



Mother's  
Record  
of  
Baby's Days

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It's a Boy

Born on FRIDAY day  
the 26<sup>th</sup> of FEBRUARY

1943

at 10:10 o'clock P.M.

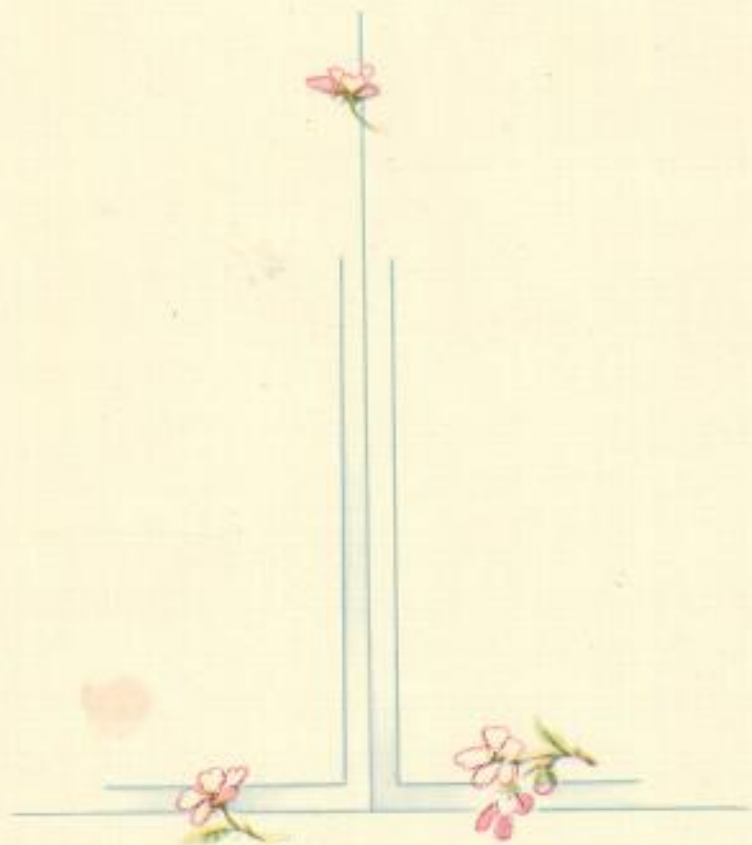
DR. HARVEY D. LYNN, M.D. <sup>doctor</sup>

MISS HINDSMAN R.N. <sup>nurse</sup>

Mother said: ASKED IF SHE WAS ABLE TO SEE THE  
BABY-SHE REPLIED, "YES, I THINK SO"  
Father said: "HOW COME HIS HEAD IS SHAPED  
SO FUNNY?!"

photograph  
of father

photograph  
of mother



father's signature George Balazs Jr.

birthplace MAY 2, 1918 - DETROIT, MICHIGAN.



mother's signature Emilie Balazs

birthplace SEPTEMBER 22, 1918 - DETROIT, MICHIGAN.

DEC. 17, 1857  
GOTTLIEBE MASUCH MAR 7, 1936  
gt. grandmother

Oct. 29, 1853  
AUGUST MASUCH  
June 7, 1919  
gt. grandfather

EMILY B. MASUCH  
grandmother

EMILIE B. BAUSER.  
mother

grandmother

gt. grandmother

gt. grandfather

BAKBARA  
gt. grandmother

ULRICH C. BAUSER.  
gt. grandfather

RUDOLPH F. BAUSER  
grandfather

GEORGE BAUSAS JR.  
father

GEORGE BAUSAS  
grandfather

gt. grandmother

gt. grandfather



Baby's Family Tree

At birth:

Baby weighed

7 pounds

4 1/2 ounces

Doctor's comments:

"HEALTHY BABY AND  
BOTH MOTHER AND BABY  
DOING FINE."

was

21 inches tall



circumference of head \_\_\_\_\_ inches

chest \_\_\_\_\_

abdomen \_\_\_\_\_

color of hair BROWN.

amount, " LITTLE.

