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Reports from the devastated districts hit by the cyclone are to the effect that labor is needed in the building of temporary homes or places of shelter for those who had their homes carried away or completely destroyed by the speed king. If you wish to do a good act and aid mankind, lend a hand in the reconstruction work. It is needed more than clothing.

The splendid people in this city and community have already given a hand in relieving the suffering and burdens of those who were struck by the tornado. Relief committees were out today and were assisting those in the devastated districts to get their places back to normal as near as possible and with the feeling that prevails among the people of the community any call for assistance or help will be gladly answered.

It looks like Mississippi was going to beat Delaware to it and ratify the woman suffrage amendment, thus enfranchising the women the country over. With the help of the vote of the lieutenant-governor, the Mississippi senate passed the amendment yesterday and indications are that the lower house will act in a similar manner before the week is over. You'll have to hurry Delaware or the distinction will be pocketed by another.

These movie stars are having a hard time getting straightened

ITCH!
Money back without question if HUNT'S Salve fails in the treatment of ITCH, ECZEMA, RINGWORM, TETTER or other itching skin diseases. Try a 75 cent box at our risk.
THE HOLTHOUSE DRUG CO.

The Cold That Hangs On

This is No. 5 of a series of advertisements, prepared by a competent physician, explaining how certain diseases which attack the air passages—such as Pneumonia, Influenza, Whooping Cough, Measles or even a long continued Cold—often leave these organs in an inflamed, congested state, thus affording a favorable foothold for invading germs. And how Vick's Vapo-Rub may be of value in this condition.

A cold is simply an inflammation of some part of the air passages—throat, larynx or bronchial tubes—just like a sore is an inflammation of the skin. A long continued cold means constant inflammation and this constant inflammation frequently weakens the air passages so that they become an easy point of attack for invading germs of more serious diseases. A "cold that hangs on," therefore, is simply nature's "red flag" indicating that there is "trouble below," and this warning should never be neglected. Nightly applications of Vick's Vapo-Rub will aid nature to clear up that inflammation. Because Vick's acts locally by stimulation thru the skin to draw out the inflammation, attract the blood away from the congested spots

and relieve the cough. In addition, the medicinal ingredients of Vick's are vaporized by the body heat. These vapors are breathed in all night long, thus bringing the medication to bear directly upon the inflamed areas.

Vicks should be rubbed in over the throat and chest until the skin is red—then spread on thickly and covered with hot flannel cloths. Leave the clothing loose around the neck and the bed clothes arranged in the form of a funnel so the vapors arising may be freely inhaled. If the cough is annoying, swallow a small bit of Vicks the size of a pea.

Samples to new users will be sent free on request to The Vick Chemical Company, 235 Broad Street, Greensboro, N. C.

30c
60c
\$1.20
VICKS
VapoRub
Your Bodyguard Against Colds
More Than 17 Million Jars Used Yearly



around, that is paired off in a way so their home life is just half as congenial as they would make you believe when they're on the screen. "Doug" Fairbanks and Mary Pickford were married the other day, the former obtaining his divorce about a year ago while the "idol of the screen" was granted one a few days ago. It would make some serial if the lives and home-happiness of these movie stars were shown on the screen, but the question is, would the public enjoy looking at it.

The Decatur Home Builders' association is a reality, the organization has been perfected and plans are now being made to proceed with the building of a number of houses in this city. The stockholders, directors and officers of the association are good business men and it is an assured fact that the company will be a go and that it will prove to be a good investment for those interested. The company proposes to build as many houses as possible this year and with a paid in capital of thirty thousand dollars will commence building this spring. This is good news to the community as houses above all things are needed in Decatur and we join in wishing the members of the association all kinds of success in their worthy undertaking.

