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So far the farm relief law enacted with much publicity has so far as we have heard, brought no relief excepting to those who were lucky enough to land a job on the commission.

The Cubs came to just in time to save themselves and the National league from everlasting disgrace. Sport writers over the country had them relegated to the bush leagues with a wide margin.

We haven't heard much response to the suggestion for a Halloween celebration but we insist its a mighty good thing to do. It draws a crowd and entertains them and it keeps a lot of youngsters out of mischief.

Lower power rates, lower light rates, lower insurance rates, lower taxes. That ought to be enough issue for any campaign when most of those who performed this are candidates for re-election.

With about all the officials in the Calumet district of Indiana under arrest we wonder how they are going to control law violators out that way, but they seem to be getting along as well or better than before. Perhaps they really have the worst law breakers in this drive.

This is another football day and everybody and his brother and most of his sisters are pulling for their favorite team in high school or college. It's a great sport to watch and those who play it say they likewise enjoy it so everybody is happy, except the losers.

It has taken several months for the farm board to organize but now since their appointments have been approved by the senate we presume they will get down to business in time to recommend that garden seeds be sent out again next spring. Relief in a decade won't benefit many of those struggling now.

A campaign is on in Indiana to do away with the unsightly bill boards and advertising signs along the highways. We never could understand why any one preferred a fence post to a newspaper but if they do we doubt if the legislature has any right to stop them. Signs are not permitted now on the state roads and if the farm owner and the merchant can agree, how will they prevent the spattering up of a field?

"Inklings," number one of volume one, to be published monthly by the students of the Decatur Catholic high school has reached our desk. It is one of the brightest and snappiest looking sheets of its kind we have seen and if the editor, B. J. Wemhoff and business manager, George W. Harris and their assistants keep up the pep, we predict it will be a popular paper. It contains interesting news and sport items, editorials of merit and is in every way a credit to those in charge.

The next three weeks will no doubt produce a lot of interest in the city election. The campaign just starting will warm up as the eventful day for casting votes comes nearer. The present administration is asking your approval of their record and we feel deserve your support. You are not

TODAY'S CHUCKLE

Pittsburgh, —(UP)—Lady Nicotine has won a victory at the Margaret Morrison School of Carnegie Tech. A student vote resulted in setting aside a smoking roof for the young women.

guessing on them. You know what they have done and you know that it has been always for those they represent. We have a splendid city in every way and we hope you will make the majority for George Krick and the others on the democratic ticket, decisive.

No one will argue we are sure that the sugar factory is not a good thing for the community. It employs labor, it provides an additional crop for the farmers here and over this entire section, it pays large sums to the farmers, the tax on it as a going concern is considerable, it is helpful in every way. Then we ought to support it, sincerely, intelligently and constantly and we say that solely because we believe it and not because we have been asked or urged to do so by any one connected with the business. Encourage a larger acreage of beets for next year. Its a very wise thing for all of us to do we feel absolutely certain.

Decatur is the best lighted city in Indiana. That didn't just happen. It came about because the men at the head of the city have worked for it the past number of years. We produce light and power from our own plant, which by the way is one of the best equipped to be found anywhere. Those in charge now believe in maintaining a first class city plant, operating it ourselves and at profit but always giving the lowest rates possible to light and power and water consumers. We maintain that is important and because we wish this city to go ahead always and to continue be the best city of its size in the country, we urge that you support those who thus believe and have proven their loyalty.

Household Scrapbook

By
ROBERTA LEE

Colic

To overcome baby's colic give water as hot as can be taken and use the hot water bottle. If this does not give relief, dissolve a soda mint tablet in half a cup of hot water and give a few teaspoonfuls.

Burnt Spots On Granite

If burnt spots are on granite cover the spot with a teaspoonful of soda and a little water and heat it. Never scrape with a knife.

The Coffee Pot

Try Keeping a cork in the spout of the coffee pot and see how much better the aroma is retained.

