

# THE ONLY DEMOCRATIC NEWSPAPER IN DELAWARE COUNTY THE MUNCIE POST-DEMOCRAT

VOL. 3 NO. 19.

## KLAN LEADERS DESERT CONFEDERATES AT MINNEAPOLIS WHEN FRAME UP ON MAYOR LEACH BECOMES APPARENT

Editor of Fiery Cross Resigns and Leaves Burning Ship.

## Demands That Klan Charter Be Revoked

Turns Yaller and Hollers for Help When His Comrades Were Convicted.

The back-down of the Klan at Minneapolis has made a laughing stock of the "invisible empire."

In order to defeat Mayor Leach, of that city for re-election, and place a Klansman at the head of the city government, the Klan framed with a prostitute and a crooked private detective and a circular entitled "The Voice of the Knights of the Ku Klux Klan," was distributed over the city.

In the circular it was alleged that Mayor Leach was a graftor and his private morals were attacked by a photographic reproduction of an affidavit signed by the prostitute, a woman named Kennedy.

The persons responsible for the lying circular were arrested on charges of criminal libel and after lengthy trials, which exonerated Mayor Leach, the Klan gang and their prostitute confederates were sent to the workhouse for terms of from sixty to ninety days.

That there is no doubt as to the justness of the verdict is evidenced by the fact that the Ku Klux Klan itself, through two accredited spokesmen, one of whom is Milton Elrod, editor of the Fiery Cross, went to Minneapolis to investigate and recommended that the charter be taken away from the Minneapolis Klan and that many of its members be "banished."

Elrod gave out the statement the Klan had engineered a villainous plot through thick and thin.

## CLARENCE BENADUM IN REFORMER ROLE IN STUBENVILLE

Klan Clean Up Demanded and Organizer Gets In Bad.

## Former Prosecutor Declares Frame Up

When Hundred Percent Kleagle Caught On Liquor Charge.

A Cincinnati Enquirer dispatch Sunday featured one of Muncie's distinguished citizens, former Prosecutor Clarence E. Benadum, now a Klan organizer and orator infesting the state of Ohio.

It seems that the Klan at Stubenville, Ohio, backed by Benadum and other well known reformers, demanded of the mayor that a moral reawakening take place in Stubenville. The order was given by the Klan that the gamblers must go and the blind tigers driven out.

The net result of the reform wave advocated by the righteous Benadum was the arrest of one of Benadum's organizers on charge of intoxication and violating the liquor law.

According to the Enquirer story Benadum rushed to the mayor of the city and demanded an investigation, declaring that his Klan brother had been made the victim of a frame up.

It does beat all how the Kluckers do yell frame up when one of their own brood gets in bad, and how willing they are believe ill of their enemies.

The editor of the Post-Democrat was arrested on a liquor charge and

to ruin Mayor Leach; that he had been framed on for political purposes and falsely cast aspersions on the moral character of the chief executive.

It is somewhat easy to read between the lines in this matter. Elrod editor of the Fiery Cross, who by the way is the ginn who slipped away from Fort Wayne and changed his name in order to fool his creditors, was one of the main instrumentalists in the attempt to discredit Mayor Leach.

The Fiery Cross, in its issue of May 18, devoted seven columns to the Minneapolis trial of the four Klansmen and the seven columns were filled with scurrilous, poorly written attacks upon Mayor Leach and all witnesses who testified against the accused Klansmen and the prostitute.

It is now evident that the right about face of Elrod and his silly sheet is inspired by fear. Being a party to the rotten conspiracy that Fiery Cross and its noble editor now seek immunity by turning their back on their confederates. It is always thus when the Klan gets caught in its crookedness. Elrod was no better than the men and women implicated in the plot, yet he now hypocritically attacks his own pals.

It seems that the Klan had selected a K. K. K. named Campbell for Mayor and a woman named Cathryn Cooke Gillman, head of the Women's Cooperative Alliance, evidently a Klan adjunct, was the right hand bower of the Campbell campaign. The fair Catherine packed the courtroom with her female confederates and an effort was made to stampede the trial into a Klan demonstration.

The groveling retreat of the editor of the Fiery Cross and his demand that the Minneapolis Klan lose its charter and its members be fired from the invisible empire, ought to be a warning to Klansmen who rely upon the Fiery Cross to stay with them when the law finally gets them. They are all quitters. They are yaller from the inside out, lacking the stamina of the "good crook", who sticks with a companion in crime through thick and thin.

## Heiress Sticks To Beet Worker Husband

"Heiress to an estate of \$44,000 Mrs. Carl Cover, a Jewish woman, 30 years old, remains a faithful companion of her husband, 22 years old, who is working in the sugar beet fields near Liberty Center.

"The 'love nest' of the couple is in a wagon provided by the Decatur sugar beet factory for its workers. The woman claims that her mother, who owns a large moving picture house at Paris, Illinois, is trying to separate her from her husband.

"Sheriff Noah Frauhiger of Wells county was asked Saturday afternoon in a telephone call from the sheriff at Paris to make an effort to locate Mrs. Cover, who, according to Mrs. Cover's mother, had written that she was penniless and had been deserted by her husband.

"Through Herbert Kasler, who is superintendent of the beet fields, Sheriff Frauhiger learned of Mrs. Cover's whereabouts. Mr. Kasler said that he had hired Cover at Terre Haute to come to this section of the country to work.

"Mrs. Cover emphatically denied to Sheriff Frauhiger that she had written to her mother and declared she was perfectly contented to remain with her husband, who she added had offered to give her money a week ago to make a visit back home.

"It was related by Mrs. Cover that her father died on January 17 and left a large estate, which has not been settled as yet. She claimed that her mother had caused her to become separated from her first husband and was attempting to do the same with her second husband.

Sheriff Frauhiger informed the Paris sheriff Sunday of the woman's attitude. The Paris sheriff remarked that "it was a funny case" and told Frauhiger he would make further investigation."—Bluffton News.

Phosphate of lime taken from slag is a valuable fertilizer.

The letter P was formerly used in numerals to denote 100.

MUNCIE, INDIANA, FRIDAY JUNE 1, 1923

SUBSCRIPTION PRICE \$2.00 A YEAR IN ADVANCE

## MRS. GILL GETS 'EM IN BAD.

Two members of the board of county commissioners, Andrew Jackson and Sherman Shroyer, are sweating blood. They listened too intently to Mrs. Gill, the republican boss, and made an amazing blunder and the Muncie Cabinet company, which did nine hundred dollars worth of work on the jury room and court library, is wondering how it is going to be paid for the job.

With the advent of woman's suffrage Mrs. Gill blossomed out. She was drawn on the first jury panel and was later appointed by Judge Dearth as a member of the new political board of children's guardians.

Finding herself a full fledged jurywoman, Mrs. Gill took herself very seriously and she conceived it to be her first duty to her constituents to look over the court house and change its plans and specifications to suit her ideas of architecture and convenience.

