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The price of hogs is down to pre-war prices, but the money derived from the sale of your crop or porkers won't go nearly so far. Guess that's what they call normalcy.

Come on in with five dollars for membership in the Old Home Week club. You can't lose. If it goes, it's a good thing for you and every one else. If it doesn't you get your money back in full. What could be fairer?

If Thomas Adams really wants to cause a little election excitement in Indiana he should grab his hat out of the republican ring and hurl it into that of the Independents. That would be sure to muddy the waters for both old parties.

Wish you would pay your subscription this week if you take the Daily Democrat by mail. We are anxious to continue your paper and we must collect in advance, the government holding that newspapers not paid for cannot be counted as circulation.

Girls you must wear your skirts longer, in length we mean, not in years or months. From Paris comes the decree that short skirts are out of style and the statement is backed by the argument that so many ladies can't wear 'em for various reasons.

No, sir, we haven't given up Old Home week or the club, not by a jug-full. In fact, we have hardly started on that drive. When you all show a little more interest, and we are sure you will one of these days, then we will spur up.

D. C. Stephenson, of Michigan City, is enjoying a few days away from Warden Daily, of whom he claims to be afraid. He is a witness in the bank investigation at Kokomo, the bank having been the headquarters for cash of the klan in the palmy days of that organization.

We believe that Decatur can and ought to go out this spring and land an industry or two, thus providing labor for our people and keeping money in circulation. That's the difference between a good and a bum town. One keeps moving when the other goes stale. Lets snap out of it?

Many from here will attend the democratic meeting at Bluffton next Tuesday evening, when Frank Dailey, a former eighth district citizen, now a candidate for governor, will give the principal address. It will be a real event with an abundance of enthusiasm and you will enjoy it if you participate.

The highways of Adams county belong to you. Would you allow some one to ruin your lawn or destroy your house or your garage? You know you would just raise the dickens. Why not give the same attention to the investment we have in roads? This is the season when heavy loads mean ruin to the roads.

Its only about ten days until the first day for filing for county offices. Candidates will be busy from March 9th on it is predicted and the campaign promises to be unusually active in Indiana where there seems to be a determination among voters in gen-

eral to clean up the state house and get rid of the obnoxious odor which has permeated from there for some years now.

After all we have nothing to complain about. Those who heard Miss Ruth Myers lecture Sunday evening will remember what she said about how native Chinese live every few years, after drouth or floods have destroyed the crops, by eating a sub-soil, sometimes mixed with rice or grass and sometimes just baked without any mixture. What if some of us folks had to exist for months on plain dirt? Gosh, after all we are rich and fortunate, aren't we?

Thomas H. Adams, the Vincennes editor who advised a clean-up of the state just before the last election and brought down upon his head the wrath of the republican politicians, has announced his candidacy for the republican nomination for governor. He hasn't much chance to win but his speeches between now and primary day should make good campaign literature for the democrats in the fall battle.

We can't imagine any thing much worse than a dead community, one in which every one hangs back, waiting for some one else to move and complaining about conditions. There is no sense in us doing that. We have a fine city and county, with every one fairly prosperous. If we keep things moving every one will be happy. That's why we are strong for an Old Home Week. It means a general hustling up that is a good tonic. Don't pass it up.

March the 7th is to be a day of prayer in Chicago and if ever a city needed it Chicago is that city. The Union Ministers Association has arranged a big program and every one on that day is asked to pray for a cleaner city, politically, officially and morally. The resolution says:—"Conditions in Chicago have reached a state where the ballot box is watonly violated; where life and property are not safe; where the homes of citizens are menaced by bombs and where crime, graft and corruption are increasing."

BIG FEATURES OF RADIO

WEDNESDAY'S FIVE BEST
RADIO FEATURES
(Copyright 1928 by United Press)
Central Standard Time Throughout.
WEAF, hookup, 9:30 p. m.—Opera
"Cavalleria Rusticana."
WEAF, hookup, 8:30 p. m.—Zippers.
WEAF, hookup, 7 p. m.—Great Moments in History.
WOR, hookup, 8 p. m.—Kolster hoer; Columbia hour.
KOA, Denver, 9:15 p. m.—Leap year party.

THURSDAY'S FIVE BEST
RADIO FEATURES
WJZ—hookup 7:30 pm. Maxwell hour with Joseph MacPherson, Metropolitan opera house.
WJZ—Hookup 8 pm. The Continental WOR—Newark (422) 7:25 pm.—New York philharmonic orchestra.
WEAF—Hookup 9 pm.—Zippers.

