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LISLE-DUPAGE CO. FAIR AND STOCK SHOW A SUCCESS

Many Attend Third Annual Showing
of Farm Products and Stock
September 15 and 16

Hundreds of people from all over the county and many from outside the county attended the Lisle-DuPage County Fair and Stock show at the Edw. Riedy farm south of Lisle last Friday and Saturday. This was the third annual fair and outvalued the other two greatly in the attendance and the number of exhibits, the way in which it was run and in every other way. Graham Wylie, who managed the event, was the busiest person in or around the grounds and his hard work of the past three weeks showed to good advantage during the two day fair.

The airplane stunts on both days drew shudders of apprehension from the crowd lest the daring aviators be dashed to the ground and killed. The wing walking and the parachute drops were the best ever seen in this vicinity.

The number of prizes offered to exhibitors drew many exhibits and the rivalry for the ribbons and cash prizes was keen.

Following is a partial list of the winners:

- Poultry and Pet Stock**
 Chickens—White Wyandotte:
 Cock—1st, Frank Myer; 2d, Tom Stanton.
 Hen—1st and 2d, Frank Myer.
 Pen—1st, Frank Myer; 2d, Frank Stanton.
 Cockerel—1st, Frank Myer.
Bull Orpingtons:
 Cock—1st, Harry Hatch.
 Hen—1st, Harry Hatch.
 Cockerel—1st, College Poultry Farm; 2d, Harry Hatch.
 Pullet—1st, College Poultry Farm; 2d, same.
 Best Pen—College Poultry Farm.
Rhode Island Reds:
 Cockerel—1st and 2d, College Farm.
 Pullet—1st, College Poultry Farm; 2d, Wendell Doerr.
 Hen—1st, Paul Utley; 2d, same.
 Pen—1st, College Poultry Farm; 2d, Wendell Doerr.
Barred Plymouth Rocks:
 Cock—1st, College Poultry Farm.
 Hen—1st, College Poultry Farm.
 Cockerel—1st, R C Cook; 2d, same.
 Pullet—1st and 2d, W A Rogers.
White Plymouth Rocks:
 Cock—1st, College Poultry Farm; 2d, A W Kohley.
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BACK TO "OLD TIME" SUNDAY FOR THE WINTER

End of Summer seen in Change from
Daylight Saving to Central
Standard Time.

Don't forget to turn the clock back before you "hit the hay" next Saturday night, or long about Sunday evening when you go to church you will find yourself too early for the services.