With the governor's promise out to call an extra session of the legislature with the state auditor demanding that one be called to get the money shortage made up, the governor returns from a pleasure junket and refuses to say whether he will call the extra session or not. The problem of the "extra session" has come to be something of a joke in Indiana. Now you see it and now you don't. The truth is that the republican politicians are afraid to let down the bars to the investigation that would probably be demanded by an impatient public opinion. Watson who has had experience with an extra session is horrified at the thought Goodrich is suffering from cold feet. Hays is in a nervous chill at the idea. And all this too with the republican state auditor declaring that he will not assume the responsibility for the financial condition if one is not called. All this too during the "business administration" of a "business man" for governor.—Fort Wayne Journal-Gazette.

In the following short article, W. M. Hepburn, librarian of the Purdue University Library, very clearly tells of the importance of a public library to the community:

"A library is just as much an essential feature of the educational and

social machinery of a community as are the public schools. In many respects the library goes farther and acts more directly upon the social structure of the community than do the schools, for its activities are not limited to the ages between 6 and 20. One of the best services patriotic citizens can render their community is to see that a real modern public library is developed and maintained." And to think that the Decatur library must be closed because the state tax board thought more of playing politics than the value of such an institution to the community. A tax law giving power to members of the commission to close a library or school or saying whether or not the people can appropriate their own money for the operating expenses is a disgrace to the state of Indiana and the voters will certainly vote for the repeal of it at the coming election.

The Indianapolis News, the Fairbanks owned paper, always fighting Tom Taggart, evidently has seen a new light. While they hew pretty well between the lines, and say nothing positive, still the editorial paragraph below rather commends Mr. Taggart to the voters, and that is some concession for the News:

"On Saturday Mr. Taggart allowed himself to be persuaded by the state committee to become the candidate for the democratic party for the senatorship. It was a very happy solution for what was, for the committee, a difficult problem. Without in any way disparaging the other men spoken of it may fairly be said that Mr. Taggart is probably the strongest candidate that could have been chosen. He is widely popular, and among members of both the great parties. During his brief term as senator he bore himself well and won the respect and confidence of his associates. He is also a shrewd and resourceful political leader, and his services to his party in the approaching campaign will be helpful. So far from seeking the nomination, it can be said that it was almost forced on him. There can be no doubt of the sincerity of his prior refusals, based as they were on excellent reasons, reasons of a personal character. Evidently he felt that when his party called so persistently it was his duty to respond. It is to his sense of party loyalty that the democrats are indebted for a candidate that is so eminently satisfactory to them. The state committee must have felt a great sense of relief when Mr. Taggart accepted the nomination."

ADVERTISING RATE
The rate for advertising in the special G. E. edition to be issued by the Daily Democrat on Saturday, April 10th, when the General Electric plant in this city will be dedicated will be twenty-five cents an inch, making a twenty inch ad cost only five dollars. We are not trying to make money out of this edition but feel that we should not lose several hundred dollars and know that the advertiser looks at it in the same light. This is an increase over our regular contract rate but as we proceed with the edition we find that it is going to be a costly undertaking. The plain paper alone will cost from \$125.00 to \$150.00, the ads and composition and reading matter must be set up on the "overtime" scale and if we run fifty per cent advertising at the twenty-five cent rate we will only "break even" on the venture and we feel that we are entitled to that. What ever work is devoted to the edition in the office or in the preparation of copy will be donated. Those who have ordered ads in this edition please take notice. It was impossible to establish a rate for advertising in this edition before, for the reason that we did not know to a certainty what the extra cost would be.

It is a mistake to pasture alfalfa seed fields which have become too severely infested to yield a crop worth harvesting. Live stock walking through the ripe alfalfa causes the seeds to be shelled out, and those infested with the hibernating larvae of the chalcids fly fall on the ground, where they become the source of infestation the following year.

POLITICAL CALENDAR
PROSECUTING ATTORNEY
Editor Daily Democrat:
You are authorized to announce my name as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Prosecuting Attorney of the 26th Judicial district, subject to the decision of the voters at the primary election to be held Tuesday, May 4, 1920.
E. BURT LENHART.

COUNTY AUDITOR
Editor Daily Democrat:
You are authorized to announce my name as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for County Auditor subject to the decision of the voters at the primary election to be held Tuesday, May 4, 1920.
MARTIN JABERG.

