

## CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS, NOTICES AND BUSINESS CARDS

### CLASSIFIED ADS

#### FOR SALE

We have for sale 180 acres of land, known as the "Lee Farm," and also known as the "Ralph McMillan Farm," five miles south east of Decatur on the Piqua Road, at a price so low and upon terms so reasonable that it will pay you to investigate. See French Quinn, Decatur, Indiana.

FOR SALE—Clover seed, 3 tons timothy hay. A. Z. Smith, 2 miles west of Pleasant Mills. 68t x 1t 64

FOR SALE—Electric washing machine, in good condition. Mrs. John Neering, 447 Mercer Ave. 713p.

FOR SALE—Ford touring car in good condition. Will sell cheap. Call phone 687, 125 South 6th St. 72-31x.

FOR SALE—Good disc drill and breaking plow. W. M. Kilson. Phone 863-R. 72-31x.

FOR SALE—Baby chicks, every week. Rhode Island Reds, White Wyandottes, Barred Rocks. Phone 615 or call at 1620 W. Monroe St. 72-61

FOR SALE—3-piece Parlor Suite, mahogany with velvet cushions. Call phone 156. 72-31x.

FOR SALE—PET EASTER BUNNIES—Order now for Easter delivery. All kinds, all prices. Visit my Rabbitry any evening after 5 o'clock and get your choice. Visitors welcome, if you want to buy or not. If you can't come, phone 625. Chas. J. Miller's Rabbitry, 226 North 7th St. 72-31x.

Mar. 22-24-27-29-31-Apr. 1-2-x.

FOR SALE—14 x 28 barn, in A-1 condition. Will sell cheap. Phone 55. 73-31x.

FOR SALE—Case tractor and plows in first class condition. At the right price. 1925 Ford coupe, like new. Carries a new car guarantee. Priced to sell. 1924 touring. Starter, in good condition, new tires. A real buy. 1923 touring. Starter, good running order, fine condition. Priced for quick sale. ADAMS COUNTY AUTO CO. 73-31x.

FOR SALE—1 good work horse, weight 1500 lbs.; 40 shocks of fodder; 3 tons mixed hay, baled. Albert Teeple, Decatur, R. 6, Phone 861-P. 73-31x.

### WANTED

WANTED—Clean, washed rags, suitable to clean presses and type. Must be clean. Not common rags or waste, or dirty clothes. Prefer muslins, calicos and like. No laces, heavy underwear, woollens or heavy materials. Will pay 7 cents per pound for the right kind if brought to this office, but they must be clean and the right size. Decatur Daily Democrat.

WANTED—Maid for general housework for one week, beginning March 29. Call 1084. 73-31x.

WANTED—General hauling. Ready for spring work. Phone 1047. C. J. Rice. 74t.

### FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Rooms with board (or without). Call 1171, between 6 and 8 a. m. or 7 and 9 p. m. 74-31x.

FOR RENT—Two nicely furnished rooms for light housekeeping with private entrance. 642 N. 2nd, St. 72-31x.

FOR RENT—Garage, cement floor, water and lights. 601 Madison St. 74-31x.

FOR RENT—Modern flat, heat furnished; phone 513. 74t.

NOTICE—I am now ready to do latice work, window screening and repair work. Prices reasonable. Call phone 1160, L. F. Miller, 928 Nuttman Avenue. 73-43

### NOTICE OF PETITION TO SELL REAL ESTATE

Probate Cause No. 2332

In the Circuit Court of Adams County, Indiana.

February Term, 1926.

Mayme E. Cloud, Administratrix of Estate of Eliza J. Cloud, Deceased.

VS.

Frank T. Cloud, et al.

