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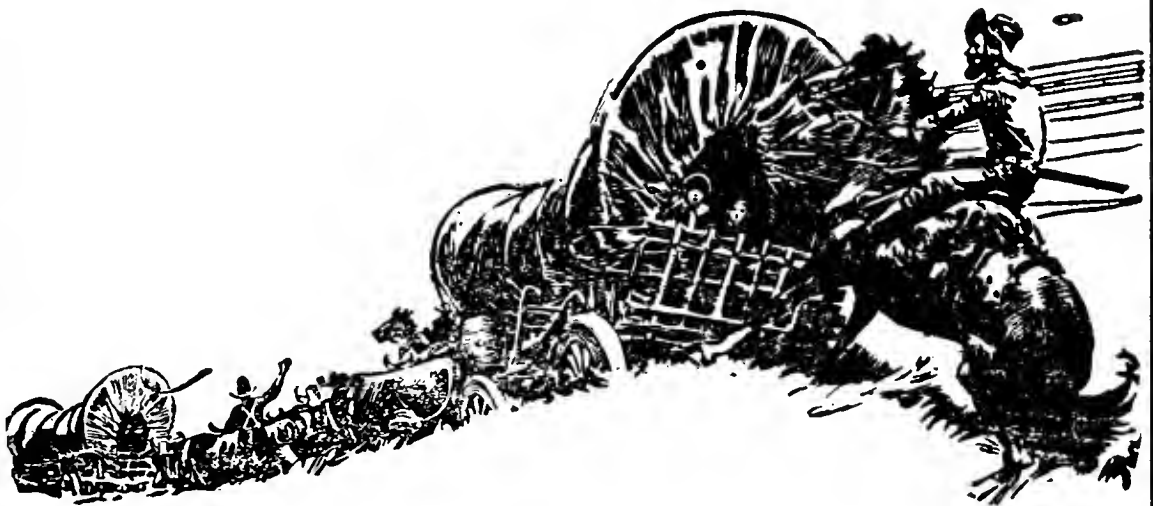
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Teutopolis Centennial



SOUVENIR PROGRAM AND HISTORICAL SKETCH

CELEBRATION DATES

SEPTEMBER 2nd, 3rd and 4th, 1939

TEUTOPOLIS, ILLINOIS



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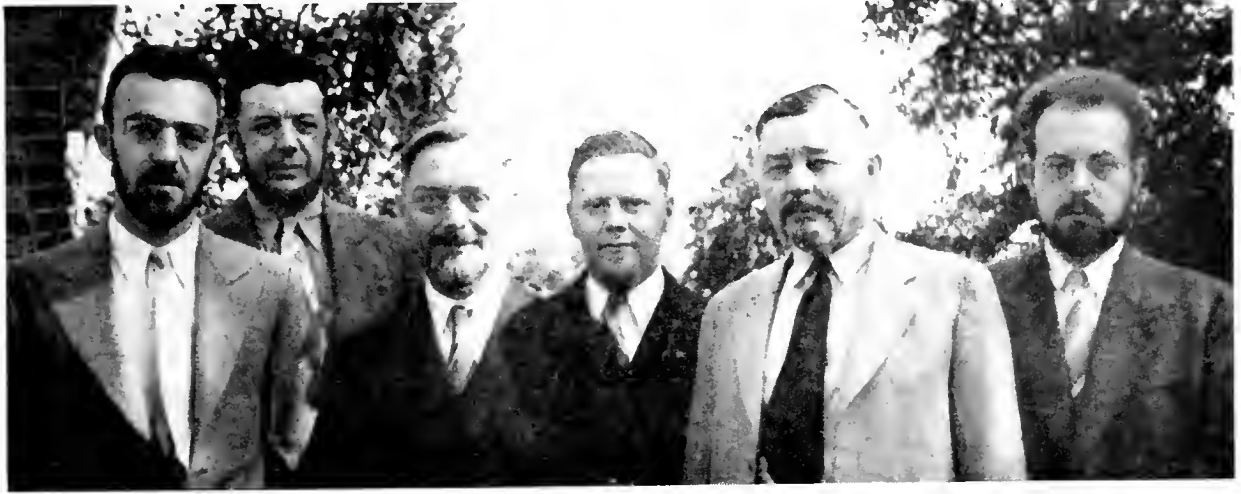
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September 2nd, 3rd and 4th, 1939



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HOW NAME TEUTOPOLIS WAS SELECTED

After the land had been distributed by lot, the question of the name to be given the new settlement was next taken up. The following names were proposed: New Cincinnati, Covington, Newport, Sebastopol, Muenster, Hanover, Germantown, and St. Peter. The names Hanover and Germantown seem to have been most acceptable, but the postal authorities at Washington informed the members of the Company that these names had already been adopted by settlements in Clinton County, Illinois. Thereupon it was decided by a majority of votes to call the new settlement ST. PETER. The Rev. William Pisbach, a member of the Company, however, or as Rev. Anselm Puetz, O. F. M., learned of Mr. Clement Uptmor I, the Rt. Rev. John B. Purcell, Bishop of Cincinnati, proposed the name of TEUTOPOLIS. The members were reluctant to adopt this "strange" name; but when they were told that it signified "City of Teutons, or Germans," they were satisfied and adopted it in place of that of St. Peter.

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- (2) Tug of War—"Bearded Dutchmen" vs. Representatives of three Farm Bureaus (Cumberland, Jasper, and Effingham).
- (3) Wood Chopping Contest—Prizes. (Contestants bring axes).
- (4) Foot Races.
- (5) Rolling pin throwing contest.
- (6) Hog calling contest.
- (7) Music of all kinds.
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Time of each to be announced on Grounds.

Free Acts to be announced for afternoon and evening.

7:30 P. M. Mammoth Historical Pageant.
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9:00 P. M. to 1:00 A. M. Special Dance at
Thoele Pavilion.

Sunday, September 3, 1939

Early Masses at St. Francis Church at
5:00, 6:00 and 7:30 o'clock A. M.

10:00 A. M. Pontifical High Mass. Bishop
James A. Griffin of Springfield,
Celebrant.

1:30 P. M. Egg Race, ages 6-8 years.

1:45 P. M. Pick-up and Lay down race, all
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2:00 P. M. Thread the Needle race, young
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 3:00 P. M. Ball rolling race for young men.
 3:15 P. M. Tug of War for married men only of Teutopolis and Church Territory.
 3. 30 P. M. Horse Shoe pitching contest for men and young men of Teutopolis and Church community only.
 4:00 P. M. Speaker. Governor Horner represented by Atty. Gen. John E. Cassidy.
 7:30 P. M. Historical Pageant Repeated. Also Official Crowning of Queen by Governor Horner's Representative, Attorney General John E. Cassidy.
 9:00 P. M. to 1:00 A. M. Queen's Ball at Thoele Pavilion.

Free Acts to be announced for afternoon and evening.

Monday, September 4, 1939

- 9:30 A. M. Centennial Memorial Mass at Cemetery.
 1:30 P. M. Centennial Float Parade.
 2:30 P. M. Finals in the Horse Shoe pitching contest. Also a variation of games for the children.
 3:00 P. M. Tug of War for the young men of Teutopolis and Church territory only.
 3:30 P. M. Ladies' Rolling Pin Throwing contest.
 4:00 P. M. Speaker.
 7:30 P. M. Historical Pageant.
 9:00 P. M. to 1:00 A. M. Dance at Thoele Pavilion.