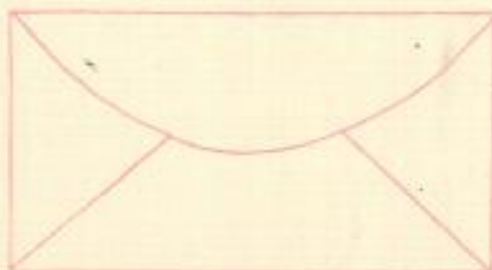
color eyes BLUE.

complexion DARK.

shape of head OVAL.

Other items of interest:

GEORGIE HAD A QUITE



a lock of Baby's hair



JEFFERSON BARRACKS  
MISSOURI

U. S. Army Air Force.  
February 26, 1944.  
Saturday 9:25 P.M.

My Dear Son,

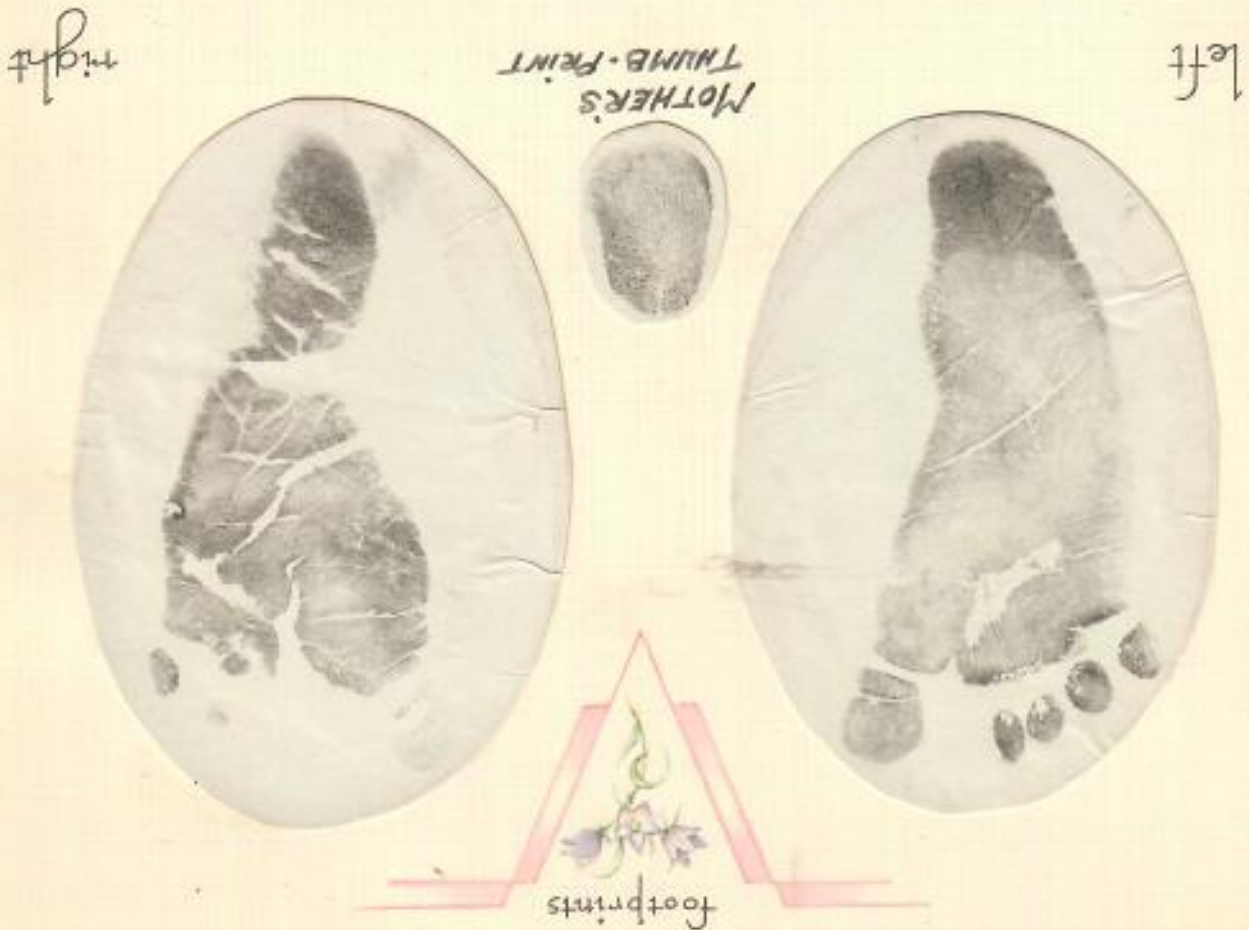
It breaks my heart that I am unable to be with you today, on your First Birthday, but believe me my heart and mind are with you on this day. I heartily wish you many, many happy years of life.