To Frank T. Cloud, Minnie Cloud, Jesse L. Cloud, Emma Cloud, Harry G. Cloud and Minnie Cloud. You are severally hereby notified that the above named petitioner as Administratrix of the estate aforesaid has filed in the Circuit Court of Adams County, Indiana, a petition, making you defendants, and praying therein for an order and decree of said Court authorizing the sale of certain Real Estate belonging to the estate of said decedent, and in said petition described, to make assets for payment of the debts and liabilities of said estate; and also filed an affidavit averring therein that you and each of you are non-residents of the State of Indiana or that your residence is not known and that you are necessary parties to said proceedings, and that said petition, so filed and which is now pending, is set for hearing in said Circuit Court at the Court House in Decatur, Indiana, on the 5th day of May, 1926.

WITNESS, the Clerk and seal of said Court, this 12th day of March, 1926.

JOHN E. NELSON.

Clerk Adams Circuit Court.

JAMES T. MERRYMAN, Atty 12-26-27.

### DR. C. V. CONNELL VETERINARIAN

Special attention given to cattle and poultry practice. Office 120 No. First Street. Phone Office 143—Residence 102

### BUSINESS CARDS

#### H. FROHNAPFEL, D. C.

DOCTOR OF CHIROPRACTIC  
A HEALTH SERVICE  
The Neurocalometer Service  
Will Convince You

at 144 South 2nd Street  
Office Phone 314 Residence 1087  
Office Hours: 10-12 a.m. 1-5 6-8 p.m.

#### S. E. BLACK

Funeral Director

Mrs. Black, Lady Attendant

Calls answered promptly day or night  
Office phone 90 Home phone 727

#### FEDERAL FARM LOANS

Abstracts of Title Real Estate.  
Plenty of Money to Loan on Government Plan.  
Interest Rate Reduced  
October 5, 1924

#### See French Quinn

Office—Take first stairway south of Decatur Democrat

#### N. A. BIXLER

OPTOMETRIST

Eyes Examined, Glasses Fitted

HOURS:

8 to 11:30—12:30 to 5:00

Saturday 8:00 p. m.

Telephone 135

#### MONEY TO LOAN

An unlimited amount of

5 PER CENT

money on improved real estate.

#### FEDERAL FARM LOANS

Abstracts of title to real estate.

SCHURGER'S ABSTRACT OFFICE

133 S. 2nd St.

#### FARM MORTGAGE

LOANS

New Easy Plan.

Low rate of interest.

Office 155 S. 2nd St.

First floor rooms.

Suttles-Edwards Co.

A. D. Suttles, Secy.

#### Tacna And Arica Problem In Hopeless Confusion

Arica, Chile, March 27.—(United Press)—Registration of voters who would participate in the plebiscite to determine whether Tacna and Arica shall remain a part of Chile or revert to Peru began today with the entire problem in an almost hopeless state of confusion.

Registration booths opened at 8 a. m. with American and Chilean registration officials present and Peruvians absent. Throughout the night American officials had sought to arrange for a suspension of all plebiscitary activities pending an effort at diplomatic settlement of the dispute over ownership of the provinces.

Thousands Of Refugees Pouring Into Peking

Peking, Mar. 27.—(United Press)—Thousands of refugees today poured into Peking. Many relief stations have been established.

The Nationalist troops are standing fast about 10 miles from the city limits, while peace negotiations continue in a last minute effort to prevent a battle for control of the capital.

Many rumors of fighting are being circulated intermittently through the city, but the coalition forces have not yet attacked the Nationalists.

#### Marion County Klan Torn With Internal Strife

Indianapolis, Ind., Mar. 27.—(United Press).—The Marion county organization of the Ku Klux Klan was torn with internal strife today.

George Elliott, exalted cyclops, stood his ground and refused to resign in the face of demands from state and national officers that he get out.

Elliott said a political machine set up within the Klan organization was trying to get him. He threatened if ousted that there would be "plenty of knifing of candidates in the primaries by his friends."

#### YEOMEN NOTICE

All members of the Decatur lodge of Yeomen are requested to meet at the Yeoman hall Monday, March 29 at 7:30 o'clock. A degree team will be organized and other important business will be transacted.

