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Ready for Santa Claus?

Folks say that our severe winter is just around the corner. And that's just the place for it, as far as we're concerned — around the corner.

We're getting busier as the holiday season draws nearer. Too busy. Too busy to be as decent as we should . . . University of Southern California tied the football game with Notre Dame last Saturday afternoon at Los Angeles, and immediately after the game there was an earthquake. What would have happened if USC would have beaten Notre Dame?

If all the world's a stage
And we're but actors thereon,
As spoken by the sage,
Shakespeare, bard of Avon,
Then to be successful
Or gay, put up a front;
If you'd be respectful,
Try out this little stunt:
Act the way you'd like to be,
It is indeed a fact,
Soon you will surely see
That you are like you act.
Even if you feel blue,
Smile and then smile some more;
Control your emotions too!
Not the slave to them, for
Happiness does appeal,
Draws popularity near;
Others, too, will better feel
For praises from you sincere.
Banish human friction
By just being more kind,
Life, stranger than fiction,
Takes on new zest, you'll find.
—Old Man River.

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Potpourri

To "darn" your luck is not the best way to mend it. When two egotists meet, it is a case of an I for an I. If our faces did their duty, there would be no need for photographers to tell us to "look pleasant". A pleasant voice is like a sugar-coated pill, can convey a disappointing answer without hurting the feelings. We never climb higher than the ladder we select.

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Commanding Officer — "Private, there will be a number of high officers here for lunch. I want you to stand by the door and call the guests' names as the arrive."

Private — "Boy, I'd like that! —But who keeps me out of the guardhouse?"

—G.I.

Our Clean Story Club — "Are you a clock-watcher?" asked the employer of a candidate for a job.

"No, I don't like inside work," replied the applicant, "I'm a whistle-listener."

From the New Orleans (La.) Item — Girl, 19, Found Shot by Body of Slain Man . . . From the Lemore (Calif.) Advance — Weather prediction for the weekend: Fair and not much change in temperance . . . From the Attleboro (Mass.) Sun — Two ladies sang a duet, "The Lord Knows Why."

The high school's 1948-49 basketball team looks good from the sidelines. Those who saw the game Tuesday night praised the spirit, vim and general appearance of the squad. Although losing the first game by one point, the team seems to have all the qualities of a season's winner. Watch for some surprises in county basketball this year.

Sad Sacks Hold Steak Fry; Serve 46 Pounds

Vermilion County Sad Sacks No. 47 served about 46 pounds of steak in a steak fry at Am-Vets Hall in Georgetown Tuesday evening. Among those who attended the event were memebrs of one of the night shifts at the Republic Plastics Corp., Georgetown. A number stopped for steak sandwiches after the Georgetown-Westville basketball game. A square dance program was one of the features of the evening.

Eisner Grocery Co. to open new Piggly-Wiggly Store at 420 N. Vermilion St., Danville Friday; two other N. Vermilion St. Piggly-Wiggly stores to close and personnel to be transferred to new store.

Campaign to increase county Home Bureau membership to 925 by June 1, next, is started by membership committee of Bureau.

Cast of 110 students will give a Christmas carol service in the auditorium of Eastern Illinois State College, Charleston, at 4 p. m. Sunday, Dec. 12.

Christmas holiday lights turned on in Danville business district Monday night.

Legion Post Wins State Recognition In National Drive

Holds Membership Honors in 18th District

The Westville American Legion organization, Martin Vutrick Post 51, has made an outstanding record this year. The Post has been designated by Harold J. Bond, District commander, as the first 200-member Post in the 18th District to reach 100 per cent of last year's membership and to exceed its quota of new members for 1948-49.

The membership is now above 230, with the initiation of 49 new members Friday night, Dec. 3. The ritual team of Danville Post 210 conducted the mass initiation in the Westville Legion Home. This marked the close here of the "Early Bird" membership drive, which is being conducted by Legion Posts throughout the United States.

Awards to individual members for work in the drive were: Andrew Gondzur, awarded a Legion shirt with insignia; John Gerrib and Felix Romant, official Legion belts; and John Sebasky, an official Legion cap.

Ore Vacketta is the 1948-49 commander of the Post.

Congregational Church Notes

Rev. C. R. Dierlamm, Minister

When we read the newspapers about so much calamity, we wonder how this old world can stand so much. Our minds are disturbed and our souls become sick.

There are millions of people who have challenged God to put an end to the suffering, and still the suffering and the tragedies go on. Little do these people, who quibble with God about such things, realize that rivers take their destined course unless men organize and check the waters from overflowing. We do not have such awful times in America, all because we work hard to have a lot of food. Sickness and starvation are checked, because we believe in education. Our tremendous energy is concentrated in worthwhile channels. So long as Godly people are at the strongest footholds of a nation's life, come what may, God hears our prayers. A nation that is Godly is nearest to the heart of God.