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Catherine Uptmor	Anna Mae Kroeger
Mardell Buehnerkemper	Betty Thoele
Agnes Brumleve	Mary Louise Gill
Jeanette Pruemer	Norma Bersig
Jeanette Swingler	Loretta Zerrusen
Dorothy Lee Kralman	Lucille Waldhoff
Colette Huelsing	Luella Kemme
Dorothy Mae Kahtz	Betty Wendt
Carlene Thoele	Adela Adams
Mardell Weis	Constance Weber
Jean Hoedebecke	Dorothy Pruemer
Bernice Kinkelaar	Marguerite Zerrusen
Geraldine Schoenhoff	Rosemary Deters
Marcella Buescher	Lucille Waldhoff
Dolores Hoedebecke	Phylis Swingler
Mary Angela Runde	Alvera Thoele
Dolores Pottebaum	Florence Nosbisch
Darlene Buehnerkemper	

Indian Chief

Allie Dasenbrock

Braves

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Leo Roy	Roger Weber
Leroy Ordner	Louis Nuxoll
C. Brumleve	Paul Engle

Soldiers

Louis Pruemer	Maurice Gardewine
C. Funneman	Funneman
John Esker	

Choir Boys

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Arthur Schleper	Paul Runde
Clair Buehnerkemper	Stanley Brumleve
James Brumleve	Donald Weber

Pioneers

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Mrs. Allie Kemme	Alfred Weber
Mrs. Ed Kemme	Larry Burford
Mrs. Florence Hardiek	Camilla Huelsing
Ben Huelsing	Eileen Kemme
Allie Kemme	Ben Renschen
Ed Kemme	Ferd Mette
Alph Hartke	Arnold Heuerman

Medicine Man

Ferd Althoff

Indian Girl

Lois Buehnerkemper

Squaws

Catherine Quatman	Carrie Hawickhorst
Bernice Althoff	Agnes Kitten
Bernardine Schniederjan	Henrietta Esker

Bride

Coletta Brumleve

Groom

Russel Uptmor

Rider

Eugene Jansen

Dancers

Louis Wegman	Mrs. Louis Swingler
Allie Niemeyer	Bertha Hardiek
Jos. Zerrusen	Mrs. Ben Schoenhoff
Tony Thoele	Mrs. Louise Vance
Louis Swingler	Clara Kenter
Mrs. Louis Wegman	Gertrude Hardiek
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Cletus Pottebaum

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Marian Schultz
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Frances Adams
Clotilda Pottebaum
Carmen Weber

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Frances Brumleve

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Esther Schultz
Jule Wessel
Marjorie Wessel
Pauline Hoedebecke
Marie Adams
Lucy Habing
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Alberta Schultz
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Ruth Quatman
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Elizabeth Runde

Narrator

Not chosen as yet.

The above list is as near complete as can be had at the time this book goes to press.

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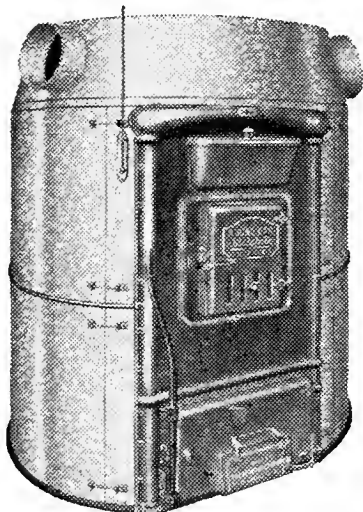
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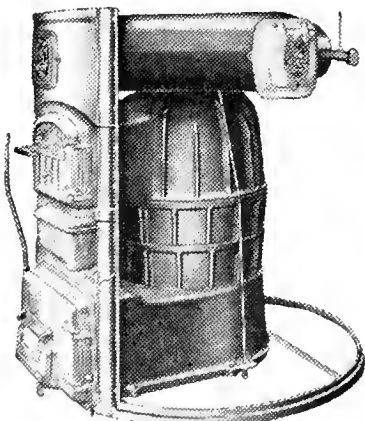
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1.

Believe it or not if Ripley knew,
About our wooly whiskered crew,
He'd gather us in and start a zoo;
For the sights you see in this Jamboree,
Would make any squirrel climb a tree;
You see whiskers you never knew,
Every color and every hue,
Anything but green or blue;
Whiskers red and whiskers gray,
Some the color of new mown hay;
Some their razor they must have lost,
Others are brown with a little jack frost;
Some have whiskers nice and brown,
With a fuzz that's soft as down;
Some have whiskers tough as wire,
Others blaze like a prairie fire;
Some are trimmed—some grow wild,
Others so sharp they must 'ave been filed;
Some are light, some are dark,
Some look like relics out of Noah's Ark;
Others have a moustache to adorn their face,
Comes in handy for soup after grace;
Don't judge by looks—this whisker race,
For many a stubble hides an angel face.

2.

Now I guess you'd like to know,
How we make our whiskers grow;
Some use honey, so I've heerd,
But honey alone never grew a beard;
Axel grease or limburger cheese,
They all can use what e'er they please;
I know what I use but I won't tell,
If you don't like my whiskers, just go to—well
Home remedies seem to fare the best,
They really make beards that stand the test;
All night long we toss and moan,
All day long we scratch and groan;
Walking thru the woods the ticks are bad,
Getting them out really makes us sad;
With haunted looks we are never at ease,
Just like a hound dog scratching fleas.

3.

When a mother looks at her whiskered son,
She says a prayer and wants to run;
My gosh! My gosh! what have I done,
To let such a wooly brute call me Mum;
There's many a mama's little lad,
Who brags all day about his whiskered dad,
If I eat my wheaties and I ain't bad?
Can I grow a beard just like dad?
No—No—my son, that will never do
Look at the suffering poor dad goes thru
Eat your spinach, you've said enough,
I'm sick and tired of this he man stuff;
Whiskers are for pop alone;
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Get out your hoop skirt—shake your bustle;
Do up your hair in those nice long curls,
That will make the men go around in whirls;
Then get busy with the old spinning wheel,
And learn to dance the Virginia Reel;
The square dance, polka and the Heel 'n toe,
Man o man—look at that hoop skirt go;
Make those rough-tough-wooly galoots,
Wear hickory shirts and cow hide boots;
Make 'em some bibs and tuck them in,
And wipe the gravy from off their chin.

5.