By Order of Commander. 7412

WE DO WASHINGS AND IRONINGS for people. Sarah Baumann, 803 Mercer Ave. 72-31x.

## MARKET REPORTS

### Daily Report Of Local And Foreign Markets

#### Opening Grain Review

Chicago, March 27.—(U. P.)—Grain prices opened irregular on the Chicago board of trade today.

Wheat opened fractionally under yesterday's final figures in all but one variety.

The slight recessions in this pit were unexpected by most local operators in view of a much higher Liverpool market today and bullish news from the southwest winter wheat belt.

Kansas and Nebraska reported frosts last night and this together with the apparently strong undertone in this grain had been taken as sure cause for pushing prices of the present movement upward.

Corn opened unchanged in both May and July deliveries but was off 1/4 in the September. The indifferent price range in this market is the result of the slight drop in wheat.

Oats opened an eighth higher in May, unchanged in July and an eighth off in September. This grain held its own far better than wheat or corn.

Provisions opened lower.

East Buffalo Livestock Market

Receipts 1600, shipments 3800; hogs closing slow. Heavies \$11.75@12.50; mediums \$12.50@13.25; light weight \$13.40@13.65; light lights and pigs, \$13.50@14; packing sows rough \$10.50@10.75; cattle 75 slow; sheep, 2000; best lambs \$14@14.65; best ewes \$8@9; calves 50; tops \$15.50@16.00.

FORT WAYNE HOG MARKET

(Donlin Commission Co.)

The hog market was 25 cents down Friday at the Fort Wayne stock yards. Calves and lambs were steady.

100 to 150 pounds ..... \$12.75

150 to 180 pounds ..... 13.00

180 to 200 pounds ..... 12.75

200 to 210 pounds ..... 12.50

210 to 225 pounds ..... 12.40

225 to 250 pounds ..... 11.05

250 to 275 pounds ..... 11.55

275 to 300 pounds ..... 10.90

Stags ..... 6.50@ 7.00

Roughs ..... 9.00@ 9.75

Calves ..... 8.00@14.00

Lambs, choice ..... 12.00@12.50

Lambs, culled to good ..... 9.00@12.00

CHICAGO GRAIN CLOSE

Wheat, May (old) \$1.59 1-8; (new) \$1.60 3-8; July \$1.37 5-8; Sept. \$1.32 3-4.

Corn, May 73; July 76 3-4; Sept. 78 5-8.

Oats, May 40 1-4; July 43; Sept. 41 1-4.

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKET (Corrected March 26)

Fowls ..... 22c

Chickens ..... 20c

Leghorns ..... 15c

Old Roosters ..... 9c

Ducks ..... 16c

Geese ..... 14c

Eggs, dozen ..... 22c

LOCAL GRAIN MARKET (Corrected March 26)

Barley, per bushel ..... 75c

Oats ..... 34c

Rye, per bushel ..... 75c

Wheat, No. 1 ..... \$1.56

Wheat, No. 2 ..... \$1.56

Good Sound Yellow Corn ..... 70c

Good Sound Mixed Corn ..... 65c

Good Sound Mixed corn ..... 68c

LOCAL GROCER'S EGG MARKET

Eggs, dozen ..... 23c

BUTTERFAT AT STATION

Butterfat, delivered ..... 37c

Catholic Church To Observe Palm Sunday

Palm Sunday will be observed in St. Mary's Catholic church with special services and with the distribution of the blessed Palms, previous to the 9:45 high mass. There will be two masses, one at 7:30 and the high mass. During the masses, the program of services for Holy Week will be announced. The regular Tuesday evening service will be held as usual and the Rev. Father Chapman will deliver the last of his series of Lenten sermons. On Friday evening, the Way of the Cross will be held and on Friday afternoon, from twelve to 3 o'clock, three hours will be observed. This is held in commemoration of the three hours Christ spent on the Cross. At the 7:30 mass Sunday, the Knights of Columbus will attend the service in a body and receive Holy Communion.