TWENTY YEARS AGO

From the Daily Democrat File
Twenty Years Ago Today
Feb. 29—Clarence Biersdorfer, of Berne, will pitch for Minneapolis, this year.

Township assessors meet here for instructions, will receive \$2.50 per day. C. O. France resigns as city editor of the Daily Democrat to accept position with the Conter Ice Cream company.

Butler and Butler given contract to build cement floor in basement at west ward school house at 79c per square foot.

W. O. Bradley defeats Governor Beckham, of Kentucky, for seat in U. S. Senate after a hot scrap between wets and dries.

O. P. Mills, Ferd Litterer, Clayton Carroll, Sam Shamp, J. J. Helm, Miss Ada Murray and Miss Minnie Orvis, star in "Uncle Rube" for Modern Woodmen.

Decatur bowlers defeat Bluffton 2,519 to 2,517.

The Methodist choir will give a sacred concert tomorrow evening.

BABY'S COLDS
are soon "nipped in the bud" without "dosing" by use of—
VICKS
VAPORUB
Over 17 Million Jars Used Yearly

WHERE \$130,000 TRAIN ROBBERY TOOK PLACE



Photo shows scene of the train robbery at Evergreen station just outside Chicago where the robbers made away with \$130,000 payroll. Detectives are here depicted searching for the clues which quickly led to a partial solution of the crime.

(International Illustrated News)

FIRST PHOTO OF YOUNG MUSSOLINI



This exclusive photograph was made on the occasion of chubby little Romano Mussolini's attaining the mature age of four months at his home in Rome. If you'll notice, you'll see that Romano has the eyes of his daddy, the Italian Duce.

(International Newswire)

Tips For Taxpayers

Losses arising from "fires, storms, shipwreck or other casualty or from theft" are deductible and need not be connected with the taxpayer's trade or business. If his home or automobile is destroyed by fire, or his summer bungalow damaged by storm, he may claim a deduction for the loss sustained. The term "other casualty," within the meaning of the statute, is one arising through physical force of nature for example, a flood or frost.

Loss of property by theft or burglary is an allowable deduction, and need not be incurred in trade or business. Hence the loss occasioned by the theft of jewelry or an automobile used for pleasure or convenience is deductible. Should circumstances attending a loss of jewelry leave the owner in doubt as to whether it was stolen, misplaced, or lost from his person, a claim for loss would not be allowed. It must be established that the jewelry was stolen.

A loss for embezzlement is deductible for the year in which sustained.

PETERSON NEWS By Miss Jeanette Spade

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Annen, of Decatur were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ernst Sunday.

Mrs. Wm Johnson and sons Wayne and Doris, and Velma Spade spent Saturday evening in Decatur.

Avon Burk, of Decatur, was a business caller at H. A. Breiner's store Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Straub and family of Decatur, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Straub Sunday.

Joe Beery, of east of here, was a caller here Monday.

Miss Marguerite Zimmerman, of Fort Wayne, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Zimmerman.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Diehl and sons Bob and Max, of Craigville, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Spade Sunday.

Simon Bowers, of west of Peterson, was a business caller here Monday.

George Keever, formerly of Lynn, is paying his friends a visit and also looking after business interest there.

Mrs. Sam Howard visited Mr. James Ernst Saturday evening.

Ed. Leimengstall, of Magley, visited Dale Johnson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Straub and fa-

School Building In Johnson County Burns

Franklin, Ind., Feb. 29—(INS)—The Union township high school building six miles west of Franklin was destroyed by fire with a loss of about \$40,000. This was the third Indiana high school building destroyed within a month. On January 30th the Sherman high school burned with a loss of \$100,000. The Tipton high school was destroyed by a \$75,000 blaze on February 4th.

More than 200 pupils who were in the Union township high school building when the fire started got out of the building without injury although some of them lost their school books. The basketball team was practicing in the basement of the school building but all its members escaped.

The fire was believed to have started when a gasoline tank exploded from the backfire of an engine in the basement of the building.

Get the Habit—Trade at Home, it Pays

Constipated?

Take **NR**—NATURE'S REMEDY—tonight. Your eliminative organs will be functioning properly by morning and your constipation will end with a bowel action as free and easy as nature at her best—no pain, no griping. Try it.

Mild, safe, purely vegetable—

NR TO-NIGHT
TOMORROW, ALRIGHT
At Druggists—only 25c

mily of Decatur were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Straub Sunday.
The Kirkland orchestra and jazz band will give a musicale on March 8 at the Kirkland gym. Everybody is invited to come to hear the program.
Miss Lela Schlickman, and Jeanette Spade were guests of Miss Marguerite Zimmerman Sunday.
Revival meeting at Antioch are still in progress. Everyone is cordially invited to attend these services each evening this week.
Mrs. H. A. Breiner visited her mother Mrs. Fruchte who is sick, at Magley.
Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Shiles and family of Decatur, has moved to a farm near here.
Mrs. Vernon Arnold and son, William Weldon, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Bright.