When this war is over I will do all in my power to make them such for you. Some day you and I will sit down and read this letter together, Son. Good-night and God-Bless you.

Your Loving Father,  
George



Identification



Fingerprints



Press Baby's soles and fingertips on lamp blacked paper then on this page as indicated



Baby is welcomed  
with gifts  
and  
greetings

GRANDMA & GRANDPA BALARS.  
GRANDMA & GRANDPA BAUSER.  
AUNT VIOLA-AUNT MARY-JANE  
AUNT JUNE-AUNT JOYCE-  
AUNT "JACKIE"- AUNT IRENE- UNCLE "ED"-  
AUNT MAXINE- UNCLE CARL- GREAT AUNT MINNIE-  
AL & ELAINE BRUHOWSKY- ARN. & ROSE GENTNER.  
RALPH & RITA GENTNER.- SID. & VIOLA COOPER.-  
BILL & DOLLY CUMPF- MORRIS & EULAH ROGER-  
BOB & VERONICA WELLS- AMELIA COLLINS-  
BOB & SHIRLEY LLOYD- VERGINIA SMITH- HELENA  
MILLERS- CAROL KELLAR- MRS. SAWLAW-  
MR. & MRS. BOKROS.

### "GIFTS"

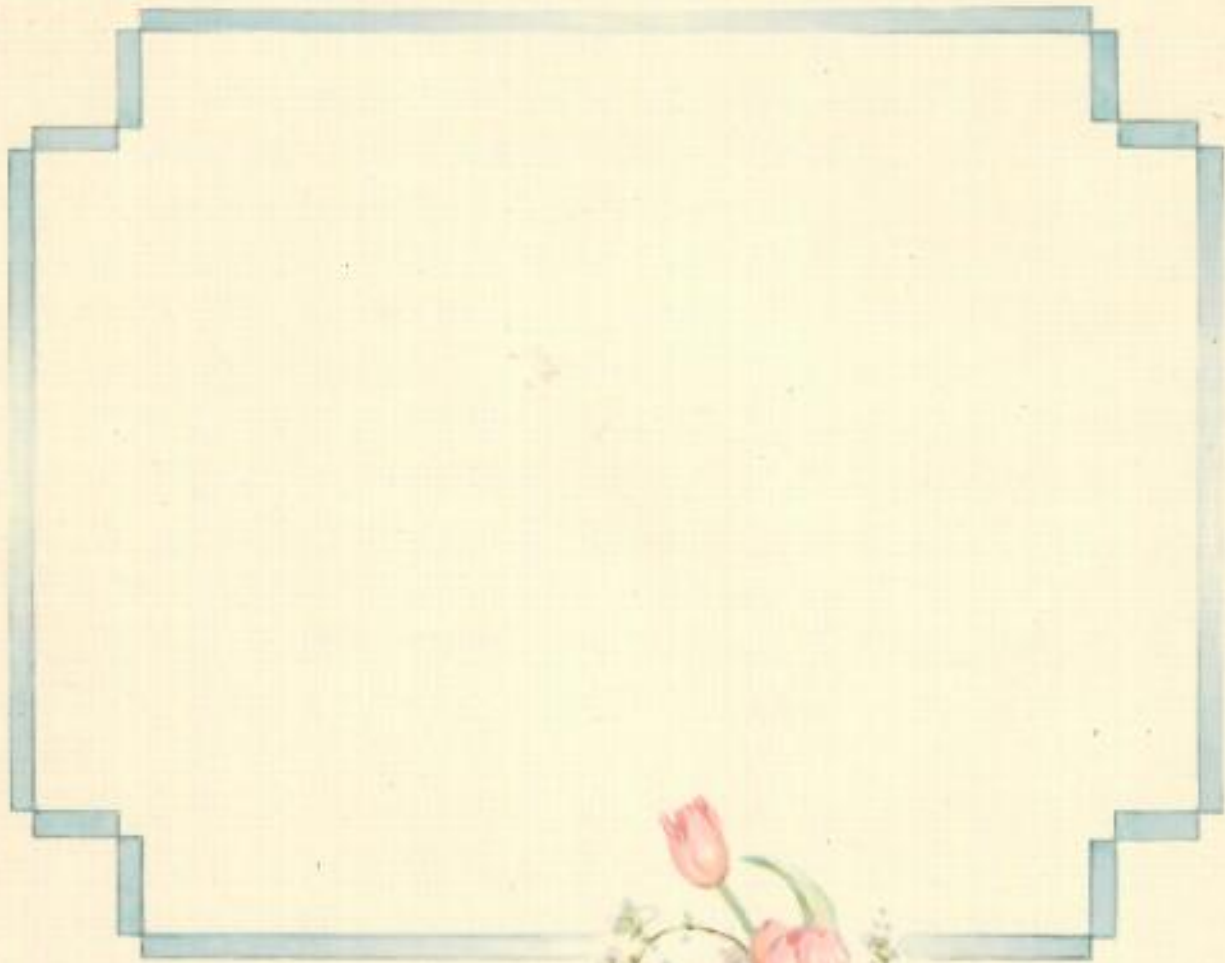
BASINETTE OUTFIT- SWEATERS- SHOES  
BLANKETS- SILVERWARE- BONNETS- TOYS.

