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# HERSCHER BANK ROBBED OF \$2,500

## CREATOR OF "ABE MARTIN" DIES TODAY

KIN HUBBARD, FAMOUS HU-  
MORIST DIES SUDDENLY  
AT INDIANAPOLIS

## FAMOUS CHARACTER

Had Been To His Office On  
Christmas Day; Death Is  
Shock To Many Friends

Kin Hubbard, humorist and creator of the famous character, "Abe Martin," which has appeared in the same spot on the front page of the Kankakee Daily Republican continuously since May 3, 1919, died suddenly early today at his home in Indianapolis, Ind.

Death was attributed to heart disease. He was born in Bellefontaine, Ohio. He moved to Indianapolis while a young man and entered newspaper work there.

In 1904 he created the character of "Abe Martin," a mythical personage whose habitat was the hills of Brown county, Indiana. The cartoon was called "a barrel of fun in three inches of space." It has been a feature of the Indianapolis News since its creation, and in ten years its popularity became so widespread that it has been used by the better class of newspapers all over the nation. Many Republican readers consider it the best of the features appearing in this paper.

Mr. Hubbard is survived by his widow, Mrs. Josephine Hubbard, a son, Tom, a daughter, Virginia, a brother, Horace K., and a sister, Edith Hubbard.

His death was unexpected. He was in his office at the Indianapolis News on Christmas eve. He failed to appear at the office yesterday however. It was the first time in many years that he had missed a Christmas day at his desk.

Mr. Hubbard's full name was Frank McKinney Hubbard, but he preferred the shorter name of "Kin."

His death occurred at a new home he had recently built in Indianapolis. He always was reticent as to his age and it was not until after his death that even his close associates learned he was 62 years old.

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 26.—(AP)—Kin Hubbard, creator of "Abe Martin" and "Abe's" various neighbors, "Constable Newt Plum," "Squire Marsh Swallow," "Rev. Wiley Tanager," and "Dr. Moppe," died suddenly at his home here this morning. An attack of heart disease caused his death.

It was in 1904 that Mr. Hubbard drew from the Indianapolis News his first caricature of the gangling rural character called "Abe Martin." This character has lived and died with Mr. Hubbard.

Mr. Hubbard was 62 years old. His age was unknown to even close associates until after his death. He was born in Bellefontaine, Ohio, the son of Thomas and Sarah Hubbard.

Annually he published a book in which he culled from "Abe's" sayings during the year some of his favorite expressions.

His last book, published just be-

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## Abe Martin



Snappy Al Moots, our wide-a-wake grocer, is the first to advertise "fine, wheat-fed pork an' turkeys." Politics has adjourned down our way till somebody gits a job.

## Local Brevities

Items of Interest in and about the City

### POULTRY SHOOT

The last poultry shoot of the season will be held next Sunday afternoon at the William Vickery farm, two and a half miles east of Aroma Park, starting at 1:30. Everyone welcome.

### CAR STOLEN

Owen Chester, 630 South Lincoln avenue, reported to police yesterday that his 1930 Oldsmobile coupe had been stolen from the 200 block West Court street. The car bore license number 966-782.

### FUNERAL SUNDAY

Funeral services for Mrs. Floyd Gray, who died Tuesday at Denver, Colo., will be held at 1:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon in the Methodist church at Gardner.

### ELECTED DELEGATE

Earl W. Taylor, a student at the Illinois Wesleyan University at Bloomington and a member of the Phi Gamma Delta fraternity has been elected as a delegate to attend the National Fraternity convention to be held at San Antonio, Texas, next week. Earl is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Taylor of this city.

### VISITED PARENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Miller of Grand Rapids, Mich., spent Christmas at the home of Coroner and Mrs. O. J. Cartier who are parents of Mrs. Miller.

## HOSPITAL'S OBSERVANCE OF HOLIDAYS

BEGAN CHRISTMAS EVE AND  
WILL CONTINUE UNTIL  
NEW YEAR'S DAY

## DANCE THIS EVENING

Ball Masque And New Year's  
Party Will Take Place On  
Next Wednesday Evening

The annual holiday observance at the Kankakee State hospital began Christmas eve and will continue until and including New Year's day.

This afternoon, starting at 2:00 o'clock, there was a party and dance, given by the occupational therapy department of which Mrs. Adele Keister is chief. Music was furnished by the State Hospital orchestra, conducted by Dr. C. Lint. Tonight, starting at 7:00 o'clock, there will be a dance for the patients. The State Hospital orchestra will again furnish the music.

Tomorrow there will be three motion picture shows, one at 9:00 tomorrow morning, the second at 1:00 tomorrow afternoon, and again at 7:00 tomorrow evening. Music by the hospital orchestra will accompany the performance.

Sunday morning at 8:00 o'clock Mass will be celebrated by Rev. T. J. Rice, the Catholic chaplain of the institution. At 2:00 o'clock Sunday afternoon religious services will be conducted by Rev. David Creighton, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Kankakee.

Monday evening at 7:30 there will be an entertainment by the Kankakee School of Fine Arts, by courtesy of Miss Beryl E. Danforth, assisted by other artists. Tuesday evening at 7:30 there will be community singing, directed by D. C. Lint.

Wednesday evening will be a big event at the institution, when the Grand Masquerade ball and New Year's party will take place, starting at 7:00 o'clock. The State Hospital orchestra will furnish the music, directed by D. C. Lint.

On New Year's Day mass will be celebrated at 8:00 o'clock by Rev. T. J. Rice, Rev. J. H. Ansbacher, pastor of the Immanuel Baptist church of Kankakee, will conduct religious services at 2:00.

On Christmas eve an entertainment was given in the institution under the direction of Miss Esther Klingmann, chief nurse. The festivities yesterday morning started in the wards at 5:00 o'clock a special Mass was celebrated by Father Rice and at 8:00 the officers and employees of the institution made visits to the wards. At 2:00 o'clock yesterday afternoon a religious service was conducted by Rev. David Creighton.

## J. C. DUNCAN STRICKEN ON CHRISTMAS

SEIZED WITH FIT OF CHOK-  
ING AT SUPPER TABLE  
AND EXPIRES

## INQUEST IS HELD

Was Formerly In Grocery Busi-  
ness Here And A Resident Of  
City 27 Years

Jesse C. Duncan, age 52, was seized with a choking spell while seated at the supper table in his home, 492 South Harrison avenue, Christmas night and died before medical aid could be summoned. Duncan was formerly owner of a local grocery and market, but of late had conducted a soft drink parlor on West Station street.

At the inquest conducted this morning by Coroner Octave J. Cartier, Dr. K. N. Rayer stated that he was unable to give a specific cause of death as Duncan was dead when he arrived and that he made only a superficial examination of the body. Another physician was also called to the house but did not testify at the inquest.

C. G. Bruns, another soft drink parlor operator, testified that he was at the Duncan residence for supper when the deceased was seized with the choking spell. He assisted Mrs. Duncan in leading Duncan to the bathroom where he fainted. Duncan was then placed in bed and two physicians summoned. He died at about 7:45 o'clock.

Bruns, who is a brother-in-law of the deceased, said that he had called for Duncan and brought him home from the soft drink parlor for supper. Duncan had been with Ed Worrell and another man during the afternoon. Coroner Cartier was unable to locate the other man during the inquest. This individual had a key for a room at the Hotel Kankakee but did not occupy the room last evening.

For lack of any other evidence, the jury returned a verdict that death was due to acute dilatation of the heart.

Mrs. Lucy Duncan, the widow, stated that her husband had been a resident of Kankakee the past 27 years. He was born Nov. 13, 1878, at Annawan, Ill.

