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We hope all the talk about reducing taxes when congress convenes is not just for the benefit of campaign bunk. There are ways to do it and the country needs a real reduction of federal taxes.

Fort Wayne democrats certainly have the right kind of fighting spirit. Defeated in Tuesday election by a majority of more than three thousand they came back last night with a big rally, planning to win next year's battle.

The defense for D. C. Stephenson is finding it rather difficult to establish any kind of a showing that will excuse three men from being punished for taking a young lady by force and misusing her so frightfully that she preferred death to living.

They have a queer kind of a city election plan in Boston where ten candidates, seven democrats and three republicans went to bat last Tuesday. It resulted of course in a republican victory as might be expected with the democrats split seven ways from Sunday. Its usually hard enough to win when one democrat runs against one republican.

It is a thing worth while to have so lived in a community as to have and merit the highest regard of every one with whom you have come in contact. That is the record of the late Charles S. Niblick, for whom a special memorial service has been arranged and which will be held in the new auditorium at the Catholic school building Sunday afternoon. Mr. C. E. Bell will preside and short talks will be made by representatives of various organizations of the community.

Tomorrow is "Round-up Day," at which time those boys and girls who have taken part in the calf, corn and beet clubs in this county, will exhibit results and the winners will receive the prize awards. It has been a fine movement and those who have taken part have enjoyed the contests, not only because of a desire to win but because they feel they are helping in a splendid work. The program for tomorrow is an excellent one and we are sure every one will thoroughly enjoy it.

The Hardware Retailer for November contains a picture of the court house at Indianapolis and in a story beneath tells how the building, now unfit for use, cost that county 2,626, 250 for which they received nothing. The building was erected fifty-five years ago and cost \$950,000. Up to this year \$600,000 of that amount had not been paid. \$200,000 was paid off this year and the balance of \$400,000 will be taken up within three years. The interest charges will total nearly three times as much as the original building, a lesson of public waste that should bring profit to other organizations who finance under plans similar to this. A debt should never be made unless plans for liquidating at the least cost is also arranged.

We attended a meeting of the state highway commission yesterday and the delegation which included representatives from every county in Indiana on the direct east and west route, known from Huntington west as No. 7, was assured that the commission recognizes the importance of this route and that they are planning to make extensive improvements on this route, in the way of pavement in

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1927. We were also informed that further improvements will be made next year on No. 21 in this vicinity, the exact amount of mileage or the location having not been definitely decided. Any way we are making some progress in this better roads proposition. The highway commission is very anxious to improve roads but can only do so within their appropriation. If the people wish more hard surface road or desire it more rapidly than 300 miles per year, they will have to plan to raise more money, according to the position of the members of the board.

Big Features Of RADIO Programs Today

FRIDAY'S FIVE BEST RADIO FEATURES
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WJZ, New York, 454; WGY, Schenectady, 380; WBZ, Springfield, 333, 8:30 p. m. (EST)—Concert by Guy Maier and Lee Pattison, music from two pianos.
WJY, New York, 405, 8:30 p. m. (EST)—Combined concert Harvard and Princeton musical clubs.
WEAF, New York, 492, 8 p. m. (EST)—Billy Jones and Ernest Hare.
KOA, Denver, 322, 8 p. m. (MST)—Jazz vs. Classics.
WFAA, Dallas, 475, 8:30 p. m. (CST)—Schubert Choral club.

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY

From the Daily Democrat File
Twenty Years Ago This Day
Will Phillips and Miss Emma O'Connell married at Wapokoneta, Ohio.
Surprise for Albert Sellemeyer on his 19th birthday, Saturday.
D. L. Tuttle of Buffalo, will address Adams county Sunday School convention at Berne, Monday.
Old Adams County Bank buys bonds for French township macadam roads, for \$11,480.
Mr. and Mrs. Eli Sprunger celebrate 17th wedding anniversary.
First elections under the new cities and town law will be held in many Indiana cities tomorrow.

Court House

Venued To Jay County
In the case of Maggie F. Fuhrman vs. the Citizens Telephone company and the City of Decatur, a motion for a change of venue from the county, filed by the plaintiff, was sustained by the court and the case was ordered venued to the Jay circuit court.