Bobby's first photograph

taken by FATHER  
time and place BY THE HOUSE  
ON APRIL 18, 1943  
and particulars:



photograph  
of  
Baby's first home



Baby's birthplace

address:

LINCOLN HOSPITAL.  
1053 25<sup>TH</sup> STREET.  
DETROIT, MICHIGAN.



EDWIN & IRENE TYRA.

Among those present :

Named for: FATHER

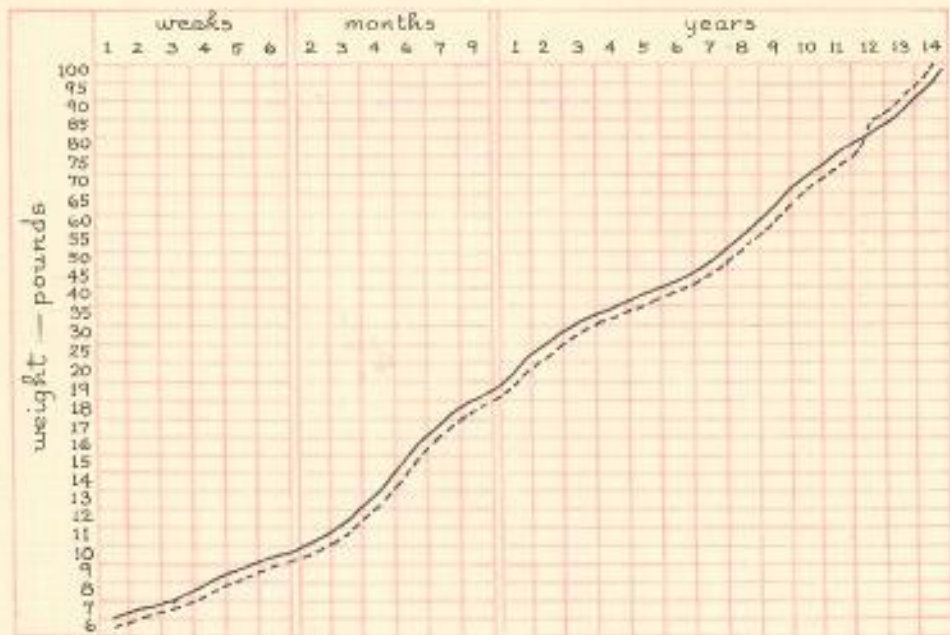
"GEORGE HARVEY BALAZS."