COUNTY SURVEYOR
Editor Daily Democrat:
Please announce my name as a democratic candidate for county surveyor, subject to the decision of the voters at the primary election to be held Tuesday, May 4, 1920.
DICK BOCH.

COUNTY RECORDER
Editor Daily Democrat:
You are authorized to announce my name as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for county recorder, subject to the decision of the voters at the primary election to be held Tuesday, May 4, 1920.
JOSEPH MCCONNELL.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER
Editor Daily Democrat:
You are authorized to announce that I am a candidate for the democratic nomination for commissioner from the second district, subject to the decision of the voters at the primary election to be held Tuesday, May 4, 1920.
B. F. BREINER.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER
Editor Daily Democrat:
Please announce that I am a democratic candidate for county commissioner from the second district, subject to the decision of the voters at the primary election to be held Tuesday, May 4, 1920.
IRA WAGONER.

One of the most practical steps the shipper can take to better his condition is to familiarize himself with business practices and to secure a better knowledge of the way his produce is handled on the market.

FIREMEN MAY JOIN
(United Press Service)
Chicago, March 31.—(Special to Daily Democrat)—City firemen today were expected to join striking clerks, bookkeepers, stenographers and other municipal employees whose demands for higher pay were refused by the council here.

Activities in municipal affairs were at a standstill here again today. Pickets were on duty at the city hall. Indications were that sewer department employees, draftsmen and architects and milk inspectors would walk out unless wage demands were granted.

PIERCE'S HAVE NEW BABY
Mrs. Anna Gunsett received word this morning of the birth of an eight-pound baby girl to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pierce at Kokomo. The little lady has been named Helen Juanita. Mr. and Mrs. Pierce formerly lived here while Mr. Pierce was employed at the Ward fence factory.

FOLKS SAY OUR PLUMBING'S SIMPLY GREAT—AND YOU WILL FIND WE'RE NEVER LATE!

Christen & Smith's Little Plumber

Attempts to grow second crops of alfalfa seed in a single season will meet almost certain failure because of the increased abundance of chalcids flies late in the summer.

All seed fields should be hand-picked so that a heavy setting of pods will be secured with the first bloom and the crop will be removed from the field as early as possible.

NOTICE Closing Out Sale

Owing to the fact that I have sold my building and am advised to quit the Jewelry business on account of ill-health, I will offer for sale my entire stock,

SALE NOW GOING ON

and continue until sold. For the opening week I have arranged a number of specials and all articles will go at considerable reduced prices.

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday
Cut-Glass Silverware Alarm Clocks
Thursday, Friday and Saturday
Ivory Chinaware
All other articles to go at this sale.

All persons having repair work here are requested to call for same within thirty days.

Auth's Jewelry Store

The HOOVER
IT BEATS AS IT SWEEPS AS IT CLEANS
SCHAFFER HDW. CO.

You Can Get Goodyear Tires for That Sturdy Smaller Car



Of all Goodyear's notable accomplishments in tire-making none exceeds in high relative value of product the Goodyear Tires made in the 30x3, 30x3 1/2, and 31x4-inch sizes.

These tires afford to owners of Ford, Chevrolet, Dort, Maxwell, and other cars taking these sizes, the important benefits of Goodyear materials and methods employed in the world's largest tire production.

Your nearest Goodyear Service Station Dealer offers you in these tires a degree of performance and satisfaction only possible as a result of such extraordinary manufacturing advantages.

Go to this Service Station Dealer for these tires, and for Goodyear Heavy Tourist Tubes. He has them.

30x3 1/2 Goodyear Double-Cure Fabric, All-Weather Tread..... \$23.50
30x3 1/2 Goodyear Single-Cure Fabric, Anti-Skid Tread..... \$21.50

Goodyear Heavy Tourist Tubes are built to protect casings. Why endanger a good cast with a cheap tube? Goodyear Heavy Tourist Tubes cost little more than tubes of \$4.50 less merit. 30x3 1/2 size in waterproof bag..... \$4.50

GOODYEAR