She saw many things that ought to be done and promptly called on the county commissioners and issued a few commands. Shortly afterward the Muncie Cabinet company went to work and before they got through had run up a bill of nine hundred dollars.

The claim was filed last month with Auditor Dragoo, but that alert official did not present the claim to the commissioners because there was no record of the county commissioners having entered into a contract for the work. Mr. Dragoo is generally on the job and when he writes a county warrant it has to be backed by the proper authority.

It then developed that the county council, in session about two weeks ago, made an appropriation to pay for the work, AFTER it had been completed, but an appropriation, even made at the proper time, would not warrant the payment of the account, in the absence of a contract entered into between the commissioners and the Muncie Cabinet company.

And, besides, the statute is very plain and concise which requires the letting of contracts of that size by competitive bids, after being duly advertised.

At a meeting of the commissioners held last Saturday, the matter was brought to the attention of the board and it developed that Commissioner McCreery had no knowledge of the methods used in ordering the work done which was demanded by Mrs. Gill, the new lady manager of the standpat republican machine.

Commissioner Jackson then admitted that he and Commissioner Shroyer had made a sort of a "curb stone contract" with the Muncie Cabinet company, telling the manager of the company, informally, and not at a session of the commissioners' court, to go ahead and "do the work by the day."

When informed by County Attorney Fred McClellan that they had got themselves in a jam, and that Mr. Dragoo was within his rights in refusing to recognize such an informal proceeding, the two hasty commissioners wanted to know if "some kind of an order" couldn't be "fixed up" and made a matter of record, in order that the bill could be allowed and paid.

They failed to indicate just how an order could be "fixed up" at this late stage of the game, but with them it was anything to get out of the hole they had got themselves into, and in the meantime it will be interesting to watch their wriggling and twisting in their effort to evade the responsibility of their stupid performance.

Possibly, in the future, when the commissioners see Mrs. Gill coming, they will hastily cross their fingers.

## YEA, VERILY, MINISTER SHOULD BE FIRST TO RESIST TEMPTATION

There can be no doubt that the salary paid by the Ku Klux Klan which is \$25.00 per speech, is quite a temptation to many of the poorly paid ministers.

The minister of the gospel has never been paid on the same basis as some other occupations, but a minister should be first to withstand temptation. And temptation to do wrong is usually urged by the desire for easy money. The passing few dollars that he may make as the tool of an organization, his connection with which to say the least, points the finger of suspicion of a certain percentage of the community toward him, just that much lessens his efficiency as a teacher of the Word of God.

Chimpanzees cost about \$500 each. Pianos are almost entirely made by hand.

In Basel, Switzerland, is a cathedral founded in 1010.

## Hot Time Expected at City Council Meeting

The city council will meet Monday night and a finish fight is expected between the friends and enemies of Mayor Quick.

Mayor Quick has vetoed the ordinance passed by a vote of eight republican members, which takes away from the mayor the right to appoint a building inspector and an attempt will be made to pass it over his veto.

In order to accomplish this the anti-Quick forces will be compelled to win over one of the five who have stood with him. It is believed that the four democrats and one republican who refused to vote for the ordinance will defeat the efforts of Dr. Quick's foes to pass the ordinance.

It is currently reported that if the ordinance fails the disgruntled eight will make another attempt to impeach the mayor. Some declare that the big Klan demonstration to be staged here Saturday night is a part of the terrorizing program used by

## "PURE AND SIMPLE" IS TO BE SLOGAN OF DEMOCRATIC NEWSPAPER TO BE STARTED BY THE KLUK--REPUBLICANS

Stand Pat Gang Sailing Under False Colors At It Again.

## Announce Advent of The New Sheet

Real Democrats Not Fooled By Effort Made To Delude Them.

There has been considerable talk here for some time about another "democratic" newspaper and the talk has all originated from the ranks of the stand pat Klan republican machine.

One of the chief promoters of the proposed democratic newspaper is John Hampton, republican city chairman and lately appointed jury commissioner.

There is no demand here, whatever, from real democrats, for another democratic newspaper.

The Post-Democrat is a real democratic newspaper and democrats who have the good of the party at heart are decidedly skeptical of the honesty of purpose of a democratic newspaper promoted, organized and put in the field by republicans and the Klan.

The hypocrisy of those who are attempting to start this hybrid sheet is apparent at the first glance at some of literature used in advertising the venture.

"Please bear in mind," it says, "that the democratic weekly newspaper is to be a democratic newspaper 'pure and simple'. It is not to be a newspaper that engages in bitter personal attacks, mud raking and the like and it is not to be a newspaper that engages in propaganda to stir up religious and racial hatred."

It is to be pure and it is to be simple! How entrancing. And mud raking and the like is not to be engaged in. How pleasant. Nor will it stir up religious or racial hatred. Rather a big order for a newspaper backed by the Klan, isn't it?

The inference is drawn from all this that the Post-Democrat does not suit the democrats of Delaware county and that they want a newspaper that treads lightly on the toes of the opposition.

The most deceptive part of the

the enemies of the mayor to compel him to yield to their demands.

The mayor is standing pat, however, and promises a house cleaning that will astonish the natives.

Nearly 1,000 British towns and villages have namesakes in the United States.

WASHINGTON BEAUTY AMONG MANY AMERICANS TO BE PRESENTED AT COURT.



A recent and specially posed studio portrait of Mrs. Harry Norment, one of the most attractive young matrons of Washington society, who is to make her curtsy before the King and Queen of England, among a large number of Americans who will be presented.

## OSCAR ANDERSON WAS HARD TO GET SO IS GRAVES

Police and Prosecutor Confess Inability To Perform Duty.

## Caught In The Act Refuse To Confess

One Woman On Police Force Might Put It Over Easily.

Oscar Anderson's beauty parlor was located in the very heart of the business district of the city of Muncie, yet, according to Prosecutor Ogle, Anderson's Klan brother, it was impossible during a period of practically one year, for the police or sheriff to secure any evidence against him.

The word finally came from West Virginia, by way of Anderson, Ind., and a woman from the latter city, Mrs. Jessie McCreary, Madison county juvenile officer, came over to inform our diligent prosecutor, police and sheriff what she had heard in West Virginia of what was going on in the heart of Muncie.

Oscar was oh, so hard to catch, according to Ogle, yet two women got him in jig time and put him out of business and in the pen.

(Continued To Page Two.)

(Continued to Page Three)

## THE MUNCIE POST-DEMOCRAT

A Democratic weekly newspaper representing the Democrats of Muncie, Delaware County and the Eighth Congressional District. The only Democratic newspaper in Delaware County.

Entered as second class matter January 15, 1921, at the postoffice at Muncie, Indiana, under the Act of March 3, 1879.

Subscription Price, \$2.00 a year in Advance

Office 733 North Elm Street. Telephone 2540  
GEO. R. DALE, Owner and Publisher.

