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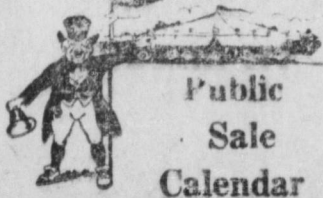
Yes, Yes, Go On
"I've never kissed a girl before," he
said, removing the cigars from his
vest pocket and stepping toward her—
Jack-o-Lantern (Dartmouth).

French Women Use Plows
Because of the many small farms in
France, handplows that may be op-
erated by women as well as men are
sold there.

Law of Progress
Everything bears within itself an
impulse to strive after a higher de-
gree of divinity, and that is the great
law of progress throughout all nature.

Many Jewels Mined
One million carats of rubies, 61,000
carats of sapphires and 20,000 carats
of spinels were produced by one min-
ing company in Burma last year.

Housekeeper's Fault
There is too much effort to keep the
out of the bookcase and not enough of
fort to keep dirt out. (Dartmouth)



Public Sale Calendar
Feb. 3—Emery Hawkins, closing
out sale on W. A. Lower farm, 4 miles
southeast of Decatur or 1/2 mile south
of St. Paul church.
Feb. 4—O. E. Rexroth, 2 1/2 miles
east, 1 mile north of Wren, O., closing
out sale.
Feb. 6—Ernst Doehman, 7 miles
northwest of Decatur on river road,
4 1/2 miles north of Preble, 1 1/2 miles
east of Preble. Closing out sale.
Feb. 7—Jacob Riley, 1 mile west,
1 mile north of Houston.
Feb. 8—Mrs. Ella Burkhardt, admin-
trix, 8 miles southeast of Decatur, 1 mile
south and 3/4 mile east of Monroe.
Feb. 10—Elmer Pollock, 2 miles east
of Decatur, 1 mile west, 1/2 mile north
of Middleberry.
Feb. 11—Marion Tinkham, 7 1/2 miles
east of Berne, 8 miles north of Wren
shire.
Feb. 13—Emanuel Hart, 10 miles
northwest of Decatur, 6 miles south
east of Monroeville.
Feb. 15—John Lett, closing out sale,
1 mile south 1/4 east of Salem, 7
miles west of Wilshire, on J. J. Bailey
farm.
Feb. 20—Ralph Andrews, Admin-
istrator, 1 mile west, 1/2 mile north of
Monroe.
Feb. 25—Henry Teple, 8 miles
southeast and 2 1/2 miles south of
Pleasant Mills.

CLASSIFIED ADS

FOR SALE

FOR SALE BY OWNER—7 room
house on corner lot. Both kinds of
water, gas, lights and garage. Price
right for quick sale. Inquire at 1021
Madison street. 2416

FOR SALE—Burr saw. First class
condition. Phone 651 before 7 a.
m. L. E. Summers, 909 Walnut St.
25-31

FOR SALE—1 Hot Point electric
iron. Mahogany case Victrola. Good
as new. Phone 98L 2613

FOR SALE—House and lot on South
First street. Phone 331. 2616

FOR SALE—One 6 room house, good
basement, double car garage, on
good street. \$500 down balance like
good terms. Price \$2500. Call phone
rent. Seven room house with bath.
336 D. F. Leonard. 2713

WANTED

WANTED—Married man to work on
farm by month or year. G. M. Mc-
Manama, Route 19, Decatur. 2513X

WANT to hear from owner having
farm for sale; give particulars and
lowest price. John J. Black, Chippe-
wa Falls, Wisconsin. 24-31X

WANTED—Ambitious girls to take
business course; work way doing
housework for room, board, tuition
and small salary. PATERSON BUS-
INSTITUTE, LaGrange, Ill. 1X

WANTED—\$10,000.00 Company
wants man to sell Watkins Home
Necessities in Decatur. More than
150 used daily. Income \$35-\$50
weekly. Experience unnecessary.
Write Dept. H-6. The J. R. Watkins
Company, 242 N. Third St., Columbus,
Ohio. 31-2-3X

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Strictly modern apart-
ment. Possession at once. Phone
57. 2612X

FOR RENT—Farm 108 acres, one
mile east of Decatur. Phone 243. 2713X

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Bill fold containing a five dol-
lar bill, one two dollar bill and
small change. Finder please return
to this office. 27-31X

MARKETS-STOCKS

Daily Report Of Local And Foreign Markets

OPENING GRAIN REVIEW
Chicago, Jan. 31.—Grain futures,
under leadership of wheat, eased off
in initial trading on the board of
trade today.

Wheat showed weak resistance to
heavy evening up sales and sold off
sharply. New crop months led in the
dip. Many opened at \$2.03, off 7-8
from last night's close.

