

### Negro Slave Bill Found

Lake Geneva, Wis. —(UP)—A bill recording the sale of a Negro slave named Jacob, 23, by John M. Cowen, Wheeling, Va., to Henry J. Moore, Louisville, Ky., for \$800 was found here recently among family papers of Mrs. C. J. Kull. It was dated 1837 in "the state of Louisiana, city and parish of New Orleans." It was believed to be a duplicate of an original document retained by one of the parties to the deal.

### NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE BY EXECUTOR

The undersigned Executor of the last will of John H. Blakey, deceased, hereby gives notice that by virtue of an order of the Adams Circuit Court he will at the hour of ten o'clock A. M. on the 16th day of February 1935 at the law office of Lenhart, Heller, and Schurgen, 133 South Second Street, Decatur, Indiana, and from day to day thereafter until sold offer for sale at private sale free of purchase money cash in hand, the balance in two equal installments payable in not to exceed nine and eighteen months, evidenced by notes of the purchaser bearing six (6) per cent interest from date of sale, waiving relief providing for mortgage fees, and secured by mortgage on the real estate sold, or the purchaser may pay all cash on day of sale, if so desired.

ARTHUR G. BLAKEY, Executor  
Dated this 11th day of January, 1935  
Lenhart, Heller, and Schurgen  
Attorneys for Executor.  
Jan. 11-18-25 Feb. 1

### NOTICE TO NON-RESIDENTS

In the Adams Circuit Court, November Term, 1934, confirmed 15105 THE STATE OF INDIANA, ADAMS COUNTY SS:  
Frank Ford, Estella Daugherty vs. Harvey Ford et al.  
Now comes the plaintiff, by John T. Kelly, attorney, and files their complaint herein, together with an affidavit that said defendant, Estella Daugherty, Adam Ford, Fern Ford, are not residents of the State of Indiana; that said action is for partition for partition and that said non-resident defendants are necessary parties thereto.

Witness my name and the Seal of said Court, affixed at Decatur this 11th day of January A. D. 1935.  
DAVID D. DEPP, Clerk.  
Jan. 18-25 Feb. 1

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### SALE CALENDAR

Jan. 29—Walter Reed, 2 miles east of Gonvay, Ohio. Closing out sale.  
Jan. 30—Byron Whitridge, 2 mi. south of Pleasant Mills, 5 miles east of Monroe, 3 miles west of Willsboro on State road No. 124. Closing out sale.  
Jan. 31—Chester Grubbs, 1 mile east of Montezuma, Ohio on state road 219. Closing out sale.  
Feb. 4—N. E. Dunifon, 1 mile east of the Midway Inn on Ohio State road 127.  
Feb. 5—Fred Okeley, 4 mi. south of Pleasant Mills. Closing out sale.  
Feb. 6—Schlabach & Billard, 7 miles south and 3/4 miles east of Fort Wayne on the Ferguson road.  
Feb. 7—Walter Fetter, 7 miles south, 1 mi. west of Rockford, O. Closing out sale. 10:00.  
Feb. 11—Byerly & Alden, 1 mile south Fort Wayne on state road 1. Closing out sale.  
Feb. 14—Pete Dibert, 4 miles east of Willsboro, Ohio. Closing out sale.  
Feb. 18—Everett Lake Stock Farm, 14 mi. west of Fort Wayne. Closing out sale.  
Feb. 16—Wm. T. Jones, 1 mile north, 1 1/2 miles south of Monroeville. Closing out sale. 10:00.  
Feb. 19—Adams Winnans, 1 mile east of Baldwin, Ind. Closing out sale.  
Feb. 28—Bert Marquardt, 3 mile north of Monroeville on Lincoln highway. Chester White hog sale. 12:00.

### THIMBLE THEATER



### Milady's GARDEN NOTEBOOK

By NANCY COOK WELLS

The problem of cooking vegetables so as to retain their natural color and fresh appearance cannot be safely ignored by mothers. Although overcooking is also disastrous to mineral and vitamin content, this question of attractiveness is almost more important, because, after all, it is getting the children to eat them which is the first consideration.

