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### THE DEMOCRATIC TICKET

For Mayor  
HERMAN L. CONTER  
For Clerk  
H. M. DeVOSS  
For Treasurer  
W. J. ARCHBOLD  
For Councilman-at-Large  
JACOB MARTIN  
M. BURNS  
For Councilman First Ward  
ISAAC CHRONISTER  
For Councilman Second Ward  
JOHN D. HALE  
For Councilman Third Ward  
CHARLES N. CHRISTEN

### HE STILL WANTS

#### THOSE GOOD OLD DAYS

P. L. still insists that Decatur must be a dead one. No improvements, no work for the laboring man and that means a curtailment of credit from the business man. It is a program of city management that will not cause the merchant or the laborer to swell up in pride. In fact it is a program that is not calculated to make any of us proud of ourselves, and it is one too, that should not be counteracted by the progressive spirit that is now so manifest in our city. The writer heard one of the best business men in the city say the other night that Decatur was now and had been during the past four years the best governed city in the state, and he proved the point by the accomplishments of the present council. It is an easy point to prove. They have been business men who have done things, and the greatest of their accomplishments has been the placing of the affairs of the city on a business basis, the payment of their bills and the reduction of the city debt.

Now comes P. L. and suggests a return to those good old days. Those days when city orders went begging—they getting not even a pleasant look, let alone the good hard cash in lieu thereof. He wants to get back to the time when the city debt instead of being paid was permitted to accumulate and grow larger. P. L. stands in a class all by himself. Every one else wants to pay as we go, reduce the debt and cut down the interest charge, which is heavy enough now. Deliver us from the days when we were going further and further in the soup, and when interest was being paid at the rate of six and eight per cent. If the present business features are continued it will not be many years before Decatur will be free from debt, free from outrageous interest charges, and free to manage her own affairs in her own free way. The present council has made this possible, and they should be elected

to carry out the plans of the only business council Decatur has had in years. There is not a member of the present council who have a personal or selfish motive in the transaction of the affairs of the city. They may have their faults but when it comes to business they have no friends to reward or enemies to punish. It is business, as it should be business with every voter on election day. Every voter should vote for the nearest route for relief from the tangling alliances of debt and interest.

## ITS GUARANTEED

"The Girl That's All the Candy" Will Be Here  
Next Monday Night

### HAVE THIRTY PEOPLE

Manager Bosse Had to  
Guarantee the Company  
Three Hundred Dollars

"The Girl That's All the Candy" which comes to the Bosse opera house next Monday, Oct. 18, is a far better show than usually comes, to towns of our size. It is a show that plays New York, Chicago and all the big cities. Mr. Bosse our local opera house manager, should be congratulated in securing such an attraction and to encourage him to bring more companies. Our people should turn out and support it. Mr. Bosse's contract calls for the very same productions as given in the large cities. Every piece of scenery and all costumes must be used. Nothing cut and the prices to be 25c., 50c., 75c. It will be the very same show you will pay \$1.50 to see in Detroit, Chicago, Cincinnati or any one of the large cities. It is a big expensive show and our opera house will have to be packed for the company to break even. It is the first time they have ever played for this low admission and in order to hold the admission as stated Mr. Bosse was obliged to guarantee the company that their receipts would be at least \$300. If our people don't turn out and support this attraction they can't expect Mr. Bosse to bring any more such companies here.

### FOR DYSPEPSIA

You Risk Nothing by Trying this Remedy.

We want every one troubled with indigestion and dyspepsia to come to our store and obtain a box of Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets. They contain Bismuth-Subnitrate and Pepsin prepared by a process which develops their greatest power to overcome digestive disturbance.

Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets are very pleasant to take. They soothe the irritable, weak stomach, strengthen and invigorate the digestive organs, relieve nausea and indigestion, promote nutrition and bring about a feeling of comfort.

If you give Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets a reasonable trial we will return your money if you are not satisfied with the result. Three sizes, 25 cents, 50 cents and \$1.00. Remember you can obtain Rexall Remedies in Decatur only at our store—The Rexall Store. The Smith & Yager Drug Co.

