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Instead of the "back to the farm movement," the policy of a lot of republican farmers, running on this "prosperity" program seems to be "I'll give my farm and all its income for a county office."

"Decatur offers more—because Decatur has more to offer," is the slogan of the local merchants who invite you to trade here, visit their stores and be their guests on Gift day, Tuesday, December 4th.

Candidate Hoover would lead you to believe that it is a crime and very much "socialistic" to help the American farmer. Still he wants the farmer to help elect him to office. This cooperation can work both ways and the farmer knows it.

As Earl Crawford said in a speech a few days ago, "farmers go down in your pockets and if they are filled with cash you are entitled to vote the republican ticket." On the other hand if you are not enjoying this platform of prosperity, vote for your own interests.

Just when newspapers were beginning to prove to the sales manager that advertising helped to sell radios, automobiles, soap and even crackers, Candidate Hoover comes along and spoils the whole argument, by saying that "republican prosperity" is responsible for all this business. Well, what about this installment buying?

The next big political event in Adams county will be the address by the Hon. Albert Stump at Berne, Friday evening. Hon. Don C. Ward of Union City, democratic candidate for congress, will also speak and the program should attract a large crowd. Both men are splendid speakers and will discuss the issues with you in a fair manner. Be sure to attend.

Don C. Ward will give three addresses in this county tonight, speaking at the Kinsey school in Blue Creek township at seven o'clock, at the Jefferson high school at 7:45 and at the Linn Grove school at 8:30. Others on the programs will include Dan N. Erwin, John T. Kelley, Nathan Nelson and Senator George Saunders of Bluffton. You are invited.

Then in the heat of the campaign don't forget that Monday, November 5th, the day before the election, is the last day to pay your fall installment of taxes, without the ten per cent. penalty being added. Better look after this important duty and if it's hard to scrape up the money, (that's a mistake), just remember that the big issue is "prosperity," meaning that your pockets should be full of money.

Two of the principle political meetings to be held in Adams county during the campaign will be the one at Berne Friday night when Albert Stump, democratic candidate for United States senator and Don C. Ward, democratic candidate for Congress from the Eighth district will deliver addresses and the next meeting will be at Geneva, Wednesday, when Curtis Shake, of Vincennes, democratic candidate for Attorney General, will deliver an address. The public is invited to these meetings and the ability of the speakers on the program

TODAY'S CHUCKLE

Beloit, Wis. Oct. 24—(U.P.)—Two apple trees on the farm of William Miller were struck by lightning and soon after, for the first time, bore fruit.

assure those who will attend an able discussion of the issues.

Young Mr. Cleveland is one of the best public speakers ever heard here, not an orator who tears all the feathers out of the eagle's tail but a speaker who argues fairly and honestly what he believes. He impressed the large audience which heard him and will be a welcome visitor to Decatur any time he can come. His talk to the members of the Lion's club was also well received and he made numerous friends during his short stay here.

"It's too late for promises now," is the title of a cartoon appearing in The Hoosier Farmer magazine, showing Candidate Hoover, holding the banner of Coolidge policies, significant of what the farmer will receive in the way of relief should Mr. Hoover be elected president. For eight years the republicans have promised to do something for the farmer and the admission that something should be done is shown in the planks adopted by their party in 1924 and again in 1928. Mr. Hoover still promises, but the question before the American farmer should be "does making another promise fulfill a broken promise?"

So it's these pink tea ladies who sit around the table and puff a cigarette, who find fault with the charming graces of Mrs. Alfred E. Smith, noble mother and devote wife, who through her married life has helped in the home and found thrill and excitement enough in watching the wonderful career of her distinguished husband. And it's these kind of women who try to make you believe that Mrs. Smith would be out of place in the White House. America is out of place if we let such snobbish argument influence the casting of a vote against a candidate for president, because his wife loves her family and joys in his success.

The greatest crowd which ever packed the court room in this city listened an hour and a half to the able address given by Richard Folsom Cleveland last evening. This young man, a graduate of Princeton and Harvard universities, recognized as one of the great lawyers of Baltimore, a student of economics and history, expressed his earnest belief in the ability of Governor Alfred E. Smith and discussed in plain language the important issues of this campaign. It was an outstanding political event and aroused the interest of every thinking person. Representatives from every township in the county and from a number of surrounding cities attended the meeting and Mr. Cleveland was congratulated by hundreds of people.