Mr. Duncan was at one time employed by the Cable Piano company in this city. He joined the Methodist church in Providence, Ill., when a small boy and was a member of the Court of Honor of the local lodge of Elks. His mother died while he was in childhood and his father expired in 1928.

Former Alderman— Besides his widow, Mr. Duncan leaves three sisters and two brothers: Mrs. Edith Christman and Mrs. Lola McMahon of Los Angeles, Cal.; Mrs. C. B. Dorr of Tarkenton, Ill.; Charles of Tarkenton and Harry of this city. He was married to Lucy Clark in 1908 and served as a member of the city council for two terms.

Funeral services will be held at the Phillips and Friday funeral home at 3:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon. The Rev. John P. Norman will officiate and burial will be in Mount Grove cemetery. The Elks will have charge of the services at the grave. Friends may call at the funeral home from 7 until 9 o'clock tonight.

## STACKS GET FINE GIFT FROM CHIEF'S FELLOW OFFICERS

Mr. and Mrs. John Stack received a beautiful Christmas gift from Chief Stack's fellow officers of the Kankakee Police Department—one of which the recipients are justly proud.

It is a complete Holmes and Edwards silver table service, especially ordered by the Speicher Brothers' jewelry store. The set includes the new "Vande" knives with stainless steel blades and a beautiful mirror tray. The set is of the "Charm" pattern.

## The Weather

Mostly fair and somewhat warm on Saturday.

## Accidents Claim Toll Christmas

(By the Associated Press)  
Two hundred or more deaths marked Christmas yesterday as accidents took a heavy toll from coast to coast.

Fires, drownings, hunting tragedies and poisonous liquor cost lives, but automobiles running in many sections on slippery roads, were the greatest agent of destruction, causing more than two thirds of the deaths.

In the middle west about 80 of the fatalities were reported. Flames trapped lodgers in a rooming house at Whiting, Ind., and seven men died. Gun fights claimed five lives in the south, one victim was a woman.

Poison liquor claimed between five and ten lives in New York. In California three were believed to have drowned when a launch capsized. In Missouri two died when a bridge collapsed. Two children were fatally burned in Montgomery, Pa., when their father poured gasoline on the kitchen fire. A man froze to death in Indiana and another in Pennsylvania.

Hundreds were injured in accidents.

## CAR HITS HERD OF CATTLE ON ROAD; 2 ANIMALS SLAIN

A car in which Mr. and Mrs. Ed Downing and their nephew of Kempton were riding toward Kankakee last night crashed into a herd of cattle on Highway 115 near Herscher last night. The car turned over and burned after striking two of the cattle. Mrs. Downing was slightly injured, her husband and nephew being unhurt.

One of the animals, a bull owned by a man named Clark, was instantly killed. The other, a heifer owned by Herbert Stevens, was so badly crippled that it was shot.

The Downings were removed from their car by a man named Mau, residing at Herscher.

## FUNERAL SERVICES FOR LOUIS GUISS

Louis Guiss, 40, a resident of Kankakee for several years who died at his home, 201 Woodlawn avenue, Chicago, last Tuesday night, was buried in Mount Grove cemetery today. Funeral services were held at 1 o'clock from the J. P. Hickey funeral home and were conducted by the Rev. John P. Norman.

Mr. Guiss was born in Nappanee, Ind., in 1890 and spent the greater part of his life in Kankakee. He was associated with his father, James Guiss, in the music business here. He is survived by his wife and one son, Elton, age 16. He also leaves his father who is now residing at Fayetteville, North Carolina, and one brother, Walter, of Chicago.

## TONY CAPPELLANO, OSTROWSKIS FREED

Tony Cappellano, residing in Hobble Heights and charged with being the owner of a giant still which was captured by Sheriff Goodknecht and federal officers in a raid at 1 o'clock Wednesday morning about eight miles southeast of this city, was released under \$5,000 bond in federal court at Danville.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Ostrowski, who resided on the farm where the still was found and who are charged with its operation, were also released. Ostrowski's bond was \$2,000 and his wife's \$1,000.

It is understood that an attempt will be made to deport Cappellano on the grounds that he is an undesirable alien. He was indirectly involved in the kidnapping of 16-year-old Billy Ranieri, Chicago boy who was held at the farm of Andrew Cappellano in Bourbonnais two years ago. Tony is a nephew of the kidnap farm operator who is now serving a 25-year sentence in Joliet penitentiary.

Ostrowski is not a brother of Viola Ostrowski as was stated Wednesday.

## HOLIDAY VACATION

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Tyson and children, Donald and Richard, are spending the holidays with relatives at Kimberton, Pa.

## CHILD INJURED WHEN TRAIN AND AUTOMOBILE HIT

Herman, three year old son of Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Kramer, route 3, Kankakee, was injured this morning when the automobile driven by his mother was struck by the New York Central east bound electric locomotive at the Indiana avenue crossing.

Mrs. Kramer, accompanied by Herman and Dora, aged 5, was driving north on Indiana avenue. According to witnesses of the accident, she drove directly in front of the locomotive.

The child was cut and bruised and received one bad cut on the head. The mother received minor bruises. The car was badly wrecked. The injured were taken care of at the office of Dr. A. N. House.

## THROWS FLATIRON THROUGH WINDOW OF ELLMAN STORE

L. P. Ellman, proprietor of the Kankakee Loan Bank, 32 South East avenue, reported to police at 125 this morning that the window of his establishment had been broken by some unknown man or men who threw a flatiron, wrapped in rags, through the glass.

Mr. Ellman told the police that he did not know whether anything had been taken from the show window or not. The watchman at the Illinois Central crossing, not far away, told Mr. Ellman that he had seen two men running away from the store.

## HARRY FELDMANN DIES; BURIAL TO BE IN KANKAKEE

Harry F. Feldmann, 2240 North Kilpatrick avenue, died in St. Anne's hospital in Chicago Wednesday evening following an illness of three weeks. His widow was a former resident of this city.

This afternoon the body will be taken to the home of his father-in-law, Bert Russell, who resides in the farm residence of the Kankakee State Hospital. Friends may call there until 10:30 Saturday morning at which time private funeral services will be held there. The body will then be removed to the Phillips and Friday funeral home where public services will be held at 2:00 o'clock. Burial will be made in the Hawkins cemetery.

He was born in Demoth, Ind., February 23, 1897, and lived there until 1924. Since that time he has resided in Chicago. In 1919 he was united in marriage to Miss Maude Russell of Kankakee. He was a member of the Methodist church of Demoth.

Besides his wife he leaves two sons, Howard, 10 and Lawrence, 8; his mother, Mrs. Lizzie Feldmann of Demoth; and four sisters: Mrs. Flossie Frame of Crown Point, Ind.; Dora Mae Feldmann of Albuquerque, New Mexico; Mrs. Clara Punter of Demoth, Ind.; and Mrs. Rosa Spriggs of College Center, Texas.

## Race Results

JEFFERSON  
Dick Chevely \$7.40; Little Coventry \$3.20; Shenna \$2.40.  
F. Relations. One Cent. Peter Dixon.

ST. JOHNS  
Lady Ebony 7-2; Dee John 8-1; Clea 9-1.  
Bold Robin 13-10; Tom Boy 6-1; Blind Phantom 3-1.  
Minerologist. Fed Reserve. Plumbago.

HAVANA  
Easter Boy 5-1; Lame 1-1; Ranch Lass 6-5.  
Chester 7-1; Shasta Love 6-1; Free Helen 8-5.  
Sky High. Bar Sinister. Miss Eva.

