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stop and consider who is more capable of selling your property than

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The Live Stock and General Auctioneer. Monroe Ind.

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For the next thirty days I will sell at Bargain Prices, Extra good tried sows and spring gilts. Those bringing a fair price, I will breed Free of Charge, to any of my herd boars.

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As the time is not far distant when you will be wanting to have that sale and you will wonder what Auctioneer will get you the high dollar for your property. Listen

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is the auctioneer that gets the high dollar for all property sold. Claim dates early.

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"A RACE FOR A WIDOW"

A BIG FUN SHOW

Full of Mirth and laughter

With a New York Cast

Prices: 25, 35 and 50 Cents
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About our plan of loaning money.

You can borrow what money you need on your household goods, pianos, horses, wagons, fixtures, etc. You can have from one to twelve months' time in which to pay it back. Our contracts are simple and all transactions are clean cut and private.

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Our agent will be in Decatur every Tuesday.

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Coughs, Colds, Croup, Whooping Cough

This remedy can always be depended upon and is pleasant to take. It contains no opium or other harmful drug and may be given as confidently to a baby as to an adult.
Price 25 cents, large size 50 cents.

CHICHESTER'S PILLS

THE DIAMOND BRAND. Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chichester's Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold metallic boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbon. Take no other. Buy of your Druggist. Ask for CHICHESTER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for 25 years known as Best, Safest, Always Reliable.

F. E. SMITH
The man who fixes things

This is An Easy Test.

Sprinkle Allen's Foot-Ease in one shoe and not in the other, and notice the difference. Just the thing to use when rubbers or overshoes become necessary, and your shoes seem to pinch. Sold everywhere, 25c. Don't accept any substitute.

If you will take Foley's Orino Laxative until the bowels become regular you will not have to take purgatives constantly, as Foley's Orino Laxative positively cures chronic constipation and sluggish liver. Pleasant to take. THE HOLTHOUSE DRUG CO.

TRICKER'S Jackson Sootless coal leaves no whiskers on the stove lids. Hocking Splint and other grades at the low price. Office Phone 534; Res. 311.

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TWO OTHERS FAIL

Fremont Bennett, Modoc, Ind., says: "I used two other remedies and lost twenty-six out of eighty-five hogs. I then used Bourbon Hog Cholera Remedy and it cured my hogs."

FREE—10c. package Conkey's Laying Tonic and 25c. Poultry Book. Bring ad. to Smith, Yager & Falk. By mail 7c. 249-301

THE MARKET REPORTS

Accurate prices paid by Decatur merchants for various products. Corrected every day at 2 o'clock.

TOLEDO MARKETS.
Wheat, cash 106 1/2
May wheat 109 1/4
July wheat 101 1/4
Corn, cash 61 1/2
May corn 63 3/4
May corn 63 3/4
Oats, cash 52 3/4
May oats 53
July oats 47 1/4
Wheat 1.00

PRODUCE.
By Decatur Produce Co.
Eggs 26c
Fowls 8c
Ducks 8c
Geese 6c
Turkey 14c
Spring chicks 8c
Butter 17c
Chicks 8c

DECATUR GRAIN MARKET.
Niblick and Company.
Eggs 26c
Butter 20c
Mixed ear corn 73
Yellow ear corn 75
White oats 48
Red clover seed 5.00
Alsike clover seed 7.50
Barley 5.50
Timothy seed 1.50

PRICES ON COAL.
Chestnut coal \$7.25
Hocking Valley 3.75
West Virginia splint 4.00
Wash nut 4.00

The Decatur Packing Company, Phone 81, will pay the following prices for live stock:
Hogs \$5.10 to \$5.50
Veal calves \$6.00 to \$6.50
Cattle \$3.50 to \$4.25

B. KALVER & SONS..Phone 442.
Beef hides 9c
Calf hides 11c
Sheep pelts 25c to \$1.00
Tallow 4c
Mink 25c to \$4.50
Skunk 25c to \$2.00
Coon 10c to \$1.15
Opussum 5c to 30c
Muskrat 5c to 30c

A SPECIALIST SAYS:

"Piles Can't Be Thoroughly Cured by Outward Treatment."

