

**SUMMER FROCKS**  
Summer dresses of voile are trimmed with hemstitching and embroidery in delicate colors. They are usually cut in one piece and held in about the waist with elastic.

**LACE BRASSIERES**  
Brassieres of shadow lace are firmer than they seem for they are backed by net, but they are very light weight, and are advocated for summer wear.

**PAJAMA COSTUMES**  
Attractive pajama outfits are made of cotton crepe with blouses that slip over the head and have embroidered pockets.

**NOTICE OF BENEFITS**  
In the Matter of The Opening and Extension of Dayton Avenue, Decatur, Indiana

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:  
Notice is hereby given that the Common Council in and for the City of Decatur, Adams county, Indiana, that on the 24th day of March, 1923, they approved an assessment roll showing the prima facie assessments of benefits and awards of property appropriated to the property beneficially or injuriously affected by the opening and extension of Dayton Avenue, Decatur, Indiana.

The following named persons, non-residents or persons whose residence is unknown to said Common Council are owners of property as set forth in said assessment roll which is assessed on account of said opening and extension of said Dayton Avenue, Decatur, Indiana, and which award of benefits is set opposite of said description of said property being described as follows, to-wit:

Lot number 3 in Citizens 2nd Addition to the City of Decatur, Indiana, owned by Emma Hirsch, award of benefits thereon \$10.00.

All of the proceedings had by the said Common Council in the matter of opening and extension of said Dayton Avenue are in accordance with the declaratory resolutions adopted by the said Common Council on the 19th day of December, 1922.

The above named persons are hereby notified that the said Common Council will meet at their Council Room in said city on the 1st day of May, 1923, at 7 o'clock P. M., at which time and place it will receive or hear remonstrances from said owner or holders of property assessed benefits on account of said opening and extension of said Dayton Avenue, Decatur, Indiana.

CATHARINE KAUFFMAN, City Clerk.  
Dated this 24 day of March, 1923. 24-31-7

**NOTICE OF BENEFITS**  
In the Matter of The Opening and Extension of Derkes Street

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:  
Notice is hereby given that the Common Council in and for the City of Decatur, Adams county, Indiana, that on the 24th day of March, 1923, they approved an assessment roll showing the prima facie assessments of benefits and awards of property appropriated to the property beneficially or injuriously affected by the opening and extension of Derkes Street, Decatur, Indiana.

That the following named persons, non-residents or persons whose residence is unknown to said Common Council are owners of property as set forth in said assessment roll, which is assessed benefits on account of said opening and extension of said Derkes Street, which award of benefits is set opposite of said description of said property being described as follows, to-wit:

Lot number 82 in the Citizens 2nd Addition to the City of Decatur, Indiana, owned by Emma Hirsch, award of benefits thereon \$20.00.

All of the proceedings had by the said Common Council in the matter of opening and extension of said Derkes Street are in accordance with the declaratory resolutions adopted by the said Common Council on the 19th day of December, 1922.

The above named persons are hereby notified that the said Common Council will meet at their Council Room in said city on the 1st day of May, 1923, at 7 o'clock P. M., at which time and place it will receive or hear remonstrances from said owner or holders of property assessed benefits on account of said opening and extension of said Derkes Street.

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### Jones' accident taught me my lesson

"I was there when they brought him home—weeks later I saw the result of his thoughtlessness—savings gone, bills piling up, nothing coming in, his wife sick with worry and trying to find work to make ends meet.

"Right then I determined that would never happen to my wife. I found the best way to protect us all was to

### ETNA-IZE

Under my Etna Accident Policy we are sure of an income of \$50.00 to \$100.00 a week, if I am disabled, and if I should be accidentally killed, my wife will receive from \$20,000 to \$40,000.

"And all it costs is \$50.00 a year if you are a preferred risk!"

Etna-ize now while you are able

Suttles-Edwards Co.  
Arthur D. Suttles, Secy-Treas.  
General Manager  
Rooms 9 & 10 Morrison Bldg.

## Radio News

**Use of Sealing Wax**  
Sealing wax is a convenient substitute for soldering the ground connection. The ground wire may be wound around the nicked water faucet and covered with a collar of sealing wax, which effectually excludes the air, leaving the connection bright and clean for an indefinite period. It does no harm to the plating of the faucet, and if removed, shows no trace of its use.

**Added Comfort to Headphones**  
Headphones can be made more comfortable by cutting a piece of canvas, three-quarters of an inch wide and one and one-half inches longer than the distance from one adjusting screw to the other. Fasten the canvas to the adjusting screws, and this will leave the weight of the phones and headbands rest on the canvas strip, and the operator can listen in comfort.