The composition of each vegetable being different, naturally the cooking times must also be different. While beets might take almost an hour to cook properly, cabbage will be done in ten minutes or less. From time to time, I'll discuss each vegetable separately and it might be a good idea to jot down the facts in your kitchen notebook.

Fortunately, we have the aid of many modern schools of domestic science in determining the most healthful methods of cooking. It is from one of them that I received the following information, which explains why overcooked vegetables become colorless and distasteful.

If you place the leaf of almost any vegetable under a microscope, you will be surprised to find that it appears white instead of green. There will be certain dark lines or veins running here and there, however, and on each side of them will be innumerable little globular dots. These dots have a brilliant green coloring, and when viewed by the eye will produce an illusion which makes us think that the

whole leaf is green. Interspersed with the green dots are colorless ones. They contain the acids which give taste to the vegetables.

Now when too little water is used, or when cooked too long, the acids will be released from their tiny receptacles and will immediately attack the colored dots. The result will be a lifeless, colorless mass, in which the acids have been released to give a strong, unpalatable taste.

On the other hand, if the proper method were followed, the vegetable would have been as fresh looking and tasting as the minute it came out of your garden plot. Here's an example of how one medium sized head of thin shredded cabbage should be cooked in eight cups of water from 6 to 8 minutes only, using a 5 quart pot so as to give plenty of breathing surface for unwanted acids to escape.

### Test Your Knowledge

Can you answer seven of these ten questions? Turn to page Four for the answers.

1. When did the Territory of Oklahoma become a state?
2. In English industrial history, who were the Luddites?
3. Which state is nicknamed Tar Heel state?
4. In the feudal system of land tenure, what was demesne?
5. What causes knots in boards?
6. Is Palestine north or south of the equator?
7. Name the famous theatrical manager who lost his life in the sinking of the Lusitania.
8. Name the greatest orator of the ancient world.
9. When were the Hawaiian Islands formally annexed to the United States?
10. What does the Boer word veld mean?

### COURT HOUSE

Cases Venued Here  
Edward F. Scheumann, receiver of Citizens Trust Company of Fort Wayne vs. South Side Realty Inc. et al, foreclosure of mortgage and appointment of receiver. Transcript and papers filed in Adams circuit court by clerk of Allen circuit court.

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Sale of Bonds  
In the Matter of the Liquidation of the Peoples Loan and Trust Co., liquidation. Petition filed by Clark J. Lutz, special representative, to sell HOLC bonds. Petition examined and approved.

Waiver Filed  
Estate of Lester F. Penrod. Waiver filed. Letters issued. Bond filed. Clerk's report filed.

Wills Filed  
The last will and testaments of David C. Neuschwander and Katy S. Neuschwander, who died early this month were filed in the

### FEDERAL FARM LOANS

Upon recommendation of the Federal Land Bank of Louisville, Ky., the

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I am a reader of the Decatur Daily Democrat, Decatur, Ind.

pass the Soldier bonus bill was received today by Sen. Ralph H. Jernegan, R., Mishawaka.

The resolution was prepared by Ignatius K. Wewinski, U. S. commissioner of deeds for Indiana. It declares that immediate payment would release millions of dollars in Indiana in conformity with the government's recovery policy.

Wewinski asked Jernegan to introduce the resolution in the senate.

Urges Legislature Aid In Bonus Fight  
South Bend, Ind., Jan. 24—(UP)—A resolution urging the legislature to memorialize congress to

Members of the Commission will

### "THE LADY DANCES" by MARGE STANLEY

#### SYNOPSIS

In search of adventure, Mark Talbot sails from San Francisco aboard the S.S. "Orient" bound for Honolulu. He meets Vanya Prokova, beautiful dancer, who is being deported. She ignores him. Mark follows Vanya to Tongatabu in the South Seas, trying to convince himself that seeing her in her dance hall environment will cure his beachcomber. Percy Loring, a diver's helmet when the ships are in but, at the present time, she is inland with the natives. Talbot takes Mark to a native festival. They hide in the bushes and watch the ceremonies.

