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contribute a few dollars towards the  
Japanese relief fund.A local citizen returning from a  
motor trip through several states  
noticed the following caution to auto  
drivers, "Drive like hell—there is  
plenty of room in the graveyard."  
No use for further argument.Adams county will have a county  
agricultural agent for the next two

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## PUBLIC SALE

We, the undersigned, will hold a  
public sale on the Poplar Grove farm,  
3 1/2 miles southeast of Willshire, 6  
miles northwest of Rockford, Ohio,  
on the Winkler pike, 1/2 miles west of  
the Winkler school and Zion church,  
on

Tuesday, Sept. 11, 1923.

Beginning at 10 o'clock a. m.,  
the following property:HORSES, 7 Head—Bay mare, 5  
years old, weight 1300; Bay mare, 9  
years old, weight 1300; Bay mare, 8  
years old, weight 1500; Bay mare, 4  
years, weight 1600; A No. 1; Sorrel  
mare 3 years old, weight 1400; Brown  
mare 13 years old; 1 driving  
mare.MILK COWS, 13 Head—Black cow,  
3 years old, with calf by side; Brown  
Jersey 5 years will be fresh soon;  
Full Blood Shorthorn 5 years old,  
with heifer calf by side; 1/2 Guernsey  
5 year old giving good flow of  
milk; Holstein, 5 years old, giving  
good flow of milk; part Guernsey 3  
year old, giving good flow of milk;  
Holstein 8 year old, will be fresh this  
fall; Jersey 10 year old, giving milk;  
3 grade Durham cows, giving milk;  
Jersey, 3 years old, will be fresh in  
spring; 1 roan bull, 2 years old.SHEEP, 9 Head—6 ewes; 2 ewe  
lambs; 1 buck 2 years old.HOGS—10 sows with pigs by side;  
4 sows will farrow soon; 1 Duroc  
boar.CHICKENS—80 White Leghorn  
hens; 40 White Leghorn pullets; 40  
Barred Rock pullets; 12 White Rock  
pullets.FARMING IMPLEMENTS—2 Roll  
Deering corn shredder; 6 H. P. gaso-  
line engine; 1 8-inch burr feed-grinder;  
corn sheller; 2 farm wagons;  
hay ladders and grain bed; gang  
plow; 12 in. sulky plow; 14 in. walking  
plow; 2 row John Deere cultivator;  
International cultivator; corn  
planter; 1 horse grain drill; land  
roller; spike tooth harrow; single  
shovel plow; mud boat drags; 2 sets  
work harness; buggy harness; horse  
collars; wheel barrow; 240 egg  
Belle City incubator; 2 Old Trusty  
incubators; Colony brooder stove;  
DeLaval cream separator, with motor  
and attachment; motor and pump  
jack; good corn in field; some clover  
hay; 20 bushel Gladden seed wheat.  
Some Household Goods and many  
other articles.Terms of Sale  
12 months time, first 6 months  
without interest, last 6 months pay  
8 percent interest. 4 percent off  
for cash.W. W. WILSON & SON  
G. R. Hileman and  
Roy Johnson, Aucts.  
T. O. Hill, clerk.  
Dinner served by Ladies' Aid of  
Zion church.