"They talk about the increased vote which will be registered next month and of the interest shown by the voters in the present campaign, but how are you going to account for the fact that of the 19,000,000 post card ballots sent out by the Literary Digest, less than 3,000,000 have been returned and voted. The voter this year may be keeping to himself how he or she is going to vote and these republican newspaper claims that Hoover is assured of victory is bunk. No real expression from the voters has yet been obtained and from the crowds and enthusiasm shown Governor Smith, many writers agree that the swing is towards the New York governor. Many are waiting to make up their minds and through the able, fearless and courageous statements made by Governor Smith, thousands will decide in his favor.

Mymouth—(U.P.)—The Northern Indiana Public School Superintendent Club will meet here Thursday and Friday November 8 and 9. The largest crowd ever to assemble for a meeting of this kind is anticipated.

BIG FEATURES OF RADIO

WEDNESDAY'S FIVE BEST RADIO FEATURES

WEAF—Network 7 pm. Home Companion hour.
WEAF—Network 8:30 pm. Palmolive Hour.
WJZ—Network 8:30 pm.—Dinner to Pioneers of American Industry.
Speakers: Lord Melchitt, Nicholas Murray Butler and Charles. M. Schawb.
WOR—Network 7:30 pm. Republican National committee.
Weaf—Network 9:30 pm. Democratic National Committee.

Thursday's Five Best Radio Features
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WJZ, network, 7 est.—Address, John J. Raskob.
WJZ, network, 8:30 est.—Maxwell Hour.
WABO, network, 8 est.—The Music Room.
WJZ, network, 8 est.—Milady's Musicians.
WABO, network, 8:30 est.—United Salon Orchestra.

DEMOCRATIC RADIO BROADCAST SCHEDULE

Wednesday October 24
WEAF—NBC to Omaha 11:30 to 12 Speaker—Democratic Hour.
WEAF—NBC to Schenectady and Buffalo 6 to 6:30 P. M. Speaker OPEN NBC—Southeastern network from Louisville, 8 to 9 P. M.
WJZ—NBC Coast to Coast 9 to 10 P. M. Speaker Governor Smith from Boston Arena Boston.
WEAF—NBC—Coast to Coast 10:30 to 11 P. M. Speaker Senator T. H. Caraway from Washington—WRC

Thursday October 25
WSGH—Brooklyn 10 to 10:30 P. M. Speaker Miss Anne Boyland.
WJZ—NBC coast to coast 8 to 9 P. M. Speaker John J. Raskob, chairman Democratic National Committee.

***** TWENTY YEARS AGO *****

From the Daily Democrat File
Twenty Years Ago Today

October 24—William Howard Taft makes a short speech from special train here.

Barney Wertzberger has eye injured by powder from his short gun while out hunting.

Mrs. Frank Capp, of Preble, accidentally shoots self through the hand with a revolver.

George Burket, 14, has leg broken in fall from a tree.

Harry W. Daniel and Miss Myrtle France married at Pleasant Mills.

C. A. Dugan, W. A. Lower, R. S. Peterson J. M. Frisinger met the Taft train at Portland and accompanied them here.

Mr. Justus Holle and Miss Lola Reinking leave for California.

Eggs 22c butter 16c.

President Roosevelt sends his entire cabinet to Ohio to save Mr. Taft's home state if possible.

Mr. and Mrs. William Beachler are visiting at Dayton, Ohio.

Noble county, Indiana, is banner onion producing county in the United States.

***** THE GREAT WAR 10 YEARS AGO *****

Wilson tells Germany that she must accept peace terms drawn up by Allied Generals.

American troops take Bantheville, Bueulles and Hills 297, 299 and 281.

British troops enter Bruay and reach the west bank of the Scheldt at Bieharles and Espain.

East of Nivelles, the British have crossed the Scarpe Canal.

Jago-Slavs in Southern Austria, have rebelled and declared their independence.

Card of Thanks

We wish in this manner to thank the neighbors and friends for their kindness during the sickness and death of our beloved son and brother, Harold Also the donors of the beautiful flowers, and for the services of the minister and singers.

Mr. and Mrs. Nade Haley and Children

Marion—(U.P.)—The Rev. P. E. Greenwalt, a member of the North Indiana Conference of the Methodist Episcopal church for twenty-eight years has been appointed chaplain of the soldier home here. He is a veteran of the world war.

No More Gas In Stomach and Bowels

If you wish to be permanently relieved of gas in stomach and bowels, take Basalman's Gas Tablets, which are prepared especially for stomach gas and all the bad effects resulting from gas pressure.
That empty, gnawing feeling at the pit of the stomach will disappear; that anxious, nervous feeling with heart palpitation will vanish, and you will again be able to take a deep breath without discomfort.
That drowsy, sleepy feeling after dinner will be replaced by a desire for entertainment. A bloating will cease. Your limbs, arms and fingers will no longer feel cold and "go to sleep" because Basalman's Gas Tablets prevent gas from interfering with the circulation. Get the genuine, in the yellow package, at any good drug store. Price \$1.