Now there are many old ginks like me,
Who are just too old for such Jamborees;
What do we care—we'll all be there,
If they have to take us in an old wheel chair;
We'll try to forget our aches and pain,
Throw away our crutch and cane;
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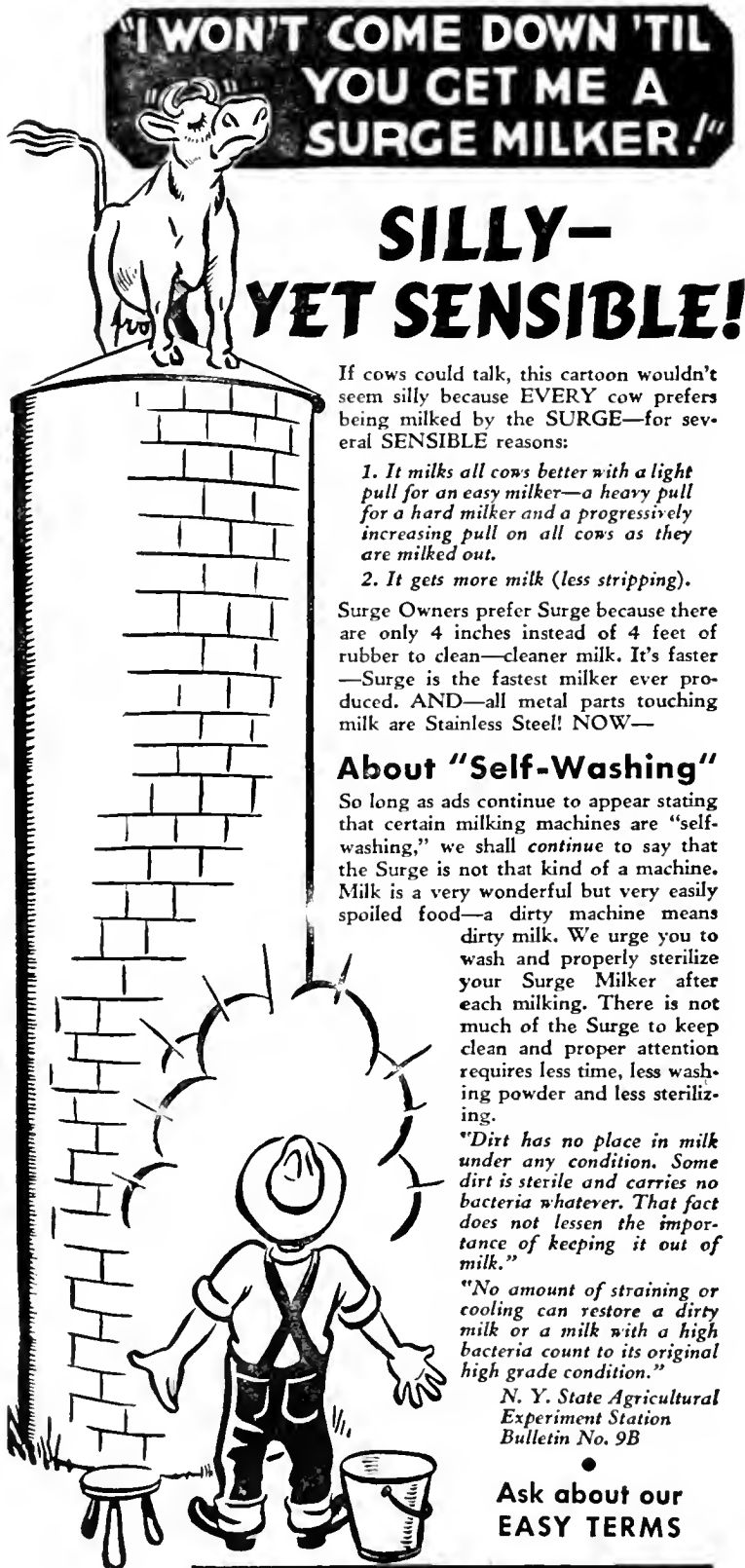
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Bulletin No. 9B*

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HISTORY OF THE VILLAGE OF TEUTOPOPOLIS

The village of Teutopolis is situated in the township of the same name, in the north-eastern part of Effingham County. Its main thoroughfare is the Cumberland, or Old National Road, traversing the state of Illinois between Terre Haute, Indiana, to St. Louis, Missouri. The St. Louis division of the Pennsylvania Railroad also passes through the town.

The German Land Company

The village of Teutopolis was founded by Catholic Germans who had immigrated from the kingdom of Hanover and the grand-duchy of Oldenburg and had made Cincinnati and vicinity their stopping-place before proceeding farther. "Some stayed six months, some a year, some five or six years, in order to earn sufficient means to pay for eighty or one hundred acres of government land and enough besides to start life thereon. The Catholic Germans came into the city at the rate of two hundred or more every day, and perhaps a tenth as many left the city every day, going to Ohio, Illinois, Missouri, Louisiana, and Wisconsin." Among these Ger-

mans, there were two brothers, Herman H. and Clement Uptmor, who had come to this country in the summer of 1834 and had found employment as carpenters at Cincinnati for



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two years, and at Vicksburg, Mississippi, for half a year, after which they returned to Cincinnati. Here Clement conceived the idea

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of organizing a company, to purchase government land in a state west of Ohio, and found a colony of Catholic Germans. Accordingly, he, with two or three others, about in 1837, organized the "German Land Company". In a short time, the number of members increased to nine, and finally to 141. Each member contributed \$10 monthly, until a sum was at hand sufficient to purchase a tract of land that seemed large enough for the purpose intended, and besides \$10 to defray the expenses of the Company. A committee of three was chosen to find land suitable for the colony. This committee, consisting of Clement Uptmor, John F. Waschefort, and Gerard H. Bergfeld, set out on April 17, 1837, visited several places in Indiana, crossed the state in the latitude of Vincennes, explored a large part of Illinois, and travelled as far west as Chillicothe, Missouri. Dissatisfied with the practice of slavery existing there, they returned to Illinois, passing through it near the latitude of Quincy and Jacksonville. Alton and Shelby County and the land near Mattoon were also examined, and finally proceeded to the land office at Vandalia, at that time the capitol of the

state. After carefully examining the books at the office, they decided to buy a tract of land mostly Government land in the north-



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eastern part of Effingham County, which they found to be sufficiently large and well covered with timber. They could, indeed, have found more fertile land near Mattoon,

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Illinois, etc., but, like most of their countrymen, they were ignorant of the virtue of the black soil and considered the prairie unsuitable for cultivation, partly because the prairie in their native land was such, partly because the prairie in these parts was swampy and without drainage. For the latter reason, the air of the prairie was certainly unwholesome, and for many years the early settlers were subject to the attacks of malaria fever. The committee was also guided in its choice of the land by the practical consideration of having sufficient wood for building purposes and for fuel.

Purchase of the Land

After an absence of fifteen weeks, the members of the committee returned to Cincinnati and made their report. At the suggestion of Mr. Clement Uptmor, the location of the land was not made known, lest any land shark take advantage of this knowledge and enrich himself at the expense of the prospective buyers. The committee also offered to lead any members of the Land Company who might be chosen to Effingham County, to enable them to inspect the land for themselves. Messrs. John Gerard Mey-

er, and Henry Roennebaum were chosen for the purpose. They were also commissioned to buy the land, if they found it satisfactory, and for this purpose the sum of \$16,000 was entrusted to them. Since railroad facilities were entirely lacking at that time, they, together with Messrs. Clement Uptmor, John F. Waschefort and Gerard Bergfeld, the first committee, set out from Cincinnati to Effingham County on foot, taking with them a single horse which they took turns in riding, and to the saddle of which they fastened the bags containing the money. Two of the party, well armed, walked at either side of the horse. They arrived at their destination without mishap at the end of June, 1838. Satisfied with the location and nature of the land, both committees proceeded to Vandalia, and on July 5 and 6, concluded all conditions necessary for the purchase of the land. The tract consisted of about 10,000 acres at \$1.25 an acre; forty acres, belonging largely to veterans of the Black Hawk War, were bought by Mr. Waschefort for \$5.00 an acre. Mr. Waschefort had been instructed to buy all the land in his name and to make out the deeds to the members of the Company.

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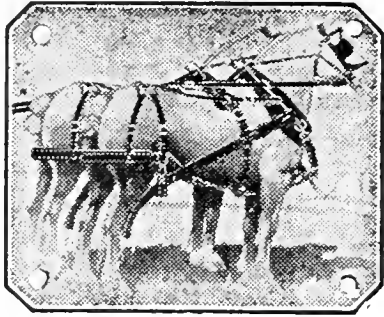
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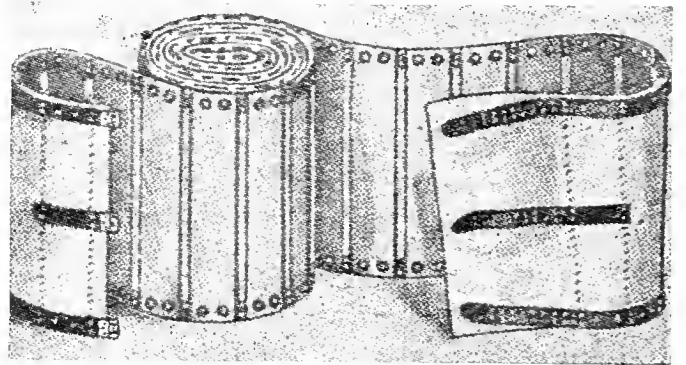
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Platting of the Land

Before returning to Cincinnati, Mr. Wm. J. Hankins, Effingham County Surveyor, was engaged and the purchased land was then surveyed and platted. The plat was recorded in the Superior Court, in Cincinnati, Ohio, on September 21, 1839.