#### CHAPTER XIII

A group of fully a hundred glistering naked Melanesians sat in a great circle around the fire, squatting on the ground or seated on logs. In the center, following a circuitous route around the fire, moved a dozen native girls in the intricate motions of a savage dance. They stamped, they danced, they struck suddenly rigid attitudes, and burst into tuneless chantings; and, now swelling, now fading to an almost inaudible murmur that Mark felt rather than heard, were the skin drums, pounded by black hands.

Mark watched fascinated. There was a primitive, elemental splendor in the scene, a hint of worship given to strange, cruel, all-but-forgotten gods. Something echoed in his spirit, something out of a past millennial ages before civilization.

Loring placed his lips close to Mark's ear, and whispered in almost imperceptible tones, "The unmarried girls!"

Those, he realized, were the maidens dancing the sinuous dance about the fire. His eyes wandered over the scene—the silent circle, the gleam of black skin, the intent eyes showing red in the firelight, the innate, intrinsic savagery of the whole panorama.

Then he saw a figure seated on the bole of a log a little apart from the semi-circle, at the far edge, and just beyond the sphere of firelight. Somehow the figure seemed anomalous, different; he strained his eyes vainly for a clearer perception. Then a vagary of the fire aided him; suddenly it flared brighter as some blazing log collapsed, and the added glow brought the figure into strong relief.

Vanya Vanya, seated there staring with rapt interest at the primeval orgy of dance in the circle! Vanya, with her troublous features supernaturally beautiful in the ruddy firelight!

A startled exclamation burst from Mark's lips—"My God! Look! Loring's high was too late; a sharp-eyed native at the circle's nearer edge turned and—for a long, startled moment—seemed to stare directly into Mark's eyes.

Instantly there was a shout, a cessation of chants and drum beats. The crowd of natives leaped to their feet; Mark and Loring were dragged into the circle of firelight, and surrounded by a gesticulating, chattering, angry mob of savages. Voices rose in accusing crescendo, fingers pointed at the two as they stood helplessly together in the midst of the crowd.

"Lay off the gun!" warned Loring to Mark who nodded his understanding.

"Wait till they settle down a bit," Loring added. "I'll try to talk to them. Some of them are boys from the Cove."

"My fault, too," said Mark, staring at the ring of outraged faces. "It ought to be worth another

bottle to get out of this mess," caded the beachcomber. "It's not what I call a bed of roses."

"A bottle of Shene's best," said Mark. "And I'll be tempted to join you."

Gradually the excited throng was quieting. Some of the natives seemed content to listen, though enough still claimed the floor to create a babel.

A burly native with a paunchy appearance had pushed through to the center of the group. He faced Mark, and began a perfectly incomprehensible harangue, but Mark got his drift without the necessity of interpretation. . . . The white men had committed grave sacrilege, he gathered; these ceremonies were for

She swung around, facing Mark for the first time. Her great eyes widened in startled recognition as they fell on him.

"You!" she gasped. "What on earth are you doing here?"

"I might ask you the same question," replied Mark, "and be as much entitled to an answer."

He was angry at himself, first for getting into this situation, then for finding his interest so taken up by Vanya, and finally for the embarrassment of accepting her help in the devilish mess. He almost snapped his reply at her.

"You'd best leave," she said coolly. "I'm going with you to make sure you try no idiotic tricks. This



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the eyes of the tribe alone. . . . Mark stood listening without actually understanding a word.

"The chief," muttered Loring in his ear.

Suddenly a voice behind Mark caught his ear, a soft feminine voice. Vanya pushed past him and stood between him and the paunchy headman confronting the native. She wore a white sun-helmet and neat white breeches, and knee-high boots. Mark thought irrelevantly that they were the first clean breeches he had seen since he had left Honolulu. Even in the uncertainty of his situation, he found himself watching her trim, slender figure—she did come just to his shoulder, he noted.