Dr. J. S. Leonhardt, of Lincoln, Neb., the celebrated specialist, who has studied every phase of piles, says: "Piles can't be thoroughly cured by ointments, nor any other outside treatment. The cause is internal, and needs internal treatment." Dr. Leonhardt perfected Hem-Roid, the first internal pile cure. It frees circulation in the lower bowel, and has cured 98 per cent. of cases. Sold under guarantee at Holthouse Drug Co. Price \$1. Dr. Leonhardt Co., Station B. Buffalo, N. Y., prop. Write for booklet.

SIMPLE REMEDY FOR LA GRIPPE
Racking la grippe coughs that may develop into pneumonia over night are quickly cured by Foley's Honey and Tar. The sore and inflamed lungs are healed and strengthened, and a dangerous condition is quickly averted. Take only Foley's Honey and Tar in the yellow package.
THE HOLTHOUSE DRUG CO.

HER ONLY HOPE
Mrs. Newton B. Thomas, Christiansburg, Ky., says: "I have used your Bourbon Poultry Cure and know that it will cure Turkey Cholera. It is my only hope of raising the birds next year."

Many little lives have been saved by Foley's Honey and Tar, for coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough. It is the only safe remedy for infants and children as it contains no opiates or other narcotic drugs, and children like Foley's Honey and Tar. Careful mothers keep a bottle in the house. Refuse substitutes.
THE HOLTHOUSE DRUG CO.

Prices on Coal!!

By Reynolds & Wagner

Chestnut Coal \$7 50
Stove Coal 7 50
Furnace Egg hard coal 7 50
Pocahontas Egg 4 50
Pea Hard Coal 6 50
Virginia Splint 4 25
Wash nut ra 4 00
W. P. H. Lump coal 0 00

INSTALL OFFICERS

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quartermaster. J. D. Hale will be installing officer; D. E. Smith speaker and the following program will be rendered: Duet, Dr and Mrs. J. Q. Neptune; recitation, Alta Teeple; duet, Gladys McMullen and Mary Erwin.

PUBLIC SALE.

The undersigned will offer for sale at his residence, one mile south of Beery church, beginning at 10 o'clock a. m., Tuesday, Jan. 12, 1909, the following property, to-wit: Horses—Four head horses, one grey brood mare coming 9 years old, one brown brood mare coming 8 years old, 1 sorrel horse 6 years old, one spring colt Belgian. Cattle—One good Jersey cow, will be fresh in June, one spring calf, one good Jersey cow, one Chesterwhite male hog, one Scotch Collie dog, four or five dozen chickens. Farm Implement—One Smith wagon, two top buggies, one set of heavy work harness, two sets of single buggy harness, one pair of bobsleds, one Monarch riding cultivator, one 18 spring tooth harrow, one breaking plow, one double shovel plow, one float, fodder in field, one bushel red clover seed.

Terms—\$5.00 and under cash on day of sale; over \$5.00 a credit of nine months time will be given to purchaser who gives approved security. Four per cent off for cash.

CHARLES W. ANDREWS.

J. N. Burkhead, Auct.

"A RACE FOR A WIDOW"

A large audience saw "A Race for a Widow" at the Brooks last night. It is a clever three-act farce, full of good, clean humor. It moves at a lively clip, but is entirely free of the slap and bang business so common in farce comedy. Nina Wilbur as Rose, an American widow, gives a clever portrayal of an adventuresome, the chief trouble maker for Holtzmueller. The company is an evenly balanced one and "A Race for a Widow" is well worth seeing—Oklahoma State Capital, Guthrie, Nov. 22, 1906. "A Race for a Widow" comes to the Bosse opera house Monday, Jan. 11.

BRAVE FIRE LADDIES.

often receive severe burns, putting out fires, then use Bucklen's Arnica Salve and forget them. It soon drives out pain. For Burns, Scalds, Wounds, Cuts and Bruises it's the greatest healer. Quickly cures Skin Eruptions, Old Sores, Bolls, Ulcers, Felons; best Pile cure made. Relief is instant. 25c at all druggists.