## SOCIETY COLUMN

Mrs. Fred Fruchte to Entertain the Euterpean Society

### THE HISTORICAL CLUB

The United Brethren Aid Society to Give Social Tomorrow Night

The Ladies' Aid Society of the United Brethren church will meet tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. Thomas Fisher on Madison street. Several important questions will be talked on and all the members are requested to be present.

The Aid Society of the United Brethren church will give a social tomorrow night at the home of Mrs. D. W. Steele. The proceeds will be added to the fund for paying off the parsonage debt. A pleasant social time with music is promised. A penny luncheon will add enjoyment to the evening's entertainment. Each person on being served will count out a penny for his plate and add a penny for everything he eats. Remember the social is tomorrow night at the home of Mrs. D. W. Steele on west Monroe street.

The Historical Club was entertained by Mrs. Mary Conleton at her home on Third street last evening, a large number being present. The paper "Fisheries of Alaska" was read by Mrs. Crabbs. The next meeting scheduled to occur at the home of Mrs. Blackburn will be held with Mrs. D. W. Meyers, a change having been made.

The meeting of the Euterpean Society has been postponed from Thursday to Friday evening, the place of meeting this week being at the home of Mrs. Fred Fruchte.

Miss Ludella Holle, the beautiful daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Holle, who reside in Union township, will Sunday be united in marriage to Mr. August J. Rucklos, of Omaha, Neb. The wedding services will take place at the Evangelical Lutheran church at two-thirty p. m. Immediately after the services they will proceed to the home of the bride's parents where an elegant dinner will be served to those invited. A hundred and fifty invitations have been issued and throughout the afternoon and evening the guests will be entertained. The bride is a beautiful and accomplished young lady, while Mr. Rucklos is a bright young man and engaged in business at Omaha. The many good wishes of their many friends will be with them always.

### ITS A TOP NOTCH DOER.

Great deeds compel regard. The world crowns its doers. That's why the American people have crowned Dr. King's New Discovery the King of Throat and Lung remedies. Every atom is a health force. It kills germs, and colds and la grippe vanish. It heals cough-racked membranes and coughing stops. Sore, inflamed bronchial tubes and lungs are cured and hemorrhages cease. Dr. Geo. More, Black Jack, N. C., writes: "It cured me of lung trouble, pronounced hopeless by all doctors." 50c., \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by all druggists.

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### CHANGE OF VOTING PLACE

Notice is hereby given that the voting place heretofore established at the Niblick elevator in precinct B, third ward, has been changed to the Crozier blacksmith shop, in Seventh street, just north of the Hower & Hower grocery and the election will be held there at the city election, on Tuesday, November 2nd. Voters in that precinct will please take notice and govern themselves accordingly. to Nov. 1

## THE PRICE OF GAS

Only One Town of 5,000 in Indiana That Has as Good a Rate as Here

### AVERAGE IS HIGHER

The Indiana Company is Still Making Efforts to Modernize Bluffton

The Indiana Lighting company are still making a determined effort to make Bluffton an up-to-date town by furnishing them with artificial gas, but so far the stubborn ones of that slow and unappreciative town have not quit fighting, and still refuse to allow the company to enter the city without a law suit. To prove that the town has not been imposed on when the Indiana company offers to furnish them gas for one dollar per thousand cubic feet, Mr. Mulholland has prepared a list of all the cities in this state which have a population of between five and twenty-two thousand people and the price paid for gas. In none of them is the price less than one dollar excepting Vincennes, where it is just five cents less. In many it runs as high as \$1.50, and the average is \$1.25 for lighting and \$1.19 for fuel. Over the entire state there is but one place with but 5,000 inhabitants where the rate is so low as one dollar and that is at Plymouth. This fact proven by these figures, makes Decatur people the gladder that they have treated the Indiana company at least with respect. In doing so we have secured the fuel quicker and our people feel assured that they will always be given fair treatment in return. The matter comes up before the Bluffton council again on Friday evening when the Indiana company will make one more effort to secure an amicable settlement with the Bluffton people.

### A POPULAR VERDICT

Based on Evidence of Decatur People.

Grateful thousands tell it—How weak backs were made strong Weak kidneys made well; Urinary disorders corrected. Decatur people add their testimony. They gladly praise Doan's Kidney Pills.

