

REAL "UNCLE SAM" BURIED IN NOBLE COUNTY

Original Uncle Sam, Described In Tradition, Buried Near Kendallville

Kendallville, Ind., Feb. 29—(UPI)—Kendallville, the original "Uncle Sam" of the United States, is buried in a little cemetery near Merriam, Noble county. Mrs. Louise B. Young, of Kendallville, announces after an investigation which included interviews with Wilson's son, John M. Wilson, 83, and grand-daughter of Mrs. Clara Zumbro, both living at Albion. The family of "Uncle Sam" describes the beginning of the tradition as follows:

During the war of 1812, Samuel Wilson was employed in marking goods for the government, his superior being Elbert Anderson. He marked packages "E. A. U. S." For sometime he had been known as Uncle Sam among associates.

One day when a longshoreman was asked the meaning of "E. A. U. S." he replied:

"For Elbert Anderson, the commissary, and Uncle Sam, his superintendent, for he and the United States are all one. He represents the government, too."

IN MEMORIAM

We, physicians start out in life's work with a joyous and a hopeful company, and as the years hurry by our ranks are thinned and life increases in loneliness and uncertainty. "Death is a solemn and mysterious event." It comes to all alike, young or old, humble or great. Its pangs may be short, or prolonged for months even. It comes to all alike, young mystery deepens and the more so when one in the prime of manhood slips away from us. Our friend and co-worker, Dr. Charles Giffen Beall left us on the seventh of this month. He was courteous, honest, intelligent, being satisfied only with the very best for the welfare of his patients. We shall miss him much.

Therefore in memory of him, we by a unanimous vote extend to his bereaved family our sincere sympathy in their deep sorrow, and that also these resolutions be entered upon the minutes of the Adams County Medical Society in regular session this twenty-eighth day of February nineteen nineteen and twenty-eight.

Attest: Frank W. Lose, President
C. H. Branch, Secretary.

Wouldn't It?

It would be grand if, when a fellow was down and out, his creditors were forced to take neutral corners and wait until he had again gotten on his feet.—Louisville Times.

KONJOLA BROUGHT NEW HEALTH ALL OVER HER SYSTEM

Relieved Of Neuritis Pains And Kidney Troubles States This Lady



MRS. CLARA A. MCINTIRE
"I strongly endorse Konjola because it brought new health all over my body and completely ended my neuritis pains and kidney trouble," said Mrs. Clara A. McIntire of Niles, Mich. (near South Bend, Ind.)

"My condition was brought on by a case of influenza. Most of my trouble was from sluggish liver and disordered kidneys. My back was full of pains and I suffered all the time from neuritis in my arms and limbs. I often had to limp around like a cripple. I never got a good night's rest because of my weak kidneys. I finally decided to get Konjola for my stomach and kidneys. I felt a change almost at once and when I had finished two bottles, my stomach and kidneys were normal. The neuritis pains are gone now and I feel that the medicine is worth its weight in gold for that reason alone."

"I owe all my new health to Konjola and I am only too glad to recommend it to others."

Konjola is sold in Decatur at Smith Yager & Falk drug store, and by all druggists throughout this section.

Blamed for Murder



The late Mrs. Smith T. Petty (above), who died shortly after the murder of her husband in Wentworth, N. C., has been accused of slaying him with an axe. The revelation was made by the daughter, Mrs. Alma Petty Gatlin, while on trial for the slaying. Mrs. Gatlin claims she took the blame to "save her mother's soul."

(International Newsreel)

NEWS FROM MAGLEY

By Miss Theo Bauer

Miss Betty Dettinger, of Fort Wayne and Mrs. Wilson Dettinger and daughter Mary called on Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dettinger Sunday.

Miss Irene Girod spent Wednesday with Mrs. Fred Schlickman.

The Markle, Tocino, Decatur, Uniondale and Magley sections of the Erie railroad unloaded cinders east of here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Koehr and daughter, Margaret, and son Homer of Sturgis, Michigan, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Koehr's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Frauhiger.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Girod spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schlickman.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Kleinknight and daughter, Vera Jane, of Decatur, spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schlickman.

Several members of the Magley Reformed Church called on Rev. and Mrs. Brether and buzzed wood Monday afternoon.

The Wayne Hardware Co's representative Mr. Elmore was a business caller Monday.

A good crowd attended the sale of Harry Franbiger, last Friday.

A number of the Magley people attended the last basketball game between Kirkland and Union Center, at Kirkland, Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dettinger were callers in Decatur Monday evening.

The Misses Edna, Ida and Esther Borne and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Jaberg were shoppers in Fort Wayne Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Hildebrand entertained for dinner Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Beach and son Neff, Mrs. Fredia Diller and sons James and Donald, Mrs. Carrie Bracht and Mr. Vernon Bracht all of Fort Wayne.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Bloemker, Mr. and Mrs. John Peters, and Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Scherry called on Mr. and Mrs. Edward Jaberg Sunday.

