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Smoker at Democratic headquarters next Wednesday evening. Speeches and a discussion of plans for election day. Voters invited.

Authorities found a man wandering around with about \$15,000 sewed in his clothes and a commission declared him insane. A good many would like to have the same mania.

Precinct meetings tonight at the Gehrig home on Eighth street, the Macklin home on First street and the Wemhoff home, north Eighth. If you are interested in your old home town, attend one of these.

If this bright blue, October weather will hold out, they can keep the prices on Florida sand up to \$10,000 a front foot as long as they want to, for most of us would rather have Indiana soil at one one-thousandth of the price.

A bushel of bulletins in the mail this morning again promised better times by the first of the year. We hope so. They have been moving that corner around which good times seems to be located on for five or six years now, and its about time some one held it tight enough that we can realize on it.

The way they are fiddling around to get a jury at Noblesville to try D. C. Stephenson and his pals looks rather foolish. Certainly any twelve men, tried and true, would decide the case according to the law and the evidence. That's all any of them can do. What's the use to "jockey around" until Christmas?

E. B. Williamson, manager of the Northern Indiana Fair is concluding all details of his campaign for the organization of a county fair association to buy the Belmont Park and conduct various entertainments there, including a big and a real county fair. He will begin the campaign the first of next week.

With the financial condition of the city excellent, with a lower tax rate, with an efficient police force, a good fire department, with improvements being made each year and the city progressing, what more do you want. Gumshoeing to the contrary should not get far and won't if the proper interest is manifested by the Democrats.

The campaigns over the state are rather slower than usual, not a very good sign, for it shows that less interest is being taken from year to year. With the exception of two or three of the larger cities, one could hardly tell there was a campaign in progress. In Hartford City the campaign will open tonight with a public meeting and will continue only the nine or ten days until election. A similar condition exists in many of the smaller cities.

The Democratic platform is not vague but on the contrary is a clear, clean and decisive statement which stands for those things best for the city. It's always easy to find fault, to declare your own home town a bad one, to promise wonderful things, but usually it doesn't mean much. If a city is managed in a business-like manner, if good police protection is given, if an adequate fire department is maintained, if the city plant and the city property is properly maintained, if assurance can be given to new industries that they can and will

Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle

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SASH VENAL
ALIVE CONTROL
GONE TALC SUE
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be taken care of on water, power and light, if every one is given a square deal, and the tax rate held to the lowest possible point, then you have a city you may well feel proud of. And that's just what you have here. Keep it running along smoothly as it is now, help make Decatur the best town on the map.

The precinct meetings held last evening in the first ward A and third ward A, under the auspices of the Democratic ladies, were forerunners of the interest which will be aroused by a ten days campaign of this kind. The women hold the balance of power in an election and their assistance is a very vital and necessary thing for the party which expects to win. However these meetings are not for the women alone, but for the men as well and if you wish to hear the candidates and get their policies and their position on matters of importance to the community, attend one or more of the precinct sessions.

Big Features Of RADIO Programs Today

Thursday's Five Best Radio Features
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KGO, Oakland, 36J, 8 p. m. (PCST)
Comedy drama "The Fortune Hunter."

WCBD, Zion, 345, 8 p. m. (CST)
Concert.

CNRC, Calgary, 456, 9 p. m. (MST)
CNRC symphony.

WRC, Washington, 469; WJZ, New York, 454; Schenectady, 330, 8:15 p. b. (EST)—U. S. army band, and at 9:30 p. m. (EST)—Salem orchestra, Levittow directing.

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY

From the Daily Democrat File

Twenty Years Ago This Day

A. Van Camp lets contract for 33 x 100 brick addition to his machine shop on Eighth street.

William Sheets arrested by Huntington officers for operating slot machines.

William Butler and Mrs. Amspaugh were married Saturday night at Coldwater, Ohio.

"The bowery newsgirl" is the thrilling melodrama at the opera house to-night.

J. C. Johnston goes to Huntsville, Ohio, to open elevator.

Curley Jacobs and Sam Kuntz leave for Maine on hunting trip.

Mrs. Lydia Drummond returns from visit at Salem, Oregon.

The Logansport & Wabash Valley Gas company is being reorganized.

Washington township Sunday school convention is in session at the Baptist church in this city.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT

Whereas, it has pleased an Almighty, Merciful and Just God to remove from our midst, Sister Catherine Ehinger, and

Whereas, by her death her family lost a very devoted mother.