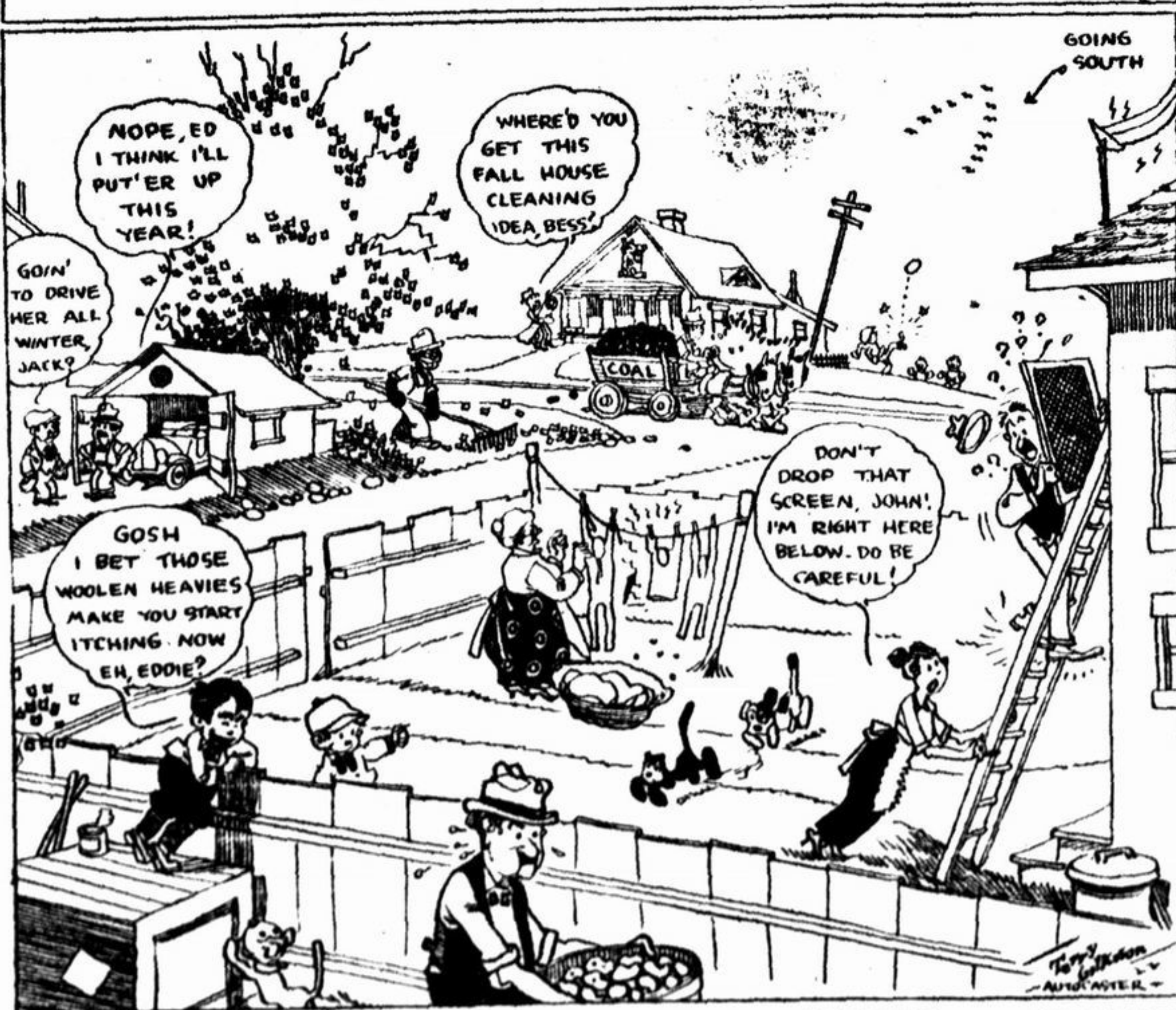
After being in effect since the first Sunday in May, the daylight saving time, Chicago, or whatever kind you wish to call it, is to be changed again to sun time, commonly known hereabouts as Central Standard Time.

With thousands of others, the people of this community have enjoyed that extra hour of daylight during the long pleasant evenings of summer. An auto ride of fifty miles was possible after dinner and still get back before dark. A journey to Romeo for a swim and other pleasure will be laid aside until Father Time turns the calendar to summer days again.

NEW HOURS AT THE POSTOFFICE

Starting next Monday, September 25, the Downers Grove postoffice will open at 6 a. m. and close at 6 p. m. These are the same hours the office has been running on all summer, with the exception that their time will be the same as ours, with the village going back to Central Standard Time.

IT'S IN THE AIR



OPEN YEARS WORK WITH RECEPTION TO POST REGENTS

Daughters of American Revolution
to Meet at Home of Mrs.
J. H. Frankenfield.

The local Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution will open the year's work with a reception in honor of the Past Regents, at the home of Mrs. J. H. Frankenfield, next Saturday evening, September 30.