Last Rites Held For Mrs. Shukaitis

Funeral services were held at Ss. Peter and Paul Church Saturday for Mrs. Agatha Shukaitis, who died at her home west of Westville following a heart attack. The Rev. John Paukstis officiated and burial was in the church cemetery.

Surviving are the husband, William Shukaitis; one son, William Jr., Gary, Ind.; and four daughters, Lois Shukaitis, Mrs. Josephine Wilff, Mrs. Agatha Baum and Mrs. Estelle Villano, all of Chicago.



Mr. and Mrs. Herman Howard are the parents of a daughter born in St. Elizabeth Hospital Friday, Dec. 3. This is their second child.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hible of State Line are the parents of a daughter born in St. Elizabeth Hospital Monday, Nov. 29. The father is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Buster Hible, Jules St.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jenkins, Westville Rt. 1. are the parents of a daughter born in Lake View Hospital Saturday, Nov. 27. The mother is the former Lela Shuman.

Bowling News

Team Standings

Dean's	27	9	832
Stefani's	22	14	799
5c to $1	20	16	808
Sunbeam	20	16	797
Monument	17	19	818
Bee Line	14	22	810
Vacketta	14	22	794
State Loan	11	25	790

Individual Averages

M. Gudausky	178.32
Andre	178.21
Maross	175.32
Ronchetto	174.2
Dodson	172.4
Appanaitis	172.2
Galan	171.29
Oswalt	171.1
Serd	170.4
Vacketta	169.18

High Series

Class A — Maross, 609; Class B — Stefani, 573; Class C — Schaeffhold, 506.

High Games

Class A — F. Libert, 199; Class B G. Gudausky, 232; Class C — Trink, 170.

Indianola Eastern Star installs new officers.

Public Invited To Carols Program

Musician's Demonstration At Church Here

Mrs. Cecil Broadstreet, graduate of Indiana University in music, will render an interesting program of oral descriptions of Christmas Carols with piano demonstrations. She also has composed her own music.

The public is freely invited to the Westville Congregational Church Sunday, Dec. 12, at 8 p. m., for this unusual program.

Funeral Saturday For J. Golcynski, Precinct Leader

Joseph F. Golcynski, 45, Georgetown Rt. 1, well known former miner and Democratic precinct committeeman of Georgetown township, died at 7 a. m. Thursday in St. Elizabeth Hospital, Danville. He had not been in good health for several months, but did not become seriously ill until Tuesday. He entered the hospital Wednesday evening.

Mr. Golcynski served as a state highway maintenance man with the State Highway Division under the administration of the late Gov. Henry Horner, and had served several terms as precinct committeeman from the Third Precinct, Georgetown.

He was born in Pennsylvania, Aug. 22, 1903, son of Michael and Catherine Golcynski. He was married Jan. 9, 1932, to Flossie Carrington of Georgetown.

Surviving, besides his wife, are four children, Janet, Carolyn, Mary Helen and John, at home; three brothers, Frank, John and Michael, all of Westville; and a sister, Mrs. Rose Serd, Westville. A daughter, Marilyn, preceded him in death.

Funeral services will be at 10 a. m. Saturday in St. Isaac Jogues Church, Georgetown. Officiating will be Rev. Stanley Majka. Burial will be in Woodlawn cemetery, the Houghton Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

For several years he had owned the Dixie Tavern, N. Main St., Georgetown.

Westville Is Host To County Legion, Auxiliary Members

Westville was host Thursday night to both the county organizations of the American Legion and the Legion Auxiliary. Ten of the 14 county Posts of the Legion were represented.

The Legion members met in the Westville Legion Home, and the county Auxiliary members met in the Westville Congregational Church, but came to the Legion Home later to join the Legion members in a supper for the entire group.

O. K. Shaffer, Vermilion county service officer for the Illinois Veterans Commission, was one of the speakers at the Legion meeting. He urged that service officers of Legion Posts avail themselves of the opportunity to "sell" the Legion to veterans as they assist the latter in the filing of claims and similar problems. August Anderson of Danville, speaking in behalf of Commander Harold Bond of the 18th District, pointed out the necessity of enlarging the Post memberships to complete the national and state qoutas of the Legion.

It was advised that all packages for the "Gifts to the Yanks" campaign be delivered to the State Armory this week and it was suggested that the Posts send the cash donated for Christmas gifts for hospitalized veterans to Bea Stewart, Hoopeston, county chairman of the drive, who has an opportunity to buy gifts at wholesale prices, plus handling charges.

Posts represented were: Hoopeston, Oakwood, Sidell, Westville. Georgetown, Danville 210 and Maberry Post, Rossville, Potomac and Armstrong.

