

Faith and Hope Arrive
Hartford, Conn. —(UP)—Sherwood Eddy's request for cows to stock Delta Co-operative Farm in

Mississippi resulted in gifts of Faith and Hope, but Charity is still awaited. A Hartford philanthropist said she would give one provided her name, Hope, was given to the cow.

Democrat Dance Thursday, Country Club, 25c person.

Auto Hits Wagon, Two Women Killed
Greencastle, Ind., Nov. 11.—(UP)—Two women were killed here last night when an automobile in which they were riding crashed into the rear of a hay wagon. Mrs. Frank Wallace, 52, was killed almost instantly and Mrs. John Boyd, 48, died in the hospital several hours later.

Test Your Knowledge
Can you answer seven of these ten questions? Turn to page four for the answers.

1. Name the largest and most populous of the West Indian islands.
2. Is an American citizen who served in the Italian Army during the World War eligible for bonus from the American government?
3. What are shooting stars?
4. In commerce, what is credit?
5. What is the name for the earliest inhabitants of a country?
6. In which book of the Bible is the story of Abraham's life?
7. What is cremation?
8. Who was Sir John Everett Millais?
9. In zoology, what word is used of animals that appear during the half-light of dawn or twilight?
10. What is creme de menthe?

SALE CALENDAR
Roy S. Johnson
Auctioneer
Decatur, Ind.
Claim your sale date early as I am booking sales every day.



Nov. 12—Carl Crow, 3 mile west of Van Wert, Ohio. Closing out sale.
Nov. 13—Decatur Community Sale.
Nov. 14—Krick & Sprunger, 2 mile east of Decatur.
Nov. 17—Cora Humerickhouse, Admr., 80 acre farm and personal property, 2 mile North and 2 1/2 mile West of Rockford, Ohio.
Nov. 18—Vilas Luginbill & Dr. D. D. Jones, 1 mile south, 1 mile east of Salem. Closing out sale.
Nov. 19—Wm. Kirkland, 1 mile east and 2 mile south of Middlebury, Ohio. Closing out sale.
Nov. 20—Decatur Community Sale.
Nov. 23—Everett & Burdge and Gettys Farmer, 4 miles North and 1/2 mile east of Uniondale.
Nov. 24—William Hart, Union City, Ind. Registered Percheron horses and complete closing out sale.
Nov. 25—Frank Moser, Admr., 120 acre farm, 3 1/2 mile Northwest of Geneva and 4 1/2 mile Southwest of Berne.
Nov. 27—Decatur Community Sale.
Dec. 1—Graham and Ross, 4 mi. East of Decatur on Piqua road, closing out sale.
Dec. 2—Henry Cumbest, 6 miles East of Willshire, closing out sale.

COURT HOUSE

Real Estate Transfers
Salem R. Hart et al to Sarah Jane Schaefer, part of lot 246 in Geneva for \$1.

Muncie Preacher Killed By Auto

Muncie, Ind., Nov. 11.—(UP)—Rev. George L. Studebaker, 75, was killed instantly while crossing a street last night when struck by an automobile driven by Mrs. Marie Pepple, Muncie. Funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at the Union Grove church near here.

Change In Time To Affect Broadcasts

Chicago, Nov. 11.—Return to central standard time in Chicago Sunday, Nov. 15, will change the time of the exclusively Sunday afternoon broadcasts of the Chicago Bears professional football games over WGN, Chicago by the Standard Oil Company of Indiana and its dealers.
The game this Sunday between the Bears and Boston at Boston

Public Auction

FRIDAY, November 13 - 12 Noon
HORSES, CATTLE, SHEEP AND HOGS
Good Mares and Colts.
Milk Cows, Heifers, Feeding Cattle and Stock Bulls.
Brood Sows, Gilts and Boars.
75 head Leghorn and Minorca yearling hens.
Miscellaneous articles.

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E. J. AHR & FRED C. AHR—Managers
Roy S. Johnson—Auctioneer.

Public Auction

The undersigned will sell at public auction on the old Christ farm 7 miles East and 3 miles North of Berne, 1 mile South and 1 mile East of Salem, 5 miles Southwest of Willshire, one

WEDNESDAY, November 18, 1936
Commencing at 10:00 A. M.

