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5:40 a. m.	7:00 a. m.
7:00 a. m.	8:30 a. m.
8:30 a. m.	10:00 a. m.
10:00 a. m.	11:30 a. m.
11:30 a. m.	1:00 p. m.
1:00 p. m.	2:30 p. m.
2:30 p. m.	4:00 p. m.
4:00 p. m.	5:30 p. m.
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8:30 p. m.	10:00 p. m.

Car every hour and a half. Running time 1 hour and 5 minutes. Freight car leaves Decatur at 7:45 a. m., and leaves Fort Wayne at 12:00 m., arriving in Decatur at 2:00 p. m. Office hours 8:45 a. m. to 7:30 p. m. I. B. STONEBURNER, Agent

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One high chair, 1 lawn mower, large size; a large wardrobe trunk; hall tree; suit of clothes, size 44, good as new; also overcoat; Florence hot blast, medium size. Call at MRS. GEO. MOUNT.

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PUBLIC SALE

I will offer at public auction at my residence, 329 Line street, on Saturday, April 3, 1920, sale to begin at 1 o'clock, the following property, to-wit:

One book case, 1 library table, 1 davenport, 1 dining room table, 6 chairs, 4 rocking chairs, 2 bedsteads, with springs and mattresses; 1 cook stove, 1 oil-cooking stove, 1 wood heater, 1 cupboard, 1 kitchen table, 1 washing machine, 1 tub and boiler, 1 large mirror, 1 vacuum sweeper, 1 dressing table, 1 writing desk, 2 rugs, 9x12; lawn mower and garden tools, fruit cans and other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS—Cash. MRS. J. ED STONE, Roy Runyon, Auct. 74-77-78-79

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION

To the legal voters of Adams county, state of Indiana: You are hereby notified that the polls at the usual place of holding general election; and at the usual voting places in the several precincts within the limits of said county of Adams, will be opened from 6 o'clock a. m. to 6 p. m. on the 4th day of May, 1920.

For the purpose of taking the vote of the legal voters of said county upon the question whether a Public Hospital shall be established at the following place and on the following described real estate, to-wit:—The west 1/2 (1-2) of the southwest quarter (1-4) of section two (2) in township twenty-seven (27) north, range fourteen (14) east in the city of Decatur, county of Adams, state of Indiana; You are further notified that the amount proposed to be levied by taxation annually for the maintenance of said hospital is a sum not to exceed \$1,000.00.

You are further notified that this notice is given and said special election will be held in all things pursuant to an order made by and entered of record by The Board of Commissioners of Adams county, Indiana, at the regular session of said board held on the 2nd day of March, 1920.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Board of Commissioners of said county at the city of Decatur, Indiana, this 22nd day of March, 1920.

JOHN MOSTER, Auditor of Adams County, Indiana (Seal).

NOTICE OF DITCH ASSESSMENTS

The Ditch Assessments on the J. N. Younkens Drain and the William J. Blum Drain are all payable to the County Treasurer and not to the Superintendent of Construction. If all payments are not made by June 1, 1920, bonds bearing 6% interest maturing not later than 10 years will be issued for the payment of the same.

E. H. PAUST, Superintendent of Construction of both Drains. 23-30

Professor Craig, of Cleveland, former teacher of the commercial department of the local high school, was a business visitor here yesterday. Professor Craig was in charge of the department in 1903. He is now principal now the commercial department of the Cleveland high school.

The most profitable use is made of beet tops when they are siloed and fed with alfalfa hay or other forage and possibly supplemented with grain or concentrate feeds.

SHARK LEATHER MAY LOWER SHOE COSTS

Process Perfected to Make "Sea Boots" from Skin of Fish.

St. Louis, April 3.—"Sea shoes" may soon appear as a solution of the high cost of footwear.

A process for tanning skins of shark and porpoise so they can be used for making boots and shoes has been perfected. It was announced here today by a leading member of the American Chemical society, who said a section of the leather industry will be organized as one of the first acts of the society at its convention here April 12 to 17.

While no details of the process was given out, it was said the new departure will produce much cheaper shoes than those now on the market, as experts are now looking everywhere for a durable substitute for the ordinary leathers used in making footwear.