FRIDAY, JUNE 1, 1923

## IT IS SOMEBODY'S BUSINESS.

Judge Dearth, speaking from the bench while sentencing the editor of the Post-Democrat for contempt, declared, "it is none of your business if the court, prosecutor, sheriff and jury belong to the Ku Klux Klan—none of your business or anybody else's business."

This statement probably sounded fine and most likely expressed the sentiment of the crowd that had assembled in the court room on the morning of March 14 to gloat over what they evidently thought was the humiliation of a newspaper man who had insisted on telling a few casual truths.

In looking over the courtroom we observed that the majority of those present were Klansmen and Klanswomen. Mrs. Gill, the she-politician who was wished on us by female suffrage, sat in the center of the congregation. She had used the telephone frantically the day before to drum up a crowd. She felt no doubt that it was her function, inasmuch as she had been the Pauline Revere who had sounded the tocsin.

Mrs. Gill and her invited guests no doubt agreed with his honor that it was neither the defendant's nor anybody else's business whether men who take the Klansmen's oath are qualified to control the machinery of justice.

Reader, do you believe that a judge, jury, prosecutor and sheriff who swear that they will protect the secret of a fellow Klansman who has committed any crime, with the exception of rape and malicious murder, are qualified to serve? Every Klansman takes that oath. It is a matter of congressional record.

Do you agree with Judge Dearth, that it is none of your business? The Ku Klux Klan is a lawless, felonious, hypocritical gang of night riding, murderous outlaws. Do you think it is right to select your public officials from this traitorous organization?

## A REAL ADVERTISING MEDIUM.

Advertisers who are looking for results can reach a wide field of buying prospects by using the columns of the Post-Democrat. We have now made arrangements whereby the Post-Democrat will be ready for distribution Thursday which will enable us to reach all the towns and cities adjacent to Muncie by Friday morning.

The Post-Democrat is in big demand in Muncie territory and a circulation campaign is now on which will swell the subscription and street and agency sales to ten thousand within six weeks.

A number of new agencies are being established in Muncie and a large force of carrier boys are being employed who will sell the paper on the streets of Muncie and other towns and cities on Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays.

Business men who are seeking an advertising medium which circulates among a class of real buyers should use the Post-Democrat advertising columns. Our readers want to patronize the patrons of the Post-Democrat.

That was a mean trick Bryan played on the Presbyterian preachers when he got his resolution through requesting them all to sign the pledge. The way some of them are kicking now about it and refusing to sign the pledge is an indication that Bryan knew something about them that they had not been telling the world.

Poor Bryan. He is to be forever doomed as one whose bets are always to be coppered. People generally believed the Bible and swallowed the story of Adam and Eve and Jonah and the whale until Bryan happened to make the luckless statement that it was all true, and from that time on about nine-tenths of our theological giants, going on the theory probably that if Bryan said it it couldn't be so, insist that their great grandpaps were apes.

The board of safety threatened (or was it a promise?) to resign if the power of appointing a building inspector was not taken away from the mayor and given to them. They will have a chance to make good after Monday night. Here's your hat, old things, what's your hurry? But shucks! They won't quit. You couldn't hire 'em to. Nothing but the boots will dislodge the triumvirate. Let us hope that Mayor Quick feels like he has a kick coming.

The idea of asking a preacher to sign the pledge! But then, most likely, Bryan's theory was that you never can tell.

Reptiles are fond of new paint and grease along the railroads. More than 90,000,000 gallons of gasoline was produced in 1918.

Basket-making is one of the oldest industries in the world. Nearly one-eighth of the surface of Sweden is covered by lakes.

The zebra spider is the champion insect jumper of the world. China has 50,000 miles of telegraph lines operated from 837 offices.

The French Bastille was founded in 1369 and destroyed in 1789. Missouri women will vote in their first state-wide primary Aug. 1.

## BACTERIAL SPOT HURTS CUCUMBER

Frequently Made Unsalable or Greatly Reduced in Value as Result of Disease.

## CIRCULAR DISCUSSES FORMS

Organisms of Decay Gain Access Through Lesions and Destroy Entire Fruit—Control Measures Comparatively Easy.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Cucumbers frequently are made unsalable or greatly reduced in value as a result of a disease known as bacterial spot, or angular leaf-spot. United States Department of Agriculture Circular 234, Bacterial Spot of Cucumber, by F. C. Meter and George K. K. Link, discusses the disease, describing briefly its various forms, the ways by which it is transmitted, and the method of control.

Bacterial spot appears on the fruits as round, water-soaked, translucent spots that do not reach far beneath the surface. Organisms of decay, however, may gain access through these lesions and destroy the entire fruit. Usually the disease makes its first appearance in a field on the cotyledons or seed leaves, and the bacteria spread from these to the leaves, where they cause irregular angular, water-soaked spots. Within a few days the spots become ash gray and the centers usually drop out.

## SEEDS CARRY INFECTION.

The seeds carry the infection, which accounts for the wide distribution, but which also makes control measures comparatively easy. At present the disease occurs in Europe, Canada, and in the following states in this country: Alabama, California, Connecticut, Florida, Georgia, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Louisiana, Michigan, Minnesota, New York, North Dakota, Ohio, South Carolina, Virginia, and Wisconsin.

To avoid loss, affected fruits should be disposed of quickly, as various organisms of decay are likely to enter through the wounds. If packed dry and kept cool, the development of bacterial spot may be retarded. Good ventilation during transit is important.

## PLAN TO REDUCE LOSS.

Seed disinfection combined with crop rotation is the most satisfactory method of reducing loss. Spraying alone is not recommended for the control of this disease, but 4-4-50 bordeaux thoroughly applied is an effective check. Seed treatment consists of immersing the seed in a 1 to 1,000 mercuric-chloride solution, which may be made from the standard tablets sold by druggists. The solution must be made in a glass, earthenware, or wooden receptacle. Great care should be exercised, as it is very poisonous when taken internally. Plants grown from treated seed on soil new to the crop are likely to be free from the disease unless infection occurs from diseased fields nearby.

Copies of the circular may be obtained free by addressing the Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C. In case seedsmen or growers' associations wish to treat seed on a large scale, the department will give directions for preparing the solution in quantity.

## BUY HIGHEST QUALITY SEED

Mixtures Offered at Bargain Prices Sure Indication of Weeds and Other Trash.

Cheap seed is cheap because it is foul with weed seeds and trash and of low germination, says the seed analyst at the New York agricultural experiment station at Geneva, who advocates the purchase of only the highest quality seed obtainable as the best crop insurance. The supply of clean, vigorous seed is never so large but that it commands a good price, and the very fact that farm crop seeds, vegetable seeds, or lawn grass mixtures are offered at bargain prices is a sure indication that the seed lacks quality, declares this authority.

## HUBAM CLOVER GAINS FAVOR

Considerable Interest Being Taken in Crop for Green Manure—Seed Is Available.

Inquiries coming to the farm crops department at Iowa State College indicate considerable interest in Hubam clover as a green manure. The farm crops department advises comparing this variety of sweet clover alongside of other clovers for green manure purposes, broadcasting the Hubam at the rate of 12 to 15 pounds per acre. Those who wish to give Hubam a trial can secure five pounds of seed with inoculation material for \$1.05 from the Iowa Agricultural Experiment station at Ames.