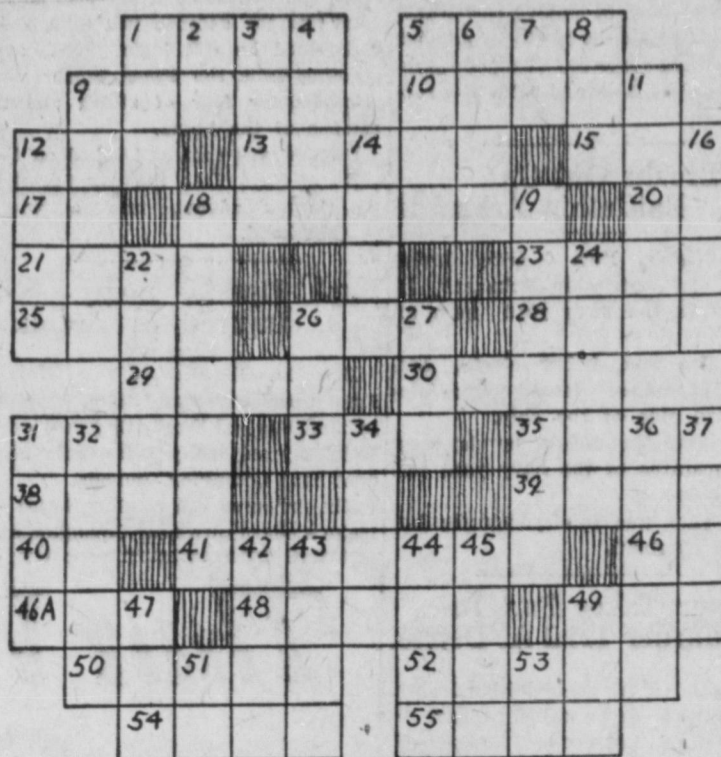
Suits On Notes.
Eugene Runyon today filed two suits on notes in the circuit court. Charles Hills is made defendant in a suit for \$250, and Jesse E. Williams is the defendant in a suit for \$175. Lenhart & Heller are attorneys for the plaintiff.

Estate Settled
In the estate of Martin J. Grote, the final report was approved, the administrator discharged and the estate settled.
In the estate of William D. Drummond, the final report was approved, the administrator discharged and the estate settled.

Send Food To Reformed Church Orphans' Home

The Ladies of the Zion Reformed church collected their annual supply of food for the Reformed Church Orphans' Home at Fort Wayne yesterday, and today sent a total of 200 cans of canned fruit and vegetables and about 35 packages, including sugar, cakes, cookies, bread, coffee cakes, crackers, cabbage, carrots, etc. to the orphanage. These gifts will be thoroughly appreciated by the inmates of the home. The gifts this year exceed that of other years. The superintendent of the home desires to extend heartiest thanks and appreciation to all donors.

DAILY DEMOCRAT CROSS-WORD PUZZLE



- Horizontal.**
1—Large water pipe
5—Notation
10—Fibrous plant of Asia
12—Couch
13—Point of a fable
15—To make a certain kind of lace
17—Sun god
20—Continent of western hemisphere (abbr.)
21—Ridges
23—An equal
25—Bump raised by a blow on some part of the body
26—Inset
28—Combining form for Indian
29—To exist
30—To be at ease
31—Minority legislative group
32—Pig pen
35—Street car (English)
38—Boat
39—Archaic stringed instrument
40—Highway (abbr.)
41—Happening
46—Note of scale
46A—Male deer
48—Linen tape
49—Kind of duck
54—Extinct bird
55—Verbally
- Vertical.**
1—Insane
2—Doctrines
3—Persia
6—Fine powder
7—Printing measure
8—Massachusetts Institute of Technology (abbr.)
9—To rent
11—Comforted
12—Forehead
14—To shower
16—Elephant's ear (plant)
18—Thing
22—To permit
24—Doorway
27—To attempt
31—A cow house
32—Large-handled cuplike spoon
34—Protruding tooth
35—To adorn with dress
37—To encounter
42—Piebald
43—Japanese medicine container
44—Butter substitute (abbr.)
45—Costly
47—Young goat
48—Measure of cloth
51—To act
53—Egyptian god
- 2—Like**
4—Corner
19—Note
26—Bronze

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Solution will appear in next issue.



GRACE
Let me not count my years in gold
Or place or pomp or power attained.
Rather I'd have my story told
In lasting friendships I have gained.
Some richer gift from life I'd take
A neighbor's love, or gratitude
Out of the years God grants, I'd make
Something beyond the hunt for food.
I would live well, and yet I pray
When comes the end, it be not said
That I had made of every day
Merely a brutish search for bread.
Within what must be my career
I hope that other men may find
More than a sordid struggle here,
To beauty and to service blind.
To play the friend, to plant a rose,
To rise above the commonplace
And leave some memory here which
shows
That I had touched my life with
grace.

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WILL GIVE PLAY FRIDAY, NOV. 13

(Continued from page one)

Margaret and Miriam Haley, daughters of a neighbor.

Mrs. Van Alsbury, as Ma.
Miss Margaret Frisinger and Mrs. Randolph Horton, as her two daughters.

Miss Helen Christen, as Miss James, the teacher at the Girls' School.
Mrs. Fuhrman, as Miss Rose, a visiting teacher.