Always on hand at Hothouse Drug Co.

POLITICAL CALENDAR

DEMOCRATIC MEETINGS

Wednesday, October 24.
Kinsey school, Blue Creek, Hon. Don C. Ward and Hon. D. N. Erwin; high school, Jefferson township; Hon. John T. Kelly and Hon. Don C. Ward; Linn Grove: Senator George L. Saunders, Bluffton, and Hon. Don C. Ward.
Friday October 26.
Berne: Hon. Albert Stump, candidate for United States senator, and Hon. Don C. Ward, candidate for congress.
Wednesday, October 31
Geneva—Hon. Curtis Shake democratic candidate for State Attorney General.

POLITICS ON THE AIR

New York, Oct. 24—(U.P.)—Gov. Alfred E. Smith's campaign address in Boston will be broadcast from the Boston Arena tonight from 9 to 10 pm. E. S. T. by the National Broadcasting company.

The Smith Network—East: WJZ; WBZ; WBA; WRC; WABL; WHAM; KDKA; Midwest and south: WEBC; WFAA; WOAI; WMC; KWK; GPRO; WSB; WJR; WREN; WSM; WBT; WLW; GYW; Far west: KOA; KSL; KPO; KGO; KOMO; KFI; KIIG; and KGW.

Middlewestern stations will broadcast a Republican address by Charles Evans Hughes from Chicago at 3 pm. CST. Hughes will speak for an hour over WBBM Chicago WCCO, Minneapolis-St. Paul, WDAY Fargo, N. D. and KFYR, Bismarck, N. D.



Troop 63 will meet hereafter in the American Legion Hall every Wednesday night at 7 o'clock.



Junior Dale is the name which has been given to the baby born Thursday October 11, 1928, to Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Haakey, of Decatur.

Free Hot Dog Dance Tonight at SunSet. Also 10 piece Color-band Sunday night — park plan.

DR. ROBINSON BROADCASTS, BUT MARS REMAINS SILENT

(CONTINUED FROM PAGE ONE)

Mars affair," she told newspapermen. "I have refused to have the experiments conducted in this house while I remain in it. I don't know whether anyone encouraged my husband, but there will be no more of that foolishness in this house."

Conaruru, the "girl with the big ears and the sweet face" who according to Robinson, guided his ethereal body on its last trip to Mars, sent him the following telephatic messages, he said: "Mars received neither message. Do not attempt to use the Rugby station again, but make the next attempt in America. Now go home to bed, but do not be downhearted. You have done enough for today."

Eight minutes after Robinson's two messages—"Love to Mars from Earth" and "God is Love"—went crackling across the ether, Prof. A. M. Low, well known scientist, received an undecipherable message in telegraphic code over his radio.

Low had invited a United Press correspondent and several friends to wait at his home in an attempt to pick up an answer to Robinson's messages.

"It was a very mysterious," Low said. "It is hardly likely that it could have been from Mars, however, I must confess I do not know who sent it."

The small staff that was at the Central telegraph paid little attention to Robinson as his first message started on its 35,000,000 mile journey to Mars.

STOP BAD BREATH

People afflicted with bad breath find quick relief through Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets. The pleasant, sugar-coated tablets are taken for bad breath by all who know them.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets act gently but firmly on the bowels and liver, stimulating them to natural action, clearing the blood and gently purifying the entire system. They do that which dangerous calomel does without any of the bad after effects.

Olive Tablets bring no griping, pain or any disagreeable effects.

Dr. F. M. Edwards discovered the formula after 20 years of practice among patients afflicted with bowel and liver complaint, with attendant bad breath.

Olive Tablets are purely a vegetable compound mixed with olive oil; you will know them by their olive color. Take nightly for a week and note the effect. 15c, 30c, 60c. All Druggists.

at 2:19 A. M.

Post office officials said it was merely a routine message, from which they were collecting 26 cents a word. The belief or disbelief of the post office in the feasibility of communicating with Mars was not involved, they said.

Robinson's first message "Love to Mars from Earth" was punched on tape and handed to Hfaiacy who inserted it in the automatic transmitter which operates by relay with the Rugby loud speaker.