A surprise party was held at the home of Louis Worthman last Sunday. Mr. Worthman celebrated his sixtieth birthday. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Martin Worthman and family, Miss Berdardine Kolter Mr. and Mrs. John Hilgeman and family Miss Amanda Worthman, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Scherry and daughter Vera Jane, Rev. and Mrs. David Grether and family and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Worthman received many presents. After dinner.

Miss Emma Hilgeman called on Mr. and Mrs. Milton Scherry Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bloemker entertained for dinner Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. William Worthman, Mrs. Worthman, of Decatur, and Mrs. Henry Weilman.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bloemker and Mr. and Mrs. William Worthman called on Mr. and Mrs. Edward Jaberg Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. William Worthman entertained Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bloemker Thursday evening at supper.

Mr. Fred Bloemker helped Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bloemker butcher Tuesday.

Mrs. James Hoffman and son, of Decatur, were entertained for supper Monday evening by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bloemker.

Miss Nina Miller and Mr. Harry Ross, of Wren, Ohio, took supper Sunday evening with George Miller and daughter Emma and Olive.

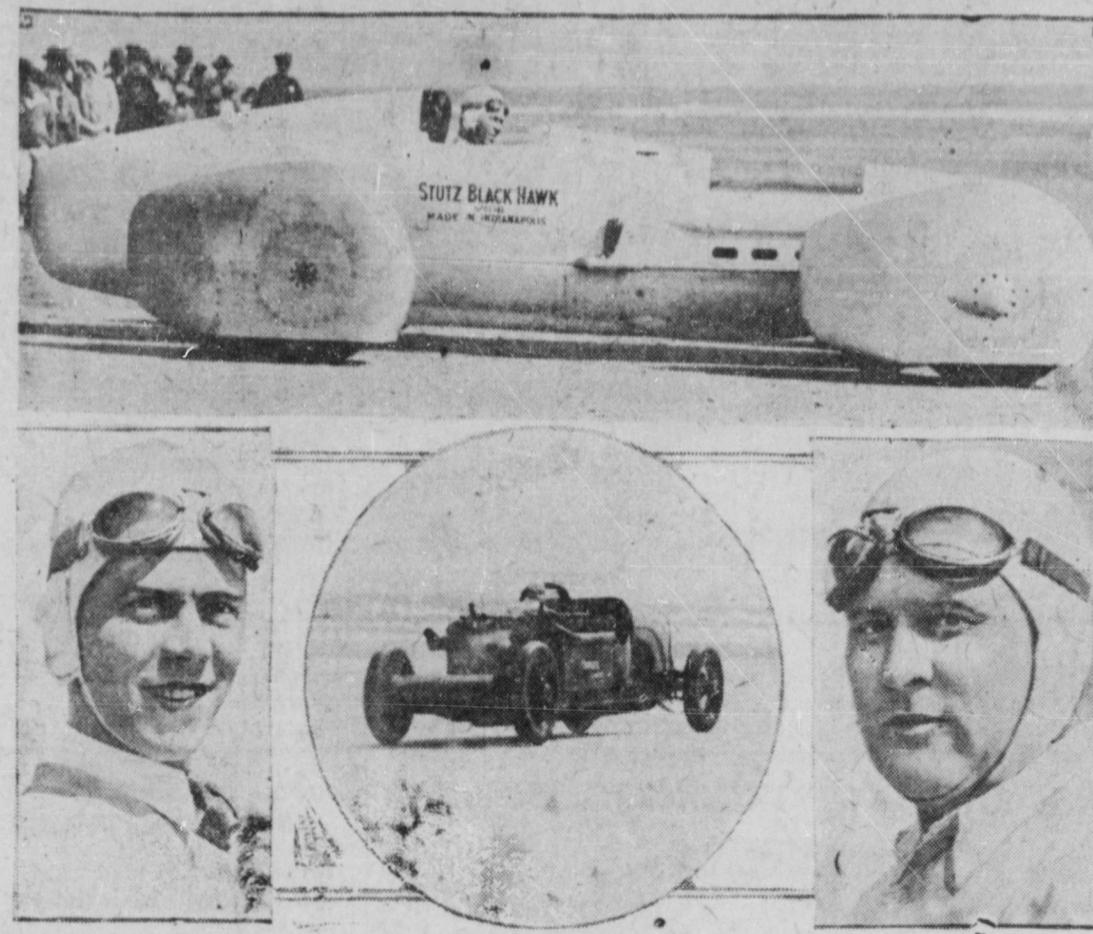
George Miller is ill.

Mr. Fred Schlickman called on Mr. George Miller Friday.