The chief was addressing his remarks to Vanya; she replied in halting Tongan dialect. The clackings and clatterings of the native tongue fell strangely soft from her lips; Mark couldn't have conceived of the possibility of melody in that outlandish speech.

The natives had fallen silent, all ears intent on the dialogue between the white girl and her chief. Finally the leader addressed a final few emphatic remarks to Vanya, and paused; a chorus of buzzings and clackings arose from the clustered natives.

Vanya turned her head. "It's all right," she said, "if you leave at once."

was a fool's business in the first place."

Loring moved toward the trail's opening. The natives parted sullenly to let him pass, and Vanya followed him, Mark behind her. They filed through the group in silence, save that Vanya called back a single syllable, either of thanks or farewell, Mark presumed. They passed unhindered out of the circle of firelight into the cellar-like darkness of the jungle.

For a little while the party proceeded in complete silence. It was Loring who finally broke the spell by whistling to himself. Mark was still morose over his awkwardness, and still disgusted that he could not take his mind away from the trim white figure of the girl ahead of him. The way was easier going back; they had cut through many of the lianas and branches. Nevertheless, Mark was amazed to see that already little tendrils had begun the task of closing the trail—lush nature in the tropics wasted little time in utilizing vacant space.

In spite of himself, Mark watched the easy, graceful movements of the girl, the facile litheness with which she stooped under waist-high branches or stepped agilely over knee-high ones.

"Born dancer, all right!" he admitted to himself reluctantly. (To Be Continued)

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### MARKET REPORTS

#### DAILY REPORT OF LOCAL AND FOREIGN MARKETS

Brady's Market For Decatur, Berne, Craigville, Hoagland and Willsboro

(Corrected January 25)  
No commission and no yardage.  
Veals received Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday, and Saturday.

250 to 300 lbs.	\$7.80
190 to 250 lbs.	\$7.70
300 to 350 lbs.	\$7.50
160 to 190 lbs.	\$6.60
140 to 160 lbs.	\$5.80
120 to 140 lbs.	\$5.20
100 to 120 lbs.	\$6.25
Roughs	\$4.25
Stags	\$10.25
Vealers	\$8.50
Ewe and wether lambs	\$7.50
Buck lambs	\$7.50

#### CHICAGO GRAIN CLOSE

	May	July	Sept.
Wheat	.97%	.89%	.87%
Corn	.84%	.80%	.77%
Oats	.51%	.44%	.42%

#### CLEVELAND PRODUCE

Cleveland, Jan. 26.—(UP)—Produce:  
Butter, market steady; extras, 39; standards, 37 1/2.  
Eggs, market steady; extra white, 29; current receipts, 28.  
Poultry, market steady; fowls, colored, 4 1/2 lbs., and up, 19-20; ducks, light, 15; ducks, 5 lbs., and up, 20; geese, 14-15; turkeys young, 20.  
Potatoes, per 100-lb. bag, Maine, \$11.50-12.50; Ohio best, mostly 75-85c; Pennsylvania, 75-80c.

#### EAST BUFFALO LIVESTOCK

East Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 26.—(UP)—Livestock:  
Hogs, receipts, 1,700; fairly active; strong to 15c and more higher; weights below 200 lbs., showing major advance; desirable 180-220 lbs., \$8.40-8.50; 150-170 lbs., \$8.48-8.50; packing sows, \$7.25-7.50.  
Cattle, receipts, 150; mostly cows; active; strong to 15c higher; low cutter and cutter, \$2.35-3.60; medium bulls, \$3.25-4.50.  
Calves, receipts, 225; vealers steady, \$12 down.  
Sheep, receipts, 800; lambs strong to 25c higher; good to choice, \$9.75-10; fat ewes, \$5-5.50.