Sentiment in corn was mixed. Lead-
ing professionals and numerous cash
handlers felt bearish regarding coarse
grains.

East Buffalo Livestock Market
Receipts 1600, shipments 3840, of-
ficial to New York yesterday 4370;
hogs closing strong. Heavies \$11.70
@11.75; mediums \$11.50@11.75; light
weights \$11.50@11.75; light lights,
\$11@11.50; pigs \$11@11.25; packing
sows rough \$10; cattle 150 steady;
sheep 1000; best lambs \$18.75@19;
best ewes \$10@11; calves 100; tops
\$17.

TOLEDO LIVE STOCK MARKET

Hogs — Receipts, light; market,
steady. Heavies, \$11.25@11.50;
mediums, \$11.15@11.25; Yorkers,
\$11.00@11.10; good pigs, \$9.50@
\$10.00.

Calves—Market strong.

Sheep and Lambs—Market steady.

FORT WAYNE LIVE STOCK
Hogs—130 pounds and down, \$8.50
@9.00; 130 to 150 pounds, \$9.00@9.50;
150 to 190 pounds, \$9.50@10.50; 190

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKET

(Corrected January 31)

Chickens, lb.	18c
Leghorn chickens	12c
Poultry	18c
Leghorn fowls	12c
Ducks	12c
Geese	16c
Old roosters	8c
Eggs, dozen	45c

LOCAL GRAIN MARKET

(Corrected January 31)

New Corn, per 100	\$1.50
Old Corn, per 100	\$1.75
Mixed Corn, per 100	\$1.45
Oats, per bushel	56c
Rye, per bushel	\$1.90
Barley, per bushel	75c
New Wheat, No. 1	\$2.00
New Wheat No. 2	\$1.90

LOCAL GROCER'S EGG MARKET

Eggs, dozen 45c

BUTTERFAT AT STATION
Butterfat 35c

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL

Sunday School 'Lesson'

(By REV. P. B. FITZWATER, D.D., Dean
of the Evening School, Moody Bible In-
stitute of Chicago.)
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Lesson for February 1

THE VINE AND THE BRANCHES

LESSON TEXT—John 15:1-17.
GOLDEN TEXT—"He that abideth in
me, and I in him, the same bringeth
forth much fruit."—John 15:5.

PRIMARY TOPIC—Being Friends of
Jesus.
JUNIOR TOPIC—The Vine and the
Branches.
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOP-
IC—Fruit-Bearing Lives.
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOP-
IC—Union With Christ.

Under the beautiful allegory of the
vine and the branches Jesus set forth
the spiritual oneness of Himself and
His disciples.

1. The Relationship of Jesus and the
Father to the Disciple (vv. 1-3).

1. Jesus the Source of the Disciple's
Life (v. 1). He is the true vine.
Through the incarnation Jesus identi-
fied Himself with humanity, and by
virtue of His atoning death and resur-
rection it is possible for the believer
to be a partaker of His life so that be-
tween the disciple and his Lord there
is a community of life. As the vine
pours its life into the branch, so Christ
pours His life into the believer. Our
salvation is eternal life because it is
the life of the eternal Son in us.

2. The Father Has in His Hands the
Discipline of the Disciple (v. 1). The
"Father is the husbandman." Just as
the culture of the vine is in the hands
of a husbandman so the discipline of
the believer's life is in the hands of
the Father. In this disciplinary pro-
cess he

(a) Removes the unfruitful branch
(v. 2). He does not take the trouble
to prune the fruitless branch. The
nominal church member, the mere pro-
fessor, He removes.

(b) Purges the fruitful branch that
it may produce more fruit (v. 2). He
restrains our natural tendencies and
desires in order that the virtues of the
Lord, the fruits of the Spirit, may
shine forth.

3. The instrument by which the
pruning is accomplished is Jesus' words
(v. 3). The disciples already
were cleansed by Christ's words, for
Judas the traitor had been cast out.
If the believer's life is to be fruitful in
character and service the pruning
knife, Christ's words, must be intelli-
gently and regularly applied.

II. The Conditions of Fruit Bearing
(vv. 4-7).

The supreme object in pruning, the
culture of the vine, is fruit.

1. Abiding in Christ (vv. 4-6). As
the branches draw sap and life from
the vine, so believers must abide in
Christ, from whom they derive their
purity, strength and wisdom. Indeed,
it is a mutual abiding, the disciple in
Christ and Christ in the disciple. It is
Christ's life expressing itself
through the believer. The one thus in-
dwelt by Christ will bear much fruit.
So great is the displeasure of the Lord
with lifeless, unfruitful branches that
they are to be "cast forth," "withered,"
even burned (v. 6).