## NATURAL PREY OF PARASITES

Sheep Are Easy Victims to Pests Which Flourish During Hot Months of Summer.

Sheep are the natural prey of parasites, which flourish chiefly during the hot, dry months of summer. For this reason sheep should not be allowed to drink water from old stagnant pools, but should at all times be supplied with pure, fresh water.

## BRIDE CURED OF HOMESICKNESS

Made State Nut Which Made Her Husband Once Again a War-Mad Killer.

## PAYS PRICE OF FOLLY

Los Angeles, Cal.—Homesickness is at the center of the tragic case of Yvonne Wilmot, Belgian war bride of this city. It overwhelmed her love for her husband, provoked affection for a bachelor neighbor, drove her to the verge of suicide, and then shattered a triangle of happiness with a pistol shot. The aftermath will come with the trial of Scott Wilmot, her husband, charged with shooting Paul Peters, the bachelor interloper.

Yvonne, when only sixteen years old, became a bride of Wilmot, who was suffering from shell shock in a Belgian hospital. That was five years ago. Wilmot and his bride came to America and began living in a small house in this city. Wilmot, between frequent periods of illness, worked as a clerk.

## BACHELOR NEXT DOOR.

Yvonne became homesick. Her husband was working all of the time when he was not ill. He had no time to comfort her. Peters, who lived next door, attracted her and gained her confidence. She gave him her jewels, linen, tea set, and finally her home for him.

All this she set forth in a lurid confession which she signed and gave her husband. She threatened to drown herself. Wilmot read the statement and fainted. Four hours later he went to Peters with a gun.

Peters ran from the white-lipped fighter. Wilmot fired a shot, and Peters surrendered, with blood streaming.

## OSCAR ANDERSON

## Agents Wanted!

The Post-Democrat wants reliable agents and Street Sales Boys in Muncie, Eaton, Albany, Gaston, Yorktown, Daleville, Mathews, Hartford City, Anderson, Elwood, Alexandria, Portland, Dunkirk, Redkey and Newcastle. They all buy the Post-Democrat and keep on buying it. It's a real Democratic newspaper and it's against the Ku Klux.

The Muncie-Post Democrat  
MUNCIE, INDIANA  
Phone 2540



Wilmot Fired a Shot, and Peters Surrendered.

## OSCAR ANDERSON

(Continued from Page One)

They have all been working hard for a year and a half to catch Bob Graves and Hugh Berry. They just simply can't get the evidence. The police raided in Whitley the other night and arrested several colored boys on gambling charges, but Bob's place is so close in that he is hard to get.

Once the police raided him by mistake and found a group of colored brethren surrounding a pool table on which was scattered money and dice. No arrests were made, the explanation being that nobody could be induced to claim either the money or the dice, a very deplorable and unsportsmanlike procedure on the part of the colored gents who had been rolling the bones.

The proper thing for gamblers, stick up men and boot-leggers is to do their stuff and then call on Benbow and confess. This would be great help to the police department and would simplify court procedure.

The stubborn lawbreakers refuse, however, to do this, much to the surprise and annoyance of the two Vans—not moving, but stationary.

Of course it would be kind of awkward to go too rough with Bob and Hugh, the two colored men who stand high with the official Ku Klux gang. It was at their places that the sheriff and prosecutor threw the booze parties the week before election.

One of these days the police department and the whole outfit are likely to get some information from Indianapolis about these protected joints. The girl in the Anderson case said Anderson told her the police tipped off intended raids on his house of ill fame. Van Ogle said the girl was a good witness. What will he say about the army of witnesses who are all set to tell Judge Anderson all about the political booze parties attended by sworn officers of the law?

Come to think about it the gang is so crude that it wouldn't take two women to do their work for them. One woman, working half time, could turn the gang inside out and show them up almost as easily as Mrs. McCreary and Mrs. Snyder turned the spotlight on the Anderson joint.

## "TIZ" FOR TENDER, SORE, TIRED FEET

The minute you put your feet in a "TIZ" bath you feel pain being drawn out and comfort just soaking in. How good your tired, swollen, burning feet feel. "TIZ" instantly draws out the poisonous excretions that puff up your feet and cause sore, inflamed, sweaty feet.

"TIZ" and only "TIZ" takes the pain and soreness out of corns, callouses and bunions. Get a box of "TIZ" at any drug or department store for a few cents. Your feet are never going to bother you any more. A whole year's foot comfort guaranteed.

## Make Your Trip More Enjoyable by a Refreshing Night on Lake Erie

(Your rail ticket is good on the boats)

Thousands of east and north bound travelers say they wouldn't have missed that cool, comfortable night on one of our fine steamers. A good bed in a clean state-room, a long sound sleep and an appetizing breakfast in the morning.

Steamers "SEABEANBEE" — "CITY OF ERIE" — "CITY OF BUFFALO"

Daily, May 1st to November 15th

Leave Cleveland — 9:00 P.M. | Eastern | Leave Buffalo — 9:00 P.M.

Arrive Buffalo — 7:30 A.M. | Standard Time | Arrive Cleveland — 7:30 A.M.

Connections for Niagara Falls, Eastern and Canadian points. Ask your ticket agent or count on agency for tickets and information.

See for yourself and pencil chart of the Great Ship "Seabeanbee" and 32-page booklet.

The Cleveland and Buffalo Transit Co.

Cleveland, Ohio

Fare \$5.50



## Herb Sanders

GROCER

Clean Stock, Reasonable Prices, Prompt Delivery

Phone 5143

617 South Beacon

For Coughs and Colds, Headache, Neuralgia, Rheumatism and All Aches and Pains

ALL DRUGGISTS

35c and 65c, jars and tubes

Hospital size, \$3.00

## Tom Gibbons Arrives To Start Training.



Snapped as he stepped off the train at Great Falls, Montana, where he and Jack Dempsey will train for their championship bout that is scheduled for July 4th, at Shelby, Mont. The smiling gent with a brief case is Buck Page, Tom's trainer.

## WRITES FINIS TO CRIMINAL BOOK

Clanging of Prison Doors Adds Last Chapter to Unusual Bunco Career.

## HOUNDED TO HIS GRAVE

Man Who Was Prey to Confidence Man Chased Him Until He Landed Him in Prison—Accomplice Also Jailed.

Los Angeles, Cal.—When the big iron gates of the penitentiary at San Quentin, Cal., clanged shut on Walter Lips, former deputy sheriff of Los Angeles, the final chapter was written in the crime career of Joe Furey, king of bunco men. It also ended the strange story of a victim of Furey, a nemesis who drove the confidence man to his grave.

Furey as a Swindler.

Heading the best organized band of "bunco swindlers" in America, Furey operated from coast to coast, bought police protection and stole millions of dollars. Furey is buried in a cemetery near San Francisco, having died in a Texas prison. Lips the former deputy sheriff will serve 14 years for accepting a bribe of \$12,000 to permit Furey to escape.