On this day APRIL 11, 1943.  
a name was given to Bobby

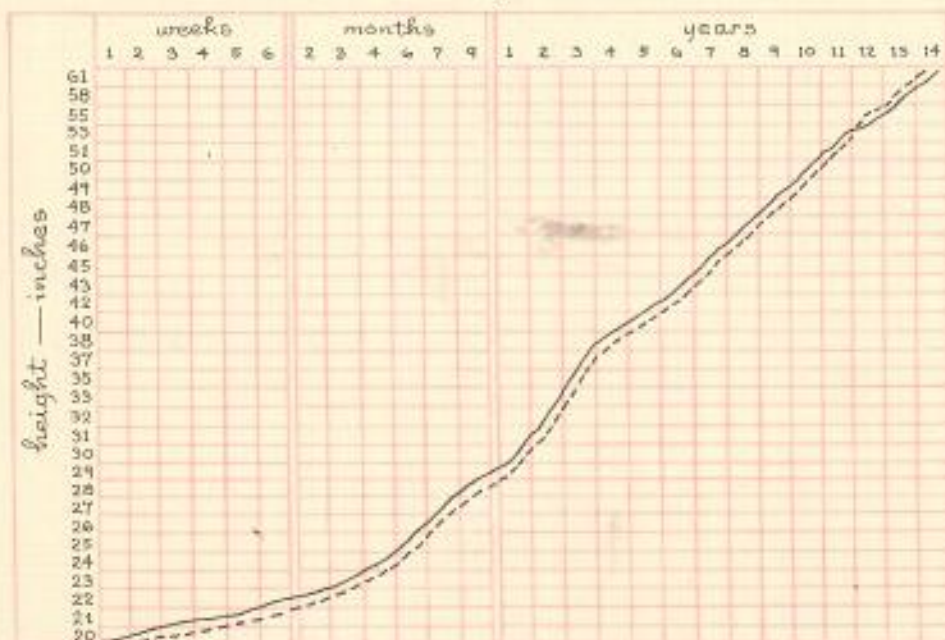


# Charts showing average normal weights and heights

## Weight



## Height



The solid line shows the average for boys and the broken line for girls

# Baby's first weekly weights:

1 week ~~7lbs. 8oz.~~

2 weeks

3 "

1 month ~~9lb. 7oz~~ weeks

6 "

7 "

2 months ~~11lb. 8oz.~~ weeks

10 "

11 " ~~13lb. - 12 1/2 oz.~~

3 months ~~13 weeks~~

14 "

15 " ~~16lb - 3oz.~~

4 months ~~18lb - 5 1/2 oz.~~

SEPT. 4, 1943 - 19lb - 1/oz.



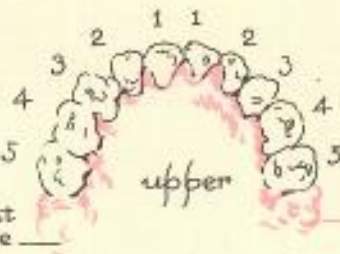
Records are an unfailing indication of the baby's well being and helpful in diagnosis in illness and are necessary in showing need of changes in feeding.

By birth weight is regained at one week: the average baby almost doubles weight at five months: at one year weight triples.

# Dental history

## upper

- |   |                    |        |
|---|--------------------|--------|
| 1   | central incisor    | 9 mos. |
| 2   | lateral "          | " "    |
| 3   | cuspid (eye tooth) | 18 "   |
| 4   | 1st. molar         | 14 "   |
| 5   | 2nd. "             | 26 "   |
| 6-year molar: first permanent tooth erupts here |                    |        |

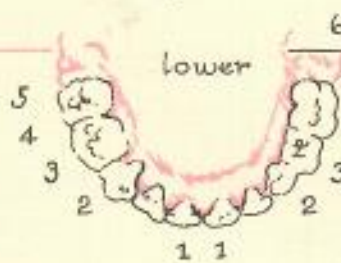


Nov. 23<sup>RD</sup> & DEC. 1<sup>ST</sup> 1943.  
 DEC. 26<sup>TH</sup> 1943

## baby teeth

## lower

- |   |                 |   |   |                 |         |
|---|-----------------|---|---|-----------------|---------|
|   |                 | 6-year molar: first permanent tooth erupts here |   |                 |         |
| 5 | 2nd. molar      | 26 mos.   | 5 | 2nd. molar      | 26 mos. |
| 4 | 1st. "          | 14 "  | 4 | 1st. "          | 14 "    |
| 3 | cuspid          | 18 "  | 3 | cuspid          | 18 "    |
| 2 | lateral incisor | 12 "  | 2 | lateral incisor | 12 "    |
| 1 | central "       | 7 "   | 1 | central "       | 7 "     |



DEC. 27<sup>TH</sup> 1943  
 AUG. 2<sup>ND</sup> 4<sup>TH</sup> 1943



Regular visits to the dentist for care of the baby teeth insure favorable development of the permanent teeth.

