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George Washington made his reputation over the chopping down of a cherry tree, which is much easier to do than by means of a fishing rod.

Read the new traffic ordinance carefully and then help make this a better city in which to live by obeying every section and insisting on others doing the same.

Buy your chateaufanna tickets this week and make it as easy for the committee as you can. It's a big task to carry out a successful week of this kind and your assistance will be appreciated.

The Wichita Land Bank has reduced the interest on federal loans to the farmers of that territory to five per cent, which ought to help some for that section, but we are wondering if the epidemic will travel westward or eastward.

Divorces gained the past year, according to statistics from Washington, and marriages were considerably less this year than last. Sometimes we doubt that the world is growing better day by day, as is claimed by some.

The Northern Indiana fair will open two weeks from today with a program designed by those who are backing this proposition to satisfy every one who attends. There will be features, vaudeville, good races, a big commercial and auto show, plenty to see and much to do. A dozen well known men are devoting their time

We noticed that only a few of the lights along the main street of the town were on last night and the downtown section had a dreary appearance. We like light and lots of it, and the finest improvement in Decatur are the ornamental posts, but unless they are turned on in the evenings they don't give light.

A Dollar Day will attract a lot of buyers from a long distance and many of them will not trade here unless you give special inducements. Why don't we try one or two as a test? We haven't made an effort along this line since the gift days were abandoned and it's time we did, don't you think? It's not a game but it's good business.

The city council has adopted a new city ordinance for the regulation of traffic within the city of Decatur and it will be strictly enforced. The officials should have the fullest support and co-operation by the good citizens, for only by observing certain rules can there be such regulation of traffic as will insure safety for all drivers and pedestrians. The problem is a big and important one not only here but everywhere, and we all want it so arranged here that the greatest good will be derived by everyone.

President Coolidge and his administration are insisting that this nation join the World Court and it is the hope that this may be accomplished during the present era. Just what good we could do now, eight or nine years after the opportunity is past to accomplish anything of good, has never been even guessed at, but we suppose there is some very excel-

lent reason for dragging us into a world controversy. Senators Watson and Robinson will no doubt make it all very clear and plain before the campaign is over.

Under the new traffic rules no "U" turns will be permitted, and that's exactly right. You may think it an inconvenience occasionally, but it is necessary because there are a few foolish drivers who insist on abusing rights. Last evening we noticed one reckless driver who four times came up to the corner of Second and Madison, while the auction was in progress, and turn his car so that it frightened those gathered near the corner. Frequently cars drive up to a corner and swing around in dangerous fashion, and it is miraculous that more accidents have not occurred. Under the new ordinance this will be forbidden.

It is now officially announced that 350,000 men are devoting their lives to crime, are making a profession of lawlessness in one form or another. That's one man out of every 150. Doesn't seem possible, nor is it true of course in communities like this, but in the larger cities the ratio is much larger than in the rural sections. One reason for the increase in crime is the fact that law violators are not punished quickly enough or severely. Only thirty-four out of every 100 murderers are ever brought to trial, and only one per cent of that number pay the final penalty. There should be more effort to capture criminals and to convict them speedily if the world is to improve.

## BIG FEATURES of RADIO

Thursday's Five Best Radio Features  
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Central Standard Time Throughout  
WPG, Atlantic City, 300M, and  
WIP, Philadelphia, 508M, 7 p. m.  
Joint program.  
WOR, Newark, 465M, 8 p. m.—Arthur Pryor's band, concert.  
WEAF, New York, 492M, and Hook-up, 7 p. m.—Program by the "Esquimos."  
WRC, Washington, 469M; WJZ, New York, 454M; WGY, Schenectady, 380M, and WRZ, Springfield, 332M, 6:30 p. m.—United States Marine band.  
KGO, Oakland, 361M, 10 p. m.—Vacation program.

## From the Daily Democrat File Twenty Years Ago This Day.

August 18.—Half the city of Valparaiso, South America, destroyed by earthquake, with great loss of life. Ovando Morgan and Barty Thompson married by Squire Stone.  
King Edward makes profit of \$3,000,000 in a "flier" on Union Pacific stocks.  
C. H. Oetting leaves for two weeks at West Baden.  
Fred Teague and family return from a visit at Niagara Falls.  
France Center goes to Chicago for a visit with Frank Christen family.  
Decatur Horse Sale company sells 25 good ones in today's sale.  
Mrs. Carl Dicer and son Clyde are at Winona Lake to attend the Bible conference.