Four school girls.
The cast has rehearsed diligently and will give an authentic representation of life as lived by the Kentucky mountaineers. Miss Veronica Anker will do specialty singing for a series of five or six living pictures. A Dutch drill will also be a part of the program.

The members of the society are selling tickets and the public is invited to attend.

Six Members Of Family Of Seven Burn To Death

Albany, N. Y., Nov. 6. — (United Press.)—Six members of a family of seven lost their lives in a fire which destroyed the home of George Kemp in Balston Spa early today and the surviving member, a 16-year-old daughter, is expected to die.

The fire broke out around the chimney, awakening Beatrice, the 16-year-old daughter, who after arousing the family, rushed from the house with her night clothing afire, calling for help.

The charred remains of the other six members of the family, apparently overcome by smoke before the fire caught them, were found huddled together in a room near an exit by firemen, after they had extinguished the blaze.

Card party and dance at the K. of C. hall, Tuesday, Nov. 10. The public is invited to attend. Prizes and good orchestra.

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GENEVA H. S. GETS BASKETBALL HALL

Room Rented For Practice Sessions; First Game This Evening

Geneva, Nov. 6.—After a long and diligent fight, the local high school has received a hall in which the basketball team can practice, and the team has started work. The room above the Chevrolet sales room in the A. G. Briggs building has been rented by the school board to be used for a gymnasium.

Although the ceiling is low and the hall small, the team will be able to get considerable practice in the improvised gymnasium. The first practice was held last Monday night. Some good material was uncovered during the workout. Ramon Hunt will coach the team.

The team will play its first game tonight, when it lines up against Hartford township at Linn Grove. Hartford has played two games already and the locals will be handicapped through lack of practice, but a good game is expected.

The Geneva high school girls will have a basketball team, also. Don Collom, principal of the school, will coach the girls' team.

To Give Card Party And Dance Tuesday Night

The public is invited to attend the card party and dance to be given at the Knights of Columbus hall Tuesday evening, November 10. Tickets are selling for twenty-five cents each and a good time is assured. Following cards, dancing will be enjoyed and a good orchestra has been engaged for the evening.

Wife Of Congressman From Illinois Is Dead

Galesburg, Ill., Nov. 6. — (United Press.)—Mrs. May Roberts King, wife of Congressman Edward J. King, died suddenly at her home here early today. Heart disease was the cause of her death. She had been in her usual health yesterday and in the afternoon attended a meeting of the D. A. R., in which she was prominent. Early this morning she was seized with the heart attack and died within a few moments. Mrs. King was prominent in congressional circles in Washington where her husband has been a congressman since 1914.

Argos — Post-Halloween celebrations will not interest Ralph Stevens, Wesley Cox and Jesse Claybaugh in the future. The boys were fired on the other night and 25 shot hit Claybaugh.

Correct weight can be yours



"I DO NOT want to be thin! I just want to be my right weight! I just want these bellows filled out. I just want enough firm, plump flesh on my bones to fill out my figure."
Of course you do. You want a figure that you can drape your clothes on—not just hang them on! What's the use of having pretty clothes, if they just hang on you?

And what would you say if you were told you could have the figure you want? A graceful, well rounded body—firm, solid flesh—just enough—just your right weight? You'd be mighty happy, wouldn't you?

Well, then, be happy—because you can have it! Put plenty of red cells in your blood and watch your weight go up to where you want it! That's what's the matter with you! Your blood is impoverished. You need more rich, red blood. S. S. S. is the thing to put red blood in your system. S. S. S. helps Nature build red blood cells by the millions.

You just try S. S. S. and watch how quickly you begin to fill out your clothes. Notice your skin clear of unsightly blemishes—your appetite increase—strength come to flabby muscles and vim and vigor fill your whole system. It's red blood that does it. And S. S. S. surely helps Nature build that red blood. S. S. S. is sold by all drug stores. The larger bottle is more economical.

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Success Is Built On Savings

You cannot build a house or a building without a foundation. Neither can you expect success unless you lay the foundation of it in good, hard work and practice saving habits.

When this opportunity comes—as it comes in every man's time—be prepared to take advantage of it by laying aside NOW a little each week.

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Here's your chance to trade in your old, inefficient gas range as first payment on a brand new, modern gas range equipped with the famous oven heat regulator, rust-resisting oven lining, "touch-a-button" lighter, etc. This offer lasts only for the month of November. So be sure to arrange to trade in your old range early so as to avoid the last day's rush. You have no idea what a pleasure it is to cook a dinner with a modern gas range.



This handsome, modern gas range will beautify any kitchen. It is complete with the famous Lorain oven regulator, rust-resisting oven lining, "touch-a-button" lighter, giant burner, etc. Price also includes delivery and usual gas connections.

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