VISITING HERE  
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Foley and daughter, Jean Marie, of Chicago, were guests over Christmas of Mrs. Wilhelmina Mang, 970 South Chicago avenue.

HANDSOME BONUS  
All employees of the First Trust and Savings bank, 17 in number, received a handsome bonus paid by the bank as their Christmas gift. The payment of this bonus is an annual feature of the bank.

## REGNIER SUED FOR \$15,000; IN ACCIDENT

FATHER OF VICTIM AND GIRL  
FRIEND EACH FILE  
BILLS TODAY

## DIED THANKSGIVING

F. E. Legris Charges Fraud In  
Bill Against Aug. Lemenager;  
Other Court News

Ivan R. Shreffler, whose step-son Harold Whitson, was killed on last Thanksgiving night when his car was struck by a machine driven by Arnel Regnier, also of this city, at the intersection of Elm avenue and River street, today filed suit in circuit court for \$10,000 against Regnier.

Miss Lela Hertz, who was a companion of Whitson in his car at the time of the accident, also filed a suit asking for \$5,000 damages from Regnier. At the inquest, Regnier claimed that the pavement was icy and he was unable to stop for the through street sign and skidded into the path of Whitson's car.

### Other Suits

Six other suits were filed in circuit court for the January term today. One of these, brought by Jose Byrd vs. John P. Madden, asks \$5,000 damages for injuries to the plaintiff while she was a passenger in Madden's car last June 4th. Madden was taking the plaintiff and Freda Fray from Hopkinton to Danville and the Fray girl was driving. The complaint states that Madden went to change his position in his seat and grasped the steering wheel to pull his body, causing the girl to lose control of the machine and the car overturned. The plaintiff asks damages for her injuries and hospital and doctor bills.

August J. Lemenager, insurance man and former president of a bank at Ashkum, was charged with fraud in a creditor's bill filed today by F. E. Legris. The alleged fraud was discovered when Legris obtained a judgment against Lemenager on Dec. 13 of this year for \$1,006.26. A sheriff's sale to collect on the judgment was ordered Dec. 15, but on Dec. 24 the sheriff reported that he was unable to find any property owned by Lemenager to sell.

The note on which the suit was based was given by Lemenager, George Dion and Charles Mayeau in 1920. In 1925 Lemenager is alleged to have offered to collect the note and it was given to him by Legris. It is now claimed that Lemenager fraudulently transferred it to his brother, William A. Lemenager, who obtained collection from Mayeau. Lemenager, it is alleged, has refused to turn over the money collected from Mayeau on the note.

A praecipe for a \$2,500 suit was filed by Marie E. Davis, administrator of the estate of Alwood N. Davis, against the Massachusetts Mutual Life Insurance company. A creditor's bill was filed for \$9,502.84 by Attorney John A. Mayhew for the First Trust and Savings bank vs. Charles and Julia Schultz. The debt is secured by Kankakee real estate.

Two Divorces  
Two bills for divorce were also filed today. One of these brought by Mrs. Dorothy Cleary against Daniel Cleary through Attorney Victor N. Cardosi, alleges cruelty. The couple were married Sept. 10, 1923, at Kankakee and separated Dec. 21 of this year. They have one child, Eleanor, age 14 months, for whom the wife asks custody and support. She claims that Cleary beat her.

Claiming that his wife hit him over the head with a mirror and otherwise cruelly abused him and refused to perform her marital duties, Charlie H. Rennewans asks a divorce from his wife, formerly Bernette Cheffer. They were married in this city Oct. 24, 1924, and parted Nov. 15 this year. They have one child, Robert, age 5, whose care is requested by the father.

FUNERAL SERVICES  
The funeral services for Frank Savoie will be held at St. Martin's church in Mattinson Saturday morning at ten o'clock.

AUTO STOLEN  
An Oldsmobile sedan owned by Bert Luckey was stolen Wednesday night from the alley at the rear of McBroom's cafe.

## St. Mary Hospital

Patients admitted Wednesday, Dec. 24, are as follows:  
Windel Miller, Momenoe.  
Patients discharged Wednesday:  
Eddie Guimond, Bourbonnais.  
Hector Contois, Momenoe.  
Willie Williams, Chicago Heights.  
Patients admitted Thursday, Dec. 25:  
Philip Kramer, Momenoe.  
William Schafisma, St. Anne.  
Camille Bertrand, Manteno.  
Patients discharged Thursday:  
Milton Sherwood, Momenoe.  
Phyllis Delong, Chicago.

## POLICE SPEND A QUIET DAY ON CHRISTMAS

NO CALLS RECEIVED ASKING  
OFFICERS' SERVICES;  
6 ARRESTED

## MINOR OFFENSES

Hershel Bolser, Arrested A Week  
Ago For Burglary; Was  
Lone Prisoner in Cells

As befitting Christmas day, yesterday was an unusually quiet day in the Kankakee Police Department. All day long, not a call came in to ask for the services of the policemen. Six arrests were made during the day, for minor offenses, but only one man spent Christmas day in jail, although three spent Christmas night there.

Hershel Bolser, alias Robert Robinson, the Ohio youth who was arrested by Chief of Police John Stack and his officers a week ago on charges of a series of burglaries in the vicinity of Kankakee and in Ohio, was the lone man who spent Christmas day in a cell. At day, the holiday was a special day for him also, as he enjoyed a turkey dinner with all that goes with it, brought by Chief Stack from his own home.

Three colored men, all of Braidwood, were arrested about 11:30 last night by Police Officers Henry Eades and Owen Sullivan, for drunkenness and on suspicion. They are: Arthur Young, Albert Turner, and James Cooper.

It is said that the car used by the three men carried a license plate issued for another car. After spending Christmas night in jail, they were being questioned today by Chief Stack and were to appear before Judge Bert L. Pittsgerald either this evening or tomorrow morning.

Three youths, all of this vicinity, were arrested at 4:20 yesterday afternoon by Chief Stack, Detective Imming and Officer LaFontaine. They were booked at police headquarters for disorderly conduct but the real charge, it is alleged, was "mashing."

The youths are: Walter Nolle, 357 Fulton avenue, Bradley; Sherman Woodall, Bonfield; and Harold Albie, 429 North Rosewood avenue, Kankakee. Not liking to imprison youths on Christmas day, Chief Stack allowed them to return home with the understanding that they are to report in the police court tonight.

The arrests were made by the three officers as they were making a patrol about the city. On North Fifth avenue, a car with the three boys riding in it, passed them, sounding the horn loudly and continuously, trying to attract the attention of several young girls who were walking down the street.

The youths' car crossed the Fifth avenue bridge, it is claimed, then was driving back and forth across the sidewalk for the purpose of barring the girls' way as the boys tried to coax them to get into the car with them. One of the girls was nearly hit by the car as he passed back and forth over the sidewalk.

Chief Stack stated today that he has received a number of complaints as to young men annoying girls and that the practice must stop. This is the first arrest that has been necessary for this offense for some time and it is probable that the youth will not be dealt with too leniently.

SPENT CHRISTMAS HERE  
Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ward, of Chicago, motored down to spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Mulvaney in South Dearborn avenue. Mr. Ward returned home last evening. Mrs. Ward will visit here for a few days.