Eighty Persons Die In Fire In Russian City

Berlin, Mar. 27.—(United Press).—The Russian city of Sluzek has been partly destroyed by fire, according to dispatches received here today from Vilna. First estimates put the death list at eighty persons. About 800 houses were destroyed.

Want Ads Earn

## SEEK ROANOKE GIRL WHO SHOT ZANESVILLE MAN

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to be critical.

Although conflicting stories are told by the parents of both Miss Francis and Williams, authorities are inclined to believe that the shooting followed Williams' refusal to marry the woman.

According to her father, Theodore Francis, they were engaged to be married and she had told her mother that the wedding was to take place this month. Last week, Francis said, Williams broke off the engagement, but continued to come to Roanoke to see his daughter. Francis said that as late as two days ago, Williams came to the hotel to visit Miss Francis and stayed from 6 o'clock in the evening until midnight. He said he heard no quarreling, but that his daughter seemed depressed.

According to Williams' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Williams, who reside across the road from their son, he was engaged to marry Mrs. Mary Hartman, a widow, daughter of John Crull, who resides eight miles south of Port Wayne. Mrs. Hartman's husband was killed four years ago when he was struck by lightning while plowing corn.

The girl, according to Williams' parents and other neighbors, drove up near the victim's home about 20 minutes before he arrived from Port Wayne, where he is employed in the General Electric plant. She is said to have driven about 400 yards down the road from Williams' home and then returned, parking near the lane that leads to the house. When Williams approached the car, the parents said, the woman got out of her machine and walked toward the spot where Williams usually parked his car. As he left his machine, the girl is said to have whipped a gun from her coat pocket and fired. According to witnesses, she was only about 10 feet from her victim when she fired.

As Williams fell, probably mortally wounded, she fled to her car and sped away, going toward Zanesville. Williams' father, who said he saw the shooting, declared that the woman was dressed in men's clothes, and wore a long overcoat. She also wore an aviator's helmet. Miss Francis' father, however, denied that she wore men's clothing.

The woman, according to Mr. and Mrs. Gus Williams, worked as a housekeeper for their son since the death of his wife, which occurred last April. They said she often made amorous advances to her employer and sought to marry him.

FRIENDS ASK PRESIDENT TO COMMUTE TERM

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out it was understood that both frowned on the plea.

Subsequently the petition reached the President but he made no move to release McCray who has been ill at Atlanta prison for some time.

Atlanta, Ga., Mar. 27.—(United Press).—Former Governor Warren T. McCray of Indiana, serving a prison sentence at the federal prison here, is still confined to the hospital but his condition is not serious, Warden Snook, said today.

McCray is responding gradually to treatment and is in no danger, the warden said.

The former chief executive of Indiana is suffering from nervous exhaustion and a complication of internal ills.

Methodists To Hold Every Member Canvass

The annual every member canvass for the budget of the First Methodist church, of this city, will be made Sunday afternoon. The canvassers will meet at the church at 1:30 p. m. Persons who are willing to aid in the canvass and who have not been asked to do so, are welcome to meet at the church with the rest of the canvassers. Those in charge of the canvass are anxious that the work be completed tomorrow and members of the church are urged to remain at home until a canvasser has called. The canvassers will meet at the church again at 4:30 o'clock or as soon thereafter as possible to make their reports. Supper will be served free to the workers in the church dining room.

Candidate For Assessor

Charles W. Henschen has announced that he will be a candidate for the democratic nomination for assessor of Kirkland township, in the primary election to be held May 4.

Wabash.—Mrs. Mary Arnett, 62, seamstress, has sewed by lamplight here for forty-two years. Most of her work is done in the evening.

## ADULT EDUCATION TO BE FOSTERED

### Committee To Be Organized To Promote Reading And Study In Home

Bloomington, Ind., Mar. 27.—(United Press).—Plans are being made here today for the organization in Indiana of a body to be known as the Indiana Committee on Home Education.

It will be the purpose of this organization to promote adult education and to foster home reading and study by persons of all ages.