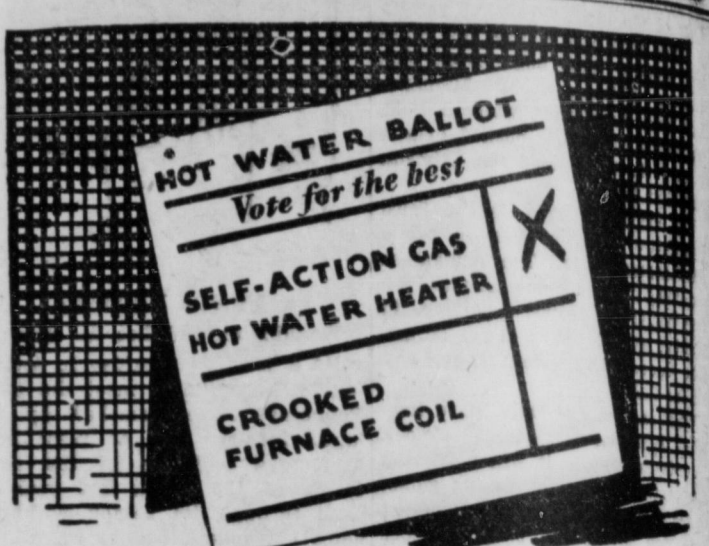
At a nearby table sat an operator whose radio was linked up with the St. Albans receiving station. He was prepared to record everything that came in over the specified wave length but nothing came.

Get the Habit—Trade at Home, it Pays

Bullet Wound Proves Fatal After Six Months

Evansville, Ind., Oct. 24—(U.P.)—Mrs. Thornton Latham, Manning, Ky., a dead of a bullet wound received last April.

Her husband accused John Watts, dry sleuth, of firing the fatal shot during a fight between Watts and Latham. Mrs. Latham never was able to make a statement.



VOTE OUT your crooked FURNACE COIL!

ELECT now to install self-action gas hot water service—the most economical and satisfactory way to have hot water whenever you want it! We'll give you \$5.00 for your old worthless furnace coil; remarkable 30-day free trial offer. Come in today!

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(The following article was written by F. G. Snow, prominent farmer and banker, of Kankakee, Ill., and published in the Kankakee Daily News. Mr. Snow is well known in White county, where he owns a large tract of land. Mr. Snow is a Republican, but this year he's going to vote his interests instead of his partisanship.)

Mr. Farmer, in pre-war days every acre of good land in this vicinity was worth from 25 to 75 dollars per acre more than it is worth today, and for what reason? The farmer is now paying a tariff-protected price for nearly everything he buys and, because of a small surplus, is compelled to sell what he produces at prices unprotected by tariff, for the tariff on farm products is absolutely ineffective because of the surplus.

Nearly four years ago Mr. Coolidge was elected president by the Republican party upon a platform containing a strong farm aid plank:—Since his election he has done nothing to relieve the depressed agricultural conditions, but has twice vetoed the farm-aid McNary-Haugen bill which was backed by a united agriculture and twice approved by a congress composed of both Democrats and Republicans.

Farmers then took their troubles to the Republican national convention at Kansas City which was composed of delegates selected by the Republican party under the direction of Andrew Mellon, millionaire head of the aluminum trust and driver of the Republican steam roller and with plenty of good jobs to offer, where the farmers who in the main have for forty years willingly paid a protective tariff, were given to understand that an effective tariff was not meant for them. They were literally kicked out of the party and trampled into the very dirt that grows their food. Then their arch enemy, Sir Herbert Hoover, the very man who was responsible for the maintenance of fixed prices on wheat and hogs, so that they could not exceed a certain price during the war (but who did not maintain a fixed price on coal) was selected to lead the party ticket to be voted on November next. It would appear that Sir Herbert Hoover may be depended on

by Boss Mellon to veto any farm aid bills that might bob up. I have always been a Republican, but it looks to me that if the farmers support Hoover at the November election that they will leave hope behind, for if the Republican party can, in the face of their shameful treatment of agriculture, get away with it this time, they always can.

I do not care whether you are a Catholic or a Protestant, wet or dry, the fact still remains that the steady confiscation of farm lands is still going on and to an alarming extent; and because the conditions which are causing it are absolutely political and no fault of the farmers as a whole, excepting their votes, I claim that a vote against Hoover is a vote for a \$50.00 average increase in the price of their land, and a chance for a return of a fair measure of prosperity for tenant farmers as well.

Mr. Merchant, in the small cities and villages, you are as much a farmer as the man who works the land, your prosperity depends wholly upon the farmer. If you read the Democratic platform adopted at the Houston convention, you will see that the Democrats no longer desire a tariff for revenue only, but favor the continuation of a protective tariff with adjustments where they are needed and they also adopted a farm plank so favorable to agriculture that if we get one half of it we ought to be greatly benefitted.

I am a farmer, and an officer in a country bank and I feel that I realize fairly well the average financial position of the farmer and it is because of this that I urge everyone to think twice before he or she decides what is the proper way to vote at the November election.

F. G. Snow,
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