ALLOTMENT OF THE LAND FOR VILLAGE OF TEUTOPOLIS

In the Fall of 1838, the allotment of the land took place in Cincinnati, in the old engine-house between Sixth and Seventh Streets. Slips of paper marked with numbers corresponding to those of the plat, designating 40 acres of farmland, the town lots,

*ORIGINAL MEMBERS

Of the German Land Company of Cincinnati, Ohio, 1838.

Arns (Arnzen?), Bernard Art, Hy.
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 Boving, John Fred.
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 Brockmann, Joseph
 Bietenhorn, Francis
 Berns, John
 Brockamp, Joseph
 Boving, John Herman
 Dreyer, Bernard Hy.
 Deters, Ger. Hy.
 Decken (?), Herman Hy.
 Determann, Hy.
 Frieling, John
 Frommeyer, Fred
 Feldhacke, Joseph
 Frey, Joseph

and garden lots, were placed in a hat; and each member of the Company received the land and lots marked on the slip which he drew from the hat. Mr. John F. Waschefort then, in behalf of the Company, made out the necessary deeds. Now the location of the land was made known. One of the Committee had been sent to Vandalia to purchase land for the three members of the original committee.

The following is the list of the members of the Company, who shared in the allotment of the land. The list is taken from a notebook of Mr. Clement Uptmor, one of the Directors of the Company at Teutopolis since January, 1840.

Goos (Gohs?), John Mathias
 Grobmeyer, Rudolph
 Grobmeyer, Hy.
 Grunkemeyer, John Hy.
 Hille, Anna Maria
 Hahnhorst, Ger. Hy.
 Hille, Bernard Hy.
 Hussmann, Anton
 Hille, John Hy.
 Huelle, Conrad
 Hahnhorst (?), Dietrich
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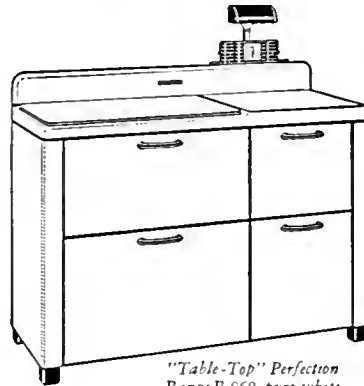
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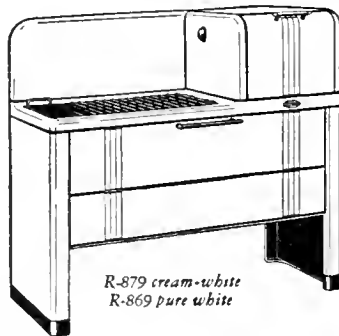
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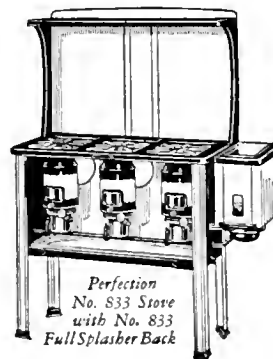
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 Kreke, Arnold
 Keyser, Joseph
 Krieg, Joseph
 Kenter, Herman
 Korfhagen, John Ger.
 Kleyne, Joseph
 Kabbes, John Hy.
 Kuenne, Albert
 Klaene (Klone?), Hy.
 Kark, Jacob John
 Koemppe, Joseph
 Church and School
 Krieg, Bernard
 Luegers, Hy.
 Lange, Gerard
 Losekamp, Hy.
 Meyer, Francis
 Mesch, Joseph
 Macke, Fred
 Moritz (Morits?), Joseph
 Moritz, Christopher
 Meyer, Gerard
 Meyer, Francis
 Mindrup, John Hy.
 Mette, Joseph
 Meyer, Hy. Joseph
 Mayer, Clem
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 Norre (Nurre?), Bernard
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 Rolfes, Wm.
 Rehkamp, Herm. Hy.
 Roecken, Gerard
 Renschen, John Hy.
 Rickelmann, Herm. Hy.
 Riesenbeck, Bernard
 Rabe, John H. Jos.
 J. H. Rabe and H. H. Uptmor
 Rabe, John Hy.
 Schulte, Rudolph
 Stuckenborg, Joseph
 Schulte (Schuette?), Gerard
 Schwegmann, Jos.
 Schoenhoeft, Christian
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 Sander, Casper Geo.
 Schriewer, Francis
 Thies, Theo.
 Tobe, John (Wessel?)

Thoele, Peter
 Tongemann (Tangemann?), Bern.
 Thoele, Anton
 Thoele, Dietrich
 Thoelking, Albert
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 Uptmor, John H.
 Uptmor, Herm. H.
 Uptmor, C. and H. H.
 Uptmor, Maria Anna
 Uptmor, Clem
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 Vennemann, Ger.
 Vennemann, 3rd Anthony
 Vorke, Otto
 Vennemann, Jos.
 Vennemann, Anthony, 1st
 Vennemann, Theo.
 Vennemann, Anthony, 2nd
 Vormor, John H.
 Waschefort, Casper
 Welage, Joseph
 Westendorf, Joseph
 Wempe, H. H.
 Windhaus, Ger.
 Wernsing, Hy.
 Wempe, H. H.
 Waschefort, John Ferd.
 Zumbrink, Anthony
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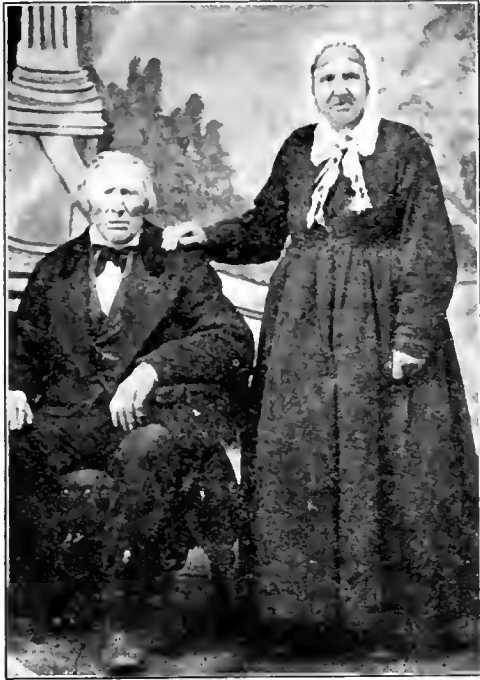
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The next to come from Cincinnati in 1839, perhaps in April, were: Joseph Boeckmann, G. H. Niemann, H. Bruemmer, and Joseph Ostendorf. Mr. Clement Uptmor, the founder of the Land Company, who in September, 1839, married Miss Mary E. Niehaus at Cincinnati; Mr. Clement Vahling and wife; and Herman H. Uptmor reached the present site of Teutopolis on December 21 of the same year. To find shelter against the severe cold, they occupied a pen which probably belonged to Mr. Radley, and from which they had driven the animals kept in it. This pen