Whereas, this community has lost a good neighbor, her Church a loyal and devoted member and this Council a true Sister and Friend, whose model life is one deserving of our imitation.

Resolved, that these resolutions be spread upon the records of this Council, and a copy thereof be transmitted to the family of our deceased Sister.

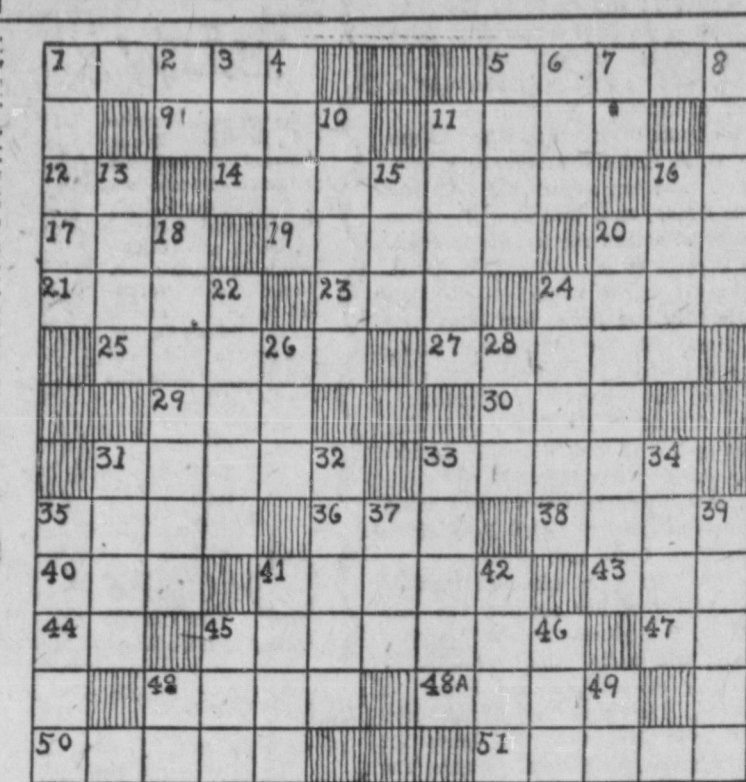
Committee,
Clara Parent,
Edith Ervine,
Christina Schuger.

Mrs. James Staley spent the day in Fort Wayne visiting friends.

The City Tailor Shop, operated by R. O. Stites is now located in Morrison Bldg.

Visit the City Tailor Shop in the Morrison Bldg. in rooms formerly occupied by Suttles-Edwards Co.

DAILY DEMOCRAT CROSS-WORD PUZZLE



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| Horizontal. | Vertical. |
| 1—Class | 1—Lean |
| 2—Clock faces | 2—Month of Hebrew calendar |
| 3—Brought into being | 3—Canine |
| 4—Curved structural member | 4—God of love |
| 5—Preposition | 5—Prohibitionists |
| 6—Panoramic | 6—Frozen water |
| 7—Short sleep | 7—Exclamation |
| 8—Pig pens | 8—Pastime |
| 9—One of a pair | 9—Encourages |
| 10—Entrance (abbr.) | 10—Noise |
| 11—To hesitate | 11—Vari-colored |
| 12—Requires | 12—Agriculturists |
| 13—Cut, as hair | 13—Approaches |
| 14—A body of water | 14—The earth |
| 15—Limb | 15—Possesses |
| 16—Islands | 16—To hang loosely, as folds of cloth |
| 17—Affects with pain | 17—A standard of perfection |
| 18—Stick | 18—Provided with weapons |
| 19—A color | 19—To be indebted to |
| 20—Man's title | 20—To chatter |
| 21—Doctor's title | 21—Approaches |
| 22—Comes into view | 22—Part of "to be" |
| 23—Note of scale | 23—Girl's name |
| 24—Woody plant | 24—Initials of a President |
| 25—Predecessor | 25—Sun god |
| 26—Had the courage to | |
| 27—Dish | |

Solution will appear in next issue.



STRENGTH
This was the strong man's most astounding feat:
He held upon his hands a deck of wood,
And then upon it several people stood.
He raised them high, and from a nearby seat
I hear a stranger several times repeat:
A muttered exclamation: "That is good!"
I never thought that anybody could
Lift such a crowd. That fellow's work is neat.