Mrs. Mary Dudley, president of the Westville Auxiliary Unit, presented Mrs. Myrtle Patterson of Oakwood, the County Council president, who presided. There was discussion of a magazine drive and the purchase of another polio pack, which costs about $100. Following the regular business and reports on the various committees the Congregational Church Choir sang several numbers.

French-Belgium Club Initiates Four New Members

The December meeting of the French-Belgium Club was held at Barber Hall Sunday evening, when the following four new members were installed: Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cruppenink, Henry Cruppenink and Florence Cruppenink. Plans were made to hold a New Year's Eve party. All members were asked to bring sandwiches, additional refreshments will be provided.

Westville Quintet Beats Georgetown

Georgetown High School's "hard floor" team lost the opening game Tuesday night in a basketball thriller with Westville by the score of 36-35.

The Buffaloes led from the opening whistle and held a 5-point lead at the first quarter's end. At the half, the teams were tied 17-17. After the half, the Buffaloes came out to surge ahead, and it was 32-28 at the end of the third period. They lost their touch on the ball after that and were only able to scare up three points in the last quarter. The Buffaloes still managed to stay ahead until the last minute and a half of playing time, when a basket and two free throws by Green put Westville ahead. And there it was when the game ended.

Both teams were unusually "cold," with only Green, Westville's tall center, being able to rack up very many points. Green's 20 points were high for the night.

The Georgetown reserves won over the Westville reserves 27-21. The varsity score:

WESTVILLE	fg	ft	pf
Dowiatt, g	5	0	2
Sabalaskey, g	0	0	0
Watts, g	0	2	2
Green, c	7	6	2
Libert, f	1	2	4
Morefield, f	0	0	0
Sibbons, f	0	0	0
Totals	13	10	10
GEORGETOWN	fg	ft	pf
Humrichous, f	0	1	5
Grider, f	3	0	1
Morris, f	4	0	4
Thompson, c	0	0	0
Biava, c	3	1	4
Stark, g	4	2	2
Maudlin, g	1	1	2
Totals	15	5	18

Georgetown	13	17	32	35
Westville	8	17	28	36

Officials — Weese and Graham.

Mrs. Galetko Was Practitioner Here

Mrs. Anna Galetko, who died at Vermilion County Hospital last week will be remembered by many Westville residents as a former midwife, who was active during the time of Dr. Buford Taylor and at the time that Dr. J. M. Hickman and Dr. T. P. Williams first located here. Funeral services for Mrs. Galetko were held Thursday, Dec. 2, at St. Procopius Church, with the Rev. Vincent Jasiek officiating. Burial was in Ss. Peter and Paul Cemetery. Mrs. Galetko's husband passed away a number of years ago, and no known relatives survive.



BALENT - ZIELINSKI

Mr. and Mrs. George Balent are now at home to friends at 224 S. Edwards St., Danville, after returning from a honeymoon trip to Chicago following their recent marriage.

The wedding took place in St. Mary's Church, with the Rev. J. L. Seisel officiating. Attendants were Betty Balent, Wanda Zielinski, Steve Fertaly and Marian Milewski.

The bride, the former Helen Zielinski, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Zielinski of Georgetown. She is employed with the Illinois Bell Telephone Co., Danville. The groom is the son of Mrs. Anna Balent, Connecticut St. He is an employe of General Motors Corp., Tilton.

COLLINS - JENKINS

Mr. and Mrs. George Collins have returned from a honeymoon trip to Indianapolis following their marriage on Thanksgiving Day. The wedding took place at St. Mary's Church, the Rev. J. L. Seisel officiating.

Attendants were Miss Margarita Nicolino, cousin of the bride, and Tom Castas Jr. of Danville, also cousin of the bride.

The bride wore a taupe suit with brown accessories and carried a corsage of yellow rosebuds on a white prayer book. The maid of honor wore a gray suit with gray accessories and a corsage of pink roses.

A dinner for the bridal party and immediate relatives was held at the home of the bride's aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Castas, Danville.

The bride, the daughter of the late Mayme Vacketta Jenkins, is a graduate nurse and is employed at St. Elizabeth Hospital. The bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Chloe Bentley, Fairmount. He is a salesman for the Curtiss Candy Co.

The young couple will make their home with the bride's aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Amedeo Battani, S. State St.

. . . Engagements . . .

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Toth have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Ethel, to William Mazrum, son of William Mazrum Sr., Jefferson St. The wedding will take place on Jan. 8.

Coming Events

Date, Place

Oral description and piano demonstration of Christmas carols at Westville Congregational Church, 8 o'clock Sunday evening, Dec. 12; public invited.

County basketball tournament semi-finals and finals at Westville Jan. 24-29.

Lithuanian Citizens' Club will hold a party for members and their families at Barber Hall Sunday, Dec. 19; refreshments will be served and entertainment provided.

Regular meeting of Vermilion Vermilion County Am-Vets Post 146, Thursday, Dec. 9, Am-Vets Hall, Georgetown.