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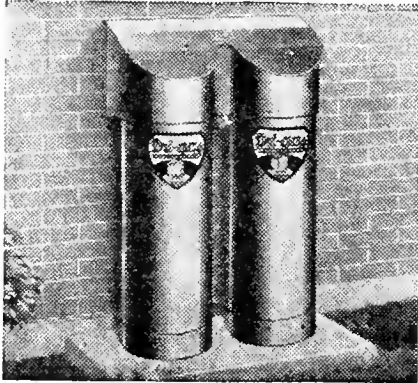
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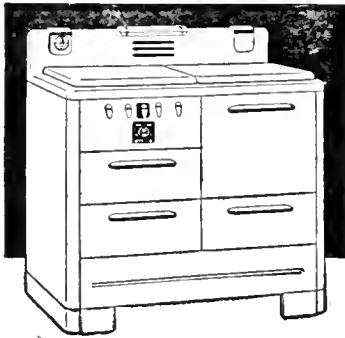


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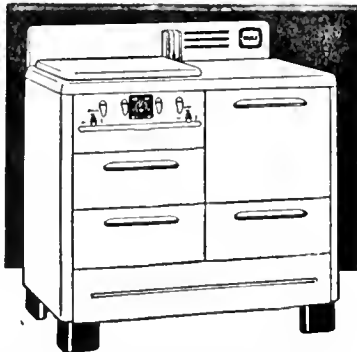


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stood about half a mile northeast of the present church. Next day, they began the building of a log house for Mr. Clement Vahling, in which the three families lived until each had a house of its own. Frank Maurice Masquelet, B. H. Vogt, Joseph Woermann, John Steinkes, and Jacob Doedtmann came at the end of 1839 or at the beginning of 1840.

In January, 1840, the Directors of the Land Company at Cincinnati, Ohio, were the following gentlemen: John H. Buddeke, G. H. Bergfeld, John Mathias Gohs, John Roennebaum, John Albert Kuemmer, Arnold Kreke, Ben H. Brockmann, and J. H. Plasspohl. These empowered Clement Uptmor, Joseph Boeckmann, and Herman Bergfeld, who, on January 19, 1840, had been chosen Directors of the Company for Teutopolis, to admit new members into the Company. The following were admitted at Teutopolis under the usual conditions, and also contributed \$10 toward the building of a church: Anthony Pundsack, Clement Pundsack, Joseph Pundsack, J. B. Tebbe, Jacob Doethmann, Joseph Frederick Osterhaus, Clement Niehaus, Joseph B. Brummer, Bernard Suer, An-

thony Dodenkamp, and Henry Kremer. Other old settlers were: Joseph, Bernard, Henry, and George Koester, Ferd. Braun, Joseph Feldhake, Mathias Moenning, Bernard Deters, Fred Grimming, Arnold Kreke, Henry Herboth, B. Mindrup, J. F. Kenter, etc.

Mr. John F. Waschefort, one of the members of the Committee which selected and bought the land, settled at Teutopolis in March, 1840. B. H. Suer, (Bernard) Ahrens, Henry Gerdes, and (John G.) Korfhagen came in 1841; B. H. Mindrup, (Herman) Kenter and J. Herboth in 1842. Many others arrived during the next years. Some made their way from Cincinnati overland, partly by stage, partly on foot; others made use of the steamboats as far as Evansville, Ind.; others, again, passed down the Ohio and up the Mississippi to St. Louis, and thence followed the National Road to their destination. Some, coming directly from Germany, landed at New Orleans, and from that city travelled by boat to Cincinnati or to St. Louis and thence overland to Teutopolis."

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Organization meeting was held on January 30th, 1939 and they were officially presented a charter on Thursday, Feb. 16th, 1939.

The first officers to be elected were as follows:

Albert Hewing, President,
Ben Weber, Sr., Vice-President,
Hubert V. Weis, 2nd Vice-President,
Herman J. Runde, 3rd Vice-President,
Ralph Koelsch, Secretary,
Albert Hawickhorst, Treasurer,
Dr. F. L. Weber, Lion Tamer,
Dr. H. B. Runde, Tail Twister.

Jos. G. Habing, Jr., and Quintin Siemer were elected directors for one year while Francis Hardiek and August Schultz were made directors for two years.

The following business men were included as charter members: M. Genolin, J. H. Griffin, Jos. G. Habing, Jr., Albert Hawickhorst, Francis Hardiek, Albert Hewing, R. J. Koelsch, Art Niemeyer, H. J. Runde, Dr. H. B. Runde, Jos. B. Siemer, Aug. Schultz, Ben H. Weber, Chas. F. Weber, Ben Weber, Hubert V. Weis, John J. Weis, Dr. F. L. Weber, John H. Probst, Quintin Siemer and Wm. L. Gabel. Dusty Rhodes joined the club later.

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2nd Row from Top:—Allie Kemme, Mike Graser, Ed Busse, Albert Adam, Edward Borries.

3rd Row from Top:—Name Unknown, Frank (Barney) Jurgens, John Buenker, Alf Meyers, Leo Adam, Ferd Schlanser.

4th Row from Top:—Louis Adam, Ferd Poeppelmeyer, Clem Schleper, Lawrence Willenborg, Frank Reuter.

2nd Row from Bottom:—John H. Probst, August Brumleve, Walter Niehaus, Harry Pruemmer, Allen Brewer.

Bottom Row:—Louis Knabe, Carl Von Oy, Leo Bourgeois, Ferd Schoenhoff, Sylvester Brumleve, Ralph Brumleve.



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Top Row:—Ferd Zerrusen, Harry Jurgens, Edward Buenker, Jos. Brey.

2nd Row from Top:—John H. Probst, Allie Thoele, Frank Bertram, Wm. Thoele, Ed Fun-
neman.

3rd Row from Top:—Fred Gardewine, Ben Althoff, Edw. Willenborg, Albert Schoenhoff,
Wm. Kahtz, Lawrence Thoele.

4th Row from Top:—Anthony Broeringsmeyer, Edw. Poepelmeyer, Hubert Adam, Joseph
Schoenhoff, Edw. Pruemer.

2nd Row from Bottom:—Edward Kliesner, Jos. Hess, John Hawickhorst, Louis Kahtz,
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Bottom Row:—Harry Esker, Alf Esker, Allie Schmidt, Herman Runde, Ben H. Weber.

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Jos. G. Habing, Lion Tamer.

All other officers being re-elected.

This new civic club of Teutopolis is sponsoring the Centennial Celebration and the entire community has responded 100 per cent in helping put the "Once in 100 Years" event over in a big way under their guidance. A big task indeed for a new organization.

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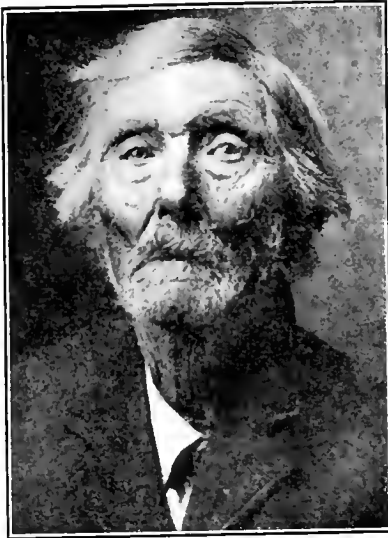
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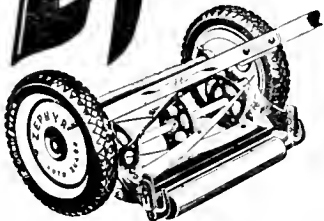
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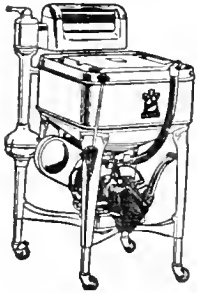
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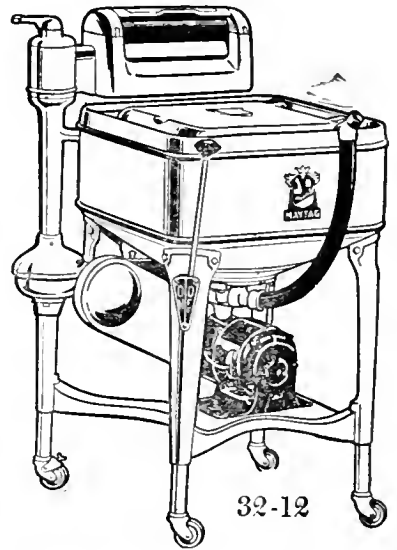
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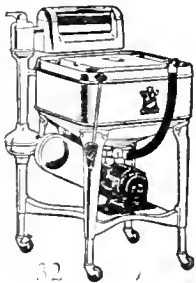
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NARRATION.