SAVED THEM

Dr. J. O. Greson, State Secy of American Veterinary Medical Ass'n., Kokomo, Ind., says: "The herd of hogs on which the Bourbon Hog Cholera Remedy was used, was sold yesterday. We give this remedy the credit of saving them."

DON'T GET A DIVORCE.

A western judge granted a divorce on account of ill-temper and bad breath. Dr. King's New Life Pills would have prevented it. They cure Constipation, causing bad breath and Liver Trouble the ill-temper, dispel colds, banish headaches, conquer chills. 25c at all druggists.

There is no case on record of a cough, cold or la grippe developing into pneumonia after Foley's Honey and Tar has been taken, as it cures the most obstinate deep seated coughs and colds. Why take anything else.
THE HOLTHOUSE DRUG CO.

GEO. TRICKER has for sale a brand new Splint coal, hard as a rock, per ton for a few cars. You have not seen its equal. Phone 534. 253-121 that lasts equal to Anthracite at \$2.50

FOR SALE—1 four-year-old driving mare and ten head of Shropshire ewes. B. J. Waggoner, phone 012. 6-31

You have tried the rest, now try the best—Admiral coffee. 20c

Feed Peerless Crushed Oyster shells to raise poultry and eggs profitably. For sale at all drug stores and at Hale's warehouse. 284-121

Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children.

Successfully used by Mother Gray, nurse in the Children's Home in New York, Cure Feverishness, Bad Stomach, Teething Disorders, move and regulate the bowels and Destroy Worms. Over 10,000 testimonials. They never fail. At all Druggists, 25c. Sample FREE. Address, Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

WANT ADS

WANTED

WANTED—Agent for Adams county to sell specialty. Other agents are making over \$300.00 per month. Must give reference. Address F. R. D. care Hoosier Account Register company, Noblesville, Indiana. 6-21

CIGAR SALESMAN WANTED—In your locality to represent us. Experience unnecessary; \$110 per mo. and expenses. Write for particulars. Menarch Cigar Co., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—A girl to do general house work. Inquire of Dr. J. Q. Neptune. TEAMS WANTED—Five or six teams to haul timber. Good wages. A. M. York, Phone 502. 5-21

POSITION WANTED—A stenographer who is a graduate from a business college wants a position in Decatur. Writes short hand fluently. Inquire at this office. 5-31

WANTED—Young men to learn automobile business by mail and prepare for positions as chauffeurs and repair men. We make you an expert in ten weeks and assist you to secure position. Pay big, work pleasant, demand for men great. Reasonable. Write today for particulars. Empire Automobile Institute, Rochester, N. Y.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—A pair of mules, five years old, 16 hands high, weight 2,300 pounds, well broke and as gentle as a pair of horses in stall or in harness. The price is right. Call on D. W. Beery or Abe Koch at once if you want them. 219-41

FOR SALE—A coal cook stove. Will sell cheap if sold at once. Inquire of Mrs. Ewington, one square south South Ward school.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Amber comb, with amber settings, near public fountain. Please return to this office and receive reward. 3-31

LOST—Boys' gauntlet glove. Please return to this office. 1-31

FOUND—A gold watch. The loser may have same by calling at this office and describing same. 311-31

LOST—A boys' gauntlet glove. Please return to Mrs. Fred Linn or this office.

LOST—A gold cross. Finder please return to this office. 1-61

LOST—A Swastika belt pin somewhere in Monroe. Finder return to Fern Hendricks and receive reward.

LOST—A pair of brown, undressed kid gloves. Were left in some store or office. Finder please return to Jeff Bryson or to this office.

LOST—Black and tan dog with white feet and white in face. Answers to name Sport. Finder please notify Geo. G. Flanders. 306-61

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—A good barn, with water hydrant in building, \$2.00 per month. See Mrs. R. B. Gregory, S. 4th St. 3-61

FOR RENT—Eight-roomed house corner of Jackson and Ninth streets. See Mrs. P. J. Hyland, Fifth street. 11

FOR RENT—A four roomed house west side of town. Hard and soft water in the house. C. R. Weikel, Phone 313.