Westville Briefs

Vic Norbut, former Westville resident, suffered injuries to two fingers last week when his left hand was struck by the blades of a truck motor fan while at work in Danville. He received treatment at St. Elizabeth Hospital, with Dr. E. T. Baumgart in attendance. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Simon Norbut, Short St.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete (Swede) Chapp of Harrisburg spent the weekend at the home of Mrs. Chapp's mother, Mrs. Julia Urasky, Short St. Mr. Chapp, former Westville High School teacher, is now coaching at Harrisburg High School.

Bob Fisher of Mt. Carmel has returned to that city after attending the funeral of Richard Dowiatt on Friday and visiting friends here over the weekend.

Mrs. Laura Dupont has returned from a week's visit in Taylorville with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Kocurek.

John Kriviskey, South St., is ill at the home of his son and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Kriviskey, Georgetown.

Donald Lee, 4-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Strader, is convalescing at his home following and accident last week when he was caught between a fly-wheel and driving wheel of a tractor. He received severe contusions, brush burns and abrasions of the thigh, hip and side and was taken to St. Elizabeth Hospital, where Dr. Saul Halpern was in attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rippon, Walnut St., have returned from a week's visit in Chicago.

Miss Elnora Bente, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Bente, has returned to Aurora following a visit with her parents. Miss Bente, a senior nurse at St. Elizabeth Hospital School of Nursing, is taking a three-month course of intensive training at Mercyville Sanatorium, Aurora, Ill.

A dinner meeting of the Westville Congregational Church Men's Brotherhood was held Wednesday evening when John Uuger, assistant state's attorney, Danville was guest speaker. The dinner was served by ladies of the church.

Mr. and Mrs. Amedeo Battani left last week for Rochester, Minn., where Mr. Battani will receive medical treatment at the Mayo Clinic.

Mrs. Vi Orlea, Mrs. Lottie Hayman, Mrs. Bertha Shimkus and Mrs. Mary Dudley attended a dinner meeting of Vermilion County 8 and 40 at the Hubbard Trail Country Club last week. A social evening was enjoyed following the business session.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Orlea Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Amedeo Battani, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Markowski and Mrs. Mary Dudley attended a dinner party held at the Danville Country Club last week when the 40 and 8 entertained 8 and 40 members.

Mrs. William Dugas Sr., Kentucky Ave., is convalescing at her home following her release from St. Elizabeth Hospital, where she recently underment a major operation.

Mr. and Mrs. William Dugas Jr. are remodeling their home on S. State St.

POCAHONTAS BENEFIT SERIES CONCLUDED

The last of a six-game series of benefit card parties, sponsored by the Pocahontas Lodge, was held at Redmen Hall recently, when the following grand prizes were won: Mrs. Isabelle Boswell, grand prize in bunco; Mrs. Sadie Lomax, women's grand prize in euchre; and Ed Shaw, men's grand prize in euchre.

GETS EYE TREATMENT

Adolph Lesko received treatment at St. Elizabeth Hospital last week for the removal of coal dust in his right eye suffered while at work for the Bell & Zoller Coal Co., Murdock. Dr. E. T. Baumgart was in attendance.

About 100 drivers of Hall Freight Lines to have safety meeting in Danville Saturday.

Retail stores report heavier holiday buying.

Opening of Memorial Pavilion in McFerren Park scheduled for Friday afternoon.

Fessant & Clark Funeral Home, Paris, announces dissolution of firm and liquidation of business; Robert G. Clark of the firm has become secretary-treasurer of a foundry corporation at Pell Lake, Wis.

Westville Officials On Dinner Program Celebrating Highway

Plans Are to Extend New Highway

Extension of the new modernized highway into McKendree township through to the Indiana state line during 1949 will definitely come up for consideration next Teusday, it was promised by William Dolan, chairman of the hard roads committee of the Vermilion County Board of Supervisors, in a talk at the highway dinner given Monday night by the Georgetown Lions Club at Snook's Cafe in Georgetown.

Mr. Dolan stated also that naturally he would work for the Catlin-Fairmount highway modernization and resurfacing as early as possible. He was among several speakers of the evening.

Guests included William Moyer, Georgetown township supervisor; George W. Flora, assistant supervisor; J. Ray Heidrick, township highway commissioner and a number of others.

There were six members of the hard roads committee present; two State Highway Division officials, Walter C. (Pete) Dye, county superintendent of highways, and many others.

H. J. Truman, engineer of maintenance, of the Paris office of the highway division, and W. C. Gaffney, engineer of county roads and city streets, State Highway Division, represented the state.

Mr. Moyer was called upon to make the introductions of all officials and he gave a brief talk, as did Mr. Heidrick and others.

The road was pronounced by the state officials as one that embodies all the latest in modern highway building.