Notice—Before ordering your trees and shrubs for Spring planting, be sure and get our prices. We can furnish anything you may want. Mastodon Everbearing Strawberries, a specialty. The Hilly Nurseries, two miles north of Berne. 8-15-22-29-7-14-21 Tix

Couldn't Sleep, Stomach Hurt So

Suffered for Years. Finally Found Relief. Perfectly Well Now.

Readers who can't eat without gas or pain, will be interested in reading how Mrs. Ada A. Shoemaker, 449 Lindly Street, Huntington, Ind., recovered her health. She writes:

"I had stomach trouble for 3 years. After meals, gas formed in distressing quantities, and I would turn weak and dizzy and had a choking sensation in my throat so bad I thought I had goitre. Food felt like a rock in my stomach and caused such heartburn and shortness of breath that I couldn't walk far or do anything else without stopping and sitting down to rest. Often, at night, I've had to get out of bed and sit in a chair, because my stomach felt so wretched. Four doses of Viuna brought me wonderful relief, and now my troubles have vanished. I am eating anything, without a sign of gas or pain or dizziness, and the choking sensation in my throat is all gone. I am sleeping soundly all night long and feeling better every day. It seems wonderful that any medicine could give such quick and lasting relief as Viuna has given me."

Viuna acts promptly on sluggish bowels, lazy liver and weak kidneys. It purifies the blood, clears the skin, restores appetite and digestion, and brings new strength and energy to the whole body. Take a bottle on trial. Then if you're not glad you tried Viuna, your money will be refunded. \$1 at druggists or mailed postpaid by Iceland Medicine Co., Indianapolis, Ind.

VIUNA
The Wonder Medicine
Sold By
CALLOW & KOHNE

"Papa" and "Gimme"
A doll is now made that says "Papa." The companion word, "gimme," should have been added, to make it sound natural.—Toledo Blade.

Mrs. George Patterson is spending several days as the guest of friends and relatives in this city. Mrs. Patterson spent the winter with her daughter Mrs. Joe Rapp and family in Syracuse, Indiana.

"Always Tired at Night"—Try This
A healthy person never feels constantly tired. Being "too tired" continually tells of something wrong. When John R. Gordon, Danville, Ill., found himself "always tired at night and burdened with backache," he took Foley's, a diuretic stimulant for the kidneys, and writes: "After a few doses I felt better, could work easier, became stronger, and slept soundly." Men and women everywhere use and recommend them. Satisfaction guaranteed. Ask for Foley's Pills diuretic. Sold by everywhere.

USE Lamberlost Washing Powder

GLORIOUS RELIEF FROM RHEUMATIC ACHES AND PAINS

Smith, Yager & Falk Invite Every Sufferer in Decatur To Try Remarkable Remedy On Money Back Plan

Think of possessing a body that knows no ache or pain—a body whose usefulness has been restored—a body strong, active and vigorous! Seems too good to be true, doesn't it?—Yet

If Allenhu that wonder working formula that has freed thousands of others (some in far worse shape than you) from the terrible agony of rheumatism does not make every twinge leave you in 10 days Smith, Yager & Falk want you to come back and get your money.

All good druggists everywhere highly recommend Allenhu because no matter how long standing or how stubborn your case may be, it starts to help you almost at once. Usually the pain itself begins to disappear within 24 to 36 hours and at the end of five days, you'll have forgotten you ever were a victim of this awful ailment. Why continue to be in misery—why lose your youth and usefulness under the torture of rheumatism? Start right in today to take Allenhu. Take it as directed until the agony is gone and it must go in five days or money back.

Budweiser Real Quality Malt Syrup



The Best Seller

From coast to coast because of what goes into it and the care with which it is made. Plain and hop flavored. Strictly union made. Increase food value with malt syrup.

ANHEUSER-BUSCH, St. Louis
S. BAUM & COMPANY
Distributors Fort Wayne, Ind.

The March of Progress

STEADILY...steadily...the March of Progress is evident in this community. Spring has brought re-newed building activity...business is getting more active... everywhere are signs that our citizens are faring well and forging ahead to greater Prosperity. How encouraging!

This Bank, too, is right up in the "parade." Our friendly, square-dealing policy in aiding all who come to us with their financial problems is winning us more friends every day... building a record of Progress of which we are justly proud!

OUR SERVICES ARE YOURS FOR THE ASKING!

Old Adams County Bank