Fanfare.

"Ladies and gentlemen, we bid you welcome."

Fanfare.

"With music and marching we present, "Once in a Hundred Years."

Fanfare.

(Curtains on insert stage opens).

"Her majesty the Queen . . . Miss Teutopolis . . . and her attendants."

(Pause until Queen and attendants parade to the microphone).

(Curtains on insert stage open again).

"Miss Columbia and retinue arrive."

(Pause while Miss Columbia and retinue parade to the microphone).

(Pause while Queen and Miss Columbia give salutes as they return to their positions with group).

"The Queen and her court now enter court of honor where they view the spectacle."

EPISODE 1.

(During black out).

"In the beginning, God created Heaven and the earth, and darkness was upon the face of the deep, and God said, "Let there be light,"—(as the lights come up)—and there was light.

(Pause).

"In this symbolic ballet, we see the beginning of life upon the earth. At first everything is lifeless and inert, and the darkness spread everywhere, but with the coming of light, the land, the sky, the mist, the flowers, the forest, and rivers become vibrant with life and arise in rhythmic movement expressing the joy and glory of life.

(Pause—until gun shots).

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EPISODE 2.

Arrest of the Arch Bishop

A little more than a century ago a troop of soldiers marched through the streets of Cologne and came to a halt at the residence of the Arch Bishop.

(Pause).

They surrounded him and placed him under arrest.

(Pause).

“They took him to prison in the fortress of Mindem. Then began the rule of a Prussian. The church bells were to be rung according to the government orders. Candles were to be lighted according to the state’s prescription. All bishops were to be elected when and where the prince saw fit. The Church lands, in most cases, went to some public domains. The cry was, “All for Caesar.” So seeking relief from famine and illness, and the rising ferment of revolution that plagued them, they looked beyond the seas to a country where man could worship God in peace. But they not only looked, but they went.

(Pause).

Packing their most cherished possessions, their precious valuables, they departed to a land where freedom of worship would be theirs.”

EPISODE 3.

Indian Scene.

(Scout enters and signals tribe to enter).

“The first inhabitants of this country were the red Indians, the actual origin of whom is a matter of considerable dispute. They were an ignorant and superstitious lot, having many strange customs and beliefs. Their wanderings from place to place made their

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numbers seem far more numerous than actually the case. They were a serious barrier to the development of the land when the first white men arrived. We see here a band of Kickapoo Indians who belong to the powerful Algonquin tribe, who had earlier split into two tribes. In about 1750 they drifted into Illinois and united. The squaws go about setting up the camp as the Chief and braves prepare for one of their rituals."

(Pause while fire is lighted).

"The fire having been kindled, the Medicine Man presents the peace pipe to the Chief who in turn offers it to the cardinal spirits, as all chant the ritual. "To the North, our father . . . to the South, our mother . . . to the East wind . . . to the West wind . . . peace."

(Continue as pipe is passed).

"There is a beautiful legend of the beginning among the Indians."

"In the Heavens above the Heavens lived the timeless beings. Here the gods and heroes lived and loved and danced through time before all time. Among these were Auoda, the beautiful, and Manitou, the hunter. And there was no sun, nor moon, but light was

given by the yellow flowers on the tree of light. But Auoda, the beautiful, ate one of the flowers, and Manitou hurled her down from the Heavens above the Heavens. Auoda fell for a thousand years and where she fell there appeared an island which became America. There her son Hiawatha was born and it was dark.

In a cave, Hiawatha found a golden ball and in play he hurled it from the mouth of the cave with all his might. It sailed across the sky and sank into the ocean. But Azouci, the witch, cast a spell upon it so that it returned to Hiawatha to be hurled again each morning. Thus the sun was born . . . and Manitou, taking pity added the moon while the sun was under the sea. And he created the trees, and flowers, and animals. Corn and tobacco for the calumet. And America was beautiful.

(Pause until pipe is returned to Chief).

"This serious business being finished, the chiefs and braves begin a dance, for dancing was one of the joys of their lives. The dance starts slowly, but gains in its tempo until it becomes wild and uncontrolled."

(Pause until dance ends).



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"The braves break into small groups, some shoot with bows and arrows, others wrestling in friendly contest. Still others begin a game for stakes, for the Indians were inveterate gamblers."

(Pause).

"An argument develops among the gamblers who start to quarrel. . . The dispute is taken to the chief who orders a race to be run, and the winner of which is to receive the disputed stake."

(Pause).

"A squaw approaches the chief to tell him that her child is sick. . . The Chief orders the child to be brought to the camp fire so that the Medicine Man may minister to him."

(Pause).

"The Medicine Man sprinkles the child with herbs and wild gestures. The child probably would have recovered anyway, he had eaten too many green berries, but the simple faith of the Indians made it a profitable business to be a Medicine Man, for the squaw pays him his fee in corn."

(Pause).

"A scout warns the camp that a large body of white men are approaching, and the braves prepare to defend the camp.

(Pause as Pioneer Scouts arrive).

'Halt,' says the Chief.

'We come in peace,' say the scouts.

'Then come and sit by our fire in peace, and we will talk. What is it that our white brothers want?' says the Chief.

'We buy land, oh Chief, and make our homes among these green fields.'

The pipe of peace is passed and finally a bargain is struck, and one of the white men returns to the homesteaders while the other remains with the Indian, who prepare to share their land with the white men."

EPISODE 4.

Pioneer Scene.

"Illinois was first explored by Europeans in the first half of the 18th century, but it was not until the passage of the Ordinance

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of 1737, which later became the first ten amendments to the Constitution of the United States of America, that it was generally settled. Here we see an early group of those hardy pioneers who came literally, to carve themselves a home. They are received by the Indians in a friendly manner and prepare to make this new land their home.

(Pause while Pioneer family come in).

"The Pioneers begin the task of making their homes. . . Household articles are set out, women do their homely tasks of washing clothes, while others prepare the evening meal. Later deciding that this location is satisfactory, they decide to send a committee of five men back to Cincinnati, to a Land Grant meeting to buy claim of the territory. At this Land Grant meeting the committee-men namely were: John Gerald Meyer, John H. Roennebaum, Clement Uptmor, John F. Waschefort, and Gerald Bergfeld. Placing the money, for the land of their future homes, in the saddle bags, the five men start back to Cincinnati. . . The women pack their belongings in bags, place them in the wagons, and being good Pioneers, they see that there is not a spark left in the camp fire."

(Exit wagons).

EPISODE 5.

Land Grant Scene.

"Upon their arrival at Cincinnati they discuss with the Board of the Land Company, a deed for 10,000 acres of land. They engaged William J. Hankins, surveyor, to survey the plot of land designating it into 40 acre farms, town lots, and garden lots.

(Pause).

They place in a hat, slips of paper with numbers corresponding to the land for farming and to the lots. Each man draws.

(Pause).

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(Pause).

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EPISODE 6.