MODERN ETIQUETTE

By
ROBERTA LEE

Q. When are silver platters of fruit appropriate center pieces for a dinner table?

A. On festive occasions such as Thanksgiving and Christmas.

Q. If a man calls at one's box at the opera what should the man nearest the door do?

A. He should relinquish his seat, and may stand or stroll about.

Q. Is it proper to use sealing wax on the envelope of a social letter?

A. Yes, it adds distinction.

TWENTY YEARS AGO

Twenty Years Ago Today
From the Daily Democrat File

Oct. 12—Tigers take fourth game in world series against Pittsburgh.

Republicans name J. W. Teeple for mayor; T. C. Corbett for clerk; E. B. Adams for treasurer and for councilmen—S. B. Fordyce, Jacob Atz, S. W. Peterson, James Bain and E. Fritzing.

William Mersman asks customers to return empty beer bottles and cases as he needs them.

Knights of Columbus observe Columbus day. Father Eichinger of Fort Wayne gives the address.

Willard Steele is building a handsome new residence on first street.

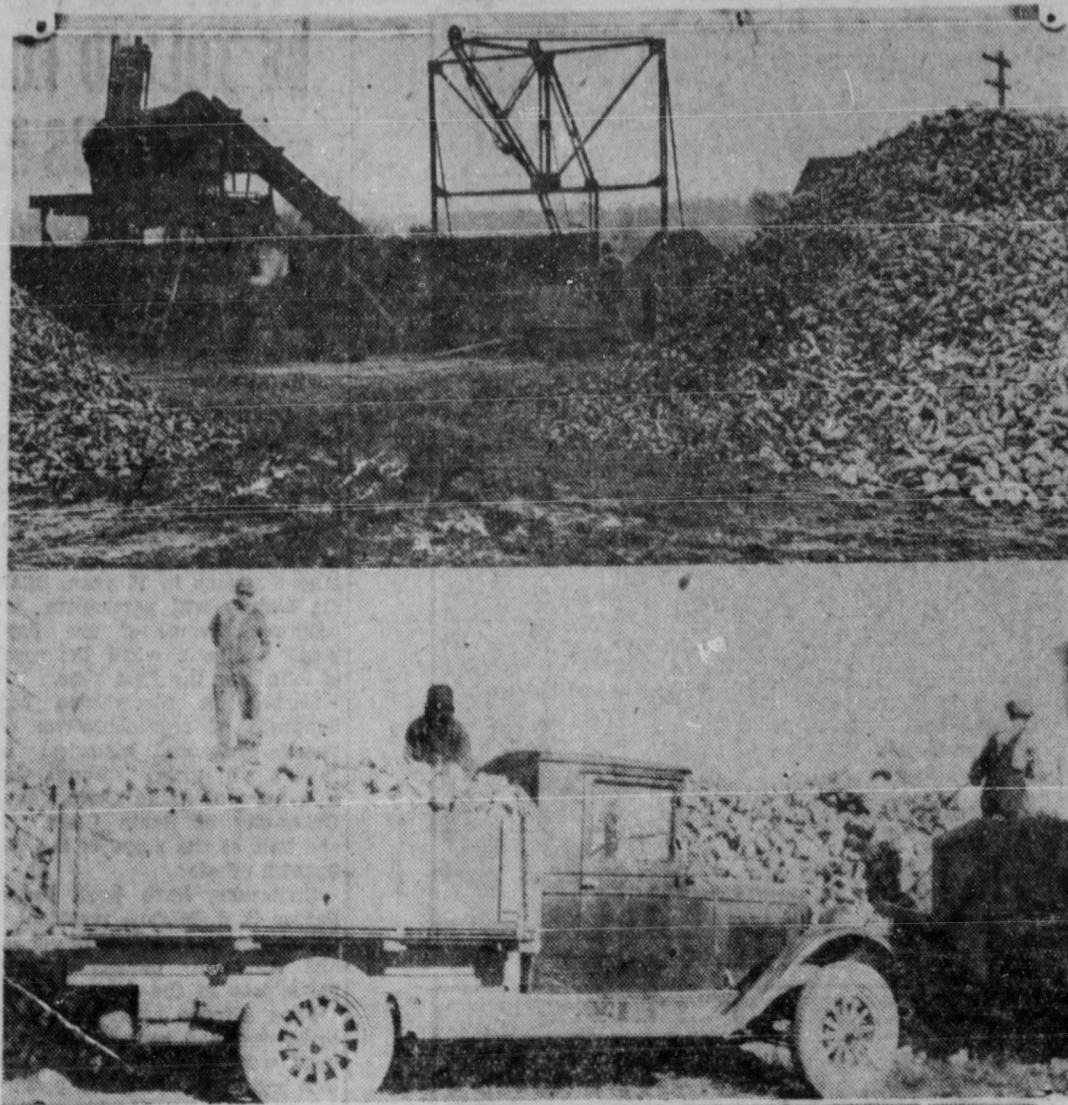
Hon. Albert O. Marsh of Winchester and Mrs. Sarah Miller married here.