## 5 YOUTHFUL BANDITS IN MAROON CAR

F. W. BOSSERT, ASSISTANT  
CASHIER, ALONE IN  
THE BANK

## TOUCHED OFF ALARM

Melvin Bauer Answers Alarm  
And Is Made To Stand  
Against The Wall

Two youthful bandits, armed with revolvers, entered the State Bank of Herscher at 11 o'clock this morning and compelled F. W. Bossert, the assistant cashier, to stand aside while they scooped up about \$2,500 in currency and silver. They escaped, with three companions, in a maroon colored sedan, driving north on the town line road to Highway 17.

Bossert was alone in the bank when the bandits entered. One of the youths walked up to his cage and tendered a five dollar bill for which he wanted change. He and his companion flashed their weapons as Bossert reached for the change and told the banker to stand against the wall.

### Set Off Alarm

Although he was looking directly into the barrel of the revolver, Bossert touched off the burglar alarm with his foot, but this did not seem to disconcert the bandits in the least. Melvin Bauer, a Herscher youth, ran into the bank when he heard the alarm and was ordered to stand against the wall with Bossert. The bandits searched both men for weapons, but did not take any of their money or valuables. The bandits, Bossert said, appeared to be about 22 years of age and proceeded about their work in a leisurely and methodical manner. They went behind the cages and opened all the cash drawers, dumping the contents into a leather bag.

### Stolen Car?

They backed out of the door and into the waiting automobile and sped north. The car bore a dealer's license number and is believed to have been a stolen car.

Bossert said that the bandits did not force him to hold up his hands and were not abusive toward him and young Bauer.

Money Insured  
The loss is fully covered by insurance and the bank will not suffer in any manner through the robbery. It was the first bank robbery in Kankakee county this year, although there have been several at Beecher, Mokena and neighboring communities.

All available state and county police were notified immediately of the holdup and started to search the highways in this vicinity.

MARRIAGE LICENSES  
Five marriage licenses were issued at the office of the county clerk over Christmas as follows: Levi Mathew of Woodstock, Ind., and Claire Rhyard of Bourbonnais; Harry Robinson and Mildred Kirchman, both of Kankakee; Oscar Walbrunstein, 24, and Beulah Regnier, 25, both of Kankakee; Francis Owen, 21, Bradley, and Edna Taylor, 19, Kankakee; Eddie Bailey, 22, and Rosie Kroll, 19, both of Kempton.

## WILL ROGERS says:

To the Editor of The Daily Republican  
Burbank, Cal., Dec. 26.—(P)—I wrote a little squib the other day saying that if you had somebody working for you and you weren't going to discharge him, write him a Christmas card telling him so. Well, I got an awful lot of nice comments on it, and, if you haven't followed my advice, do it today. It's not too late, even if it is Christmas.

There must be millions working that are going to be kept on, but the bosses haven't gone to the trouble of telling them so. You can't blame a man for not buying anything if he doesn't feel that his job is fairly secure.

I know what I am talking about, and this is a hint to the ones I am working for.

Will Rogers  
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## DANFORTH

Evangelical Church.  
Willow D. Ramsey, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. E. L. and G. R. 8:30. Evening service at 7:30 p. m.

Mr. J. L. Lutzner of Tazewell, Ill., Mich., will be in charge of the church service on Monday and Tuesday at 10:30 a. m. E. L. and G. R. 8:30. Evening service at 7:30 p. m.

John D. Whitsett came home from Cornell College, at Cedar Rapids, Ia., for the holidays. He will spend the holidays at Alhambra, O.

Miss Dorothy Chasman came home from North Central College at Naperville to spend her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Chasman.

Fred Decker was a business caller in Kankakee last Monday. He was called on by Mr. and Mrs. C. Fretsch and down with the measles last week.

Mr. J. C. Decker is on the sick list with a cold. He was called on by Mr. and Mrs. William Thrasher spent Thursday in Chicago, Ill., visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kohlman spent Thursday in Kankakee shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Ramsey came home Saturday night from Naperville to remain until Wednesday of next week when they will leave for their home at Chicago, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Olson, who are here on a business trip, will be here two weeks. Rev. Lutzner of Naperville will preach on Sunday afternoon at 7:30 p. m. at the Evangelical church for Rev. Ramsey.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fowler of Kankakee were Sunday callers here with Miss Carrie Collier and Mrs. A. E. Bailey.

Mrs. Ed. Wolgast returned home on Sunday from a several weeks stay at the Frederick Hospital. Her husband, Ed. Wolgast, went up for her.

Rev. and Mrs. Ramsey spent Monday in Kankakee doing Xmas shopping.

Mr. Paul Wolgast and Mrs. Wolgast of Glen Ellyn, Ill., and John Wolgast Jr., were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Decker.

Mrs. L. Zang and Robert were in Kankakee Saturday afternoon doing Xmas shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Harnes Wilken and Mrs. and Mrs. Harnes Conrad spent Sunday in Crested City.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Zachgo, entertained all their children and their families on Sunday at a fish fry dinner. The fish were sent from Shady Bend, Kan., by Gus Reitz, an old friend of the family.

Mrs. Clark, who is caring for Mrs. Helen Brumback, will spend Christmas Day at Onaga with her children.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Wilken, were Sunday afternoon visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Zachgo.

Legna Violette of Kankakee spent Sunday with her family.

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Colley of Onaga spent Saturday here. Mrs. Colley has a class of music pupils both on Saturday, she is the instructor.

The Food Sale, sponsored by the Y. M. C. A. went over well but as usual there is never enough articles to supply the demand as all was sold out in a little over an hour's selling, leaving the ladies a nest egg.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Tholen moved back to Mrs. Tholen's property. Mrs. Tholen has leased the Chasman building for a barber-shop and she is very pleased and is soliciting a part of the public's patronage.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Johnson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johnson and boys on Sunday attended the 20th Wedding Anniversary of Mrs. Mary Johnson at Alhambra.

The Home and Foreign Missionary Society met Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. C. Decker.

# MOVIES OF THE MOMENT

The fifth and sixth grade pupils were invited to the program with the Junior High School. The fourth grade girls decorated the stage.

This week the sixth grade debated the question and resolved that the country school is better than the city school. The majority voted for the country school but both positive and affirmatives had good arguments.

The sixth graders are multiplying decimal fractions in arithmetic.

The pupils of Miss Grove's room had a Christmas party Friday afternoon. Twenty-seven pupils in the seventh A room have been absent not tardy since the beginning of school.

The English classes of the Junior High school are making a library. Each child writes a story which is put into booklet form and placed in the library so all the children can read it.

We wish to thank the pupils who have given books to the library. The Steger public schools will close for the Christmas holidays Friday, Dec. 26th, and will commence again the first Monday in January.

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# HOW'S your HEALTH

Edited by Dr. J. C. Golden  
Author of "The Health of the Nation"

Fractures are emergencies. They occur suddenly and of no warning. There is a delay of varying length between their occurrence and the arrival of aid.

The proper handling of a patient during this waiting period may spare him complications and assure him an uneventful and speedy recovery.

Bone fractures are common accidents. They are usually due to violence resulting from a blow or from a fall.

There are several types of fractures with which every individual ought to be acquainted. In the young, we often have what is known as a green stick fracture.

This type of fracture is properly described by its name in that when a green stick is broken, only partially through and through but only partially through the shaft, as when a green twig is bent.

A simple fracture is a fracture or break across and through the entire shaft of the bone but not involving the fleshy tissues surrounding it.

A simple fracture becomes a compound fracture when, in addition to the breaking of the bone, there is a flesh wound leading from the break to the surface of the body.