Other processes for tanning leather will also be discussed at the convention, which, officials declared, 2,000 members will attend.

New processes for preparation of American sugar will receive considerable attention and the chemists, in turning their activities from war to peace, expect to play a dominant part in lowering prices for this product.

A new section of the association, devoted entirely to the sugar industry, will hold its first sessions this year. Increases in cane production in lower Mississippi and beet growing in western Nebraska and Kansas offer a big opportunity for purification of American sugar and putting more of it on the market, chemists declared.

Dye, kelp and acetone industries, it was asserted. Announcement will be made at the convention that capitalists are waiting to put \$50,000,000 into the American dye industry when its status is established.

New Company Will Build Three New Houses at Once

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Fred Reppert, Fred Schafer, W. A. Kuehler, Roy Archibald, Gordon S. Rentschler, Charles S. Christen, C. J. Voglewede, W. E. Smith, Raymond Harting, E. F. Gass, Jesse J. Niblick, Hubert P. Smith, William A. Klepper, J. F. Arnold, and Dan Deery, D. R. Edwin, Otto L. Kirsch. There may be a few others who have signified their willingness to become members, but who could not be seen today.

Hessian Fly Losses are Preventable; Another Outbreak of Pest is Imminent

Although there is no remedy for the Hessian fly when once it takes possession of a crop of wheat, a great deal can be done toward keeping the fly out of the wheat, says the United States Department of Agriculture.

Since the Hessian fly is the most destructive insect enemy of wheat in the United States, control measures are being taken. There have been at least seven general outbreaks east of the Mississippi river in the past 37 years, and another is regarded as imminent by specialists of the Bureau of Entomology. The average annual damage to wheat throughout the United States from this insect is estimated at \$50,000,000.

How to Stop Losses. The means of preventing loss, as summarized by the department, are these:

Practice crop rotation. Do not sow wheat on stubble if it is possible to avoid doing so.

Plow under all infested stubble, where practicable, soon after harvest. Plow ruined wheat as soon as possible after it has been determined that the crop will be a failure.

Destroy all volunteer wheat by harrowing, disking, plowing, or some other method.

Plow all land to be sown to wheat as early and deeply as existing conditions permit, and prepare a thoroughly pulverized and compacted seed bed.

Conserve moisture against a period of drought at seeding time. Use good seed.

Fertilize. Sow wheat during the fly-free period as advised by your farm adviser or state experiment station.

Adhere to these practices every year whether the fly is abundant or scarce. They will help to keep it scarce.

Community cooperation is essential if success is to be attained, because one infested field may furnish enough flies to damage the wheat for several miles around.

When to Sow.

Sowing wheat during the fly-free period means moderately late sowing. Experiments conducted over a great many years have shown that, in most localities, the safe date for sowing wheat to escape Hessian fly injury usually coincides with the proper time for sowing in order to obtain the largest yields independently of Hessian fly injury. These dates have been determined for certain localities as follows:

ROUTE IS CHANGED

In the tentative designation of the roads to be included in the state highway system submitted to Governor Goodrich yesterday by J. H. Wright at Indianapolis, director, two changes are made in the routes near Fort Wayne. It was the plan of the commission to include the entire mileage of the Ft. Wayne-Kendallville road in the state system. In the map turned over to the governor the Allen county portion of this road is eliminated. The road (as it appears on the map, extends from Kendallville down to the Allen county line and there it ends.

The regular Fort Wayne route from Roanoke is included instead of the road previously selected running directly east from Roanoke to the Bluffton road.

The system as thus submitted to the governor will be finally considered at a conference of the governor and the commission tomorrow. The law requires that the entire system be designated by April. The tentative plans include about 3,200 miles. Mr. Wright will recommend the including of several other roads. One of these will be the road from Bloomington, through Spencer, Greencastle, Crawfordsville to Lafayette.

WILL LEND \$100,000,000

Chicago, March 31.—Chicago bankers will lend \$100,000,000 during 1920 to home builders in an effort to end the housing shortage, it was announced today.

Part of the money will be available immediately to victims of the tornado to rebuild their homes, the announcement said.

NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENTS

State of Indiana, Adams County, ss: In the Adams Circuit Court, April Term, 1920. Earl O. Hendricks vs. Ethel Hendricks.