Grandfathers on Vacation

Fifteen grandfathers, whose ages totalled 1,200 years, recently enjoyed their annual two-weeks' vacation together at Littlehampton, England. They are members of the Browning Hall Grandfathers' club of London. The oldest in the party was eighty-four and the youngest seventy.

Lockhart's Racer Is Wrecked On Florida Beach



Top photo shows the Stutz racing car, "Black Hawk," in which Frank Lockhart (left), was attempting to break the world's speed record at Daytona Beach, Florida, when the car dashed into the sea and was wrecked. Lockhart was injured, but not seriously. His car was travelling far in excess of 200 miles an hour at the time of the accident. Below is seen the Triplex auto racer of J. M. White, of Philadelphia, as it burned up the track in a trial run. It is piloted by Ray Keech (right).

Typical "Y" Girl



BLAME BROADCASTING FOR BAD WEATHER IN ENGLAND LAST YEAR

Matlock, Eng.—(INS)—In the belief that radio broadcasting is responsible for the prevalence of bad weather in England at the present time, British spas propose to petition the Government to forbid broadcasting for one month to test the effect of radio on the weather.

There is an increasing conviction that the bad weather experienced throughout Britain during 1927 and up until the present time has been due to radio broadcasting.

It is pointed out that the early mornings are usually fine, but that once the general radio program begins the weather breaks, and usually becomes worse as the day progresses and more programs are broadcast.

Abnormal weather such as has been experienced in England recently has

not occurred, it is stated in areas where radio is little used.

Lindbergh's Motor Used Thirteen Tons Of Air On Great Hop To Paris

Cambridge, Mass.—(INS)—The engine that carried Col. Charles L. Lindbergh from St. Louis, from California to Paris breathed approximately thirteen tons of air in its final hop from America to France, according to professor Charles F. Taylor of Department of Aeronautical Engineering at Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

Prof. Taylor has made a study of the various engines used in different planes in conjunction with many new aeronautical courses which M. I. T. has introduced.

Independent Cities

St. Louis, Mo., is not in any county. It is an independent city. There are 22 such cities in the United States.

MAKES \$65 PER ACRE ON BEETS

Farmer Near Monon Tells About Experience In Growing Sugar Beets

The following article regarding the growing of sugar beets, was written by Charles Kelly, of the International Live Stock Association, Chicago Stock Yards, Chicago, and published recently in the Monon, Indiana, newspaper. "Complying with your request to give you a detailed statement of our experience and operation with sugar beets the past season will state that about a year ago we made a deal with the Holland St. Louis Sugar Company of Decatur, Indiana, to plant ten acres in sugar beets as an experiment. They furnished us the seed free and contracted to pay us \$6.75 per ton aboard cars Monon for all the beets we raised. They then entered into an agreement to furnish us Mexican labor to weed, block and hoe the beets, also top and put the beets in piles when harvested. For this service we paid them \$22.00 per acre.

The Mexicans blocked and weeded the beets and later on hoed them once. By actual measurement we had in 10 4-10 acres.

"We harvested the beets and shipped them the second week in October and there were 145 tons and 1689 pounds net weight, or a very slight fraction under 14 tons per acre. We received gross \$94.28 per acre for the beets. Deduct from that amount \$23.00 paid for the Mexican labor, also \$5.50 per acre worth of commercial fertilizer used, leaves a net of \$65.78 per acre. Here is what we did for that \$65.78 per acre:

"Prepared the land, distributed the fertilizer and planted the beets. We plowed them seven times during the season. When harvested one man and a team ran the beet lifter, which is

something on the order of a potato digger, one row being lifted at a time. The Mexicans topped the beets, putting them in piles in a king row, (22 rows in one) Then our men forked them into wagons, hauled them into town and loaded them aboard cars. We used a corn dump for loading aboard cars and is worked fairly satisfactorily.

"When it comes to harvesting beets with dry seasonable weather (not counting the Mexican labor) the work our men did was not quite as much as it would have been to husk and deliver aboard railroad cars corn of sufficient value to make it equal to beets. However with bad warm rainy weather, which would make the field very soft and muddy, it is our opinion that the work would be more than a like amount of corn. We think that the rich, black, sandy loam land in our section is exceptionally well adapted for "root crops." The tonnage we raised last year bears out that fact and we are making our arrangements to put one hundred acres in sugar beets this spring.

Raising sugar beets in not a boy's job and if a man is not going to correctly prepare his land and properly cultivate it he had better not start. However, the amount of income a farmer gets per acre from sugar beets in our opinion will warrant selecting his best land, properly fertilizing it and then cultivating same thoroughly.

"We think very highly of the Holland St. Louis Sugar Company. They certainly treated us square in every way.

"Trusting that the information given you above is what you desire, but if we have not covered all points, let us know and we will take another try at it."

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