Baby is not allowed to suck fingers or pacifier as this deforms the jaw and injures tooth formation.





This record may be of great importance in dental care later in the child's life. Prophylaxis (professional cleaning) should be done as needed.

Treatment advised or undertaken:

Irregularities or peculiarities noted:

Visits and work done:

Dentist

sun-bathing started: 3 1/2 mos. JUNE 16, 1943.

sunshine or lamp: SUNSHINE.

cod liver oil: APRIL 14, 1943.

wearing: MARCH 14, 1943.

Baby's reactions: "NO REACTION NOTICED. BABY ACCEPTED BOTTLE ALRIGHT."

bottle-fed: 8oz. Milk - 4oz. WATER - 1/2 Tbsp. DEXTRI-MALTOSE.

supplementary feeding began: APRIL 13, 1943.

early diets:

APRIL 13, 1943 - "ORANGE JUICE."

MAY 31, 1943 - "PABLUM CEREAL."

JULY 29, 1943 - "VEGETABLES:" (STRAINED)

sleep habits

1st 7 MONTHS - GEORGIE SLEPT ONLY ON HIS BACK. AFTER THAT AGE HE INSISTS ON SLEEPING ON HIS "TUMMY."

Baby's position in sleep is changed from side to side occasionally to preserve the symmetry of head and face.

Baby sleeps 22 of 24 hours at birth.

6 P.M. to 6 A.M. and

2 hour nap morning and afternoon

to 18 months

nap every afternoon to 5 years: longer if possible.



Baby's health is protected by:



violet rays: \_\_\_\_\_

vaccination:  
(against smallpox) \_\_\_\_\_

inoculation:  
(against diphtheria) 8 MONTHS OLD

1st. Schick test: \_\_\_\_\_

results: \_\_\_\_\_

2nd. Schick test: \_\_\_\_\_

inoculation:  
(against typhoid)  
epidemic or otherwise: \_\_\_\_\_

inoculation:  
(against scarlet fever) \_\_\_\_\_

serum for whooping cough: 6 MOS. - ONCE A WEEK. (5 WA  
(how many times and when)

measles: \_\_\_\_\_

illnesses :

operations:

accidents :



Baby is never exposed to any contagion

These first wonderful years: effort with increasing control  
(average progression)

Baby:



age in  
months

turns head responding to sound and light

raises and holds up head

discovers hands and feet

" own voice, coos, etc.

shows fear  anger  temper

laughs aloud

recognizes mother

" father

" others

is aware of strangers

reaches for objects

grasps and holds

sits with support

" without " - AUGUST 15, 1943.

creeps  pulls self up  SEPT. 25, 1943. - NOV. 10, 1943

stands alone  handles objects

cries: much  little

makes effort to walk

responds to music

uses both hands  or only one  l. or r?

understands "No, no" JANUARY 10, 1944.

enjoys bath  or is afraid

reacts to own image in mirror

Baby now:

age

uses two hands simultaneously for different purposes  
releases, drops or throws objects at will  
pushes or pulls at will

recognizes own name

shakes and nods for no or yes

shows shyness

excitability

jealousy

curiosity

cheerfulness

placidity

is demonstrative and affectionate to

persons

animals

toys etc.