**Wooden Panels Made Attractive**  
Wooden panels of a radio box can be rubberized by breaking several old phonograph records into small pieces. Put them in a tin can, and add one-half pint of denatured alcohol. A very glossy finish can be obtained if the rubber surface is shellacked. One-quarter inch wood is of correct thickness for most small receiving panels. It would be well to dry the material in a warm oven before applying the insulating mixture.

**For the Notebook**  
The average cost of a radio set is \$75.

It is violation of a city ordinance to run an aerial across the street.

An article that is to be used upon which to wind tuning coils must be moisture proof.

The average vacuum tube of good make has a normal operating life of on thousand hours.

Loose connections in the grid circuit give a continuous hum, while those in the plate circuit sound like static.

Signals can be obtained from the "A" battery connected either way, but the "B" battery must be connected correctly.

Amateurs who operate crystal sets, and pick up messages from Canada, Cuba, or other distant stations, may be merely taking the signals radiated from a powerful bulb set nearby.

**Phantom Waves**  
A radio wave can go through the wall of a building with the ease that a ray of light can go through a pane of glass.

**A Fact**  
Wireless signals are most easily perceptible and loudest at the point of the earth farthest from the station sending the message.

**Suggestions to the Amateur**  
When building a radio set, avoid all cheap imitations; use the best procurable; take plenty of time; plan carefully, and, above all, work neatly.

**Care of Batteries**  
Do not lay "B" batteries on their side, because in this position the life of the battery will be shortened considerably. Batteries should be placed in a horizontal position, and in a cool place.

**Worth Knowing**  
A simple way of determining the diameter of a wire to be used, is to wind one inch of wire on a pencil, and divide the length of the winding by the number of turns. The diameter of the wire will be found in fractions of an inch.

**Wiring a Radio Set**  
Solder all connections.  
Run wires at right angles, when Never have any loose ends.  
They come near each other.  
Select stiff wire, so that when once put in place it will stay there.  
Use spaghetti tubing to eliminate any leakage which brings on tube noises.

### AGAINST FAKE PROMOTERS

Washington, Mar. 30—(Special to Daily Democrat)—All the powers of the federal government will be used in a nation wide campaign against fake stock promoters and other get rich quick artists, inaugurated by the department of justice.

With official reports showing that these swindlers are mulcting the American people of approximately \$100,000 a day, three other government agencies today joined the department of justice in the campaign.

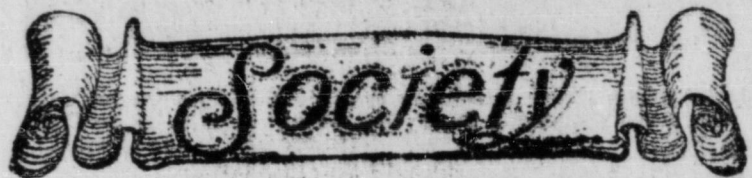
More than 28,000 patents were issued by the United States patent office in 1922.

### NEWSPAPERMAN WINS \$40,000,000 HEIRESS



(Pacific and Atlantic Photo)  
Lester Norris, newspaper cartoonist, was married to Delora Angell, heir to "Bet a Million" Gates' millions at Los Angeles.

Los Angeles—A romance, beginning in their local school days, culminated in marriage here when Lester Norris, son of a St. Charles, Ill., undertaker, was married to Delora Angell, heiress to the \$40,000,000 of John W. Gates, famous for his "bet a million" phrase. Norris is employed as a cartoonist on a Chicago newspaper. Mrs. Norris, only 20, was wooed by dukes, princes, lords and bankers. She first became interested in Norris, she said, when he beat her in a public school swimming contest while they were in the fifth grade. Mrs. Norris was the favorite niece of Gates who was wont to frequently back his opinion when it was disputed by offering to bet a million dollars.



**Saturday**  
Reformed Ladies Aid Society Colored Egg Sale—Mutschler Meat Market.  
Easter Egg Sale—Schmitt Meat Market.

**Monday**  
Men's Club—Evangelical Church.  
Junior Club—Miss Charlotte Niblick, 7:30.

Research Club—Mrs. J. L. Kocher.  
Mrs. Merry's Section of the Christian Ladies Aid Society—Mrs. Noah Mangold.

**Tuesday**  
Woman's Missionary Society of Reformed Church—Mrs. Lewis Gehrig, 2:30 p.m.  
Psi Iota Xi—Marcella Kern, 7:30.  
C. L. of C.—K. of C. hall, 8 o'clock.