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LIFE BEYOND THE GRAVE

I am not lying cold and stiff,
Down in the hard cold ground.
I am not by each day and night
Decaying in the damp cold ground.

I live, I live and love,
There is a life beyond the grave,
Life more beautiful than on earth,
And not hardships and struggles to slave.

When death calls me to its side,
I am not deaf as stone,
But safe in the land of love,
My spirit dwells not alone.

I come back to see you all,
Even speak endearing words of love.
But you do not hear or notice me,
You think that I live above.

There is a life beyond the grave,
Hopes and ambitions, too.
We strive to get up higher,
To be able to help each one of you.

Our life is so beautiful,
Full of inspiring new life,
Full of sunshine and happiness
Beyond the grave is true life.

Happiness and never sorrow,
Smiles and never tears,
Life beyond the grave
Is faith and never fears.

Muncie Man Heads Indiana Abstractors

Indianapolis, Oct. 23. — (United Press)—Members of the Indiana Abstractors association in annual convention here last yesterday elected John Meredith, Muncie, as president of the association.

R. W. Miles, of Martinsville, was named vice president, and Charles Lambert, Indianapolis, was selected secretary-treasurer.

APPLES — Baldwins, Spies, Wagins, Grimes Golden, Greenings, at the building formerly occupied by Old Adams County Bank, Getes & Porter.

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MRS. PETER C. HEWITT

The former Maryon Andrews, of Virginia, is back from Paris, where she divorced her fourth mate, the Baron D'Erlanger. She calls herself Mrs. Peter Cooper Hewitt, a former husband who left her a fortune

Million-a-year Incomes In U. S. Are On Increase

By Joseph S. Wasney,
(U. P. Staff Correspondent)

Washington, Oct. 23. — (United Press.)—The average person in the United States has only one chance in 1,500,000 to attain an increase of a million a year.

Income tax returns for 1923 show there are only 74 such incomes in the United States out of a population of about 114,000,000. The wealthy class is on the increase, however, and the odds of becoming exceedingly rich are shortening.

In 1914 there were 60 persons who reported incomes of \$1,000,000 and over. Then the war period boosted business and a year later there were 120. The peak was reached in 1916 when 206 persons had incomes of \$1,000,000 or over.

Then the war business slumped and million dollar incomes dropped from 141 in 1917 to 67 in 1918; 33 in 1919 and 21 in 1921. After a "lean year" in 1921 business took an upward trend and in 1922 there were 67. For 1923 there were 74.

The number of personal incomes filed in 1923 totaled 7,698,321 listing an aggregate net income of \$24,840,364. These returns poured \$663,651,505 into the treasury coffers.

Corporations filed 398,933 returns with incomes listed at \$8,321,529,134 on which they paid a tax of \$937,106,798.

The average net income for each return in 1923 was \$3,226.70 on which an average tax of \$86.21 was paid at an average rate of 2.67 per cent. The proportion of the population filing returns was 6.94 per cent.

Joint returns by husbands and wives totaled 4,505,729 while wives making separate returns from husbands was only 170,573.

There were 368,502 persons who reported incomes under \$1,000; 2,515,324 between \$1,000 and \$2,000; 2,470,970 between \$2,000 and \$3,000; 1,717,628 between \$3,000 and \$5,000; 397,636 between \$5,000 and \$10,000; and 171,801 between \$10,000 and \$15,000.

There were 39,832 persons in the \$25,000 to \$50,000 class; 12,452 in the \$50,000 to \$100,000 group; 2,339 between \$100,000 and \$150,000; 1,301 be-

tween \$150,000 and \$300,000; 327 between \$300,000 and \$500,000; 141 between \$500,000 and \$1,000,000 and 74 millionaires.

Four of the millionaires had incomes over \$5,000,000 annually; 1 between \$4,000,000 and \$5,000,000; 6 between \$3,000,000 and \$4,000,000; 12 between \$2,000,000 and \$3,000,000; 12 between \$1,500,000 and \$2,000,000 and 39 between \$1,000,000 and \$1,500,000.

Marion. — Miss Rose St. John of here has a breast pin that was given by Martha Washington to Miss St. John's great grandmother, Nancy Ball.

Soot Bend. — A barrel of pepper-mint oil that was kept in the vault of a bank here as security on a \$2,000 loan has turned out to be water, according to a story given wide circulation. Just who is stuck is not known. The fellow who delivered the barrel says the change of contents was made in the bank.

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