It may be interesting to some to know the purpose of the organization and it is best expressed by its founders, as follows: "To perpetuate the memory of the women and men of the Revolutionary Period, to collect and preserve historical and biographical records, documents, and relics." The aim of the National Society is to perpetuate the spirit of the men and women who achieved American independence. To encourage historical research and publish the results. To celebrate all patriotic anniversaries, and to promote institutions for the enlightenment of the general public, affording the young and old such advantages as will develop in them the largest capacity for performing the duties of American citizens. To cherish, maintain and extend the institution of American freedom, to foster true patriotism, and love of country, and to aid in securing for mankind the blessings of liberty.

The practical work of the Society fills eighteen volumes of reports to the United States Government, reports which are printed as Senate documents, and which the Society must render annually to the government, or forfeit its charter. The Society has saved for this country those things which have made the old country a place of pilgrimage; its fast vanishing records, its historical buildings, sites, trails and cemeteries. It has founded and supported schools in the south for the mountain whites and the Negroes, issued Connecticut's famous Guide Book for the education of the emigrant. It has formed societies for the instruction of children in self government, civic pride and good citizenship. Prizes have been offered from time to time in the schools, night schools have been conducted for the education of foreigners, teaching them the principles of this government and reverence for its flag; and so long as there is such work to be done, the Daughters of the American Revolution will furnish strong, energetic, self sacrificing women, who are striving to be worthy of our Great Republic.

Mrs. A. T. Ogren entertained at 500 at her home in South Washington street Monday afternoon. The prize winners were, Mrs. Ogren, first; Mrs. W. J. Staats, second and Mrs. Lawrence Felton, consolation.

CHURCH ERECTED AT WESTMONT IN JUST FOUR DAYS

First Services Will be Held in the
New Baptist Church Next
Sunday Afternoon.

The Westmont Baptist church will hold its opening service in their new edifice erected in four days — on Tuesday to Friday last week — on Sunday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock. The building is located in North Cass avenue near the new school house. Everyone interested is extended a cordial invitation to attend the services.

It is the intention of the pastor, the Rev. Jos. B. Rogers, to hold regular preaching services there shortly.

LEGION PLANNING FOR ANNUAL BAN- QUET IN OCTOBER

Dan Diener, Commander of the Local
Post to Attend State Con-
vention Next Week.

At a meeting of the local post of the American Legion held Monday evening in the G. A. R. rooms, plans were made for the annual banquet and election of officers of the post. The affair will be held the first week in October and an effort is being made to secure Library Hall for the occasion.

The annual state convention of the Legion will be held next week Monday and Tuesday at Rock Island. Dan Diener, commander of the local post, will attend the sessions as a delegate.

ELLA MARY TEA ROOM NOW OWNED BY MRS. B. WAPLES

Mrs. Ballard Waples has purchased the Ella Mary Tea Room in East Curtiss street, across from the post-office from Mrs. Newton who has been running it for nearly a year. Mrs. Waples, who is one of the founders and proprietors of the Wa-Brook Inn, which sprung into instant popularity after its opening several months ago, will take immediate possession.

Mrs. Newton will return to her old home at Fairfield, Ill., where she will live.

JNANANJAN NIYOGI, INDIAN LECTURER, HERE ON SUNDAY

Temperance Worker, Native of India,
to Speak at Baptist Church
at Three O'Clock.

Residents of this community will have the opportunity next Sunday afternoon of hearing one of the most interesting talks ever given in the village. Jnananjan Niyogi, of Calcutta, India the foremost prohibition orator of his native land, will tell of the drink problem among the natives of that far-away land.

His lecture will be given at the First Baptist church next Sunday afternoon, September 24, at three. Everyone is invited to attend.

Mr. Niyogi was chiefly instrumental in bringing "Pussyfoot" Johnson to India last year and he largely arranged and conducted the tour in which Pussyfoot traveled 7,000 miles and made 200 speeches to 1,500,000 people. Mr. Niyogi is described by Pussyfoot as being one of the most virile and useful of the young Hindoos of India. He is coming to America to study social and political conditions as affected by the drink problem and also to make a nationwide lecture tour under the auspices of the World League Against Alcoholism. He will appear in native costume; he speaks excellent English and is thrillingly eloquent. He will speak on "India Cursed by Strong Drink."