"Early in 1839 the main way of travel was overland from Cincinnati, partly by stage, partly by foot, and then by steamboat as far as Evansville, Indiana. Others passed down the Ohio, up the Mississippi to St. Louis, and then followed the National Road. Some families, coming directly from Germany, landed at New Orleans, and from there traveled to Cincinnati or St. Louis. From there they came overland by stage to Teutopolis. The stage running between St. Louis and Indianapolis carried both mail and passengers. Teutopolis, being the main stop to change horses and to give the passengers plenty of time for refreshments. The villagers made quite an event of the honor of having the stage coach stop in their village. At the sound of the stage coach horn, the villagers and farmers would gather around to welcome them to town. The women were quite interested in seeing the lady passengers as that was practically the only way they had to keep up with the styles of the East and West.

(Pause).

"After exchange of greetings with the drivers and passengers they would return to their duties at home and wait for the arrival of the next stage coach.

EPISODE 7.

Marriage Scene.

Marriages in the early days of Effingham County were of interest to the entire community and one of the few really social events. Romance quite naturally played a large part in the life of the early settlers, though sometimes, they had to wait quite a while after deciding to get married, for Teutopolis was without a resident priest for many months.

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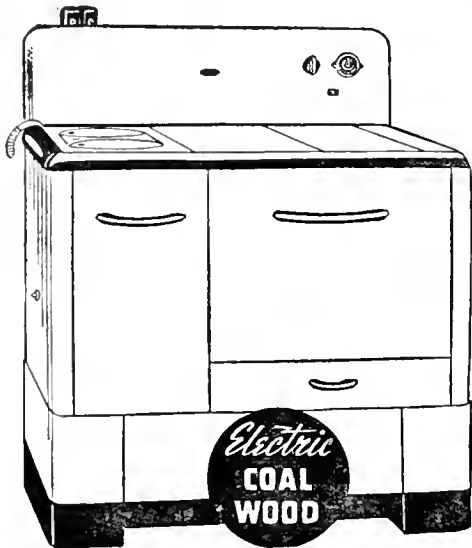
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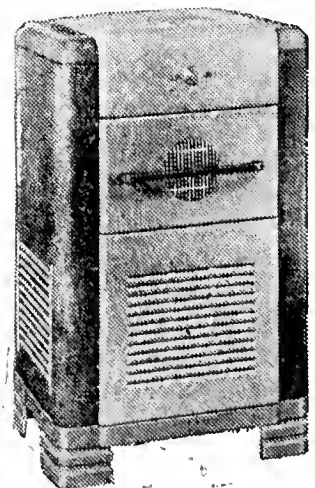


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One was that of the rider, (Hochtieds Bitter) when the day of the wedding had been set. Guests were invited usually on a Tuesday before the ceremony. The invitations were extended by the best man who, mounted on a ribbon-bedecked horse, himself wearing a ribbon in his hat, rode through the village and over the country side to the homes of those to be invited. Arriving at the designated home, he would recite verses and ask for a ribbon for his hat or staff and if he was given two, he would tie the second on the bridle of his horse.

(Pause).

Then he went his way to another home."

Scene 2.

"Another custom was that of the girl friends of the bride, carrying a long garland or wreath of flowers to the home of the bride the day of the wedding. These garlands or wreaths were made of flowers, corn husks, evergreens or paper flowers. Entering her home, and placing the garland or wreath before her on the floor, one of the girls would extend wishes of happiness, long life, and health to the couple about to be married."

(Pause).

"This was then given to the bride-to-be who invited her guests to stay and dance. By the time this was over the young men of the village and the groom arrived."

(Pause).

"After refreshing themselves with wine and beer, they danced the Old Virginia Reel."

(Pause).

"After the dance the bride and groom departs among a lot of goodbys and good wishes for the Church."

EPISODE 8.

Three Kings.

"The feast of Epiphany, also called the feast of the Three Holy Kings, which is celebrated on January 5th, commemorates the coming of the Three Wise Men from the East

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when Christ was born. They were led by a wondrous star called the Star of Bethlehem. They first came to Jerusalem and sought the new-born King at Herod's palace. King Herod, however, after consulting the Jewish priests, where the promised Messiah was to be born, directed the Wise Men to Bethlehem. These following the guidance of the star found the Divine Infant with Mary, His mother and St. Joseph. And falling on their knees they adored the Christ Child and opening their treasures they offered Him gifts—gold, francincense and myrrh. To commemorate this event it has been customary here at Teutopolis since the eighties for four men to serenade the various homes and surrounding places at Epiphany time dressed up as the three Wise Men with the fourth man playing the accordian and to narrate in music and song the adoration of the Christ Child.

(Pause).

Upon receiving a little treat the serenaders extend their best wishes to their host and the black King sweeps all misfortunes out of the doors.

EPISODE 9.

Cornerstone.

“Cornerstone of the first church was laid July 20, 1851. When it became apparent that the little log church that had served the parish for a number of years would have to be replaced with a larger edifice, much disharmony arose over the location, though it was finally announced that the spot that was chosen by the Reverend Oliver Van de Velde, second Bishop of Chicago, would be the one used. The Bishop and his companions were met at Freemanton and they went to the church and laid the cornerstone. The National Road was festooned with three arches of flowers. On the following day people from the surrounding country side arrived at 9:00 for a procession headed by the children of the parish and the other members of St. Peter's parish, all wearing badges. Then the Bishop and his attendants; and last, the women. Under a canopy the Arch Bishop attended by the Rev. J. F. Fischer, the Rev.

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Joseph Zoegel and the Rev. F. Busschots proceeded with the ceremonies of the laying of the cornerstone of the new church.

(Pause—leave for the old church).

Afterward High Mass was sung in the old church, and dinner was served near the foundation of the new church. Vespers were sung following the Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament by the Bishop. That night citizens had a torchlight parade going to the priest's residence to thank the Bishop and his attendants.

EPISODE 10.

Arrival of the Franciscans.

In the year 1857 the Rt. Reverend Henry Damian Juncker, first Bishop of Alton made his visit to Rome. On his return he passed through Germany where he asked the Very Rev. Provincial, Gregory Janknecht to send some Franciscans to labor in his diocese. Of the many Fathers and Brothers who volunteered to go to America the following were

chosen: Fr. Damian Henneweg, Fr. Capistran Zwinge, Fr. Servatius Altmicks, Bro. Irenaeus Drewes, Bro. Paschal Kutche, Bro. Marian Beile, Bro. Julius Schmaenck and the two Tertiaries Edmund Wilde and Hermann Uphoff. Making the journey in the religious habit of St. Francis they left the convent of Warendorf on Aug. 24, 1858, and after a long and tiresome journey they landed in New York on Sept. 14th. On the following day they set out for Alton which they reached on Sept. 21st. The Rt. Rev. Bishop at once assigned Teutopolis to them as their first American Mission. Accompanied by the Bishop's secretary, Fr. Menke, they arrived at Teutopolis late at night on Sept. 23rd. Fr. Bartels, who was then pastor at Teutopolis received them kindly and showed them great hospitality. On the vigil of St. Francis, Sunday, Oct. 3rd, Fr. Bartels turned the parish over to the Franciscans. The house consisting of two rooms and an adjoining kitchen served as quarters for the nine Friars until a new monastery could be built. Straw-sacks were spread out for the night's rest and were removed again in the morning to make room for the day. Every morning at a quarter to

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four the Friars rose for prayer and meditation and then with lantern in hand they proceeded to the church to read Holy Mass. The road to the church was poor and, in rainy weather, almost impassible. The church itself was still unfinished and was being plastered, the altar was a poor, temporary makeshift and the melodeon stood in the sanctuary. In winter it was cold because they did not have any stoves at that time. Eight days before Christmas the Friars moved into the little frame monastery which was erected near the church.