MONEY TO LOAN on farm property at 5 per cent. L. C. DeVoss, Decatur, Indiana. 3-301-dw

NOTICE—Piano tuner Wm. Spiegel of Fort Wayne is in town now. Any one wishing work done may leave their order at Park Hotel. 21

CALL ON G. W. Nidlinger, three doors east of the postoffice for fish, groceries and vegetables of all kinds. 6-61

A HORRIBLE HOLD-UP.

"About ten years ago my brother was 'held up' in his work, health and happiness by what was believed to be hopeless Consumption," writes W. R. Lipscomb, of Washington, N. C. "He took all kinds of remedies and treatment from several doctors, but found no help till he used Dr. King's New Discovery and was wholly cured by six bottles. He is a well man today." It's quick to relieve and the surest cure for weak or sore lungs, Hemorrhages, Coughs and Colds, Bronchitis, La Grippe, Asthma and all Bronchial affections. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by all druggists.

The Red Men will meet at their hall at seven o'clock this evening, where the installation of officers for the year will occur. A delightful time is assured and every member is urged to be present.

There will be a chapter meeting tonight and every member is requested to be present.

Mrs. L. E. Steele entertained last evening for a number of her friends. Five hundred was the amusement and a good time was enjoyed.

A CITY BUILDING

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a city hall. From what we are able to ascertain from the various members of the council, they are all of one frame of mind and that is that they expect to erect a city hall that will be a credit to our city and one that will fill the bill for years to come. For the past twenty years Decatur has been practically without fire protection and the business men who have vast interests at stake have been pressing the council to take some action in this respect. With a new city hall the city dads will be able to put in the necessary equipment and will be also able to care for the same as it should be taken care of. There is no doubt in the minds of every fair minded citizen that the council is at this time taking a step in the right direction. Upon motion by Martin the council concluded to send City Electrician Mylott to Chicago this month to take in the big electric show and thus permit him to grasp some new ideas that may be of importance in the end to the city. The following bills were then read and allowed:

C. & E.	\$389.66
D. F. Teeple	102.86
F. J. Hyland	22.35
Wm. Kitson	8.00
C. W. Dorwin	8.16
F. Spuller	5.50
Wm. Burkhead	9.50
Wm. Burford	10.50
Wm. Bohnke	12.53
Wm. Ward	1.50
Fr. Wayne Elect. Works	2.89
Thos. F. Ehinger	5.60
W. G. Nagel	90.47
Union Oil Works	17.50
National Mill Co.	9.98
Central Elect. Co.	125.44
Buhler & Cloud	8.85
John Sprague	14.90
J. D. Stults	45.83
Krick, Tyndall & Co.	32.12
J. D. Bollinger	17.00
H. Peters	10.40
L. C. Helm	50.50
J. S. Boyers	2.00
H. Haruff	20.00
M. J. Mylott	53.82
Sunday Creek Coal Co.	133.31

No further business coming before the council, they adjourned until their next regular meeting.

Social Column

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ed, and will be held Thursday evening with Mrs. W. H. Wiley, of Fifth street. Mrs. D. D. Heller has charge of the program.

The Helping Hand Society of the German Reformed church, will meet Thursday afternoon at two o'clock at the home of Mrs. Frank Keller on Walnut street.

Mrs. Charles Christen will give a pleasant entertainment at her Monroe street home this evening in honor of Mrs. Charles Pilliod, of Piqua, O., and Mrs. Julius Spies, of Cleveland, Ohio.

Mrs. P. J. Hyland pleasantly entertained last evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Kuebler and Mr. and Mrs. Julius Spies, of Cleveland, Ohio.

Mrs. Frank Crawford entertained the Ladies' Afternoon Club today and progressive pedro furnished the principal amusement.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Kuebler and Mr. and Mrs. Julius Spies will leave tomorrow for Bluffton, where they will be entertained at 12 o'clock dinner and six o'clock supper. Mrs. Ellen Dalley will be the hostess for dinner and Mrs. J. J. Ray for supper. They will have a delightful time.

A delightful pedro party and dance was given last evening at the C. B. L. of I. hall and a large crowd partook of the festivities. Miss Bertha Kohne ably officiated at the piano.

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