Mr. Dye gave a most interesting talk on the costs of the Mill St. highway and of the engineering problems involved, which utilized all the modern practices of grading for drivers' visibility, elimination of danger curves and general safety and smooth-riding qualities. He pointed out the necessity for grading above the table water level, and the more extensive drainage facilities of modern highway building.

Mr. Dye and the State Highway Division engineers stressed the problem now facing the state concerning the rebuilding of much of the highway system of the state, which has reached such a point of deficiency from long wear that some steps must be taken for a change. They mentioned that a cycle of pioneer hard-surfaced road construction and its use has been completed and that the state now faces an issue of making a new start or permit a rapid deterioration of the roads. The question of elimination of the township road from state-aid also is one of vital consideration.

Mr. Dye stated that flasher lights still are to be placed at the Milwaukee railroad crossing on the new stretch of highway, and that reinforced concrete crossing slabs, similar to those at Vermilion Grove, are to be laid. He presented the following statement of costs of the road, which, including the four bridges, amounted to $124,800 per mile. He explained that the remainder of the road would be less costly:

Section 47-M. F. T. (Highway)

Total engineering paid	$ 11,655.90
Total construction paid	219,823.58
Total right of way paid	13,879.00
Total abstracting paid	194.00
Total recording paid	131.80
Total expenditure Section 47-M. F. T.	$245,684.28

Section 47-B-M. F. T. (Bridges)

Total engineering paid	$ 5,510.00
Total construction paid	60,341.47
Total recording fees paid	16.00
Total expenditures Section 47-B-M. F. T.	$ 65,867.47
Total 47-M.F.T.	$245,684.28
Total 47-B-M.F.T.	65,867.47
Grand total,	$311,551.75

Body of War Hero Arrives in U. S.

Word has been received that the casketed remains of Sgt. John Gordon Holstine, son of the late John and Mary Holstine, formerly of Georgetown, have been returned from a temporary military cemetery in England. The body already has arrived at an Atlantic Coast port.

Sgt. Holstine served in the Air Corps of the U. S. Army and was killed in action on Aug. 14, 1942.

Surviving are three brothers, Russell, Kingman, Ind. Franklin of Tilton, and Warren of Chicago. He was a nephew of Rev. Minnie Sanders.

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.

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Foreign Agriculture Picture Is Given

A large audience heard a most informative and interesting talk by Prof. Jack Howard of the University of Illinois faculty last Sunday night at McKendree Methodist Church on "American Agriculture and England." He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Howard of McKendree township, and last summer studied at Oxford University in England.

He gave an analysis of farming conditions and markets not only in England but on the continent, in areas of Western Europe.

British agriculture is bringing into cultivation land that for centuries has been set aside for hedgerows and ornamentation, he said, and the speaker pointed out that about three-fourths of the food on the daily dinner table of the average British family comes from foreign countries. For that reason alone, he added, world economic conditions mean a great deal to the British citizen.

Higher costs of food in relation to manufactured articles have caused distress in British agriculture and in other walks of life, Prof. Howard said. He pointed out that a $50 bicycle manufactured by the British and sold in foreign markets will buy much less food now than could have been done several months ago. He added that nationalization of industries in Britain under the Labor government in some cases means little more than American government supervision over railroads and utilities by the Interstate Commerce Commission or state regulatory bodies. The present form of government resulted from a let-down on all sides by British industrialists, who had become disheartened by the years of depression and war destruction, said the speaker.

He praised the industry and spirit of the farmers in Holland, who, he said, may be seen in their fields before 3 o'clock in the morning. French agriculture, industry and general business conditions are affected, he said, by the uncertainties of the French post-war political conditions.

The Marshall Plan, on the whole, is being well received, according to his observation, but the food trains are regarded more generally as sincere gifts from the American people, he said.

Prof. Howard is assistant professor of business organization and operation at the University of Illinois.

Briefs

Weather records show that up to the first week in December the coldest day of the 1948-49 winter season was on Nov. 27, when the temperature dropped to 25 degrees.

"The Nativity," an annual presentation, will be given by the Consistory Players in Danville Masonic Temple Dec. 12 and 13; two presentations will be given Sunday, Dec. 12, at 2:15 and 7:45 p. m., and one performance Monday, Dec. 13, at 7:45 p. m.; Sunday performances will be for Masons and their families only.

Sunday, Dec. 12, has been designated as "CROP Sunday," it is announced by Rev. George Boetcher, chairman, and Rev. J. H. Jenkins, co-chairman of Vermilion county committee for Christian Rural Overseas Program; letters sent to all clergy of county making suggestions for points to be emphasized in Sunday services that day.

Annual "lodge of sorrow," a memorial to members who have passed away in past year, held Sunday afternoon by Elks Lodge; Sam Levin, Chicago attorney, was chief speaker; among those eulogized was Thomas Moses, former miner and president of H. C. Frick Coal & Coke Co.