## REPPERT AUCTION SCHOOL NOTES

The sale last night was well attended. Guy Johnson was the manager last night, assisted by Pres. Rolfe. Bidding was lively.  
E. B. Williamson, secretary of the Northern Indiana Fair, presented a family ticket to the fair to the class. The ticket was auctioned off and sold for \$1.50.

The grand prize given away at the close of the sale, was won by a local lady.

There will be another sale on the court house square tonight. Don't forget the big lot sale at Belmont Park next Saturday afternoon.

Clinton—Lincoln Wright suffered a broken toe when he let a 200 pound cake of ice slip from his grasp and strike his foot here.

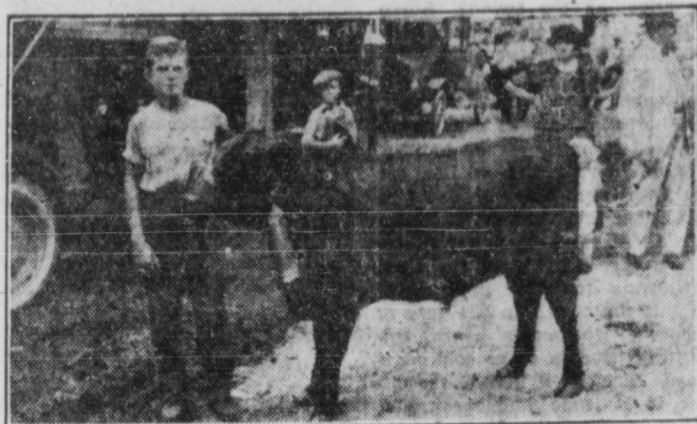
New Harmony—It was the Posey county "fair" but the weather man didn't know it so 5,000 pleasure seekers shivered under available shelter while the rain poured for three hours.

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# STUMP RAPS U. S. CONGRESS

## Democratic Senatorial Candidate Speaks At Ninth District Meeting

Frankfort, Ind., August 18.—(U.P.)—Congress was sharply criticized for adjourning without putting into effect adequate measures for relief of the farmer by Albert Stump, Democratic senatorial candidate, in an address before Ninth district democrats here Monday.

Stump cited the slump in farm values of the past five years as indicative of the pressing need for effective legislation.

"The department of agriculture," Stump said, "has estimated that the farms of America were worth \$75,000,000,000 in 1920. The estimate for 1925 is \$55,000,000,000."

"The business of agriculture has been so hard pressed by the continual disadvantages under which it has been placed that it has suffered a loss of \$20,000,000,000. A loss of \$20,000,000,000 in five years!"

He cited the relative values of farm and agricultural business and that of all other commercial enterprises, showing that the 1920 values of agriculture was nearly twice that of all the manufacturing business of the nation.

"In 1920," he said, "all the machinery could have been purchased for \$40,000,000,000, according to official estimates. Suppose manufacturing had been suffering as agriculture has. Would congressmen and senators now be resting in their comfortable summer homes?"

## Chicago Beer Baron Faces Murder Charge

Crown Point, Ind., Aug. 18.—(United Press)—Frank McErlane, notorious Chicago beer baron, today is in the Lake county jail facing charges of murdering Thaddeus Fancher, former Lake county attorney, at a road house near here two years ago.

The notorious bandit was brought here last night from the Cook county jail, Chicago under a heavily armed guard of 15 officers and placed in cell 10 in "murderers' row" in the Lake county prison.

McErlane's removal marks the end of a long battle in which Indiana officials sought extradition for the bandit who was held by Cook county authorities.

Immediate steps will be taken to prove McErlane's alleged guilt and have him sent to the electric chair or sentenced to life in the state prison at Michigan City.

## Camp Meeting to Open At Payne, Ohio, Aug. 20

The annual camp meeting of the Church of God of Northwestern Ohio and Northeastern Indiana, will be held in the beautiful grounds, 2 miles southwest of Payne, Ohio, August 20, to 29. Arrangements have been made to have some of the best speakers in the church, with many pastors and gospel workers present.

The singing at each service will be a special feature of the meeting, with good spiritual singing, under the direction of a song leader with several years experience. Special selections will add to the interest of the meeting.

A special feature this year, on the first Sunday afternoon, Aug. 22, will be the dedication service at 2:30

o'clock of the fine new auditorium just completed.

Meals will be served in the dining hall on the grounds and refreshments at the lunch stand. Tents will be provided for those desiring them.