Mr. Niyogi is National Lecturer and organizer for the "Calcutta Temperance Federation;" is Secretary of the "Bengal Social Service League;" is one of the founders of the "Calcutta Working Men's Club." He will be accompanied by Dr. George W. Morrow of Detroit, Michigan, who will speak briefly.

He is one of the most virile and useful of the young Hindoos of India.

He is the organizing secretary of the Calcutta Temperance Federation having forty branches, the right hand man of Rev. Herbert Anderson, secretary of the Federation, and also secretary of the National Missionary Council of India.

He is a born reformer. When only 17 years old, he established a ragged school and football club in Cooch Behar. One offspring of this was the Saturday Club, a group of young men who went out doing good.

He was one of the founders of the Calcutta After-Care Association, the organization which has done a great work in taking care of young men released from reformatory schools, and aiding them in getting a new start in life. In this work, he has been aided by government grants, so great was the confidence in him.

FULL ATTENDANCE AT FIRST MEETING OF CHORAL SOCIETY

Dedicate Sun Dial—62 of the 75
Members Present at Opening
of Second Season.

Choral societies and kindergartens like ours, sun dials and old gardens, flowers and little children, laughter and singing are terms that are interchangeable and all were freely used at the opening rehearsal of the West Suburban Choral Society at the Kindergarten Friday night, Sept. 15th.

Masetro Pape was in fine form and tried the sixty odd singers over four of the new songs that are being rehearsed for the Christmas concert. Their efforts must have pleased him for between songs he gave vent to a flow of wise saws and humorous stories that raised shrill approval among the tenors and deep throated guffaws from the basses as well as ladylike expressions of merriment from the sopranos and altos.

After rehearsal the chorus marched to the garden where the society had placed a sun dial as a gift to the Kindergarten Extension Association. The bronze plaque inscribed with the words "My face shows but sunny hours, what can you say of yours?" had been set upon a base of field stone granite by Mr. Peter Stewart and will be of interest to the children and a great addition to the garden of their lovely school.

The presentation speech was made by Mrs. Philip Weinheimer who voiced the gratitude of Downers Grove to the Association and also the thanks of the choral society for the many kindnesses that had been extended to them by the Kindergarten Association. One of the Kindergarten children poured a basket of flowers over the sun dial and Miss Lucia Morse spoke in acceptance of the gift and the pleasant ceremony was over. After this the secretary, W. J. O'Neill gave a brief historical sketch of the sun dial.

Mrs. A. G. Michel and a group of ladies comprising the social committee served a delicious assortment of cakes with an accompaniment of an equally delicious brew of coffee and the social hour was passed over with much pleasure.