County's share of state motor fuel tax for November is $19,983; Champaign county receipts are $18,841.

You cannot dream yourself into a character; you must hammer and forge one for yourself. —Froude

The essenttial factors in character building are religion, morality, and knowledge. —J. L. Pickard

Our nature is inseparable from desires, and the very word desire—the craving for something not possessed—imples that our present felicity is not complete. —Thomas Hobbes

Happiness is neither within us only, or without us; it is the union of ourselves with God. —Pascal

The object of punishment is threefold: for just retribution; for the protection of society; for the reformation of the offender. —Tyron Edwards

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HASTINGS THINKS
By HASTINGS BAKER

Which spends the most on clothes, the men or the women? According to the U. S. Department of Labor, the men spend slightly more for clothes.

The failure of so many people to vote in the last election is causing some discussion of how to get more people to vote. In some countries it is required by law that everybody vote, with stiff penalties for those who don't. There isn't much chance for such a law here, but it has been suggested by one congressman that everybody who votes receives a $30 income tax deduction.

The practice of giving out parking tickets is very unfair in that $5 may mean practically nothing to a rich person and to a poor person it can be a serious matter. Some cities have gone so far as to sell books of parking tickets in advance at a cut rate. Thus, for a few dollars, somebody becomes a privileged character, free to violate parking rules and inconvenience other people.

A wealthy man in Houston, Tex., has deliberately made it a practice to park in bus zones. The $5 fine means nothing to him, and so he has his special privilege at the expense of the public that must get on the bus in the middle of the street. He considers the more than $1000 spent on parking tickets a real bargain. No one should be able to buy special privilege. The punishment should fit the crime.

The question of aid to China against the Communist armies is receiving increasing attention. Some of the experts point out that some of the Chinese armies seem to give up too easily. They feel that there must be something wrong which should be cleared up before we give aid. In this connection there is a peculiar chinese military custom which throws some light on this. We expect soldiers to fight to the bitter end, but the Chinese don't do it that way. If the enemy is stronger, the Chinese think that it is only logical not to fight. They don't see any point to a lot of men dying on both sides when it is obvious who will win the battle. They believe in the old saying: "He who fights and runs away, lives to fight another day." If the Nationalists get the upper hand, the tide might turn and flow the other way, if the chinese Communists also give way before a superior force

Apparently glamour does not come until after age 40. The five movie stars most favored by the public according to "Box Office" have an average age of 42.

Warns of Fires From Corn Driers

(Special)

URBANA — If you can possibly find an artificial drier, use it to save your high-moisture corn from spoiling. But be extra sure it's a safe drier and doesn't burn your crib down. That's the suggestion of Frank W. Andrew, University of Illinois agricultural engineer. For the past two weeks, he has been conducting artificial drying demonstrations in northern Illinois, where spoilage is bad. Several crib fires have already occurred there.

"Crib fires usually are caused by driers with no safety devices or other poor design features, by too hot a temperature, or by improper operation," Andrew said.

Here are his recommendations on how to prevent crib fires, worked up with help from U. S. Department of Agriculture enngineers:

Use a drier with positive controls for shutting off the burner when drying temperatures go too high, when the fan stops, or when the flame goes out.

Keep drying temperature below 130 degrees.

Have someone always present to check drying temperatures and drier operation.

Have good fire extinguishers—the carbon dioxide kind for gasoline fires, and carbon tetrachloride or soda acid kind for wood or corn fires.

Keep trash, silks, and husks cleaned up around the drier.

Check with your insurance company on rates and recommendations.

Georgetown Locals . . .

Announcement is made that Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Cravens of Washington, D. C., are the parents of a son, James Kenneth, born Tuesday, Nov. 9.

Mr. and Mrs. Myron Wilson are the parents of a son born Tuesday, Nov. 30, at St. Elizabeth Hospital.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Thornton Monday, Dec. 6, at Lake View Hospital. The infant weighed 8 pounds and 8 ounces.

A daughter, Judith Lynn, was born Nov. 22 to Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Starr of Muskegon, Mich. Mr. Starr is a former Georgetown young man.

A daughter, Nancy Louise, was born Thursday, Dec. 2, to Mr. and Mrs. Luther Knight at St. Elizabeth Hospital, Danville.