**Wednesday**  
Woman's Missionary Society of United Brethren Church—Mrs. Blanche Elzey, 2 o'clock.

Mrs. Merry's section of the Christian Ladies Aid society will meet at the home of Mrs. Noah Mangold Monday evening. This is a very important meeting and all members will please be present.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the United Brethren church will meet Wednesday afternoon at 2:00 at the home of Mrs. Blanche Elzey on West Tenth street. The officers as elected at the March meeting, will preside, they being: President, Mrs. John Hill; vice president, Mrs. Blanche Elzey; secretary, Carrie Shackley; treasurer, Blanche Munma; secretary of thank offering, Mrs. George Hill; and secretary of literature, Mrs. Clarence Drake.

A pretty Easter wedding will be that of Miss Leona Vera Hunsicker to David J. Hensley, Sunday evening at 8:30 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents. Miss Hunsicker is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Hunsicker and Mr. Hensley is the only son of Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Hensley. A large number of guests have been invited.

The materials that go to make up United States paper money are gathered together from all parts of the world. Part of the paper fiber is linen rag from the orient. The silk comes from China or Italy. The blue ink is made from German or Canadian cobalt. The black ink is made from Niagara Falls acetylene gas smoke, and most of the green ink is green color mixed in white zinc sulphate made in Germany. The red color in the seal is obtained from a pigment imported from Central America.

Chinese firms are finding it cheaper and more efficient to hire trucks than to employ coolies. It is estimated that the cost of operating one truck is \$31 a day, whereas it would require 60 coolies to do the same amount of work at a cost of approximately \$48.

For the first time in the history of the United States Post Office Department a woman has been appointed to a postmastership at a salary of \$6000 a year. She is Elizabeth D. Bernard, named by President Harding as the next postmaster at Tampa, Fla.

### Mayor Johnson and 54 Others Are Convicted

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a former constable.

Ukman said that while he was helping the government investigate conditions in Gary, he was arrested without charge, imprisoned, beaten into insensibility and finally liberated after he had steadfastly refused to sign a statement incriminating himself and prohibition agents in a plot to blackmail bootleggers. He said the beating was administered by Prosecutor Kinder and other officials in the presence of Mayor Johnson.

Melloy told of delivering confiscated booze to the home of the defendant officials. It was against the testimony of these two witnesses that defense directed its main evidence in an effort to blast the government's case.

Mayor Johnson and all the defendants were in court when the verdict was read.

### WANT ADS EARN

### "TANGERINE" COMING TO THE MAJESTIC THEATER

One of the several amusing comedy characters in "Tangerine" coming to the Majestic, Port Wayne on Tuesday April 3, is Clarence, personal attendant upon his majesty the king, impersonated with telling, grating gravity by Wm. P. Nunn. His humorous obsequiousness so contrasts with the boisterous authority of the ruler of the mythical island that their scenes together contribute merrily to the performance of this unusual musical play. Mr. Nunn has appeared with great credit in many successful plays, including "Miss Springtime," "The Girl of Tomorrow," "The Red Rose," and Belasco's play, "The Strugglers." His thorough knowledge of all that appertains to the region behind the footlights has gained for Mr. Nunn a fine reputation as state manager, which position he occupies with "Tangerine."

### Spelling Bees Were Held in County Friday

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April 13th, representing their respective grades. The girls in these two contests proved the best spellers, they outpuzzling the boys almost five to one. The two teams are composed of eleven girls and three boys. In case of sickness, substitutes were selected for the two teams, those selected being the last pupils to stand up in the contest. The seventh and eighth grade substitutes are: Dorothy Haley, Isabel Hower and Helen Kirsch. In the fifth and sixth grade contests, Vivian Acker, Wilma Chronister and Opal Robinson won the places of substitutes.

Teachers in the public schools acted as judges and pronouncers they being: Scvynth and eighth grade contest, Miss Grace Coffee, pronouncer; Miss Margaret Moran, Ida Spangler and Nova Brandyberry, judges. In the

## Thinned Lubricating Oil Results From Leaky Piston Rings

Lubricating oil in the crank case which has been thinned by the gasoline leaking from the cylinders is an infallible indication of worn or scored cylinders.

Smoky exhaust also indicates that the cylinders are worn or scored and that the lubricating oil works up the cylinder walls into the piston chamber where it is causing heavy carbon deposits.

Correct these and many other annoyances by re-grinding the cylinders, regardless of the age or make of your car or truck.

## Hofstetter Garage

E. Monroe Street

Phone 763

fifth and sixth grade contest, Miss Zeina Stevens acted as pronouncer, and the Misses Ella Mutschler, Matilda Sellemeyer and Mr. Cloyd Gephart served as judges. The contests were interesting throughout and several hundred words were spelled by the pupils.