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# Daily Cross-Word Puzzle

Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle

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# Chic Finds Santa

Doesn't Wear Red

NEW YORK

Well, sir, the almanac had the New York climate figured out just exactly right. The almanac said now for Christmas and here she is coming the sidewalks and all the buildings' snow is mighty mighty pretty but there sure is a lot of waste to it. Santa Claus is going around here today but he ain't got on a red flannel suit and he ain't got on a moustache. Fact of the matter is he is clean shaved and is wearin' a postman's uniform. You might not notice it but he does that every year. About the only time he wears red is when he is loafin' around department stores. He brought me a lot of Christmas cards so here are my greetings to you: I wish every reader everything in the catalog.

CHARLES "CHIC" SALE.

Philanthropic class Monday evening at her home.

John McDermott of Chicago is home over the weekend spent Sunday at the Arthur DeWitt home.

Mr. and Mrs. Pugharty and daughter, Nancy, came to make an indefinite visit at the W. M. Robertson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Moore were Kankakee shoppers Thursday.

Mr. C. Vogelbach's sister, Mrs. H. W. White of LaGrange, died in the Gilman hospital Friday.

Mrs. Wm. Herr entertained the family of six or seven, plus a number of friends and relatives celebrated his birthday.

Mrs. P. A. Luther entertained the Roy Barnhart home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Oersdick are the parents of a new baby boy, born, Dec. 22.

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# Grant Park

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cole of this village were joined by Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Lines of Chicago and spent Thursday in Chicago at the home of the former's son John Cole and family.

Mrs. A. C. Holman was a Chicago shopper on Friday.

Mrs. Eliza Butler returned to her home in Chicago Saturday after a short visit with relatives.

The following students are home for the holidays, Deerson Holman, Mrs. Ed. O'Brien, Mrs. Black, Champaign-Urbana, Margaret Clodt of Lillinois Wesleyan, Bloomington.

Mrs. Ed. O'Brien and son and a lady friend of Chicago visited the former's husband at the old station on Chicago.

Daniel Brimingham and family of Chicago spent Saturday with the Asenbushs, Mrs. Caroline Archer and Mrs. Wm. Archer.

Mrs. and Mrs. E. A. Dalling, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ackers, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Leamon and daughter, Dorothy one of Homewood had Sunday dinner at the home of Charles Kiles.

Mrs. Christine Kile and daughter, Mrs. Simon Kile, and Mrs. Fern Struple of Monmouth spent Saturday night at the home of the former's son Charles Kile and family.

Mrs. Blanch Esom and daughter, Mildred spent Saturday in Kankakee.

Mrs. Mary Esom of Kankakee spent the week end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Esom and daughter, Helen.

Mrs. Roy Esom and daughter, Helen, are home visitors on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kile were Kankakee visitors on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Knute of Chicago, who are in the home of John Backus.

Mrs. Frank McDuffin of Kankakee spent Friday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Livingston.



### COURT GIVES HIM CHANCE "TO COME" BACK," OUT OF JAIL

Chicago, Dec. 25.—(AP)—Daniel S. Beebe, former official of the Vitrolite company who was sentenced to 12 months in jail for his part in the "vitrolite" scandal, was today released from the Cook County Jail on a \$5,000 bond.

Mr. Beebe's bond was furnished by his friends, including his brother, John J. Beebe, who is a prominent Chicago attorney.

Mr. Beebe was arrested in Chicago in 1929, after a long period of being on the run. He had been indicted for conspiracy to defraud the Vitrolite company.

He was released today after serving 11 months of his sentence.

### CREATOR OF "THE BLOOM" DIES

Mr. Hubbard was a prominent Chicagoan and a well-known writer. He was the creator of "The Bloom," a popular Chicago newspaper.

He died at his home in Chicago after a long illness.

### AGED WOMAN DIES ON CHRISTMAS EVE

Mrs. Lillie D. Sargent, 72, died at 7:00 o'clock Christmas eve at her home in Chicago.

She was a well-known social worker and had been in poor health for some time.

### WILL REPEAT XMAS PAGEANT TONIGHT

The annual Christmas pageant will be repeated tonight at the Kankakee High School.

The pageant will feature a variety of plays and musicals.

### BEING BODY HOME

The body of a man who was killed in a car accident in Chicago is being returned to his home in Kankakee.

### THREE DROWNED

Three men were drowned in a boat accident on Lake Michigan.

### OUR 18-HOLE GOLF COURSE IS A WONDER!

The new 18-hole golf course at the Kankakee Hotel is a masterpiece of landscaping.

### PRIZES DAILY!

Prizes are awarded daily to the winners of the golf tournament.

### NEW ENTERTAINMENT FEATURES!

The Kankakee Hotel has added new entertainment features to its list of services.

### YOU MUST SEE FLORIDA GARDENS!

The Florida Gardens are a beautiful sight, with many rare and exotic plants.

### UPSTAIRS

The upstairs of the Kankakee Hotel is a quiet and comfortable place for guests.

### CHURCH CHOIR TO GIVE CANTATA ON SUNDAY AFTERNOON

The choir of the First Evangelical church will give a cantata on Sunday afternoon.

### EPISCOPAL BISHOP ANSWERS ARCHBISHOP

The Episcopal bishop has responded to the archbishop's recent statement.

### NOTICE!

Notice is hereby given regarding the upcoming election.

### CONTINUOUS DANCE MARATHON ON HERE

A continuous dance marathon will be held at the Kankakee Hotel.

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The buttered toast is a popular item at the Kankakee Hotel.

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believed he had hidden loot taken in a number of robberies.

Chapman said there was as much as a double handful of the nuggets in possession of the boys.

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## SUGGESTS NORRIS LEAD THIRD PARTY

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Washington, Dec. 26.—(P)—Senator Norris said today he did not "suppose anybody seriously thinks I will lead a third party movement."

The Nebraska Republican Independent, however, reserved until later in the day detailed comments on the letter he received from John Dewey of the League for Independent political action, suggesting that he leave Republican ranks and form a third political party.

**SEARS ROEBUCK DIVIDENDS**  
Chicago, Dec. 26.—(P)—Directors of Sears Roebuck and Company today declared the usual 6 1/2 per cent cash dividend payable Feb. 1 to stock-

**Not Valuable Waterway**  
The Hudson bay is not an important waterway because of the proximity of its entrance to the Arctic region. Past the mouth of the strait flows a stream, often more than 100 miles wide, of berg and floe ice, caused by an Arctic current. This makes navigation difficult and almost impossible in the winter season. The proximity of the entrance to the magnetic pole also makes it dangerous.

**Water Purification**  
The first kind of water purification was by sand filtration. In 1905 the mechanical process was introduced which is 40 times as fast and removes from 98 to 99 per cent of the bacteria.



## SORRY BILLS

understanding of our  
social service will show you  
necessary it is to be con-  
veyed with unpaid bills

arrange a loan that will  
to pay up your bills and  
Year-right — free from  
debt. It is the business-  
to do. You can pay us  
or monthly in amounts  
that distress you. For a  
Year, group all your  
debts. Come in and talk

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g. 107 E. Court St.

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**Honest Facts**

Whatever type of furniture you are using in your home—whether you lean towards antiques, modernistic effects, or just plain chairs and tables—you can save money by buying through these ads.

**CLASSIFIED ADS**  
Are Received  
Over  
PHONE NUMBER 9

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

CLEANING, REPAIRING, PRESSING—And we make new fur coats of old ones. Let us rebuild your clothing so you get another season's wear. Joe, the Tailor, 216 E. East Ave. Tel. 1117.

**HUNTERS' ATTENTION**—Reduced Prices On All Shotgun Shells! Buy now for the rest of the season. Grant Gauger, Shotgun Dealer, 140 N. Schuyler Ave.