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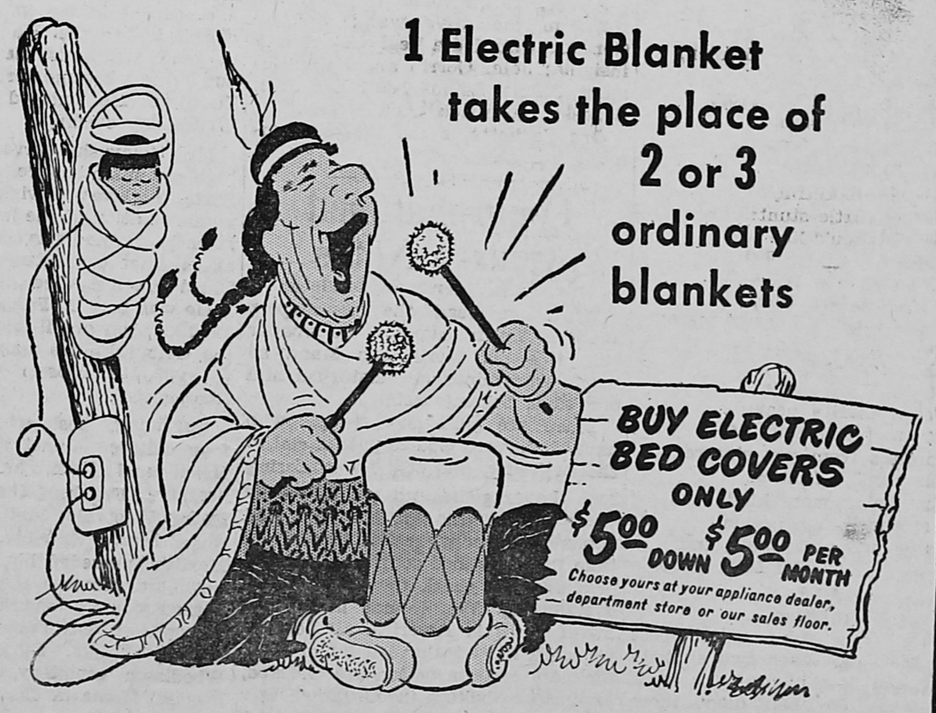
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Paying the Income Tax

Now that income tax time is approaching, the complexities of compiling the figures relating to net income become a subject of no little vexation. Why should the income tax have so many complications?

This is answered to the satisfaction of many by Guy C. Stephens of The Individualist, who says that the basic reason why no income tax law can be simple is because it attempts to base the amount of tax on profits, and a profit is an intangible thing.

"It is doubtful," he continues, "that any two people could ever agree exactly on what is profit, or on how much profit came from any transaction.

"There can be no actual profit until the whole of the invested capital is recovered; and where business continues from year to year, this point can never be reached. Profits have never been anything like as great as people imagine them to be; and most of the tax people think they are paying on their profits is nothing but their working capital being nibbled away a little at a time.

"The whole plan to collect a tax on the basis of income has never been anything but a gigantic circumlocution, deliberately designed to make people pay more taxes than they would be willing to pay if levied directly."

Not So Simple to Quit

You occasionally see pictures of a jovial-looking man who is said to have just received his first annuity check from an insurance company, and this is putting him on a long road to leisure. A similar picture could be used of the man who receives his first pension or other retired income check.

The picture looks enticing to all. It is undoubtedly true to life in many instances, and usually is the culmination of a high degree of industry or a considerable amount of thrift. In others, days of leisure do not mean much, even though annuity, dividend or pension checks are at long last available. The fact is that many of the insurance men who sell these annuity policies still keep on the job long after they may have reached what is called the retirement age.

Many have found that their obligations to others keep them at some kind of work even after the time they had planned for retirement, despite the fact that they may be due for annuity or pension. When an acquaintance in his seventies was asked recently how it felt to be free, he asked, "What do you mean — free? My children and grandchildren are now more of a care than when I was young."

Retirement for many is not as easy as it looks. Getting out from under is something of a task to many and is not as simple as it looks.

Easier Diets

The American housewife's lot has been eased considerably by mechanical sciences, with modern electrical aids and gadgets. Now nutritional science is further easing the strain. A big research program has turned up definite tables of contents showing nutritive values of some 40 of the country's most popular canned foods, thus helping mothers keep tabs on the family intake of vitamins and minerals. Up to now, there hasn't been any widespread knowledge of canned food nutriments, and even now there isn't much information handy as to the amount of vitamins and stuff left in home-cooked foods when they reach the table.

Carried out by nine leading universities, the research was conducted by the National Canners Association and the Can Manufacturing Institute. It showed that many canned foods are particularly good sources of essential vitamins and minerals. Scientists connected with the program advised housewives to use the fluid in gravies, broths, soups, cream sauces and gelatin salads to get the full health value of their purchases. To dramatize the money value of the liquid portions of canned foods that housewives sometimes pour down the drain, $2 million in actual cash, borrowed from the American National Bank & Trust Co., Chicago, was put on display at a meeting recently in Chicago. This was said to have been the largest amount of cash ever used for a demonstration. But all important is the idea of improving our diets, and, incidentally to lighten the burden of the housewife.