- The members of the society are:
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| Mr. Pape—Conductor | Miss Rosa—Pianist |
| Mrs. B. E. Balczynski | Mrs. J. R. King |
| Mrs. Harry Bruns | Mrs. Clara Lacey |
| Mrs. O. F. Carlson | Mrs. Jason Little |
| Miss Zelma | Mrs. Jessie Mitchell |
| Miss Mildred Hanford | Miss Marie Neilson |
| Mrs. S. C. Hurley | Mrs. R. L. Rumbaugh |
| Mrs. Alice Johnston | Mrs. Skinner |
| Mrs. C. W. Kolm | Miss Helen West |
| Miss Charlotte Krum | Miss Marjorie West |
| Miss Florence Lacey | W. R. Curtis |
| Miss Ruth Larson | C. E. Graves |
| Mrs. Georgia McClure | J. R. King |
| Miss Viola Nielsen | Mrs. A. G. Michel |
| Mrs. W. J. O'Neill | Mrs. A. C. Miskelly |
| Mrs. H. S. Paine | Mrs. H. S. Paine |
| Miss Bessie Pape | Geo. W. Sweeney |
| Miss Mildred Potter | H. Weinheimer |
| Miss Ida Shanabrook | Mrs. S. L. Felton |
| Miss Alberta Smart | Rev. G. H. Newland |
| Miss Jessie Smith | W. J. O'Neill |
| Miss Mary Spinner | Chas. K. Roe |
| Miss Grace Stover | L. B. Waples |
| Miss Helen Striblein | Carlyle Stair |
| Mrs. George Sweeney | Miss Helen Fisher |
| Mrs. Edward Timke | Miss Genevieve Roberts |
| Mrs. Philip Weinheimer | Miss Marjorie Whiffen |
| Miss Irene Bryan | Miss Mildred Hoffman |
| Mrs. H. D. Chambers | Miss Ruth Littleford |
| Mrs. W. R. Curtis | Mrs. H. E. Remmers |
| Mrs. Gertrude Darnley | Mrs. Rhoda Whitehorn |
| Miss Lucille Fischer | A. R. Whitehorn |
| | Mrs. Warren Wells |
| | Miss Dorothy Towles |
| | Honorary Members |
| Mrs. Avery Coonley | |
| Miss Lucia Morse | |
| | Sustaining Members |
| Mrs. Nora Bogart | |

TRAGIC DEATH OF LITTLE DAUGHTER SADDENS FAMILY

Bernadine Faser, Three Years Old,
Dies From Fall Into Farm
Watering Trough.

Little Bernadine Faser, three year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Irving Faser, lost her life last Friday afternoon in one of the saddest accidents which have happened in the community in years.

While her mother was at the telephone the little tot slipped out of the rear door and went to play in the yard. She climbed to the edge of the watering trough, and losing her hold slipped and fell. In falling she struck her head on the bottom of the tank and the blow an dthe fact that it contained about ten inches of water causing her to lose her life.

She was gone less than ten minutes when Mrs. Faser missed her and after a few minutes search, found her body in the water. A doctor from Lemont was summoned and though he arrived at the farm less than fifteen minutes after the accident, he was not able to resuscitate her.

Coroner Hopf was notified and a jury found death due to accidental drowning.

Funeral services were held last Sunday at Lemont Catholic church, the Rev. Fr. Schildgen, pastor, officiating and burial was made in the Lemont cemetery.

STATE TO SAVE \$16,000 IN POSTAGE LICENSE MAILING

Ruling Obtained by Secretary Em-
merson From Postoffice Dept.
Saves Huge Sum.

The State will save \$16,000 in postage annually on automobile plates sent out by the automobile department as the result of a ruling obtained from the postmaster general by Secretary of State Louis L. Emmerson, it was announced today.

With each set of plates a certificate is sent containing the information on which the license is issued. Some years ago Secretary Emmerson worked out a system by which the plates and certificates could be included in the same package, but in separate envelopes, thus saving a great deal of clerical effort and expense. The post-office department, however, while holding this system permissible, declared the certificate first class matter and required a two cent stamp for it in addition to the amount required to carry the package by parcel post.

Efforts have been made to obtain a modification of this rule, but the authorities have remained firm until this year.

Just before letting the contract for the new 1923 license blanks and certificates, Secretary Emmerson sent Walter W. Miller of the automobile department to Washington to make another effort to have the rule modified. As a result, a certificate was agreed upon which will pass muster without first class postage, but at the same time will contain all of the information now written on the certificates.

At least 800,000 licenses will be issued next year and the saving of 2 cents in each will mean a total saving of \$16,000.

INTEREST ON U. S. CERTIFICATES TO BE REDUCED

Postmaster C. H. Staats is sending out notices to prospective investors this week advising that the interest rate on the United States Treasury Savings Certificates will drop October 1 to four per cent. All certificates purchased previous to October 1 will draw interest at the rate of four and a half per cent.

There are several reasons for the popularity of these certificates, the plan being absolute safety, interest and payment on time.