7-HEAD OF HORSES—7
Red Roan Mare, 4 yr. old, sound in foal, wt. 1700 lbs., an outstanding mare; Black Mare, 6 yr. old, sound in foal, wt. 1600; Bay Horse, 9 yr. old, wt. 1700; Bay Mare & Brown Mare, smooth mouth, sound, a real work team, wt. 3200 lbs.; Bay Mare be 2 yr. old in April, make 1700 lb. mare; Sorrel Mare Colt be year old in April, a fine colt.
14-HEAD OF CATTLE—14
6 Extra good Cows, Guernsey & Ayrshire, will be fresh by day of sale; 1 large Holstein be fresh in Jan; 1 White Cow be fresh in Jan; 1 Red & White Cow milking good, fresh in spring; 1 Guernsey cow, fresh by day of sale; 1 White Cow be fresh first of December; 2 good Roan Heifers; 1 Extra good Roan Shorthorn Bull, 3 yr. old pure bred.
HOGS—5 Hampshire Sows with litters by side; 3 Hampshire Sows, will farrow by sale day.

— IMPLEMENTS —
Hoosier 10 Disc Grain Drill; Moline 12 inch Gang Plow; 14-16 Double Disc; 3-section Spike Tooth Harrow; Deering Mower; Dain Hay Loader; McCormick-Diering Corn Planter with fertilizer attachments; Good Wagon and 16 ft. Beet Rack; Misco Manure Spreader; Oliver Riding Cultivator. These implements in good condition.
DeLaval Cream Separator No. 12 with Power attachment; 12 foot line shaft.
Two good Double sets Work Harness; Collars.
TERMS—CASH.

Vilas Luginbill & Dr. D. D. Jones, owners
Roy Johnson—Auctioneer
Elmer Baumgartner—Clerk.
Launch by Ladies Aid.

"Sweepstakes on Love"

by MAY CHRISTIE

SYNOPSIS

The socially elite Diana Darlington and Regina Hyde are rivals for the love of Roger Dexter, eligible young bachelor. Although Diana enjoys a much higher social position than Regina, the latter's wealth seems to more than balance the scales. Diana wants to work but her mother, Genevieve, will not hear of it. Mrs. Darlington secretly makes a living by sending her friends to different modistes, beauty salons, etc. Her one hope is for Diana to marry wealth as soon as possible. So she arranges for her daughter's debut in a suite at the Parkview Hotel furnished "free" by the management for the publicity to be gained via the "best people" who would attend the party. Even the champagne is gratis, donated by the very "common" Alfred Flegenschultz, former bootlegger but now a respectable liquor merchant. In return, Genevieve is forced to invite the social climbing Flegenschultz family. Roger showers Diana with attention and everything goes smoothly until the champagne runs out and the spiteful Regina suggests that the party go to her house for further libations. Roger was among the last to leave. He did not accept Regina's invitation, however, she feared but, indignant with his friends for clearing out so summarily, went to the Harvard Club instead. Later on, Regina gives a play for charity. She, of course, has the leading role. Diana is the hit of the show with her beautiful singing and dancing. The envious Regina puts soap flakes on the stage staircase causing Diana to fall.

CHAPTER VIII

There was a faint stirring on the sofa. Roger was over like a flash. Regina said to herself: "She does mean something to him, after all! Or is it just a man's natural uprightness at seeing a woman faint?" "Wh-what's the matter?" asked Diana in a smothered little voice, opening her eyes, and staring helplessly first at the doctor who was bending over her, and then at Roger. "Don't you remember you fell? Keep still, Diana. Take it easy."

But she made as though to struggle into a sitting posture, only to slip back with a groan, closing her eyes.

Roger was terribly alarmed. He thought that she had fainted on making her stage entry. He had not seen that she had slipped.

"Where's the pain?" asked the doctor. "In the leg, is it not?"

He ran his firm capable hands with gentle swiftness from right kneecap to ankle, felt the swelling under the gaiter, ripped the gaiter off.

"No bones broken. But it hurts right here, isn't that so?" His fingers pressed the tendons and muscles of ankle and foot.

"Yes. I—I guess I sprained it," murmured Diana, battling with that horrible faintness that was creeping over her again.

There was an outcry at the door. A woman's shrill tones, expostulating in broken English, "You not try to keep me back! I go to the blessed signorina! I am Bella, her maid. You let me in!"

Bella, a stage-hand behind her with the ice spoke up. He said, in his rich Irish brogue: "Shure an' this played a dirty trick on the girl!"

"What's that? What do you mean?" snapped Roger.

"Shure an' this is what I was after! In on him tips she come down! Paper, begorra!" He thrust out a hairy paw with a fistful of white substance in it. "Tis nayther paper nor snow—'tis soap flakes!"