Cause No. 10673 for Divorce. It appearing from affidavit filed in the above entitled cause, that Ethel Hendricks of the above named defendant is a non-resident of the State of Indiana.

Notice is therefore hereby given that said Ethel Hendricks that she be and appear before the Hon. Judge of the Adams Circuit Court on the 21st day of May, 1920, the same being the 25th anniversary day of the next regular term thereof, to be held at the Court House in the City of Decatur, commencing on Monday, the 22nd day of April A. D. 1920, and plead by answer or demurr to said complaint.

The same will be heard and determined in her absence.

Witness, my name, and the Seal of said Court, hereto affixed, this 30th day of March, 1920.

JOHN T. KELLY, Clerk. 31-7-14

CLASSIFIED WANT ADS FOR SALE

FOR SALE—City property, well located. Price right. H. M. DeVoss. 30-1f

FOR SALE—Furnace and cook stove wood.—J. G. Niblick. 57-1f

FOR SALE—5 passenger Auburn touring car, in good condition. Recently overhauled. Will sell reasonable. Ed Green. Phone 436 or 80. 70-1f

FOR SALE—126 acre farm between Willshire and Wren, on the Willshire and Wren road. Price \$165 per acre. Farm crops will be included in this price. Stock and tools at invoice if wanted. Inquire of J. W. Case, Willshire, Ohio. 70-121x

FOR SALE—One standard coal burning brooder stove, \$10.00. Mrs. E. A. Vernon, 1017 Mercer Ave. 75-13x

FOR SALE—A fresh Jersey cow and calf for \$140.00. Will sell without the calf. R. E. Marshall, Peterson, Ind. 76-3

FOR SALE—Rubber tire buggy, good as new. Inquire of H. S. Chase, Second-Hand store on 1st st. Phone 362-Ring 2. 76-61

FOR SALE—Six and one-half acres in Blue Creek township. Will sell cheap if sold soon. Inquire B. F. Cramer, 209 South Ninth street, Decatur, Indiana. 77-13x

FOR SALE—Ford touring car. New top and bed. In good running order. Dr. M. F. Parrish, Monroe, Indiana. 77-13x

WANTED

WANTED—Chambermaid at the Murray Hotel. 75-1f

FOR SALE—7 room house and one and one-half acre of ground on Mercer Ave. Anne Brodbeck, Decatur, Ind., Monroeville Phone 177-M. R. R. 9. 75-13x

WANTED—Everybody to see the Biggest and Brightest Artificial Light in Decatur, at JACKSON'S STUDIO. We make daylight. Can make pictures day or night. Open all day on Sunday. Also Kodak finishing. 162 2nd St. 75-61x

BARBER—Wanted at A. L. Burd barber shop, Decatur, Ind. 75-31x

WANTED—Man with team, to haul dirt. See J. D. Dailey. 76-13

FOR SALE—House on South 11th st. Inquire of Ferdinand Bleeke at Fair store. 77-13x

WANTED—Two young men for printing butter. Nice, clean work. Inquire for H. Humbarger, supt., Cloverleaf Creameries. 77-1f

WANTED—Dealer in Adams county for World's Champion Light "Six". Acme Harness Co., 229 W. Main St., Fort Wayne, Indiana. 77-14x

MISCELLANEOUS

WISCONSIN FARM LANDS

LANDOLOGY—A magazine giving the facts in regard to the land situation. Three months' subscription, FREE. If for a home or as an investment you are thinking of buying good farm lands, simply write me a letter and say, "Mail me LANDOLOGY and all particulars FREE." Address Editor, Landology, Skidmore Land Co., 285 Skidmore Bldg., Marinette, Wis. 1-14 mo.