2. Christ's Words Abide in Us (v.
7). So mighty is the power of the
one who abides in Christ and in whom
His words abide that Heaven can with-
hold no gift from him.

III. The Blessed Issue of a Fruitful
Life (vv. 8-17).

1. The glorification of the Father (v.
8). Through much fruit-bearing, the
Father will be glorified (Matt. 5:16).

2. Credentials of Discipleship (v. 8).
The only way to prove that one is a
child of God is to manifest the charac-
teristics of God in one's acts and ser-
vice.

3. Abiding in Christ's Love and
Keeping His Commandments (vv. 9,
10). The way to abide in Christ's love
is to keep His commandments. The
one who neglects the words of Christ
is destitute of His love. It is folly to
talk of being in the love of Christ
while disobeying His teachings.

4. Fullness of Joy (v. 11). The way
to have fullness of joy is to have
Christ's joy in us.

5. Loving one another (vv. 12, 13).
The one who abides in Christ and has
the life of Christ flowing into him will
live a life of love, will love his fellow-
man, especially his brother in Christ.

6. Friends of Christ (vv. 14, 15).
Christ's friends do whatsoever He
commands. Being thus obedient He
takes us into His confidence and
makes known unto us the Heavenly
Father's will.

7. Perpetual Fruit-Bearing in Love,
With Power in Prayer (vv. 16, 17).

Physical Vigor

Physical weakness is not a sign of
spiritual power. All other things
considered, the man or woman who
enjoys physical vigor will be able to
accomplish more than those who are
puny and ill.

How Many?

"How many people," says Jeremy
Taylor, "are busy in the world gather-
ing together a handful of thorns to sit
upon?"

Our Fears

What we fear most is not today's
trouble, but that which may happen
tomorrow.

Dumb Love

A dumb love is only acceptable from
the lower animals.—Doctor Van Dyke.

Church Announcements

MINISTERIAL ASSOCIATION

The ministers will meet Monday at
9:30 in the director's room of the Old
Adams county bank. Rev. H. W.
Thompson will read a paper on the
"Modern Church; How It Differs in
Methods and Policy from the Early
Church." The pastors will report
the action of their respective boards
on the proposed Community Vacation
Bible school.

Baptist Church

9:30, Bible School, C. E. Bell,
Supt.
10:30, Morning worship. Special
music, and sermon by Dr. P. B. Fitz-
water, Dean of Moody Bible Institute
Evening school; a truly great preach-
er.

6:00, Baptist Young People's meet-
ing. Good program.

7:00, Evening Gospel service.
Sermon by Dr. P. B. Fitzwater of
Chicago. Hear him.

We hope a large number of people
will try to hear Dr. Fitzwater at both
services. Seldom does a man of his
ability come to us.

The prayer meeting this week at
7:30, Wednesday night will be con-
ducted by Frank Young, and the fol-
lowing week by Roy Johnson.

P. D. Whitesell, pastor

First United Brethren

Sunday School, 9:15.
Morning worship, 10:30.
Christian Endeavor, 6:00.
Evening worship, 7:00.

The pastor will preach at both
morning and evening services of wor-
ship on the following themes: Morn-
ing, "The Parable of the Mustard
Seed;" evening, "Insufficient Reli-
gion."

Interest in the Sunday School and
services of the church is on the in-
crease. Services are well attended.
Every person in the city without
church affiliation, and those who be-
long to United Brethren churches
outside the city are especially urged
to come.

The general public is invited to all
the services of the church.

B. F. Dotson, Pastor

First Methodist Church

Sunday School 9:30. Just a few
short of four hundred in attendance
last Sunday. It ought to pass the
four hundred mark tomorrow. It will
if you are there.

Morning worship at 10:45.
Evening worship at 7. The pastor
will preach at both services.

Junior League 2:30.
Epworth League at 6.
Prayer meeting Wednesday even-
ing at 7 o'clock.

Zion Reformed Church

A. R. Fledderjohann, Pastor

The new pastor has arrived to take
up the duties of this church. Tomor-
row will be his first Sunday with the
Zion Reformed people and he desires
to have every member present at
Sunday school and the worship ser-
vices that he and his family may be-
come acquainted with all.

Sunday school begins at 9:15 with
classes for all ages. Morning worship
service at 10:30 with the pastor's in-
augural sermon on the subject,
"Laborers Together With God."

The choir will meet for rehearsal
on Sunday afternoon at 2:30 sharp.
Evening worship service at 7
o'clock with a sermon on the subject,
"Carnality and Spirituality."

Zion Reformed extends a cordial
welcome to all.

St. Mary's Church

Low mass, 7:30.
High mass, 9:45.
Christian Doctrine, 2:00.
Prayer Hour and Benediction, 2:30.