"You found that on the stairs, you say?"

"Shure the last four steps was fairly loaded wid it," said the Irishman. "See for yerself, sorr."

Roger looked swiftly, sharply at Regina. An appalling suspicion struck him.

Had she done this? She had ascended those steps in view of the audience just before Diana appeared. In the blue flood-light of the moon Regina could have dropped those soap flakes undetected. Not to the audience would they look any

different from the scraps of paper already scattered on the stairs to represent a light fall of snow.

Regina said now, her amber eyes widening in shocked amazement: "This is the work of some fiend! Diana and I could easily have broken our necks on it! I shan't rest till I find out who's responsible!"

Maude was behind her. Maude with the ever-ready balm.

"Oh, it's a blunder of the firm who supplied the paper—they must have got mixed up in the packing department. Those soap flakes look exactly like bits of paper. They must have got into the cartons by mistake. That's quite explainable."

"We can't argue it now," said Regina decisively. "Bella, you'll stay with Miss Diana and the doctor till I return! Good! Come, Roger. We can't do anything here. In the wings Regina whispered to him: 'I look sufficiently like Diana to double for her in her dances in the third and fourth acts. I know them perfectly. I'll dance with Donny.' (Donny was Diana's partner.) 'I've often danced with Donny. We'll pull it off all right.'"

So Roger made his speech and the show went on.

But there was a flatness to it. As though Diana's accident had taken the pep out of the performers.

Meantime, Dr. Woodhouse made thorough examination of the patient. Beyond the sprain, there seemed nothing wrong, except the nervous shock from which she would doubtless quickly recover, because of her youth. He suggested she pass the night in hospital, for observation, but Diana vetoed the suggestion. She would go home.

Genevieve was at a party. Contrary to Diana's orders, Bella telephoned her.

The doctor accompanied Diana and the maid home in Roger Dexter's car. Roger himself followed directly after the show.

Upset as naturally she was, Genevieve found some solace in Roger's concern.

"Being in charge of the show, I'm responsible for this. The doctor's bills are mine. You understand, Mrs. Darlington? You must call upon me for everything that's necessary. I insist upon it."

Genevieve told herself triumphantly: "He acts exactly as if he were her fiancé!"

But Diana was embarrassed. Not that she knew of Roger's offer to meet the bills in connection with her accident. She would never have permitted that.

But to have Roger in her bedroom, sitting at the foot of her bed and speaking in a hushed voice, made Diana feel self-conscious and shy.

This was not decreased by the fact that Genevieve loudly lamented the fact that, directly after her debut when her life should be a perpetual round of parties and good times, her darling was to be literally tied by the leg.

"Not really," amended Roger hastily. "My car will be at your disposal, and Diana will be able to get about." Dr. Woodhouse came back to tell me that if she keeps the foot up for a week, she'll be greatly improved, and there isn't any reason why we can't get her to the party, though dancing will be out of the question, of course, for a bit."

"Behold me a wallflower in my first season," joked Diana, though she felt like weeping. Not that she was really miserable, with Roger showing such interest in her, but her nerves felt shaken.

Regina arrived with Donny, Diana's dance partner, shortly before midnight.

A great basket of tawny chrysanthemums accompanied them.

"I brought them to you, darling," rushed Regina in Diana's room. "They were handed to me at the end of your dance—sort of a consolation prize. I expect—of course I wasn't anything nearly as good as you were—but we did get lots of applause, didn't we, Donny?"

"I hate to be ungallant," said Donny blantly. "but it was really Diana's show! I mean to say, she carried the whole show these few days—not that you didn't get by all right, Regina."

He suspected Maude of ordering the chrysanthemums directly after Diana's accident—or was it before?

He was one of the few men who did not like Regina. He thought the happenings of the evening very queer indeed!

"By the way, I've a note for you, Diana. Odd-looking chap by the name of Benes who claims to be connected with the movies. He was scouting around looking for you backstage and ran into me. Told me to give it to you. Said it was important."

Later, Diana opened the note. It ran as follows:

"Dear Miss Darlington: 'As you know, the International Film Company is always on the look-out for new talent. I saw your show last night, and am of the opinion that you have good screen possibilities. Therefore, we would like to give you a screen test. Would you kindly telephone our office, asking for me, any day between ten and twelve, so that we may get together and discuss this matter?'