We can give you service on Vulcanizing. Holthouse Garage. 303-1f

WE BUY, raise and sell fur-bearing rabbits, and other fur-bearing animals. List what you have with us, stating your lowest prices on large lot shipments. The Fur & Specialty Farming Co., 515-517 N. P. Ave., Fargo, N. Dakota. 69-1mo

RAILWAY MAIL clerks, \$110 month. Experience unnecessary. Young men, 17 upward, desiring clerkships, write for free particulars. R. Terry (former Civil Service Examiner), 315 Continental Bldg., Washington, D. C. 73-17x

FREE—20 or 25 wagon loads of dirt at the Peter Gaffer home on North Ninth street. 77-21x

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—An elk tooth cuff button. Return to this office and receive reward. J. G. Niblick. 75-1f

FOUND—5 keys on ring, south of Brodbeck school house. Owner may have same by calling at the residence of Christ Marbaugh, 9 miles northeast of Decatur, and paying for this ad. 77-31

LOST—Between Decatur and Willshire: auto license, No. 83610. Return to this office. 77-13

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Eighty acres, three miles southeast of Berne, Indiana. Call at J. W. Teeple's office. 77-11

FOR RENT—Modern 7-room flat, Inquire of A. D. Suttles. 77-13

NOTICE OF HEARING ON PETITION TO ISSUE BONDS

Notice is hereby given to the taxpayers of the city of Decatur, Adams county, Indiana, that the Common Council of said city has filed its petition before the State Board of Tax Commissioners of the State of Indiana, praying that said Common Council be granted permission to issue bonds of said city in the sum of \$15,000 for the purpose of extending the water mains to the plants of the General Electric Company and the Decatur Castings Company and to the territory newly annexed to the city and to various prospective consumers of water and to buy a new air compressor for the pumping of water.

Said petition will be heard by said State Board of Tax Commissioners on Monday, the 19th day of April, 1920, at the office of said Board in the city of Indianapolis, Indiana.

Witness my hand and seal this 31st day of March, 1920.

R. G. CHRISTEN, City Clerk. (Seal) City Clerk. 31-7

TELEPHONE Operators Wanted

ed. Apply at office. 77-21

Horses, cattle and sheep may render valuable service by destroying plants that have escaped the mow.

FOR SALE

7 room, semi-modern house on Monroe street, full lot, paved street, good buy.

Two 6 room houses on Elm street, one is semi-modern, with full lot, one has double lot.

7 room house, semi-modern, 50x150 ft. lot on Marshall st. near General Electric.

7 room house near German Reformed church, on Marshall st., modern, 70x75 ft. lot, these are on new street.

20 acre farm, 1 1/2 miles north of Willshire, O., all under cultivation, \$150 per acre.

8 room house, on First st., all modern, except furnace, 1/2 lot, paved st.

One 8 room house and one 6 room house on 8th street, and on one large lot, a good buy, on paved street.

5 room house on 11th street, large lot.

6 room brick house on 11th street.

7 room house on Decatur street. One good Mahogany Case piano, near General Electric, semi-modern, a good one at the price of \$80.00. Just think it over then come and see it for yourself.

6 room house on Mercer Ave., paved street.

8 room house on Adams street, a fine location on paved street.

2 lots and large house on South 4th street, good paved street, modern.

7 room house on North 4th street, semi-modern.

4 room house on Patterson street, \$800.00. Inquire at Graham & Walters for Wm. NORRIS, Real Estate Agent. 77-31

NOTICE

We have coming one car load of fertilizer. Anyone desiring fertilizer for oats or corn call Martin Gerke or Ed. Miller of the Adams County Equity Exchange. 73-61

Sell your old iron, rags, magazines, and all other junk to the Decatur Iron & Metal Company. Call phone 641. 72-12

Feed Buttermilk to your hogs. 2 cents per gallon.

Clover Leaf Creameries 46-1f Decatur, Ind.

MARKETS-STOCKS

Daily Report of Local and Foreign Markets.

New York, March 31.—(Special to Daily Democrat)—Prices were higher on leading issues at the stock market opening today. Central Leather, however, opened at 85%, off 1/2; Bethlehem B at 95%, off 1/2; United States Steel opened at 104%, up 1/2; General Motors 37 3/4, up 1/4; Crucible 26 1/2, up 1/4; Studebaker 106, up 1/2; Baldwin 133 1/4, up 1/2; Texas Company 210 1/4, up 1/2; Stutz 390, up 20.

Chicago, Mar. 31.—Grain opening: Corn: Mar. nominal; May up 1/4; July up 1/4; Sept. up 1/4. Oats: May up 1/4; July up 1/4. Provisions Higher.