The Indiana organization, it was said, will be affiliated with the National committee on Home Education, appointed by Dr. John Tigert, United States Commissioner of Education.

The Indiana organization will be composed of C. E. Rush, librarian at the Indianapolis public library; R. F. Cavanaugh, director of the Indiana University Extension division; Mrs. Frank J. Sheehan, president of the Indiana Federation of Clubs and a member of the state library and historical department; H. N. Sherwood, state superintendent of public schools; Mrs. G. G. Darbyshire, president of the Indiana Parent-Teacher Association; Ellis Searles, editor of the United Mine Workers of America and Prof. W. S. Bittner, associate director of the Indiana University Extension division, chairman of the department on Home Education of the parent-teacher association, and special collaborator of the United States Bureau of Standards.

Pioneer Builder Of Railroads Is Dead

St. Louis, Mo., Mar. 27.—(United Press).—A pioneer railroad builder with Jay Gould and other makers of the west, William Bagnell, 85, died here late yesterday.

Coming here from Montreal, Canada, at an early age, Bagnell played a part in much of the development of the west and southwest. With Jay Gould, he was associated in the construction of the Missouri Pacific and Missouri, Kansas and Texas system.

At Gould's death, he gave up the railroad interests and formed the Bagnell Timber Company, which during his lifetime was known through the southwest. He was married in 1889 to Miss Sallie Adams, daughter of an old and distinguished family who survives him, as do a son, Robert Adams Bagnell and a daughter, Mrs. J. Huey Hughes of Dallas, Texas.

Clever Swindler Held By Evansville Police

Evansville, Ind., Mar. 27.—(United Press).—Harry C. Ford, alias Harry C. Brand, said to be one of the cleverest swindlers in the nation today was to face a hearing before the United States commissioner here.

Ford was arrested by J. J. Maroney, of the department of justice, who is seeking to have the man removed to Oregon to face a federal grand jury indictment.

Elwood.—The mother of a prospective bride frantically called the clerk and asked him not to issue a license to the couple. "Why try to stop them?" philosophically asked the clerk.

Tipton.—A shortage of dog license tags was threatened here. Last year only a dozen tags were sold, but this year the supply of 100 was exhausted and an additional fifty was ordered.

Laporte.—Lack of evidence caused dismissal of all charges against Richard Kruse, chief of police of Michigan City, who was accused of accepting a bribe.

Muncie.—An argument over a "social aid" club cost Sheldon Hard a thirty dollar fine in city court here. He was charged with striking Robert Thomas, a fellow workman.

South Whitley.—Ernest Earlywine and his eleven year old son had a narrow escape from death when their auto was knocked from the tracks by a freight train at a crossing here. Both were unhurt.

Evansville.—Mrs. Ella Williams lays new claim to ownership of the championship egg producing hen. One of the eggs was seven and three-quarters inches by six and one quarter inches in circumference.

Milwaukee, Wis.—Deputy Sheriff Paul Littman bet a meal he was faster on foot than Deputy John Voight. He lost the race, the bet and the meal. After the unsuccessful run Littman was so ill he was forced to bed without eating.

Bluffton.—Charles Gentis is exhibiting a two headed pig born on a farm near here. The pig had two perfectly formed heads and three front feet but lived only an hour.

Gary.—William Montgomery climbed the roof of his home to sweep off a heavy covering of snow. He slipped and fell to the ground, suffering painful injuries.

## "CONFESSION" IS DOUBTED

### Authorities At Celina Discredit Alleged Murder Confession In Denver

Celina authorities are inclined to discredit the purported confession of "Thomas Bradwell Douglas," that he mistreated and killed Mary Belle Seacauer, 16, near that place a half century ago and then helped lynch two men for the crime.

The confession was alleged to have been obtained in Denver, last January, a few days before "Douglas" died from tuberculosis. Denver authorities were checking the purported statement today, but up to this time have obtained nothing tangible and were inclined to scoff at the story.

The story, as reported to have