For quick relief and lasting cures. Decatur evidence is now complete. Decatur testimony is confirmed; Cures doubly proved by test of time. Let a Decatur citizen speak. Mrs. Catherine Contor, 227 N. First Street, Decatur, Ind., says: "I suffered for quite a while from pains in my kidneys and nothing I tried relieved me. The kidneys did not do their work as they should and diabetes finally resulted. Several years ago I was advised to try Doan's Kidney Pills and I did so, procuring them at the Holthouse Drug Co. They relieved me at once and I endorsed them publicly in 1902 and again in 1906. At this time I heartily confirm my former statements, as I have found that Doan's Kidney Pills live up to the claims made for them."

Per sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

### MINIMUM RATE FIFTY CENTS

On account of the frequent inquiries regarding the minimum price of artificial gas in Decatur, we wish to announce that the price in Decatur is fifty cents per month. That is to say, that this amount must be paid for the use of the meter, etc., whether that much gas is used or not. By some it was announced that the minimum rate was one dollar, but this is wrong. The lowest charge is fifty cents, and those concerned are requested to please take notice.

243-3t Indiana Lighting Co.

## WORK CLOTHES

WE'D LIKE TO SAY A WORD regarding the clothes we have to sell for outdoor work. They come in Leather, Corduroy, Covert, Cotton-ades and Duck materials and some of the Corduroys are lined with extra heavy plush. These garments fit well, wear well and bound to give you satisfaction. Beat 'em if you can but be sure to look them over before buying. Prices

\$1.00 TO \$6.50

## HOLTHOUSE, SCHULTE & COMPANY.

Good Clothes Sellers for Men and Boys

## THE BOTTOM IS OUT

Prices Marked Down to Hardpan at the Ladies' Ransack Sale

MEN'S SUITS \$2.98

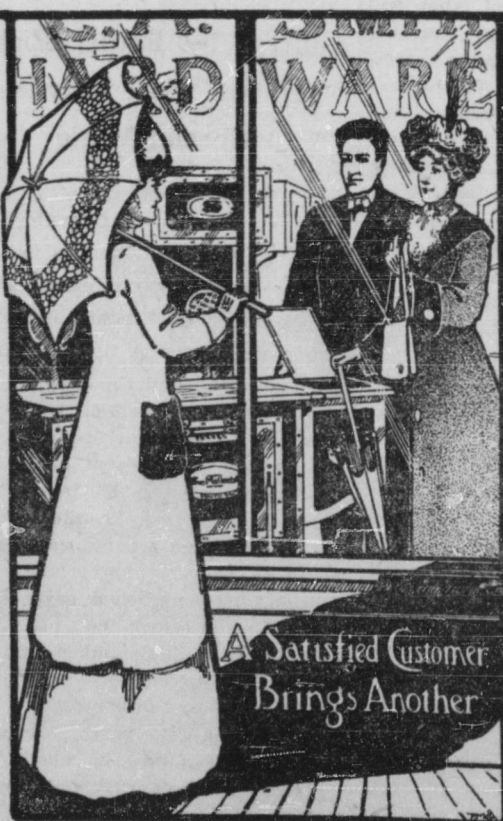
The Ladies Are Doing a Great and Charitable Work

The Woman's Home Missionary Society holding a "Ransack Sale" in the mayor's office, corner Madison and Third streets, will close Saturday evening, Oct. 16th. Many good bargains are on sale. Man's good winter suit.....\$2.98 Lighter weight winter suit.....1.98 Ulster Overcoat.....1.98 One good heavy overcoat.....2.98 Youths' overcoat.....1.50 Ladies' good wool shirtwaists..50 Ladies' good heavy beaver coat 2.49 Short coats and misses' jackets .50 Children's ware and underwear. These Christian ladies are giving their time and strength to this work that these goods may get into the hands of those who need them, and the money received is used to help many who need tiding over, when sickness and misfortune comes, as many citizens of Decatur can testify.

FOR SALE—One Retort Oak heating stove. Phone 206.

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## Schafer Hard'w Co.

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## Schafer Hardware Co.

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Sign our contracts now. Nothing can be done toward fixing your house for the comforts of artificial gas until your contract is signed.

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