In December the Fathers held a parish mission at Teutopolis and in the following spring they introduced the Forty Hours' Devotion and erected the Stations of the Cross. As soon as circumstances permitted they introduced the various other popular devotions and finally in 1864, just 75 years ago, they established the Third Order of St. Francis in the parish. The people of Teutopolis generously responded to the efforts of the First Franciscans and thus their arrival was accompanied by the most gratifying results and signal blessings.

The activities of the Pioneer Franciscans were, however, not limited to St. Francis Parish at Teutopolis. They also began to conduct missions in the surrounding parishes with great success. Moreover, adjacent parishes and, later on, more distant parishes were entrusted to their charge until in the course of time their field of action extended from Cleveland, Ohio, in the East to the Pacific coast in the West and from the Dominion of Canada on the North to the boundaries of Mexico on the South. They did not only administer to the needs of the faithful but also brought tidings of salvation to the native Indians and to the inhabitants of far-off China.

Finally the Fathers at once established their Novitiate in the monastery which has charge of St. Francis Church and three years later in 1861 laid foundation to St. Joseph's College and Seminary which has maintained a high reputation as a seat of learning giving bishops and priests to the Church and successful laymen in the various walks of life.

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EPISODE 11.

First Railroad in Teutopolis.

"Gimminy creepers! Here she comes! Look at 'er! Look at 'er come! They'll never be able to stop 'er! I tell ye, they'll never stop 'er!"

That excited old farmer doing the shouting was one of the great crowd that gathered in Teutopolis on that hot June day in 1879, when the first railroad came up from Vandalia to Teutopolis. People from all the surrounding territories had to be present for the great event. Some had driven all the night before to get to Teutopolis in time, and others, already on the ground, had refused to go to bed for fear the train might come in and they would miss seeing it.

There was almost hysterical excitement and men shouted themselves hoarse as the astounding iron horse puffed its way through the heart of the town.

(Pause).

"They did stop 'er, but gosh! they'll never start 'er agin'," was the shout of the doubting old farmer as the engine came to a halt at the little old depot. However, start ag'in it did, to the great joy of the people who thronged the street about the track.

EPISODE 12.

The Gay '90's.

"While strolling through the park one day. Hark ye back to the good old days when Pa courted Ma and the horses knew the way back home! Those were the days when the fledgelings were still in the nest! Do you remember the kindly policeman whom every kid in the block wanted to grow up to be? Remember the popular peanut vender and the itinerant photographer who once in a

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Daisy, Daisy, give me your promise do,

I'm half crazy all thro want of you

It won't be a stylish marriage

I can't afford a carriage,

But you'll look sweet, upon the seat

Of a bicycle built for two.

Now then ma'm, keep your eye on those youngsters! Don't let them drink too much pink lemonade or eat too much popcorn.

Mother, Mother, may I go out to swim?

Yes, my darling daughter, hang your clothes on a hickory limb, but don't go near the water.

The fledgeling is growing! Say, why don't you get a horse?

I tell you, neighbor, that contraption is just a passing fancy. No siree!! Congress will make a law about those things! The idea! Scaring a person half to death and whizzing over the roads at fifteen miles an hour! It's a scandal!

But what has happened? Has there been an accident? She must have used a hickory tree too near to the water! Ha, our noble life guards have the situation well in hand! Some one hurry with a barrel to roll her on!

Catch her Oscar! You know Nellie can't stand even the sight of a mouse in a trap!

(Airplane noise).

What's that strange sound? Listen! Look—Look! There—up in the sky! It is! It is!—The fledgeling has grown wings! See! There it goes! It's that new fangled hick-ma-gig those boys from Dayton built! And gosh! the thing really stays up in the air.

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EPISODE 13.

World War—American Legion.

Teutopolis, loyal and patriotic, did her share in the World War, by sending her young men to fight for their country, and by contributing to Liberty Loans and Drives. It was not long after our entrance into the conflict that 18 boys from here had gone into service, and after it was over, there were 70.

They had a Loyalty Meeting in the Society Hall in which the people and their Pastor vied in making a magnificent success. So large was the assembly that they had to remain outside of the Hall. The Rev. Pastor Theodosius blessed the service flag, consisting of 18 stars—one being a gold star. The College Orchestra and St. Francis Church Choir provided the musical part of the program and at the close, two sailor boys, Henry Wessel and Al Wentz, (the latter of Lillyville) hoisted Old Glory to the top of the flag staff in front of the Hall. Loyal to the end these buddies pay their final tribute to the man who served his country to make it a better place to live in.

(Pause until after taps)

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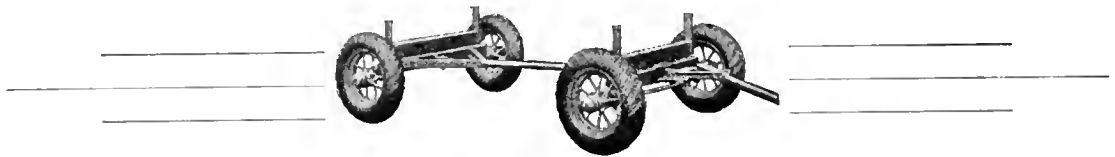
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(Pause till wheel stops).

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And the rockets' red glare
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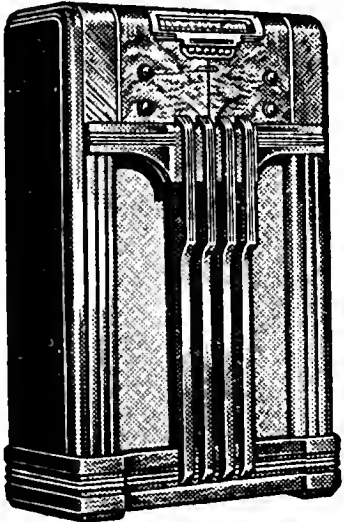
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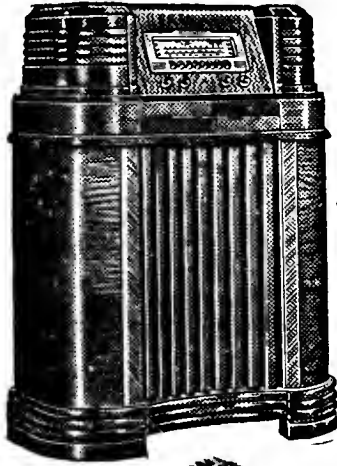
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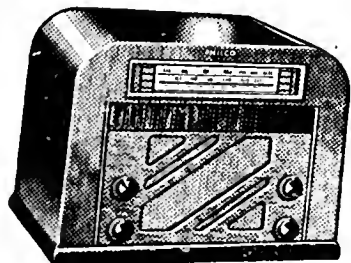


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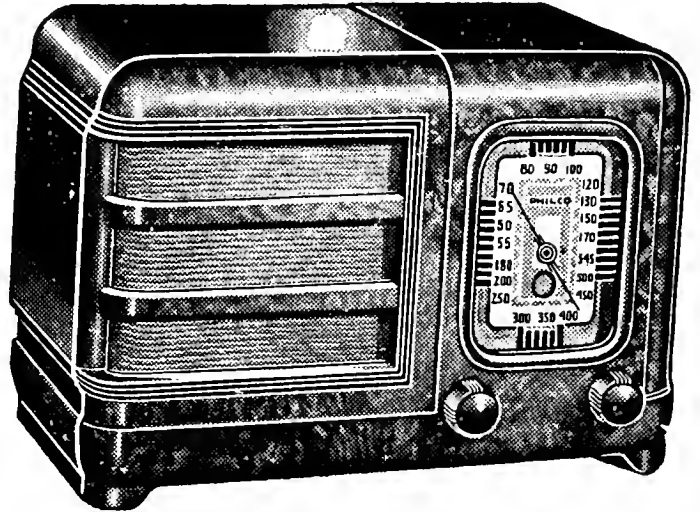
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