

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Helgesen have moved from Mrs. George Meekin's cottage on North Second street into Mrs. Wainwright's flat and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Dake will move into the house vacated by the Helgesen's.  
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MODEL BARBER SHOP. - LEGLER AND HELGESEN, PROPS.  
Calendar appears to be 1935

# SILVER WEDDING IS CELEBRATED AT PARK

**Mr. and Mrs. Walter Helgesen  
Honored at Picnic Dinner  
By 35 Relatives**

In celebration of their silver wedding anniversary, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Helgesen, 24 South Madison street, entertained a group of 35 relatives at picnic dinner given here Sunday at Leota park. The honored couple was recipient of a purse of money, flowers, and a number of attractive gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Helgesen were married at a ceremony performed Aug. 27, 1913 in Blanchardville by the Rev. Mr. Urdahl, Lutheran pastor, and following their marriage located in Rockford, Ill., and later in New Glarus. They came to Evansville 22 years ago.

Mr. Helgesen operates the Palace barber shop here on South Madison street and Mrs. Helgesen holds the position of chief operator at the local exchange of the Wisconsin Telephone company. They have one son, Burnett, a freshman in high school.

Relatives from Argyle attending the anniversary picnic here were Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Olson and two children, Mrs. Chris Vinger, Mrs. Laura Vinger, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Vinger and two children, and Mr. and Mrs. Ingwal Peterson and two sons.

Orfordville guests were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Holden, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Hegge and son, LaVerne, Mr. and Mrs. Hans Hayerdahl and son, Paul, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Holden and family, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Holden and

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## SILVER WEDDING IS CELEBRATED AT PARK

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family, Mrs. Nels Pollessrude, and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Shueman and daughter, Donna.

Others attending were Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Voegli and family and Miss Kate Weiss, Monticello; Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Helgesen, Janesville; Mrs. E. J. Helgesen and Mr. and Mrs. William Helgesen, Evansville. The Rev. Arthur Edwards, pastor of the local Methodist church, addressed the gathering in the afternoon and Mrs. George Noyes assisted in the serving of the picnic dinner.

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Mrs. E. J. Helgesen, Mrs. Walter Helgesen and Mr. and Mrs. William Helgesen were guests last Thursday of Mrs. Chris Vinger in Argyle.

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## HELGESEN OPENS APPLIANCE SHOP

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Walter Helgesen, who has operated a barber shop here on South Madison street for the past several years, has this week converted his tonsorial parlors into a radio and appliance shop.

Mr. Helgesen is an agent in Evansville for many well known products including Thor washing machines and mangles, Crosley Shelvador refrigerators and radios, Hamilton-Beach vacuum cleaners and food mixers, Cold Spot fans, R. C. A. radio tubes, and sunbeam flat irons and toasters.

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## ANNOUNCEMENT

I have discontinued my Barber  
business and am opening

**THE EVANSVILLE RADIO AND  
APPLIANCE SHOP**

**In that location on South Madison St.**

Watch for Special Announcement in Next  
Week's Review

**WALTER HELGESEN**

Wisconsin

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# Specials for Farmers' Day

HAMILTON BEACH VACUUM CLEANER No. 14.  
Deluxe with Hand Cleaner. **\$44.50**  
Both for -----

HAMILTON BEACH VACUUM CLEANER No. 12.  
Standard. With full set of  
Attachments ----- **\$31.50**

CROSLY SHELVAORE REFRIG-  
ERATOR. 6-ft. Model. 5-yr. guarantee. **\$137.50**

THOR WASHING MACHINE  
Deluxe Model. ----- **\$69.95**

THOR WASHING MACHINE  
Standard Model ----- **\$59.95**

HAMILTON BEACH FOOD MIXER  
Complete With Fruit Juicer ----- **\$23.75**

## EVANSVILLE APPLIANCE SHOP

24 South Madison St.

Walter Helgesen

March 23, 1939, Evansville Review

### Married 33 Years

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Helgesen, resi-  
dents of this city for the past 30 years,  
observed their 33rd wedding anniver-  
sary last Tuesday.

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at a ceremony performed August 27,  
1913 in Blanchardville by the Rev. Mr.  
Urdahl, Lutheran pastor, and following  
their marriage located in Rockford,  
Ill., and later in New Glarus.

Mr. Helgesen operates the Evansville  
Radio and Appliance shop at 6 Mill  
street and Mrs. Helgesen holds the po-  
sition of chief operator at the local ex-  
change of the Wisconsin Telephone  
company. Mr. and Mrs. Helgesen have  
one son, Burnell, Evansville.

August 26, 1946, Evansville Review



Mr. and Mrs. James Walter Helgesen, Evansville, will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary with an open house from 2 to 5 pm Sunday, August 25, in the Pruden Shelter house in Leonard Park here. Relatives, friends, and neighbors are invited. Mr. and Mrs. Helgesen were married Aug. 27, 1913 in the Lutheran parsonage in Blanchardville by the Rev. Mr. Urdahl. Mrs. Helgesen was formerly Miss Ida Clara Olson of Orfordville. Attendants at the wedding were Miss Lillian Weiss, (Mrs. Jacob Voegli of Monticello), Miss Clara Ihus, (Mrs. Clara Beath, Beloit), and the late William Helgesen, brother of the groom and Thomas, brother of the bride. Mr. and Mrs. Helgesen have resided in Evansville since 1916. The former operates a radio repair shop at his home here at 9 Mill Street. Mrs. Helgesen retired about five years ago after serving as operator, part of the time as chief operator, of the local telephone exchange, 37 years. The couple has a son, Walter B. Helgesen of Rockford, Ill. and two grandchildren, Steve and Diane Helgesen. The senior Mr. and Mrs. Helgesen also had a daughter, who died in infancy.

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**MRS. WALTER HELGESEN  
DIES HERE SUNDAY A.M.**

Mrs. J. Walter Helgesen, 72, died unexpectedly in her home here Sunday morning.

Mrs. Helgesen was formerly Miss Ida Olson, daughter of the late Benjamin and Christina H. Olsson. She was born in Orfordville, Nov. 17, 1893. When she was a child she moved with her parents to Adams where she attended school. She was later employed as a telephone operator in Blanchardville where she married Sept. 24, 1913. Mr. and Mrs. Helgesen moved to Evansville in 1918.

Mrs. Helgesen was employed here by the Wisconsin Telephone Company 37 years, retiring in 1958. For several years before her retirement she was the chief operator. She was a member of St. John's Lutheran Church.

Survivors are her husband; a son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Walter B. Helgesen, Rockford, Ill., a foster son, John Meier, Madison and two grandchildren, Stephen and Diane Helgesen, Rockford.

Funeral services arranged by the Allen Funeral Home were held Tuesday at 4 pm. in St. John's Lutheran Church with the Rev. O.G. Espeland officiating. Burial was in Maple Hill Cemetery.