First Evangelical Church

Ralph W. Loose, Minister

Sunday School at 9:15. L. L.
Baumgartner, supt.
Worship hour, 10:15.

E. L. of C. E. service at 6:15. Sub-
ject: "Friendliness." Leader:
Clarence Spuller.

A special missionary program will
be given at the evening service at 7
o'clock under the auspices of the W.
M. S. Miss Marion Lyon Lee, a
Chinese lady, preparing herself in
this country, to take the gospel to
her own people, will speak. A silver
offering will be taken.

Presbyterian Church

B. N. Covert, Pastor.
Services for Sunday, Feb. 1st.
2:30 a. m. Sunday School. Our aim
is to build up a consistent attendance
among our scholars. Don't miss to-

Church of God

10:30 a. m. Morning Worship. The
pastor will preach on "Unanswered
Prayer," the fourth in the series on
"The Meaning of Prayer."

4:00 p. m. Vesper Service. Sermon
by the pastor, "Losing Christ."

6:30 p. m. Christian Endeavor. First
chapter in Mission Study book,
"China's Real Revolution." Short play
"Hanging a Sign," given by Endeav-
ors.

Church of God

Sunday School, 9:30.
Preaching, 10:30.
Subject of sermon, "The Vine and
the Branches."

Evening services for Young People
6:30.
Preaching at 7:00. Subject of ser-
mon, "The Signs of Our Times."

Special music during services.
The public is cordially invited.
Rev. E. A. Ball, pastor.

Zion Lutheran Church

Prof. Lewerenz will hold English
service at 10 o'clock.

Christian Church

Harry W. Thompson, Pastor.
Unified service beginning at 10:00
a. m.

Christian Endeavor at 6:15 p. m.
Evening service at 7 p. m.
Prayer and Church-night service on
Wednesday evening at 7 p. m.

You are welcome to all of the ser-
vices of this church.

Relief For Diphtheria

Sufferers Drawing Near

(UNITED PRESS SERVICE)
Nome, Alaska, Jan. 31.—(Special to
Daily Democrat)—Relief of Nome's
threatened epidemic of diphtheria
was drawn almost in sight today.

Last advice reported Leonard
Seppala, champion dog team driver
of Alaska, forcing his dogs westward
at a point about 100 miles west of
Kaltag. He left Kaltag late yester-
day and has been driving almost
without rest.

He has a team of twenty blue eyes
Siberians, known as among the
strongest and fastest teams of the
north country.

Gunner Kassen, with 15 dogs, left
Nome at noon yesterday for Unalak-
lee, 207 miles east of here, where he
will meet Seppala and with his fresh
team, make the final dash into
stricken city.

Another Anti-Cigarette

Bill To Be Introduced

(UNITED PRESS SERVICE)
Indianapolis, Jan. 31.—(Special to
Daily Democrat)—Ditch the butts,
gang!

Another cigarette law is in the
making. Thomas B. Brown, of Mt.
Vernon, a member of the 1923 legisla-
ture, is in Indianapolis with the
avowed purpose of presenting his
famous anti-cigarette bill, which
failed of passage when he was in
the legislature.

Although Brown declined to dis-
close provisions of the proposed law,
it was learned the bill will be similar
to the one he sponsored two years
ago, which provided for a three-cent
tax on every package of cigarettes
sold and a one-cent tax of cigarette
papers.

Brown said that the reason the
1923 bill failed was because it would
have thrown all proceeds to the state
general fund. This difficulty has been
eliminated, he said, by diverting all
revenues to the school fund.

Proponents of anti-cigarette legis-
lation are handicapped at this ses-
sion because neither Brown nor John
A. Peterson, former representative
from Swazee, co-author of the 1923
session are members of the present
legislature. However, Brown is seek-
ing an enemy of cigarettes among the
lawmakers of this session who will
present his measure and stand spon-
sor for it.

Hardware Dealers Oppose

Child Labor Amendment

Indianapolis, Jan. 31.—(United
Press)—The Indiana Hardware De-
alers' Association today joined the
forces opposing ratification of the
federal child labor amendment by the
state legislature.

Resolutions adopted at the closing
session of the annual state meeting
yesterday called on members of the
association to use their influence in
opposition to ratification.

Harry E. Magee, Winchester, was
elected president of the association,
succeeding G. E. Daugherty, of
Princeton.

Other officers elected were: Lloyd
W. Slayter, Argos, first vice presi-

dent; V. J. Barker, Connersville, sec-
ond vice president; C. F. Sheely, In-
dianapolis, secretary treasurer.

Daugherty was chosen a member
of the board of directors of the as-
sociation to succeed D. W. Deprez,
of Shelbyville.

The following delegates were
elected to the national convention:
Louis Seale, Indianapolis