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Decatur needs a lot of new houses this spring and with building material at pre-war prices, why not get busy? You can build much cheaper than a year ago.

Will Hays, of Indiana, has accepted the appointment as postmaster general and will assume that position. If he gives it his best attention with the service to the public in mind rather than building a political machine, he will no doubt make good and will have the thanks of the public. This remains to be seen.

President Wilson will retire from office tomorrow. No difference how much pleasure that fact brings to many people, the truth remains that he has done more for the common people than has any president during all the years since this government was founded. The list will now be made public and the fact acknowledged as time goes on. He has given his best and his very life for the people of the world and has, we believe, tried to be fair to every one. No more can any man do. He has served the world and his praises will be sung in the years to come, a statement of fact and not of sentiment.

Even a federal judge can have his troubles. For many years at frequent intervals, Judge Landis of Chicago, has been startling the world by some decision or opinion and thus furnishing a lot of good copy for the newspapers. Recently he became the baseball head of the nation but though he receives a princely salary he refused to leave the bench. Congressman Welty filed impeachment charges and a committee of congressmen with but one dissenting vote has now declared his actions a "serious impropriety." The public will feel that he should quit the federal employ or his baseball job and eventually he will have to. Why not now?

There is one way in which the average merchant who knows how to buy and who keeps a good store can increase his business during the year 1921—by advertising. You never had such a golden opportunity to do it.

Just now the other fellow is not trying to push his business. He is marking time and waiting for some great change in something—he doesn't just know what—to bring times back to where they were a year ago. As sure as you live that is not going to happen but if you will buy the goods, arrange your store in an attractive way and then tell the people about it and get them in as you can by using judicious advertising you can do a business that will surprise you. That was demonstrated beyond dispute in a number of stores last Saturday. In doing this you also help the community and every one in it.

The death of Champ Clark, democratic leader of congress, removes from this earth a national figure who for many years has guided affairs for his party in the lower house of the great law making body. He has had a notable career. When but twenty three years old he became president of a great college and he made good. He was sent to congress from Bowling Green, Missouri, in 1893 and before two years of service was recognized as a leader. He was the popular candidate for the nomination for president in 1912 and but for the rule that a two-thirds vote is necessary would have been chosen early in that memorable fight. As speaker of the house and as floor leader for many years he has proven a wise and courageous public man. His friends are numbered by the many thousand and all who knew him intimately admired him and gave him credit for great ability. He would have retired from office tomorrow and his death at this time, just at the close of his long years of service is in accord with his desire to conclude his life in the congressional harness.

## KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS!

All members of the Knights of Pythias lodge who can possibly do so are requested to attend the meeting this evening. The business that will be transacted the next few weeks will be of vast importance to the lodge in the future. It is your duty to attend. Be there at 7:30 o'clock.

J. H. STEWART, C. C.

## CHANGE IN BANK OFFICIALS

At the meeting of the board of directors of the Old Adams County bank, last evening the resignation of Mr. Burton Niblick, as assistant cashier was accepted with many regrets of the board. Mr. Niblick has been with the bank for a number of years and has been most efficient. Recent eye trouble which has developed to a serious degree made it necessary for him to leave the work. Mr. Albert Scheiman who has acted as a bookkeeper at the bank for several years and who is well qualified for the position was elected assistant cashier to succeed Mr. Niblick.

Although the home of the canary, the Canary Islands derives their name from the large dogs rather than from their birds.

# The AMERICAN LEGION

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## ALL LOST SIGHT IN THE WAR

Members of Evergreen Post, No. 5, American Legion, Eulogized by National Commander.

The spirit of the American Legion does not lag in the members of Evergreen post, No. 5, in spite of the fact that all of its members are men who lost their sight during the World war.

When F. W. Galbraith, Jr., national commander, heard of the formation of the post recently, he immediately wrote a letter to Charles Frear, post commander. Mr. Galbraith intends to visit the post in the near future.

The national commander's letter, in part, follows:

"I am touched beyond expression that these comrades of ours have seen fit to associate themselves together in affiliation with the great American Legion for the purpose of realizing more fully those ideals for which they fought. It is an inspiration to know that, started and maintained to an extent which would lead many to feel that to them there would be no further obligation to give to the world, but rather to live and receive, they still feel a desire to give something further of service to their country and community. This is indeed true nobility."