One of the most relentless man hunts in police annals is unfolded by the story of Frank Norfleet, the man who brought Furey to justice. A little more than three years ago, while motoring with members of his gang in Texas, Furey's car broke down near Norfleet's ranch. Invited into the home until repairs were made, the gang buncoed Norfleet out of \$60,000.

Finally Cornered in Florida.

A week later, in El Paso, Tex., Norfleet identified police photographs of Furey and the latter was arrested in Los Angeles. He corrupted Lips and escaped. Norfleet then took up the hunt alone and traced the swindler to New York, back to California, and then to Canada. There he cornered Furey, only to have himself jailed on representa-



Used a Revolver in Getting Furey. The latter fled to Mexico and then to Palm Beach, Fla., closely followed by Norfleet.

In the Florida winter resort Norfleet took no chances and used a revolver in getting Furey to the police station. The sharper was quickly extradited to Texas and sentenced to 23 years in prison, dying eight months later.

## GIRL WIELDS GUN FOR GANG

Blue-Eyed Flapper Points Gat for New York Robbers Who Steal Taxicab.

New York.—Four sets of bandits, one with a blue-eyed flapper to carry the gat and point it, "entertained" in three of New York's boroughs.

One set of highwaymen held up a car of the Muncie bank of Brooklyn, at the corner of Lincoln road and Bedford avenue in the Flatbush section the other day and robbed the messengers of a consignment of currency that was being taken to the Federal Reserve bank in Manhattan. The police reported the amount stolen as \$50,000, but the cashier of the bank insisted that only \$2,000 was lost.

The flapper bandit, actually wielding a revolver in the most approved style of the modern bandit, made her debut on Broadway early in the day and incidentally the financial rewards were trivial. The sum of \$11.50 and a taxicab, were the losses reported to the police.

The lady bandit, of course, was pretty and attractive and well dressed. No feminine bandit could be otherwise and succeed. And this one even recognized the social requirements and was chaperoned by three men.

William Sussman was the taxi driver victim. He said the blue-eyed flapper held a blue steel-barreled pistol to his head while her "gentlemen" friends frisked him for the night's receipts in the shadows of Riverside drive. She still pointed the gun as the entire party drove off in his cab, promising to leave it for him at a certain uptown corner. This they did.

## Horticultural Hints

### GOOD HINTS FOR ORCHARDIST

Thorough and Complete Covering is Essential in Spraying—Thinning is Important.

It should be remembered that thorough and complete covering with the spray is essential to success. It is not enough to try to hit the fruit that the sprayer sees but he must cover all the tree. The successful sprayer goes back and checks upon himself to see whether he has missed any spots or not. Special attention should be given to the tops of the trees and no one should attempt to spray in a high wind.

Careful thinning is another important orchard practice which should be a regular part of the cooling moth campaign. This should be done early and the thinner should be instructed to pocket the wormy apples so they can be carefully destroyed. Probably the surest and simplest way to do this is to dump them into a barrel half full of water with a little kerosene on top.

Old trees should be carefully pruned and opened up so that the spray can reach all parts of the tree without difficulty. It may be necessary to head back old trees severely. It is sometimes necessary or desirable to recommend that burlap bands be placed around the trunks of the trees where infestation is heavy. These should be removed about one in two weeks during the summer and any cocoons found destroyed. Cultivation will kill some of the larvae in the ground and attention should also be given to packing houses or other buildings where the old boxes are stored that may contain many hibernating larvae. The grower should also keep an accurate record of his spray program, including notes on the weather so that he may be able to check back on his successes or failures.

### BUILDING UP OLD ORCHARDS

Sweet Clover Is Considered Excellent Crop to Improve Soil and Help Bearing Trees.

Sweet clover is considered to be the best hay crop to grow in an orchard and at the same time improve the bearing of the trees. Many old orchards on rundown soils have been built up again by getting a stand of sweet clover (which is an easy job) and allowing the clover to have a couple of years' growth with perhaps two cuttings a year from it.

This is also a good way to build up an old orchard soil before setting out a younger orchard between the old trees, with the idea of cutting out the old trees as soon as the young ones begin to bear. The principal underlying the recommendation of sweet clover is that, when inoculated, it will supply nitrogen to the soil. It will grow on poorer land than most legumes, and still give good results. Nitrogen is the main element in nature that stimulates growth and heavy bearing in fruit trees.

The method most common is to plant sweet clover on the land that is poor. Often the old trees are entirely cut away if they are not bearing enough to pay saying them. The clover is plowed under when the plants are out three feet high, or it may be disked into the soil after mature plants have fallen to the ground. The young trees are then planted the first spring after the clover has matured and has been plowed under.

### BRIDGE GRAFTING WILL HELP

Fruit Trees Damaged by Mice and Rabbits Can Be Saved by Simple Little Operation.

Fruit trees that have been girdled or otherwise injured during the winter by mice and rabbits can be saved by bridge grafting. A bridge graft is made by using scions or small limbs to connect the two portions of the bark of the tree which have been separated by an injury. The ends of the "bridge" unite with the uninjured parts above and below the wound in such manner that a connection between the tissues is established. Bridge grafting is best adapted and is usually most successful when applied to apple trees. However, pear trees may also be treated by this method.

### DELICIOUS APPLE IN FAVOR

Of Total Crop in Northwest 15 to 20 Per Cent of This Variety Brings Best Price.

Of the total apple crop in the Northwest, 15 to 20 per cent are of the Delicious variety, according to reports to the United States Department of Agriculture. This variety brings higher prices than other prominent varieties of boxed apples.

### Best Pruning of Grapes.

The first year after grapes are planted they require no pruning at all. Late in the autumn of this year all of the wood should be cut away except three or four buds unless the wood is very firm and ripe, in which case it is as well to begin shaping the vine this year.

### Bring an Orchard Back.

An orchard can often be brought back into profitable bearing if it is of the right varieties and if it has not been neglected too much.

## FARM MARES ARE MOST DESIRABLE

Besides Doing Her Share of Work Animal Has Produced Many Highly Valuable Colts.

### PLACE DOUBLE DUTY ON THEM

Two Outstanding Requirements Are That They Be Breeders and Workers—Purebreds Give Better Returns Than Grades.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

The small farmer who works a pair of mares will find it possible and profitable to raise a pair of good colts from them while they are doing their regular work. It is not uncommon, says the United States Department of Agriculture, to read of some remarkable mare that, besides doing her share of the farm work, has raised many hundreds of dollars' worth of colts. These accounts seldom tell of more than one such mare on a particular farm, whereas to obtain the greatest returns nearly all the work animals maintained on the farm should be mares of this character.

Breeding the working mares places double duty on them; consequently they must be robust individuals properly formed and must have good care and treatment. With two sources of profit from one animal, farmers can well afford to pay more for such stock, feed it more heavily, and give it special attention. The small farmer is the one who is most likely to get the best results from such a plan, because he usually works his own team or is in position to watch them closely and see that they are not ill treated.