plays pat-a-cake

peek-a-boo

says so big

bye bye

takes off unfastened shoes

.. .. stockings mittens

runs

climbs steps or on low stools

pushes doors open  shut

holds cup alone when drinking

throws ball (without much aim)

uses spoon when eating

makes strokes and scribbles with pencil or chalk

laughs when others laugh

tries to sing when others sing

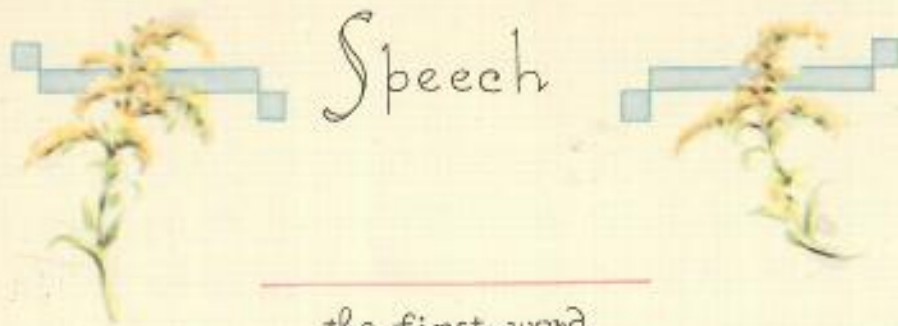
.. .. talk .. .. talk

Baby's imitative faculties grow more pronounced



Cute things  
to remember

"GEORGIE BLOW HIS NOSE WHEN HANDKERCHIEF  
WAS PUT BY HIS NOSE." NOV. 17, 1943.



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the first word  
usually 12 - 18 mos.

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the first sentence  
usually 18 - 24 mos.

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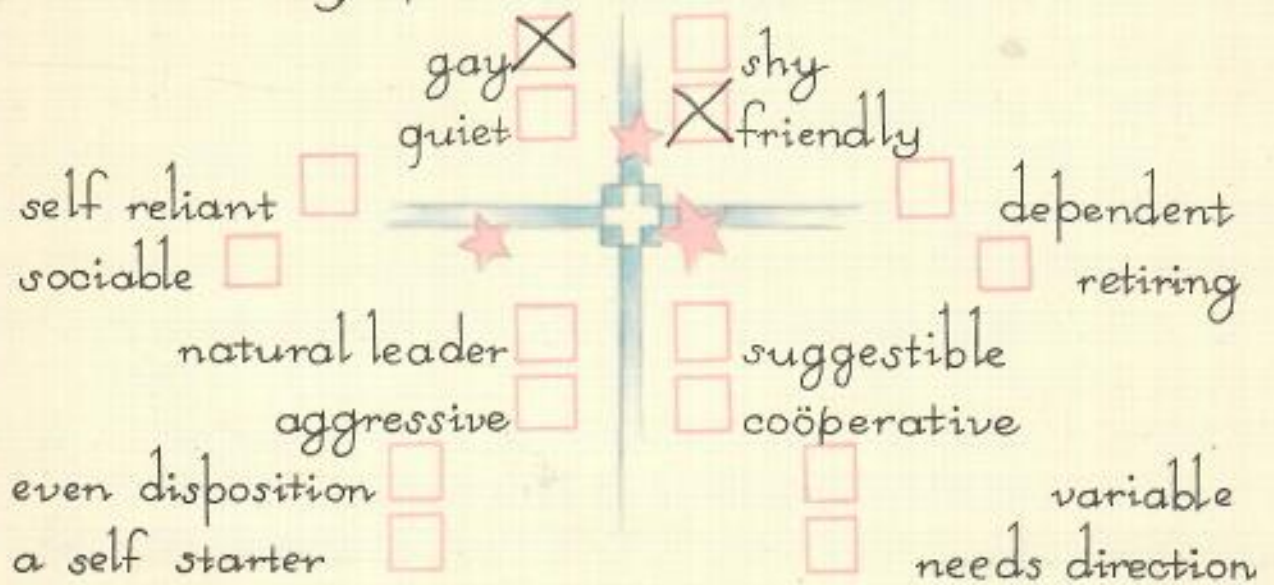
the first question  
average by 3 years

can pronounce own name \_\_\_\_\_ age  
" " " address \_\_\_\_\_  
memorizes \_\_\_\_\_  
learns to read \_\_\_\_\_

always  asking  
seldom  "why?"

Personality emerges

Temperamental characteristics



Expressed likes and dislikes:



STARTED IN THE KINDERGARTEN  
JANUARY 19, 1948 - AT THE HOOVER SCHOOL  
IN LINCOLN PARK, MICHIGAN.