## LEGION OFFICER IN MEXICO

Commander of Department Also Member of National Executive Committee of the Legion.

Although Leigh H. Rovzar, commander of the department of Mexico of the American Legion was president of a large brokerage firm in Mexico City, Mexico, at the start of the World war, he enlisted in the army early in the game.

Mr. Rovzar commanded a battery of field artillery as first lieutenant and upon promotion to a captaincy, served in the Thirty-third field artillery, remaining with that organization during its service overseas. He was discharged from service at the Walter Reed hospital in Washington, D. C., June 10, 1919, and returned to his home in Mexico City.

An organizer of Alan Seeger post of the Legion at Mexico City, Mr. Rovzar was named as its first commander. He was recently elected commander of his department and a member of the national executive committee of the Legion.

## IS PIONEER LEGION WORKER

Washington Man, Field Organizer, Will Help Supervise National Movement for More Members.

Robert A. Le Roux, who was one of the pioneer American Legion workers in the state of Washington, has been appointed field organizer at national headquarters, and left recently for Nevada to begin work there.

Mr. Le Roux is a newspaper man and has had considerable experience in the field of organization. He served with a Canadian infantry unit in France during the war. He is one of several national field organizers whose duty it will be to supervise speakers and other organizers in the national movement for more members for the American Legion. The membership campaign to be carried out this year will be national in scope.

## DADDY OF LEGION 'POPPY DAY'

Buckeye Major Credited With Originating Idea of Wearing Blossom in Memory of Heroes.

Major Wade C. Christy of Youngstown Post, No. 15, of the American Legion at Youngstown, O., is said to have originated the Legion's "Poppy day" and the idea of selling poppies on the street, to be worn in remembrance of our dead heroes of the World war.

The poppy was adopted at the Cleveland convention of the Legion as the official flower of the former service men's organization.

This store has received many new items in the last few days and some very low prices are now offered in all lines. My grocery department is loaded with all good things to eat. Another large shipment of that Marvel Flour just in. The people that have tried out this flour know that it is the best ever placed in a sack. Also Steele's White Lily for pastry has them all stepping. Yes and those fine large, good cooking Potatoes are bringing us the business. Oranges, Grape Fruit, Bananas etc., always fresh, at the low price. How about a good Salmon, not a Chum but a real for sure Salmon for only 15c? A regular 50c can of Peaches in syrup and other can goods that make you want more, at the price of cheap goods. Farmers it will pay you to bring your eggs here. Always the highest price paid in cash or trade. Salted Peanuts received fresh every week, 2 lbs. for 25c, and Oh Boy, the candies we are selling. Just look at our window and see what we have. Big lot of Tinware at todays low prices. A 10 Qt. Galvanized pail will be sold Saturday for only 19c with a dollar purchase of any other merchandise in the store. Large Dish Pans for 50c; Heavy Dairy Pails for only 50c, sounds like old days when Steele operated a real bargain store. Well he is still at it, and we want to still give bargains, at the same time service, cleanness and good goods at the right price. We haven't room to tell about all we have. By the way the Apron Gingham, Shirtings and Percales are moving right out. Lead Pencils 2 for 5c, why pay more? Alarm Clocks for \$1.50. Marbles 10 for 1c. With these prices we are going to look for you Saturday and will be ready to take care of all orders. Will have plenty of that good Money Worth Bread, 2 large loaves for 25c; and remember the galvanized pail for 19c.

G. C. STEELE STORE  
Phone 31.

## DEMOCRATIC COMMITTEE

The members of the Democratic Central committee will meet Friday evening at 7:30 at the offices of J. Fred Fruchte for the purpose of electing a city chairman. All members are requested to be present at this meeting as it is very important.

J. FRED FRUCHTE,  
52-3ts County Chairman

You sneeze  
Muscles sore  
You're feverish  
Nostrils inflamed  
Head all stuffed up  
Eyes red and watery  
You feel miserable all over  
You have a bad cold  
You want to get rid of it  
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Dental science to-day demands that a tooth paste must keep the gums healthy as well as clean the teeth.

Senreco was formulated to meet this requirement. Hundreds of dentists are prescribing and using Senreco because they have found that it does measure up to that standard.

## SENRECO IS A WONDERFUL CLEANSER.

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# Morris 5 & 10c Store

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