Sep 5

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Rugs  
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Securities—Loans—Insurance  
Decatur, Indianayears, the board of education re-ap-  
pointing, L. M. Busche, who has serv-  
ed this county so efficiently the past  
two years. Although we do not pre-  
tend to know much about farming,  
we believe that the services of the  
county agent can be used to good ad-  
vantage and that the farmers of this  
county wish to benefit by his sug-  
gestions.Of all the sickening and repulsive  
things that a person could look at  
would be seeing Marie Price, unmar-  
ried mother of the dead child of John  
Whitfield, the murdered, on the stage  
at Cleveland. And yet the Price girl,  
who, though of tender years is old  
enough to know better, is being "bill-  
ed" as one of the leading attractions  
of the season. Those who go to see  
her should bow their heads in shame  
as much as the person they go to see  
should.Until definite word is received from  
the two Berne men, Noah B. Gilliom  
and Joe F. Habegger, who might have  
been in Tokio during the recent earth-  
quake and fire, the friends and rela-  
tives of the two men in this county  
will be worried as to their safety. The  
uncertainty of the whereabouts of the  
two men and the probability that they  
might have been in Japan last week  
brings the terrible catastrophe closer  
home to us and gives us an idea how  
the thousands in Japan and other  
countries feel about the safety of their  
beloved ones.Recently government officials gave  
out the statement that at the end  
of the fiscal year a surplus of many  
millions of dollars existed in the  
treasury. The average citizen there-  
fore thought that federal taxes would  
be lowered. But not so. It seems  
that steps are being taken to increase  
the government's revenue for next  
year and one of the proposed ways to  
do it is to place a tax on billboards  
and advertising signs along the high-  
ways. The old saying is that "figures  
don't lie," but if taxes are increased  
something must be wrong somewhere.Adams county's quota in the cam-  
paign to raise funds for the suffering  
people of Japan is \$1,000, and if you  
want to do a real act of mercy and  
help suffering mankind the few hundred  
dollars will be readily sub-  
scribed. Contributions may be sent to  
Miss Anna Winnes, secretary of the  
Adams County Red Cross organiza-  
tion or made through your church orga-  
nization Sunday, and every penny  
raised for the relief of the Japanese  
will be used for that purpose. Ad-  
ams county has never failed to  
answer a call for help of this kind  
and we are sure that our quota will  
be raised within a few days.In their determination to eliminate  
railroad crossing accidents, the cities  
of North Chicago, Illinois and Wau-  
kegan, Wisconsin, have passed ordi-  
nances which provide that all vehicles,  
automobiles, trucks and other vehicles  
used in and upon the streets and public  
highways within the city limits,  
shall when approaching a railroad  
crossing, be brought to a full stop ten  
feet therefrom and the driver ascer-  
tain if the way is clear before pro-  
ceeding to cross. Penalty for violat-  
ing the ordinance is a fine of not  
less than \$5 or more than \$200 for  
each offense.Don't sound so bad, but regardless  
of all the ordinances and laws if a  
person is not careful, chances  
are that smash-ups at railroad cross-  
ings will continue to take their toll  
daily.General Electric Man  
Was Killed In JapanUnited Press Staff Correspondent  
Osaka, Sept. 7—Special to Daily  
Democrat) — Manager Woodbury of  
the General Electric company in  
Tokio is the only American whose  
death in the Japanese capital has  
been verified thus far. Italian Consul  
Gasco was killed in Yokohama.Sam Valentine, of Bluffton, was a  
business visitor here Thursday.K. of C. NOTICE  
The annual election of officers  
of the Knights of Columbus,  
will take place at the regular meet-  
ing Monday, Sept. 10th at 8 p.m. Let  
there be a good attendance.

G. K.

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY

From the Daily Democrat files  
20 years ago this day

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Sept. 7.—Nine negroes put to  
work on Fourth street improvement  
cause several whites to quit.Preble township votes in favor of  
macadam roads by majority of 20.Fred Rohrer has evidence from  
detectives of 33 liquor violations  
against Berne saloon keepers.

September term of court opens.

Six year old son of Page Black-  
burn falls and breaks arm.W. H. Niblick visiting in east  
interviews John D. Rockefeller, rich-  
est man in world.Decatur loses ball game to Fort  
Wayne Nationals, 11 to 10.Uncle Sammy Grewell, 86, origin-  
ator of rooster as democratic em-  
blem dies at Bluffton.Miss Matie Auten will teach in Ft.  
Wayne schools this year.Presbyterian ladies' issue cook book  
entitled "Our Kitchen Friend."The New Book On  
Asthma and Bronchitis

Is Now Ready

It contains reports of remarkable  
recoveries from asthma, bronchitis and  
chronic coughs, with actual  
photos and testimonials. From cover  
to cover, the book will appeal par-  
ticularly to local people, some of  
whose personal friends have been  
benefited. Read about Nacor, the  
standard medicine for asthma and  
bronchitis. Obtain a copy without  
cost by sending a postal to The Nacor  
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Bldg., Indianapolis, Ind.WE  
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CARS.

Porter &amp; Beavers

Cor. 1st &amp; Monroe Sts.

A meeting of the directors of the  
Decatur Home Builders' Association  
will be held Tuesday, September 18,  
at the Industrial rooms. All mem-  
bers are urged to be present.Plenty of quality coal at the  
right price, at Bennett's Coal  
Yard. Phone 199. 190c/dfTANGLEFOOT  
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for house, barn, stable, garden, Collects and  
holds flies. Easily disposed of.  
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the month to secure  
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