### ROOT TOWNSHIP

The Root township spelling match was held in the Monmouth school building yesterday afternoon. The "B" team chosen is composed of Louise Gage, Louise Mann, Carl Moore, Faye Harkless, Kenneth Ritter, Wilson Mann, and Buelah Trouter, with Benjamin Harkless and Myrtle Fuhrman as substitutes. The "A" team is composed of Frank Harkless, Robert Rice, Helen Davies, Inez Chase, Catherine Weidner, Ida Bohneke, and Gerald Sheets, with Ruth Suman and Garyl Ritter as substitutes.

### WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP

The Washington township match was held in the Rensselaer school yesterday afternoon with Miss Mary Laughlin as chairman of the contest. The Misses Mary Thomas and Thelma Darkhead and Mr. Albert Coppess were the judges. All of the schools in the township were represented in the contest. The "B" team chosen is composed of: Rolland Ladd, Flyge Rupert, Forrest Marchand, Leo McAhren, Rosamond Gould, Esther Reinhart, and Henry Busche, with Eloise Noll and Jarry Reinhart as substitutes. The members of the "A" team are: Arthur Everett, Isabel Andrews, Florence Gray, Pauline Andrews, Gladys Peterson, Martha Carpenter and Jay Yost, with Gladys Dugan and Arthur Wilder as substitutes.

An airplane equipped with eight machine guns, and capable of firing 5,000 rounds of ammunition, was recently tested at Kelly Field, San Antonio, Texas. The plane, the first that has ever been equipped with such a number of machine guns, is said to be a success.

## PUBLIC SALE

As I am going to quit farming and going on the railroad, I will sell at public auction my entire line of farming implements and live stock at Linn Grove, 11 miles southeast of Bluffton, or 5 miles west of Berne, on

FRIDAY, APRIL 6, 1923.

Sale beginning at 10 o'clock, the following described property, to-wit: HORSES AND MULES, 4 Head—1 span of mare mules, coming 5 years old, weight 2700, good broke, sound as a dollar; 1 2-year-old mare colt, broke; 1 black horse, good work horse, with a little age, and sound.

CATTLE, 2 Head—1 reg. Jersey cow, 7 years old, Nancy Orphan Sally No. 494852, bred January 1st giving 2 gal. milk per day, and 5 gal. cow when fresh; 1 white cow, 4 years old, been fresh eight weeks, giving 4 gal. milk per day.

HOGS, 95 Head—Consisting of sows and pigs. 10 sows with pigs running from four to nine pigs each; 3 sows just bred; 8 shoats weighing about 40 lbs.; 1 male hog, 2 years old. All hogs registered—Spotted Polands, double immuned from cholera.

POULTRY—100 head of full blooded Black Minorcas.

FARMING IMPLEMENTS—1 Studebaker wagon, 3 1/2 in. skein; 1 low iron wheel wagon with corn bed and hog rigging; 1 farm wagon with wag-

on box; hay ladders and corn bed; 2 grain drills—1 eight-disc drill, 1 Monarch 12-hole 24 disc drill, just like new; 2 corn planters; 1 side delivery; 2 hay tedders; 2 single discs; 2 riding breaking plows; 2 spike tooth harrows; 2 mowing machines—1 five-foot and one 6 ft. cut; 1 hay rake; 1 corn sheller, just like new; 1 Milwaukee binder; 1 set fence stretchers; 2 riding corn plows; 1 set bob sleds; 2 spring tooth harrows.

HAY AND GRAIN—75 bu. corn; 4 tons clover hay.

MISCELLANEOUS—100 gal. galvanized hog fountain; 2 barrel fountains; 4 hog troughs; 1 Blue Bell cream separator; 2 A hog coops with floor; 2 self feeders; 1 horse clipper.

TERMS OF SALE—All sums of \$5 and under, cash. On all sums over \$5 six months time will be given, first 3 months without interest, last 3 months bearing 8 percent interest, purchaser giving good bankable note. 4 percent discount for cash on all sums over \$5. No property to be removed until settled for.

### HARRY FRENCH

Jess Michaud, Auctioneer  
J. C. Augsburg, Clerk  
Lunch will be served.

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## EXIDE Storage Batteries

Are you needing a Battery this spring? If you are, you are entitled to the longer life and added dependability one always receives from the Exide. Our battery business has shown a steady growth from the first—a sure indication that Exide Storage Batteries are performing their work well.

Exide batteries are manufactured for all makes of cars and for each model.

It may be that you do not need a new battery. Perhaps all your present battery needs to make it last several months longer is some repair work. We can also do that for you.

## Durkin's Modern Garage

Decatur, Indiana