Dr. Cook and Commander Peary are still replying to each other on question of which discovered the north pole.

Real estate transfer—Cora Werling to John Breiner, lots 1 and 2, Preble, \$1,200.

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Sugar Beet Industry Grows



Upper picture shows a machine for loading sugar beets into cars ready for action at a railway station in the Belle Fourche district of South Dakota. Lower picture is of farmers in the same district busy moving their sugar beet crops. There is a growing activity in the sugar beet industry and it has been placed on a profitable basis for the farmer.

Sugar Beet Industry Grows

There is growing activity in the sugar beet industry, farmers being encouraged by the efforts of manufacturers and railroad companies to place the business on a profitable basis for all concerned.

Farmers are being paid a minimum of \$7 per ton and there is a bonus for extra quality. The pulp is sold back to the producers at a low rate and this is a fine roughage for sheep and cattle. The tops also are useful

in feeding stock. A drought in portions of the Middle West injured the sugar beet crop, but in other sections there is a large yield. Ten tons to the acre make a fair crop and the market rate of \$7 gives a larger profit on this commodity than is gained from wheat or corn.

South Dakota seems to lead the country this season in the acreage value of the sugar beet crop. In the irrigated Belle Fourche district the yield is twelve to fifteen tons per acre, with a sugar content correspondingly high. This crop should

net \$60 per acre. In Colorado's irrigated sections the beet crop is above the average.

It is promised that next year will see a larger acreage of sugar beets throughout the country than has heretofore been known. The guarantee of \$7 per ton gross is making a new situation as regards this commodity. The illustrations give an idea of the activity in the sugar beet industry just now. Harvesting is in progress and the sugar factories started operations October 1.

To Subscribers of Daily Democrat

The Circulation department of the Daily Democrat is making an effort to improve its carrier system in Decatur. Will you please fill out the following questionnaire and return to this office.

Name
Street Address
What time does your carrier arrive?
Is Carrier courteous?
Is Carrier satisfactory?
Have you any suggestions for improvement

Spain Celebrates 437th Anniversary of Discovery

Madrid, Oct. 12—(UP)—The 437th anniversary of the discovery of America was honored throughout Spain today with more than usual enthusiasm, celebrations being staged for the double purpose of honoring Christopher Columbus and fostering increased Hispanic-American friendship.

Today's holiday is known as "La Fiesta de la Raza"—"The Day of the Spanish Race." The international aspect of the celebration was further increased by the fact that the Ibero-American Exposition is in full swing at Seville, where all the American delegates participated in the ceremonies.

The Most important monument to Columbus is at Barcelona, where he was received by Ferdinand and Isabelle after his first trip to America. Today the monument was magnificently decorated, and appropriate ceremonies performed at its base.

In Madrid ceremonies were held at the base of the beautiful Gothic monument to Columbus on the Paseo de la Castellana, and besides the speeches a review of school children and boy scouts took place.

At the monastery of La Raza the faithful worshipped before the same image as that before which Columbus prayed, and at Palos, the replicas of his three ships, constructed especially for the Seville Exposition, were daily decorated and visited by hundreds of persons.

Woman To Receive New Canary Bird

Chicago, Oct. 12—(UP)—By the verdict in the "Canary murder case," Mrs. Nellie Lyons will get a new canary. James Riley, boarder at her home, couldn't sleep for the twittering of Dickie. He wrung the little fellow's neck and flung him out the window. Judge Philip J. Finnegan exacted Riley's promise to buy Mrs. Lyons another canary and to control his temper hereafter.