Breeders and Workers. The two outstanding requirements in profitable farm mares are that they be breeders and workers. If a good registered stallion is available, purebred mares of the same breed will probably give better returns than grades. It costs practically no more to raise a purebred colt than it does to raise a grade, and the returns are much greater. The amount of capital that can be invested in the mares would be an important factor in determining whether purebreds should be used. The particular breed that the purebreds or grades should conform to would depend largely on local markets. Some communities are noted for and attract buyers of high-class drafters; others have local dealers who handle many choice harness horses and still others have a steady outlet for saddle horses; consequently in a locality favored with any such markets it is generally advisable to breed the prevailing type, since by so doing sales are more easily made and the services of high-class stallions are practically assured.

However, some persons have a decided preference for a particular breed or type, and where this is so a greater success often will be made in raising the kind naturally preferred, although it must be remembered that it is difficult to show a profit when raising something for which there may be a limited demand. It is generally accepted that light horses are best suited to rolling and semi-mountainous land, while drafters are more adaptable to level country.

Uniformity Desirable. The uniformity in the mares kept on a particular farm generally is not given much consideration. There is satisfaction and convenience in having mares similar enough in type and action so that one can readily fill the place of another at any kind of farm work. Such mares are especially desirable when it is necessary to work three or four abreast. In case four are needed to a wagon, it is a good advertisement of the owner's judgment and ability as a horseman to have them all uniform, in good condition, and hooked up to a nicely. If the mares resemble one another and are bred to the same stallion it will often be possible to sell the young horses as pairs, in which form they nearly always sell at a premium. The market for horses bred in this manner will not be overcrowded very soon, as readily will be attested by any one who has been confronted with the difficult task of purchasing from farmers mated pairs of a certain type.

### SUPPORT HELPS DWARF PEAS

Crop Will Do Better If Given Narrow Strip of Chicken Wire to Make Its Start.

Although the dwarf peas will grow well without support they will do better, even the most dwarfed, if given a width of narrow chicken wire to start them into upright growth. The taller of the dwarf section, those that grow two feet or more high, need this support and some of the finest of the dwarf section attain this height.

### CHECK ON FERTILIZER BILL

If the Farmer Will Give Legumes Fair Chance They Will Repay Him Hundredfold.

Legumes are always ready to help lessen the fertilizer bill. Give them a fair chance, treat them as you would a true friend and you will be repaid a hundredfold; remember, it is the legumes that have been credited not only with boarding themselves, but

## HUSBAND HACKS WIFE TO DEATH

Steeplejack Makes Fatal Attack on Woman After a Jealous Quarrel.

### FALLS DEAD IN SNOW

Pompton Lake, N. J.—A posse of 200 men with bloodhounds engaged in a wide hunt for John Manning, forty-six years old, a steeplejack from Philadelphia, suspected by police of stabbing his wife to death. The woman, with knife wounds in her body, was seen to run from her home to the street calling for help, and expired in the snow. The countryside was searched for the alleged slayer, but no clue was found. The man was resumed when a large group of citizens and farmers joined the police in the search. Police believe jealousy was the motive for the crime. They revealed that the woman had frequently been seen in the company of a minister, who, they say, left Pompton Lake some time ago, after receiving threatening letters from an alleged anonymous writer.

Jealous of His Wife. Manning had been jealous of his wife for several years, Police Chief Miller said. About two years ago he was locked up for attacking her, he said, and several times after that neighbors reported the couple quarreled bitterly, but no change on the husband's part was noted.

About 6:15 at night police learned that Manning was seen alighting from a bus and making his way to the home of his wife, who lived with their two

## JOB PRINTING

The Muncie Post-Democrat has arranged to take orders for a responsible Job Printing Establishment and is prepared to take orders for all kinds of Commercial printing. High Class work and Reasonable Prices Guaranteed.

Give Us Your Next Order.

## The Muncie-Post Democrat

PHONES 2540 AND 504

733 NORTH ELM ST. 445 JOHNSON BLOCK

## HOG SHIPPERS URGED TO WATCH FORECASTS

Warnings Broadcast by Department of Agriculture.

Out of Approximately 46,000 Animals Shipped in May and June, 1921, 181 Were Dead on Arrival at Chicago.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)



Expired in the Snow.

children, a boy of eighteen and a daughter, fourteen years old. About 6:35 o'clock Police Chief Miller passed the house and heard quarreling. He thought little of it because of the fact that the couple had been reported quarreling before. A few minutes later Mrs. Manning ran from the house, calling for help. The chief ran in pursuit of her husband, whom he believed to have been the person with whom she quarreled, but soon lost sight of him.

Neither of the children was home at the time of the alleged quarrel, the daughter having gone shopping and the boy to work. Shortly after the killing a general alarm to the police of the adjacent cities and towns was sent out for the arrest of Manning. The couple had been estranged for a few years. Manning was employed in Newark up to a few days ago, it was said.

Further studies of the possible effect

of high temperatures on hogs in shipment are to be made by the department. Numerous causal factors are

sponsible for the death of hogs in transit and the department is not yet prepared to establish a definite relationship between the number of animals reported dead on arrival at any given market and the atmospheric temperature at the market. The data is regarded as sufficient, however, to warn shippers to watch the weather forecasts and to load their stock accordingly.

### COMPLAINTS AGAINST MOLES

Much of Damage Reported Has Been Due to Mice Following Under-ground Passages.

Many complaints concerning damage by moles in lawns, gardens and truck farms have received attention from the biological survey. United States Department of Agriculture, during the past year. Much of the damage reported has been found to be due to mice following in the mole runways. This is generally the case where sprouting grain, vegetables and flower bulbs are being eaten. Moles do real damage by lifting up the soil into ridges, so that grasses or other plants are killed by the breaking or drying out of the roots. This is the more common type of injury in the Eastern states. In western Washington and Oregon and in northwestern California, moles, in connection with their burrowing activities, also pile up mounds of dirt which cover and destroy crop or forage plants and interfere with the use of harvesting machinery. Practical methods of control have been supplied to those complaining of this kind of damage, through correspondence, published material, and demonstrations.

Further studies of the possible effect of high temperatures on hogs in shipment are to be made by the department. Numerous causal factors are

## Gene Skips Rope—Will Johnny Make Him Skip Faster



Skipping rope at his training quarters at Manhasset, L. I., Eugene Crisqui, right, featherweight champion of New York, June 2, next.

## STAR THEATRE

Muncie's Home of Real Entertainment

Playing only and always the Best Musical Comedy, Vaudeville and Big Feature Moving Pictures.

Entertainment for the entire family. Selected from the world's best. Star "Pep" Orchestra. Popular Prices.