**HOME FOR AGED AND INVALID**—People. Best of care. Pleasant surroundings. Mrs. Voss, 1514 East Court St. Tel. 2319.

**MARCEL'S COSMETIC PERMANENT**—Waving, Straightening, Permanent. Beauty Shop, 418 Volkmann Bldg. Tel. 240.

**STAY-ON AROMA PARK ROAD**—A 3.00 mile drive built up. Paved. Weights about 22 lbs. Wore a sweater. Liberal terms. Tel. 1068. M. Huber farm, 12-27.

**FINANCIAL**

24 Hour Couriers Service. On short notices of \$500 or less. Monthly Repayments—Come to us for full information—Just Phone or Write.

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**EMPLOYMENT**

WANTED 8 YOUNG MEN

Who are willing to work for the world's largest mail order business—fair education, good personality, good references. Mr. Granger, between 8 and 9 p.m. Apply at 815 Broadway.

**AN OPPORTUNITY—LARGE COMMISSION**

Want man to act as distributor and make deliveries in Kankakee, \$500.00 per week. Write to E. J. Co. 194 E. 9th St., Milwaukee, Wis. 12-27

**PLAN YOUR NEXT YEARS BUSINESS**

Now, The Prospects: Root Beer Co. has a franchise for sale in your city. Give age, when employed the last three years and number. Address R. care of Republicans, 12-26

**MERCHANDISE FOR SALE**

For Sale—HEATING, PLUMBING, Tinsmithing, Pump and boiler business. Good opportunity to expand. Small capital will handle it. Write, F. Koerner, Columbia, Ill. 12-29

**FOR SALE—VELOCEPES**

Exquisite, light, leather saddle and rubber grips. No. 9 size \$37.50. 1 size \$45.00. Best buy in town. Open evenings until Christmas. ALBERT THE BICYCLE MAN, 255 S. West Ave. 12-31

**BICYCLES—VELOCEPES**

For Sale Bicycles, Velocipes, and Juvenile Bicycles. All the latest models now on display. Complete stock. Lowest prices. Christmas delivery. Open evenings until Christmas.

**WANTED—GOOD SECOND HAND**

baggy. Reasonable price. Address X. Y. Z., care of Republicans, 12-26

**WANTED—A LOAD OF COALS**

Phone 2785. 12-26

**HOUSEHOLD GOODS FOR SALE**

FOR SALE—RED STAR GARAGE—used kerosene range, A-1 condition. Otto Hendershot, Papineau, Ill. Tel. Martinton 12711. 12-26

**WE BUY AND SELL—ALL KINDS**

of used Furniture and Household Goods. Come in and see us. THE PAIR EXCHANGE, 234 E. Station Phone 356. 12-26

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**Tomorrow ...Just in Time for Holiday Activities**

**CABERY**

AN EXTRAORDINARY HOLIDAY DRESS SALE!

Smart New Styles Just Arrived from New York

**\$33.33**

Here's an extraordinary value for you! New dresses just in from New York for only \$33.33 each—or two for \$61! And you can ensemble an entire wardrobe from this group. If it's a tunic, a graceful cowl neckline, or a neatly tailored frock you've set your heart on having, be on hand early Saturday!

Choose from all silk dresses in light colors, and rayon and cotton crepes in prints... most dark grounds. Sizes 14 to 42!

**MONTGOMERY WARD & CO.**  
236 East Merchant St. Phone Main 240 Kankakee

**HERE'S A CHUCKLE AND A LAUGH FOR THE OLD AS WELL AS THE YOUNG**

**NEW BUS SERVICE**  
Between  
Dwight, Reddick,  
Streator and  
Wenona  
For Information Call  
SAFE-WAY  
Bus Station  
Phone 555

**CHICAGO LOOP**  
Only \$12.50 One Way  
or \$22.50 Round Trip  
Comfortable Coaches  
Convenient Schedules  
Via SAFETY Lines  
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**BUS SCHEDULES**  
TO CHICAGO  
Daily Except Sunday  
7:00 a.m. 1:00 p.m. 8:00 p.m.  
Saturday and Holidays  
9:00 a.m. 7:00 p.m. 11:15 p.m.  
Saturday and Holidays  
4:00 p.m. 8:00 p.m.  
LEAVE CHICAGO  
Sherman Hotel  
9:00 p.m. 1:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m.  
Saturday Sunday and Holidays  
2:15 p.m.  
Saturday Only Sunday Only  
2:00 p.m. 11:00 a.m.  
Sundays and Holidays  
7:15 p.m.  
Coaches leave 12th and Wabash  
20 minutes later  
Safe-Way Stations  
Joliet, Plainfield and Aurora.  
Transportation Co.  
LEAVE KANKAKEE  
6:30 a.m. and 3:05 p.m.  
LEAVE JOLIET  
8:15 a.m. and 4:45 p.m.

**The Following SIGN CARDS**  
are now available at the  
REPUBLICAN OFFICE  
Garage for Rent  
Furnished Rooms  
For Rent  
Room for Rent  
For Sale  
On Heavy Cardboard  
and  
Only 10c

**CASH FOR DEAD ANIMALS**  
Horses, Cattle, Sheep  
Phone Commerce 14  
Reverse Charge  
Dead Animal Disposal

**Abstracts of Title**  
Farm Loans  
Titles Guaranteed  
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New York Title &  
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Kankakee County Title  
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151 N. Schuyler Ave.

**MONEY TO LOAN AT**  
5 1/2%  
for five or ten years  
on farm property  
D. L. DURHAM & SON  
411 City Bank Bldg.

**D. C. MARTIN**  
Veterinarian  
370 N. Schuyler Ave.  
Phone: 128  
Office 164 Residence 128

**Water Analysis**  
This company maintains a  
laboratory at the pumping  
station and makes regular  
sanitary analysis daily there-  
by ensuring its consumers a  
pure supply of water. The public is  
invited to inspect the method  
of purification at all times.

**Kankakee Water Company**

**JOE JINKS**  
The day after Christmas  
finds the old and the young  
going through the  
bag on their way to  
New York.

**TOOTS and CASPER**  
YOU GOT SOME NICE  
PRESENTS TOO, SPARE RIBS!  
A NEW ONE, A PACKAGE  
OF RUDY BACHTS,  
RUBBER BALL TO PLAY WITH.  
I'LL BET YOU WISH  
THAT CHRISTMAS  
WAS HERE!  
BECAUSE SANTA DIDN'T LEAVE  
YOU A STOCKING FILLED WITH  
THE BEST OF THE NEAT STUFFS  
AS WELL AS A  
LOT OF DOUGH!

**MUGGS McGINNIS**  
GET THOSE  
BLOCKS FRANK  
AND BUD HANK  
BOUGHT!

**"JUST KIDS"**  
CHUCK GRANGER, STEP  
ON HIS WIDE  
HANDSOME  
HIMSELF!  
WHAT WE HAD  
ONCE UPON A  
TIME—IT'S A  
NICE REMINDER  
NAME FOR THE  
BABY WHAT I FOUND

**DIXIE DUGAN**  
HOW ABOUT NADOLEN SMITH—OR  
GEORGE WASHINGTON SMITH—OR  
BUFFALO BILL SMITH OR ABRAHAM  
LINCOLN SMITH OR  
SETTIN' BULL SMITH'S  
NAME?  
WELL, YUM SEE WE  
DON'T KNOW WHAT HIS  
NAME REALLY IS—SO IF  
WE CALL IT SMITH WE  
GOT THE BEST CHANCE  
OF BEIN' RIGHT!