Some Business Briefs

Here are some items of the business scene as gleaned from news dispatches:

Lumber, now in better supply, is getting cheaper . . . During 1947. the average drug store sold $76,520 worth of merchandise and realized a net profit of $5362, according to a survey made by the Eli Lilly Co.; inventory valuations of manufacturers, wholesalers and retailers are now at an all-time high—although doubled since V-J Day, they still are not regarded as excessive when compared to the ratio of sales . . . The gross national product—the measure of things everybody buys—is now at a rate of almost $256 billion, a $28 billion gain over a year ago . . . Farm machinery still is in active demand . . . The output of steel continues the rate of 99.5 per cent of capacity . . . No new credit tightening provisions are in immediate prospect . . . a strong public-housing bill is expected to be passed by the 81st Congress . . . Build-it-yourself television kits have accounted for 6 per cent of all sets sold.

Ham Is Suggested As One Substitute for That Holiday Bird This Year

(Special)

URBANA — Ham for the holidays is one menu suggestion from the food specialists this season when turkey is on the not-so-plentiful list and well up in price. Sleeter Bull, professor of meats at the University of Illinois College of Agriculture, has a number of tips for buying ham:

Usually you can count on two to three servings from a pound of ham. Half a ham may be a good buy to serve a smaller group. But it's a smart idea to buy half a ham that you see being cut instead of getting one that's precut. Otherwise two or three pounds of the center slices may have been removed and sold separately.

The butt, which is the heavy half of the ham, is somewhat more economical than the shank half. But it is more difficult to carve. Hence the shank or "string" end is usually preferable for an occasion like your family Christmas dinner.

As you know, most cured ham has been "tenderized" by pre-cooking at the packing plant. But unless this ham has a tag saying that it may be eaten with no further cooking, it should be cooked thoroughly to avoid any danger from trichinosis.

Picnics or picnic hams sell for a little less than ham but also contain a little less edible meat. A pound of picnic meat with bone in makes only one and a half to two servings. Also, the meat is less desirable and it's harder to carve. So, unless the picnic is several cents a pound cheaper, ham is the better buy.

A wise man will destroy no more than he may get justly, use soberly, distribute cheerfully, and leave contentedly. —Richard E. Burton

The truest and surest way in which we can serve our fellowmen is not so much to do anything for them, as to be the very truest, purest, noblest being we know how. —Francis P. Cobbe

The happiness of your life depends upon the quality of your thoughts, therefore guard accordingly; and take care that you entertain no notions unsuitable to virtue and reasonable nature. —Marcus Antonius

Therefore I (Jesus) say unto you, What things soever ye desire, when ye pray, believe that ye receive them, and ye shall have them. —Mark 11:24

Selected thoughts depend for their flavor upon the terseness of their expression, for thoughts are grains of sugar or salt, that must be melted in a drop of water. —Senn

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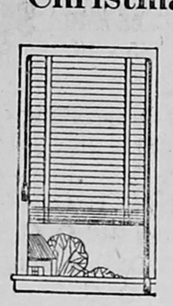
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WESTVILLE LOCALS

Out-of-town relatives present at final rites which were held for Lt. Richard Dowiatt at St. Mary's Church Friday, Dec. 3 included Adolph Dowiatt, Cleveland, O., Mr. and Mrs. Pete Shapp, Harrisburg, Ill., and Mr. and Mrs. Victor Vandevoir, Danville.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Jessup are now making their home in Palm Springs, Calif., where Mr. Jessup is a member of the police force. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Jessup, Lyons.

Andy Sungail and son of Chicago visited friends in Westville recently. He is a former resident.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Gondry, S. State St., spent last weekend in Cairo, Ill.

Philip Plumart, son of John Plumart, E. Main St., spent last weekend visiting at home. He is a student at the University of Illinois, where he is enrolled in the college of agriculture.

Gene Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brown, Scott St., is receiving boot training at Great Lakes following his enlistment in the U. S. Navy.

The December meeting of Edison School PTA will be held on Dec. 21 when a Christmas program will be presented by the school's Girl Scouts, followed by a 30-cent gift exchange and refreshments. Mrs. Florence Frankino will preside. All parents are asked to attend.

Maurice Sole, West St., is convalescing at his home following a minor operation at Lake View Hospital last week.

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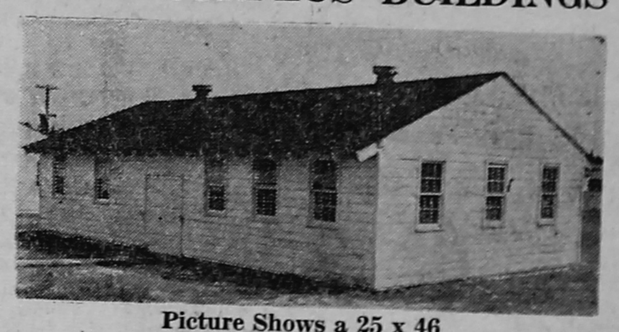
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