#### FORT WAYNE LIVESTOCK

Fort Wayne, Ind., Jan. 25.—(UP)—Livestock:  
Hogs, 5 to 10c higher; 200-250 lbs., \$8; 250-300 lbs., \$7.85; 300-350 lbs., \$7.70; 180-200 lbs., \$7.85; 160-180 lbs., \$7.75; 150-160 lbs., \$7.25; 140-150 lbs., \$6.75; 130-140 lbs., \$6.25; 120-130 lbs., \$6; 100-120 lbs., \$5.50; roughs, \$6.50; stags, \$4.50.  
Calves, \$11; lambs, \$8.75.

#### LOCAL GRAIN MARKET

(Corrected January 25)

No. 1 New Wheat, 60 lbs. or better	89c
No. 2 New Wheat (55 lbs.)	88c
Oats, 32 lbs. test	49c
Oats, 30 lbs. test	48c
Soy Beans, bushel	\$1.12
Yellow Corn	\$1.15

#### CENTRAL SOYA MARKET

No. 2 Yellowbeans, bu. \$1.12  
Delivered to factory

#### Robbery Efforts At Ft. Wayne Jail

Fort Wayne, Ind., Jan. 25.—(UP)—Thugs entered five business establishments in the northern part of the city last night and failed in their attempts to ransack safes in each instance.  
The thugs entered the N. Y. C. railroad ticket office and knocked the combination off a safe. They also entered the Superior Coal Co. office, a beer distributors headquarters, Colonial filling station and The Rousseau Bros., auto dealers offices.  
Combination were knocked off safes in the offices in each case. No loot was obtained in any of the attempted robberies.

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### CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS BUSINESS CARDS AND NOTICES

#### FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Two coming two old bay mare colts and one cow. Walter Thieme.

#### WANTED

WANTED—To buy, used 3 bottom tractor plow, Brothers, route 2, Decatur.

#### WANTED TO RENT

WANTED TO RENT—100 acre farm. Have good equipment. Can furnish references. Milton Scherry, route 2, Decatur.

#### FOR SALE—Man's dark blue

wool, belted coat, size 42, \$4.50. 140 So. Second st.

#### FOR SALE—Mixed hay, 100

weighing 1350 lbs. Noah H. en, 1 1/2 m. west Kirkland school.

#### FOR SALE—Brown metal bed

complete for child. Phillips "W" vice station, corner Second and Jackson streets. Phone 139.

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#### FOR SALE—Baby chicks

every Monday and Tuesday. Chicks from blood tested stock. Special: 500 Rhode Red chicks, one week old. Hatchery, Monroe, Ind., phone 2.

#### FOR SALE—Upright piano

size, plain design, fine condition. reliable make. Will sell on terms of only \$6 per month to responsible party. Address Box 13, this paper.

#### FOR SALE—20 head

ewes, from 2 to 4 years. Floyd Stoneburner, Decatur 2.

#### WANTED—For expert radio

electrical repairs call Mack Miller, phone 625. Member Manufacturers Service. Radio Service, 226 N. 7th St.

#### FOR RENT

FOR RENT—80 acre farm, south of Pleasant Mills known as the Schrank farm. Large barn, house, good barn, wind pump, etc. For further information write Mrs. A. D. Fuller, Prairie avenue, Detroit, Michigan.

#### LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Billfold containing money and several checks on Line or streets. Finder return to Democrat office and receive reward.

I am still cutting hair for you at 515 W. Madison st. We are your patronage please. W. Fanner.

#### BRUNO DENIES

(CONTINUED ON PAGE FIVE)

It followed the lines of his money in the Bronx, when he extradited to New Jersey, in most every particular. But in manner of delivery was amazing. At times he became almost popular in his replies to the defense counsel. He seemed to have command of himself and the time being—of the situation. He retold, in this high-pitched metallic voice which Col. L. pergh identified as that of the Bronx extortioner, his story of domestic scene at home on the night of the kidnapping—of a visit to a bakeshop to pick up wife, who was working late that fateful evening.

"I learned about the kidnapping from the newspapers—the following day," he said.

Under the friendly coaching of his attorney, he told the story of his partnership with Fisch in vague sort of far business, and stock dealings which, at one time gave him an estimated wealth of \$9,000.