Remarks:

~~Mrs. B. Geiermann~~  
teacher

BEHAVIOR IS GOOD - AND GEORGIE THINKS  
THAT HE WILL LIKE SCHOOL VERY MUCH.

Little Scholar's behavior and own opinions of school:

The first day school  
the transition from babyhood  
to socialized  
life



Christmas  
days of gifts  
and  
gladness



WAGON-BLOCKS-RING  
STUFFED ANIMALS-BATH-ROBE  
STOCKINGS-SUITS-BIBS  
PULL TOYS-DUCK-BUNNY  
BUILDING BLOCKS-MUSICAL BLOCKS.  
BABY BANK-TEDDY BEAR.

first

second

third

Trips to:

Firsts

country

beach JULY 4, 1943. - "MONROE BEACH."

zoo AUGUST 10, 1946. DETROIT.

circus

park



mountains

In a:



train FEB. 12, 1945. DETROIT TO SIOUX CITY, IOWA.

automobile MARCH 8, 1943 - "HOME FROM HOSPITAL."

boat JULY 4, 1943. - "STERLING STATE PARK"

plane

bus



# Signatures

GEORGIE

DECEMBER 27, 1944

the earliest  
autograph

later signatures

date

GEORGE BALAZS

NOVEMBER 21, 1948

our child is

left handed   right handed



Baby's birth certificate  
is registered at

LANSING, MICHIGAN.


"582-710268"

a copy is  
attached here

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GEORGE H. BALAZS.

"BABY BOOK"





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*Our  
Wedding Day*



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Perfect love  
all human thought transcending  
Lowly, we kneel  
in prayer before thy throne,  
That theirs may be  
the love that knows no ending,  
Whom thou  
forevermore dost join in one.



Here is the truth in a little creed,  
Enough for all the roads we go  
In love is all the law we need,  
In Christ is all the God we know

Edwin Markham





Be ye as the light of morning  
like the beauteous  
dawn unfold,  
With your radiant lives  
adorning all the  
world in hues  
of gold.



Years are coming, years are going,  
all things change  
and pass away.  
But the light of love is growing  
stronger, surer,  
day by day.



What therefore God  
hath joined together, let not  
man put asunder.  
Matt. 19:6

Wives, be in subjection  
unto your own husbands,  
as unto the Lord.  
Eph. 5:22

Husbands, love your  
wives, even as Christ  
also loved the church,  
who gave himself for it.  
Eph. 5:25



This Certifies

That on the 2<sup>nd</sup> day  
of September in the

year of our Lord 1939

Mr. George Balogh  
of Detroit, Mich.

and Miss Emily Bauer  
of Lincoln Park, Mich.

were by me united in

Holy Matrimony

at Lincoln Park, Mich.

According to the Ordinance

of God

and the law of Wayne Co.

Witnesses  
Miss Elford Mason

Mr. Alex Brooks

Rev. N. A. Brainer

Pastor



**'THE LINCOLN PARKER'  
LINCOLN PARK, MICH.**

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 1939

**Bride Wed in  
Home Ritual**

Standing before the windows of her parents' home, which were flanked with baskets of flowers, Emily Eisner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Eisner, of 1523 Liberty avenue, Lincoln Park, became the bride of George Balazs, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. George Balazs, of Annabelle avenue, southwest Detroit.

The Rev. H. Roemer, of Detroit, officiated, and Alex Books and Et-

tered Masnich, both of Detroit, served as the attendants.

For her marriage, Miss Eisner had chosen a floor-length gown of white chiffon ornamented with quilting at the neckline and waist. Fastened to a band of sea-d pearls on her head she wore a short tulle veil with a section falling over the face. She carried gardenias and lilies of the valley. Miss Masnich was in light blue chiffon and carried red roses.

After the ceremony, a reception for 100 guests was held at the Lincoln Park Exchange club bungalow. The couple then left for a wedding trip and will be at home on their return in Detroit.







*The Lord*

*bless thee,  
and keep thee:*

*The Lord*

*make His face  
shine upon thee  
and be gracious  
unto thee.*

*The Lord*

*lift up His  
countenance upon  
thee and give thee  
peace.*



"OUR WEDDING DAY,"

SEPTEMBER 2, 1939.

EMILY  
& O. K. R. G. R.