### SOME PLACE TO GO

## COLUMBIA THEATRE

The House of Class and Quality

Delaware County's Palatial Home of—

PARAMOUNT PICTURES

In the Biggest Productions 20-35c Plus Tax. Continuous. Magnificent Pipe Organ

### ANOTHER PLACE TO GO

## LYRIC THEATRE

Big Pictures—Bargain Prices

The world's biggest productions and all the favorite stars can be seen here at lower prices than any theatre in America. Make it YOUR theatre.

Children 10c; Adults 15c plus tax

CLARENCE BENADUM

(Continued From Page One.)

when this paper declared that it was a frame up and that the police who made the raid and the grand jury returning the indictment were klanmen, he drew what might be termed the capital prize—six months imprisonment and fines aggregating a thousand dollars for alleged contempt of court.

Those who know Clarence Benadum was supported by all the lawless elements of the city. They elected him just as they did his understudy, Van Ogle, the present prosecutor. In order to be a good klanman one must be a hypocrite.

## FISHERMEN LOST WEEK ON OCEAN

One Pie and Raw Potatoes All  
They Have to Eat While  
Adrift in Storm.

### TELL EPIC OF THE SEA

New York.—The two Freeport (L.) fishermen who disappeared a week ago have returned with an epic of the sea. Caught in a snowstorm that isolated their little motorboat 20 miles to sea from Freeport, their compass went wrong and they began a drift that ended when a schooner from Nassau picked them up 65 miles southeast of Ambrose.

Capt. Bergen Smith, an 180-pounder, and Harry Matthews are the two men who spent five days adrift. They were landed at Long Beach by the schooner Catherine M., which had picked them up after the men had drifted for a week.

#### One Still Sleeping.

The men went home to Freeport in a taxi from Long Beach and straight to bed. At noon Matthews was still sleeping, but Smith was up and told the story of the terrible week.

Smith said he and Matthews went fishing. They started back at 10:30 a.m., when something went wrong with their compass and they found themselves heading out to sea. Soon they realized they were lost. Then they



#### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Office of the Board 212 Wyson Block, Muncie, Indiana.

To Whom It May Concern:

Notice is hereby given that the assessment rolls, with the names of the owners and description of property subject to be assessed, the amounts of prima facie assessments, have been made and are now on file and can be seen at the office of the Board for the following improvements, to-wit:

I. R. No. 920-1922, Cement sidewalk on both sides of Seventh street from Madison street to Blaine street.

I. R. No. 929-1922, Cement alley from Adams Street to Jackson street; also cement alley from Ohio Avenue to alley between Adams and Jackson streets.

I. R. No. 948-1923, Cement sidewalk on east side of Center street, from Second street to Third street.

I. R. No. 975-1923, Cement alley between Jackson street and Adams street from Vine street to Plum street.

and notice is hereby given that on the 19th day of June, 1923, the Board will, at its office receive and hear remonstrances against the amounts assessed against their property respectively on said roll, and will determine the question as to whether such lots or tracts of land have been or will be benefited by said improvement in the amounts named on said roll, or in a greater or less sum than that named on said roll or in any sum, at which time and place all owners of such real estate may attend, in person or by representative, and be heard.

Board of Public Works,

MARY E. ANDERSON, Clerk.

Advertised on June 1-8-1923.

#### Apply Sulphur On Your Eczema Skin

Costs Little and Overcomes Trouble  
Almost Over Night.

Any breaking out of the skin, even fiery, itching eczema, can be quickly overcome by applying Mento-Sulphur. Declares a noted skin specialist. Because of its germ destroying properties this sulphur preparation instantly brings ease from skin irritation, soothes and heals the eczema right up and leaves the skin clear and smooth.

It seldom fails to relieve the torment without delay. Sufferers from skin trouble should obtain a small jar of Rowles Mento-Sulphur from many good druggist and use it like cold cream.

#### NOTICE OF BOND SALE.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Treasurer of Delaware County, State of Indiana, that on and after the hour of 10 a.m., on the 12th day of June, 1923, at the office of said treasurer, in the court house, at the City of Muncie, Indiana, the undersigned as treasurer of said county, will proceed to sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, at not less than the principal sum named in such bonds, certain highway improvement bonds of the face or par value of \$4,400.00 bearing interest from and after April 15th, 1923, at the rate of 5 percent per annum, payable semi-annually, on the 15th day of May and the 15th day of November of each year for the period of 10 years.

Said bonds have been issued in strict compliance with the laws of the State of Indiana and pursuant to an order of the Board of Commissioners of Delaware County, authorizing the issue and sale of said bonds for the purpose of providing funds for the construction and improvement of a certain highway, petitioned for by Delfah A. Benton et al in Mt. Pleasant township, said county, Indiana. Said bonds will be 20 in number, dated April 15th, 1923, of \$220.00 each.

The first bond will be due and payable May 15th, 1924 and \$220.00 bond each six months thereafter until all said bonds have been paid.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

FRED F. REASONER,

Treasurer of Delaware County,

Indiana.

June 1 and 8.

#### NOTICE OF BOND SALE.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Treasurer of Delaware County, State of Indiana, that on and after the hour of 10 a.m., on the 12th day of June, 1923, at the office of said treasurer, in the court house, at the City of Muncie, Indiana, the undersigned as treasurer of said county, will proceed to sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, at not less than the principal sum named in such bonds, certain highway improvement bonds of the face or par value of

\$2500.00, bearing interest from and after April 15th, 1923, at the rate of 5 percent per annum, payable semi-annually, on the 15th day of May and the 15th day of November of each year, for the period of 10 years.

Said bonds have been issued in strict compliance with the laws of the State of Indiana and pursuant to an order of the Board of Commissioners of Delaware County, authorizing the issue and sale of said bonds for the purpose of providing funds for the construction and improvement of a certain highway, petitioned for by Delfah A. Benton et al in Mt. Pleasant township, said county, Indiana. Said bonds will be 20 in number, dated April 15th, 1923, of \$220.00 each.

The first bond will be due and payable May 15th, 1924 and \$220.00 bond each six months thereafter until all said bonds have been paid.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

FRED F. REASONER,

Treasurer of Delaware County,

Indiana.

June 1 and 8.

#### NOTICE OF BOND SALE.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Treasurer of Delaware County, State of Indiana, that on and after the hour of 10 a.m., on the 12th day of June, 1923, at the office of said treasurer, in the court house, at the City of Muncie, Indiana, the undersigned as treasurer of said county, will proceed to sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, at not less than the principal sum named in such bonds, certain highway improvement bonds of the face or par value of

\$2500.00, bearing interest from and after April 15th, 1923, at the rate of 5 percent per annum, payable semi-annually, on the 15th day of May and the 15th day of November of each year, for the period of 10 years.

Said bonds have been issued in strict compliance with the laws of the State of Indiana and pursuant to an order of the Board of Commissioners of Delaware County, authorizing the issue and sale of said bonds for the purpose of providing funds for the construction and improvement of a certain highway, petitioned for by Delfah A. Benton et al in Mt. Pleasant township, said county, Indiana. Said bonds will be 20 in number, dated April 15th, 1923, of \$220.00 each.