**FRIENDS INDEED!**  
I'LL GET MY HUNKER  
WE'VE GOT A LOT OF FARMERS  
NEVER SEE ME AGAIN!  
WHAT WOULD THE WORLD'S  
SHARPEST EYE BEHOLD  
WANT NOW WITH A LITTLE  
RAG-BAG WORKING GIRL?

**LITTLE BENNY**  
MR. GASTORBIT!  
HELLO, THERE!  
I HAD TO HIRE  
A PRIVATE DETECTIVE  
TO HELP ME FIND  
WHERE YOU MOVED TO!

**By J. P. McEvoy and J. H. Striebel**

**By J. Carver Pussey**



## PEOTONE

Mr. and Mrs. Milford Garner and three children, Elsie, Ila and Olive were shoppers in Kankakee Saturday afternoon.

Miss Lydia Borms and her niece Miss Mildred Werner took in the sights in Chicago on Saturday.

Mrs. William Tucker and daughter Miss Ruth Tucker were shoppers in Kankakee Saturday afternoon.

Ed Duclos made his usual business trip to Kankakee Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Yung and daughter Miss Barbara Yung, Mrs. W. G. Harsh and daughter Phyllis Harsh motored to Olet on Saturday.

Mrs. Eliza Werner and daughter Miss Lizzy and son Charles were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Barlow and family at Manhattan on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Harms attended the funeral of the former's aunt Mrs. Mary Plagge at Harvey on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Louise Stassen and daughter Miss Lucille Stassen went to Harvey Sunday to attend the funeral of A. S. Stassen's mother Mrs. Mary Plagge. Mrs. Stassen has been with her mother the past week end and was at her bedside when the dear grandma passed away in peaceful sleep.

Miss Helen Hotz of Chicago passed the week end at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hotz on West Crawford street.

Mrs. D. V. Knowlton and Mrs. James Kruger were shoppers in Chicago, Saturday and in the evening their daughter the Misses Helen Knowlton and Marie Kruger of Chicago accompanied them home to spend the week end, they returned to the city again Sunday evening or Monday morning.

Mr. Ferdinand Nickel who is spending the winter months with his daughter Mrs. Emma Bearman and her children at Kankakee is visiting his sons Eyrich and Walter Nickel a few days. His wife is also in Kankakee with the daughter.

Mrs. Anna Mauehund spent the week end visiting her son, Frank Mauehund and his family and daughter Mrs. Alfred Tabbutt and family in Kankakee.

Mrs. S. R. Washburn is visiting her nephew Mr. Ivan Croxson and his family at Manteno.

Mr. E. C. Miller, who is employed in Chicago at the present time spent the week end with his daughters Grace and Ruth Marie Miller on West Lincoln avenue.

Mrs. Mary Perry is visiting at the home of her daughter Mrs. Chas. Fournier and her family in Chicago and also her son Mr. Lloyd Perry and his wife.

Miss Jeanette Gross of Jacksonville, is enjoying a two weeks vacation from her school work at the Noman's college at Jacksonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Cassell of Milledale, Ill., is enjoying a two weeks vacation during the holiday season and they are spending a few days at the home of the latter's parents Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Conrad on West Crawford street.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Cassell, Mr. E. H. Fedde and Mr. William R. Bonrad spent Monday in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Ginter were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Miller on Sunday at Joliet.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Melville shopped in Joliet on Saturday afternoon.

The Peotone High school basketball team will play Bradley high on the evening of December 23rd at Bradley. Fans accompany the boys to Bradley.

**Return The Board Drag**  
A gray steel road drag belonging to the State Highway department has been taken from the Barton school house east of Peotone. Perhaps borrowed by some one who forgot to return it.

It bears the number M-5 Conrad Krapf needs it in his work and is anxious to locate it. If you know its whereabouts kindly notify our friend Conrad Krapf.

**Bank Robbers**  
Bank Robbers have been identified by Mrs. Marie Werner of Beecher, Illinois.

These two men and one woman were arrested in Gary, Indiana for a Postal Robbery, now known as the Beecher bandits who robbed the Beecher bank.

Exactly one car after the crime two men and a woman was arrested in Gary Indiana Saturday for the robbery of a mail clerk in Decatur.

Postal inspectors who had trailed them over a large part of the country seized the trio in a flat where they had been staying two weeks.

They were arrested and the names were Charlie Westbrook 38, Mrs. Agnes Brown Westbrook 25 and Charles Belmont 50. They were arrested by Postal Inspector T. G. Rowan and M. L. Goldsmith.

In addition to the Decatur robbery officers said they believed the men were implicated in several northern Illinois bank robberies including one of the First State bank of Beecher and at Mattoon, Ill. Two bullet proof vests, several tear gas bombs a rifle two pistols a sawed off shot gun, a set of burglar tools and several lengths of rope supposedly used to bind victims were found in the flat.

Federal authorities said they also would investigate to learn whether Mrs. Brown was blamously married to Westbrook. A marriage certificate found in the flat showed they were married in Belleville, Ill. last August 19th, but the officers said they believed she had previously been married to a man named Brown in Decatur. They did not know whether Brown was still married to the woman.

Inspectors said they intended to take the trio to Decatur to face charges in connection with the robbery of the mail clerk a year ago today.

Mrs. Marie Werner who was alone in the Beecher bank when it was robbed better than two weeks ago was called to Chicago, Monday and she identified the trio as the robbers who had forced her to give up the bank funds.

**Interior of Store Remodeled**  
Our friend and grocery man, Mr. Louie E. Stassen has been remodeling the interior of his fine grocery store and meat market on West Main street. The old shelves have been taken out and is replaced with a combined shelving of the latest design for a better display of his goods, including canned fruits and vegetables and etc., his customers are looking for and besides all the touching up of the new paint in the building gives his place of business a more attractive look and pleasing to the eyes of his patrons when they enter the store and when all is said and done Mr. Stassen will have one of the neatest stores in town, and his patrons will also appreciate it by buying from him as he will try to please you with his groceries and meats.

**A Sacred Concert at West Peotone**  
A sacred concert was given in the Methodist church at West Peotone last Friday evening December 19th by Hilmore E. Cedarholm and Raymond M. Osterhouse radio artists from station WMBI of Chicago. Nearly everybody who has a radio have heard these two young men and the time to see them in person was given and many Peotone folks motored out to West Peotone to hear these young men sing, as there was no charge for admission and only a collection taken, they had a full house and the audience was delightfully entertained.

**Ashkum Wins One**  
Ashkum High school team won the first game from the Peotone High school team last Friday evening score 15 to 13 on two points; boys don't be discouraged, the boys played their best on both sides although the Peotone team are all new at playing basketball, many had very little experience, but so be it the score was.

**Peotone**

	FG	FT	PF	TP
Rodger	2	0	2	4
Englehardt	0	0	0	0
Durue	0	1	0	1
Calvin McMahon	0	2	0	4
Drecksler	2	0	0	2
Meisterling	1	0	0	2
Totals	5	3	2	13

**Ashkum**

	FG	FT	PF	TP
Cleary	0	0	0	0
Sternberg	2	0	3	4
Kasgaard	2	0	0	4
Kasher	1	1	0	2
Ohnson	2	0	1	5
Totals	7	1	4	15

But we are proud our second team carried away the bacon at least and beat the Ashkum team by a score 13 to 1, so the boys sure played at that, and Friday night they played the Bradley team but was defeated and Tuesday night Dec. 23 they played Manteno team at Manteno.

**ST. ANNE**  
Mr. Paul Morin was an over night guest Friday of Mrs. Josephine Fraser.

Mr. and Mrs. Mose Cheffer motored to Kankakee Thursday on business.

