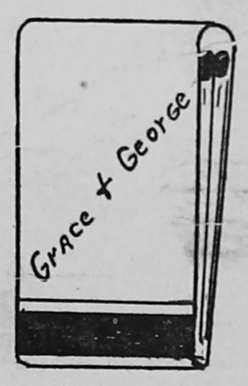

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