There will be three preaching services daily.

## Latest Styles in Men's Footwear on Display

All of the men in this community now have an opportunity to see the latest styles in footwear for fall. An entire window at the John T. Myers Co. Clothing store exhibits the new shapes and shades that surpass all previous patterns in comfort and style.

The broad toe is featured in men's oxfords, in both fancy and plain tips, and the lasts are built to fit the shape of the foot. The tan shades are different than the bright colors used for spring. It is predicted that black shoes will be worn this fall and winter more than ever before. The John T. Myers Co. carries a big stock of all of the new patterns and makes a specialty of fitting small narrow feet and short chunky feet in the various widths. The stock of the regular sizes is abundant. Mr. Alva Nichols, with fifteen years experience in the shoe business, is an expert in fitting feet—bring your troubles to him and you will have no fitting shoes.

Adv.

## OBITUARY

Americus Quigley, son of Jacob and Eliza Quigley, was born in Clinton county, Ohio, February 27, 1852. He departed this life August 7, 1926. He was 74 years, 5 months, and 11 days old when he was called to his Heavenly home. On January 14, 1886, he was united in marriage to Mary E. Brown. To this union was born one daughter.

Mr. Quigley worked at saw-milling the early part of his life, but most of his life was spent on the farm. He was converted at the age of 45, at which time he joined the Christian church.

United with the Friends Church at Pleasant Valley a few years ago. Mr. Quigley had given a bright testimony of the sanctifying power of the Holy Ghost.

Surviving are his widow, Mary E. Quigley; one daughter, Mrs. Hubert Sprunger; one granddaughter, Opal, of Fort Wayne, Ind.; one sister, Margaret Stevenson; three brothers, Alphaus, Aaron and Frank, all of Clinton county, Ohio. Two sisters predeceased him in death. He was a good neighbor and very highly esteemed by all who knew him.

## JESUS WEPT.

Jesus wept. As he was drawing nigh He saw each tear. He heard each sigh.

Though hearts are crushed with pain and grief,

Just call for Him. He brings relief.

Jesus wept. Though I know not why, Mr. Quigley was called beyond the sky.

With little pain, or scarce a moan, He said the Lord would take him home.

Jesus wept. But His coming draweth nigh.

Perhaps yet today He'll rend the sky: He'll come with those who went before.

I long to meet, to part no more. Jesus wept. Then weeping will be o'er.

Eternal bliss He has in store For those who have a perfect heart.

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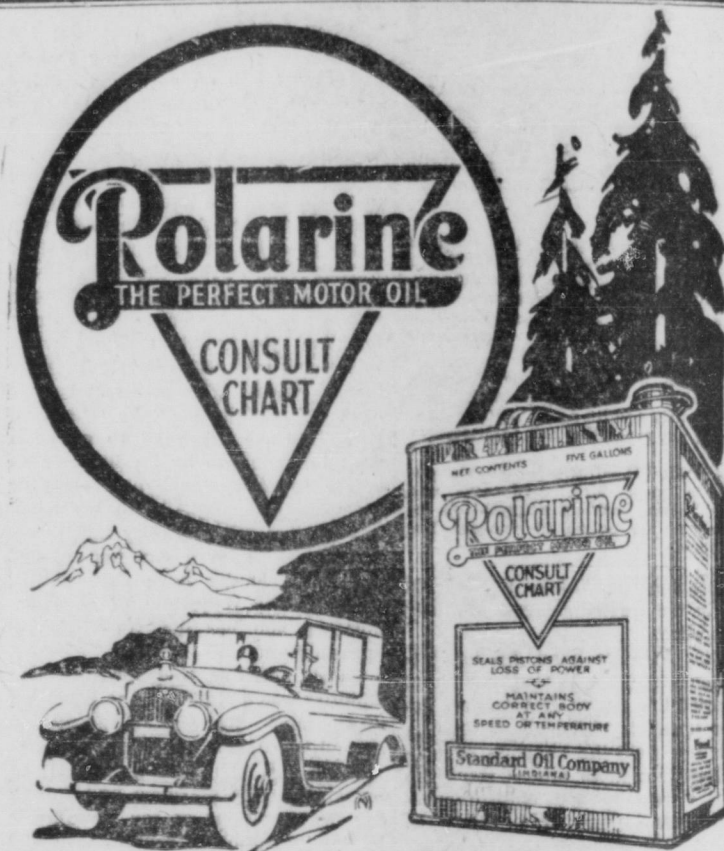
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