Mrs. Maynard Paquette of Kankakee was a Thursday guest of Mrs. James Bouchard.

Mr. and Mrs. Alpha Changnon and family were Kankakee shoppers Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Hair and family were Kankakee callers Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Meddie St. Pierre motored to Martinton Saturday on business.

Mrs. Ida Rhodes of Chicago was called here Friday by the illness of her mother, Mrs. Ledger Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cheffer were entertained at 12 o'clock and 6 o'clock dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Meddie St. Pierre Sunday.

Miss Shirley Woodington and Marguerite Clement were Kankakee shoppers Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louise Belair were Kankakee shoppers Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Isadore Sprimont of Kankakee called on Mrs. Ledger Martin Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Paradis and daughter Bethel, Mrs. Russell DuMontelle and Mrs. Charles Manny were Kankakee shoppers all day Saturday.

Mr. Eddie Martin and son-in-law, Mr. Johnson of Momence called on the former's mother, who is bed fast with a fractured hip.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Gereau were Kankakee shoppers Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Massey and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Sprimont attended the basketball game in Kankakee Friday evening.

Mrs. Dora Pazel, who is attending the Illinois University, came home Saturday to spend the holiday with her mother, Mrs. Sarah Dumals.

Mr. E. C. Corkins, Mr. Paul Bonvallette, Mr. Bert Clement, Mr. L. C. Woodington motored to Kankakee Thursday morning and were accompanied from there by Mr.

Amos Robillard when they motored to Geneva attended a banker's association meeting held there that afternoon.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Lawson, Tuesday, Dec. 23, a baby girl. This is their fourth child and third girl.

Mr. and Mrs. George Erwin were Kankakee callers Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris Langelier and family were 6 o'clock dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Meddie Tatro Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Parrish, who have been attending Millikin University at Decatur, arrived here Friday evening where they expect to make St. Anne their home. They will occupy the U. O. Cote residence while Mr. and Mrs. U. A. Cote are spending the winter in Miami, Fla.

Among those who attended the basketball game in Kankakee were: Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Leverage Corkins, Mr. and Mrs. James Shronts, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Duby, Mr. and Mrs. Med Gellino, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Sprimont, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Barnhart, Mr. Russell DuMontelle, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Meier, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Meier, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Woodington, Dr. R. L. Benjamin, Dr. Hagstrom, Mr. and Mrs. O. Roark, Miss Gustafson, Miss Mary Parrish, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Francis, Mr. and Mrs. William Allain, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hanen.

Mrs. Paul Morin left Saturday for Lafayette, Ind., after spending Thursday and Friday here on business. Mrs. Morin has employment in Lafayette.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Loran Naden attended the basketball game in Kankakee Friday evening.

Mr. John Bouchard and daughter Wilma and the Misses Dorine Goyette, Velma St. Pierre and Marguerite Clement attended the basketball game in Kankakee Friday night.

Allen Broudeau, who is attending Normal university, is spending the holiday vacation here with his mother.

Mr. Percy Munson made a business trip Kankakee Saturday.

Mrs. Willie Vadeboncoeur, Mrs. Emil Meier, Mrs. Lloyd Martin and Mrs. Lulu Stumpf motored to Kankakee Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Ashline and daughter and friends of Morgan Park attended the basketball game in Kankakee Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Sorimont and Mr. and Mrs. Baron Beaupre attended the basketball game in Kankakee Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Olena were Kankakee callers Friday evening.

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## THE OLD HOME TOWN



The grade school children had a Christmas exchange at school Friday afternoon and the high school pupils had a Christmas exchange Tuesday afternoon.

The bazaar and program held at the grade school Thursday evening was a decided success. A large crowd attended and everything at the lunch stand and article stand were all sold. The program was very good and appreciated by all present.

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Mr. and Mrs. Alfred DuMontelle, Mrs. Florence Arsenau and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence DuMontelle of Martinton were entertained at dinner Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert DuMontelle.

Mrs. Joe Lanham of Steger spent Tuesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Corkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gereau entertained the following guests at 12 o'clock dinner Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Joe Boyle and son Melvin, Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Clement, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gereau, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Gereau and daughters all of St. Anne, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Hester of Kankakee and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Clement and family of Beaverville.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cheffer of Kankakee called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert DuMontelle and Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Richard.

Rev. I. W. Parish made a business trip to Kankakee Monday.

**MOMENCE**

Miss Nita Weber of Bloomington is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Weber.

School closed on Tuesday afternoon for a week's vacation. Most of the lower grades had appropriate Christmas exercises with a gift exchange by the children and treats from the teachers.

The little daughter, Lois, of Mr. and Mrs. Poulsen is quite ill with throat trouble. Her many friends hope it will not prove serious with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Sanstrum entertained Mr. and Mrs. Jay Sanstrum of this city and Rev. and Mrs. Wilson of Grant Park and Miss Gertrude Wilson of Chicago.

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**First Baptist Church**  
E. F. Muir, Pastor

December 30, 1930—the last Sunday in the year. It has been a good year, and a hard year. A joyous year, and a testing year. On this last Lord's Day let us count our man blessings, name them one by one, and rejoice that another year is dawning with new desires and aspirations and new hopes. The pastor will speak upon the theme: "The Holy Spirit, Faith—Today." Then after the B. Y. P. U. service at 6:30 the Evangelistic service at 7:30 and the theme for our consideration—will be "The Closed Door."

Upon behalf of the board of deacons and trustees and church constituency, we wish all a happy New Year.

**Grace Methodist Episcopal Church**  
Rev. Charles Smith, Minister

Sunday School at 9:45. Howard Wheeler, superintendent.

Morning worship at 10:55. Sermon subject "The New Year."

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Evening worship hour at 7:30

The Christmas cantata, "Owen Allen's Christmas," which was given on Christmas eve, will be repeated. This cantata requires about 60 minutes and has a fitting climax.

"Adoration," by Browski, will be played as a trio by Ralph Hardy at the organ, Mrs. Harold Hungerford, piano, and Mrs. Irene Hardy, violin.

Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 7:00. Choir rehearsal at 7:45.

**BEECHER**

**Anniversary**  
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. L. Huenerberg entertained a number of relatives in their home last Thursday evening in honor of their 20th wedding anniversary. The evening was spent in playing pinocle and music. Prizes were awarded Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Ruwaldt, Mrs. Arthur Haseman and Mr. Erwin Haseman. The guests presented Mr. and Mrs. Huenerberg with hand painted china. A delicious lunch consisting of sandwiches, cake, pickles and coffee was served at 11 o'clock by the hostess day.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Ruwaldt of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Haseman of family of Lowell, Indiana, Mr. Albert Schroeder and Mr. Wallace of Grant Park and Mr. Mrs. Henry Huenerberg, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Haseman, Mr. and Mrs. Selk and family, Mr. Alfred man and Mr. Rewin Haseman of city.

The guests departed at a late hour, having spent an enjoyable evening and wishing Mr. and Mrs. Huenerberg many more years of happy wedded life.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur H. Boyens of Harvey motored to Chicago last Sunday and visited with the former's sister Mrs. Louis Stern, who is a patient in the Lakeside hospital.

Mr. Walter Boyens visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Tatro at Riverdale on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Trautman entertained Mr. and Mrs. John Paulsen and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wachen of Peotone in their home last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Thomas and children of Dwyer, Indiana, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Von Alven last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Werner, Mrs. Mary Werner and Miss Antonette Werner attended the funeral of Mrs. Charles Plagge at Harvey last Sunday.

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