PHILCO BALANCED UNIT SCREEN GRID RECEIVER

In a cabinet of soft two-toned brown, the new Philco Balanced-Unit Table Model is on display in the window of Zwick and Son.

This receiver is a strictly A.C. 6-tube Screen Grid set, using two new UX245 power tubes in push-pull audio. It has the new Philco tuning dial, giving kilocycle channel numbers, and has true one dial tuning.

Philco Balanced Units mean that every electrical part is carefully matched and balanced by means of the most rigid and exact manufacturing and testing methods so that each condenser, resistance and inductance work together at the peak of efficiency, presenting a clear path through the set for the desired radio impulse so that it reaches the ear free from distortion and set noises and as clear as when it leaves the broadcast station.

The Table Model priced at \$67.00 gives radio buyers an opportunity to have a most modern Screen Grid receiver, with its tremendous amplification and wonderful tone, at a price that no one ever dreamed possible a few months ago.

The Philco is sold in Decatur by W. H. Zwick & Son, furniture store.—adv.

Everybody invited to Washington township Sunday school convention at Christian church, Decatur, Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

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GENEVA NEWS

Jacob McCroskey of Muskegon, Michigan is spending a few days here with relatives.

Mrs. Dan Hoffman who has been quite ill was taken to the Lutheran Hospital, Fort Wayne.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Martin Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Burkowitz of Fort Wayne spent Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Burris.

Mr. and Mrs. John Aspy are spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Leeland Buckmaster in Akron, Ohio.

Several ladies of Cambridge City motored to Geneva Thursday where they were guests of Mrs. Merle Teeple.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Chester Rotn a son, Tuesday.

Mrs. Al Vorhees left Thursday for Gary where she will attend the W. C. T. U. convention.

Shanon Rhoades was a business caller in Fort Wayne, Thursday.

John T. Kelly, of Decatur was in town Thursday.

Mrs. Wilbur Shoemaker is spending her vacation in Chicago this week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Edwards of Sturgis, Kentucky is expected to arrive Friday to spend a few days with relatives.

Daniel Kuntz of Detroit Michigan is spending a few days with his parents. Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Kuntz.

L. H. Magee of Indianapolis was a business caller here Thursday.

Word was received here of the death of the nine year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cooper of Fort Wayne. Death was caused by meningitis.

Mr. Ora Cross, who has been building a bridge in Southern Indiana returned to his home Thursday.

Mrs. Harry Shoemaker is seriously ill with intestinal flu.

Plan Trans-Atlantic Trip To South America

Paris, Oct. 12—(UP)—Lieut. Col. Larre Borges, Uruguayan flier, and the Frenchman, Capt. Leon Challe, planned to leave Paris today for Seville, Spain, to start on a nonstop trans-Atlantic flight to south America as soon as weather conditions permit.

The aviators announced their plane would be moved from Villacoublay Airfield, where they have been making test flights, to Le Bourget for the takeoff to Seville.

Borges' plane, a 450 H. P. Bergeet-Lorraine land model, is similar to the plane used by Diendonne Coste and Maurice Bellonte in their recent flight from Paris to Manchuria.

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"It Pays to Advertise"

OF course, this is an old poem which has been reprinted about 1,483,761 times, but the truth cannot be repeated too often, so here it goes again:

The codfish lays a million eggs.
The helpful hen lays one.
The codfish does not cackle,
To inform you what she's done.
And so we scorn the codfish coy,
While the helpful hen, we prize;
Which indicates to thoughtful men,
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- 13 Internal-expanding four-wheel service brakes.
- 14 Special moulded, non-squeak brake bands.
- 15 Special Bodies by Fisher.
- 16 Flaring fenders—70 inches across.
- 17 High radiator of distinctive design.
- 18 A variety of popular colors.
- 19 Ternerstedt interior fittings.
- 20 Fisher VV windshield.
- 21 Adjustable driver's seat.
- 22 Coincidental ignition and transmission lock.
- 23 Individually mounted instruments, including gasoline gauge.
- 24 Foot-controlled headlights.
- 25 Small wheels, ten massive spokes.

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