The first bond will be due and payable May 15th, 1924 and \$220.00 bond each six months thereafter until all said bonds have been paid.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

FRED F. REASONER,

Treasurer of Delaware County,

Indiana.

June 1 and 8.

#### NOTICE OF BOND SALE.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Treasurer of Delaware County, State of Indiana, that on and after the hour of 10 a.m., on the 12th day of June, 1923, at the office of said treasurer, in the court house, at the City of Muncie, Indiana, the undersigned as treasurer of said county, will proceed to sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, at not less than the principal sum named in such bonds, certain highway improvement bonds of the face or par value of

\$2500.00, bearing interest from and after April 15th, 1923, at the rate of 5 percent per annum, payable semi-annually, on the 15th day of May and the 15th day of November of each year, for the period of 10 years.

Said bonds have been issued in strict compliance with the laws of the State of Indiana and pursuant to an order of the Board of Commissioners of Delaware County, authorizing the issue and sale of said bonds for the purpose of providing funds for the construction and improvement of a certain highway, petitioned for by Delfah A. Benton et al in Mt. Pleasant township, said county, Indiana. Said bonds will be 20 in number, dated April 15th, 1923, of \$220.00 each.

The first bond will be due and payable May 15th, 1924 and \$220.00 bond each six months thereafter until all said bonds have been paid.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

FRED F. REASONER,

Treasurer of Delaware County,

Indiana.

June 1 and 8.

#### NOTICE OF BOND SALE.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Treasurer of Delaware County, State of Indiana, that on and after the hour of 10 a.m., on the 12th day of June, 1923, at the office of said treasurer, in the court house, at the City of Muncie, Indiana, the undersigned as treasurer of said county, will proceed to sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, at not less than the principal sum named in such bonds, certain highway improvement bonds of the face or par value of

\$2500.00, bearing interest from and after April 15th, 1923, at the rate of 5 percent per annum, payable semi-annually, on the 15th day of May and the 15th day of November of each year, for the period of 10 years.

Said bonds have been issued in strict compliance with the laws of the State of Indiana and pursuant to an order of the Board of Commissioners of Delaware County, authorizing the issue and sale of said bonds for the purpose of providing funds for the construction and improvement of a certain highway, petitioned for by Delfah A. Benton et al in Mt. Pleasant township, said county, Indiana. Said bonds will be 20 in number, dated April 15th, 1923, of \$220.00 each.

The first bond will be due and payable May 15th, 1924 and \$220.00 bond each six months thereafter until all said bonds have been paid.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

FRED F. REASONER,

Treasurer of Delaware County,

Indiana.

June 1 and 8.

#### NOTICE OF BOND SALE.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Treasurer of Delaware County, State of Indiana, that on and after the hour of 10 a.m., on the 12th day of June, 1923, at the office of said treasurer, in the court house, at the City of Muncie, Indiana, the undersigned as treasurer of said county, will proceed to sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, at not less than the principal sum named in such bonds, certain highway improvement bonds of the face or par value of

\$2500.00, bearing interest from and after April 15th, 1923, at the rate of 5 percent per annum, payable semi-annually, on the 15th day of May and the 15th day of November of each year, for the period of 10 years.

Said bonds have been issued in strict compliance with the laws of the State of Indiana and pursuant to an order of the Board of Commissioners of Delaware County, authorizing the issue and sale of said bonds for the purpose of providing funds for the construction and improvement of a certain highway, petitioned for by Delfah A. Benton et al in Mt. Pleasant township, said county, Indiana. Said bonds will be 20 in number, dated April 15th, 1923, of \$220.00 each.

The first bond will be due and payable May 15th, 1924 and \$220.00 bond each six months thereafter until all said bonds have been paid.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

FRED F. REASONER,

Treasurer of Delaware County,

Indiana.

June 1 and 8.

#### NOTICE OF BOND SALE.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Treasurer of Delaware County, State of Indiana, that on and after the hour of 10 a.m., on the 12th day of June, 1923, at the office of said treasurer, in the court house, at the City of Muncie, Indiana, the undersigned as treasurer of said county, will proceed to sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, at not less than the principal sum named in such bonds, certain highway improvement bonds of the face or par value of

\$2500.00, bearing interest from and after April 15th, 1923, at the rate of 5 percent per annum, payable semi-annually, on the 15th day of May and the 15th day of November of each year, for the period of 10 years.

Said bonds have been issued in strict compliance with the laws of the State of Indiana and pursuant to an order of the Board of Commissioners of Delaware County, authorizing the issue and sale of said bonds for the purpose of providing funds for the construction and improvement of a certain highway, petitioned for by Delfah A. Benton et al in Mt. Pleasant township, said county, Indiana. Said bonds will be 20 in number, dated April 15th, 1923, of \$220.00 each.

The first bond will be due and payable May 15th, 1924 and \$220.00 bond each six months thereafter until all said bonds have been paid.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

FRED F. REASONER,

Treasurer of Delaware County,

Indiana.

June 1 and 8.

#### NOTICE OF BOND SALE.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Treasurer of Delaware County, State of Indiana, that on and after the hour of 10 a.m., on the 12th day of June, 1923, at the office of said treasurer, in the court house, at the City of Muncie, Indiana, the undersigned as treasurer of said county, will proceed to sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, at not less than the principal sum named in such bonds, certain highway improvement bonds of the face or par value of

\$2500.00, bearing interest from and after April 15th, 1923, at the rate of 5 percent per annum, payable semi-annually, on the 15th day of May and the 15th day of November of each year, for the period of 10 years.

Said bonds have been issued in strict compliance with the laws of the State of Indiana and pursuant to an order of the Board of Commissioners of Delaware County, authorizing the issue and sale of said bonds for the purpose of providing funds for the construction and improvement of a certain highway, petitioned for by Delfah A. Benton et al in Mt. Pleasant township, said county, Indiana. Said bonds will be 20 in number, dated April 15th, 1923, of \$220.00 each.

The first bond will be due and payable May 15th, 1924 and \$220.00 bond each six months thereafter until all said bonds have been paid.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

FRED F. REASONER,

Treasurer of Delaware County,

Indiana.

June 1 and 8.

#### NOTICE OF BOND SALE.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Treasurer of Delaware County, State of Indiana, that on and after the hour of 10 a.m., on the 12th day of June, 1923, at the office of said treasurer, in the court house, at the City of Muncie, Indiana, the undersigned as treasurer of said county, will proceed to sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, at not less than the principal sum named in such bonds, certain highway improvement bonds of the face or par value of

\$2500.00, bearing interest from and after April 15th, 1923, at the rate of 5 percent per annum, payable semi-annually, on the 15th day of May and the 15th day of November of each year, for the period of 10 years.

Said bonds have been issued in strict compliance with the laws of the State of Indiana and pursuant to an order of the Board of Commissioners of Delaware County, authorizing the issue and sale of said bonds for the purpose of providing funds for the construction and improvement of a certain highway, petitioned for by Delf