"Sincerely yours,"
"J. BENES."
"Assistant Casting Director—International Film Company."

Regina's coming-out ball proved a startling event in the New York social season.

For its originality. Its many surprises. Above all, its lavishness. *Parvum Benjamin Hyde* might be, but Regina was his only child, and nothing should be begrudged her or her friends on this occasion.

"You can't say the old man isn't digging down deep into his jeans for you, honey!" It was the day before the ball. They were in the library of his Park Avenue home when a messenger arrived with a heavy leather box which he delivered personally to Benjamin.

The favors, Mr. Hyde. We carried out the orders precisely.

"Gracious! What a big box!" exclaimed Regina, rushing to open it, and lifting out a small package or two.

"Okay with you, honey? These good enough for your friends? Has your old man done right by his best girl?"

"You've been a lamb, father!" "Don't you want to count 'em?" "Okay. There'll be a hundred people taking part in the cotillion. That's fifty favors for the men and fifty for the women."

"Holy Moses! You said that six hundred were coming to the ball. I reckoned on that basis," said Benjamin.

"What? You don't mean to say you bought presents for everyone at my party?" squeaked Regina.

"Certainly I did. Three hundred gentlemen's favors, as you call 'em, and three hundred for the ladies. Can't treat one above the other, and leads to enmity and ill feeling. Ain't you smart enough to know that?"

"Gosh! you've been generous, Daddy! This'll make some of the snooty ones sit up and take notice!" Regina counted the little packages—six hundred in all, delivered from the jewelers.

"Hey, mister, here's your check. No time like the present," quoth Benjamin.

He scribbled in his check-book, blotted it, tore out a leaf, chuckled as he looked at it, then thrust it at his daughter for her inspection.

"One hundred and fifty thousand dollars for a little box of trinkets! Not so bad, eh, honey?"

She gasped. A gasp of absolute joy. Oh, what a divine splash this would make!

Already she could visualize the headlines in the newspapers. And the social columns would surely burst themselves in superlatives.

The messenger took the check and departed. Regina kissed the bald spot on the top of her father's head. She was not usually demonstrative, but the occasion warranted it.

They were to "receive" in a bower of white and purple orchids half-way up the grand staircase leading to the main ballroom of the Monarch.

Regina scorned to wear conventional white which was *demode* for a debutante, and done to death, she considered

Cloth-of-gold that had cost a pretty penny would be the material of the gown in which she would "dazzle 'em all" her debut.

It was a gorgeous gown that clung tightly to her figure, and set off the necklace of square-cut emeralds that her father had given her.

Regina looked really handsome as she stood beside Benjamin, receiving all her friends (so-called) but, as most of them said afterwards, "scarcely like a debutante!"

Success brings envy and back-biting. People had flocked to Regina's party, filled with curiosity. Many there were who whispered sarcasms at the host's expense, who dubbed Regina a vain upstart.

"She doesn't look a day younger than twenty-five in that gown!" "She'll never make the grade! Few of the best people have accepted. A thousand and more invitations were sent out. Only half have turned up."

So ran the criticisms. They enjoyed themselves, none the less. The cocktail bar was open from the very beginning of the party.

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MARKET REPORTS

DAILY REPORT OF LOCAL AND FOREIGN MARKETS

Brady's Market for Decatur, Berne, Craigville, Hoagland and Willshire. Close at 12 Noon.

Corrected November 11.

No commission and no yardage
Veals received Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday.

100 to 120 lbs.	\$7.10
120 to 140 lbs.	7.55
140 to 160 lbs.	8.10
160 to 180 lbs.	8.95
180 to 200 lbs.	9.15
200 to 220 lbs.	9.25
220 to 240 lbs.	8.85
240 to 260 lbs.	8.35
260 to 280 lbs.	8.00
280 to 300 lbs.	6.50
300 to 320 lbs.	9.50
320 to 340 lbs.	8.00
340 to 360 lbs.	7.00
360 to 380 lbs.	4.00

INDIANAPOLIS LIVESTOCK

Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 11.—(UP)—Livestock:

Hog receipts, 5,000; holdovers, 169; market steady; 160-300 lbs., \$9.50-\$9.70; \$9.50-\$9.75 on strictly choice 225-250 lbs.; 300-400 lbs., \$9.30-\$9.60; 160-180 lbs., \$9.40-\$9.60; 180-200 lbs., \$9.15-\$9.55; 130-150 lbs., \$8.65-\$9.40; 100-130 lbs., \$8.15-\$8.90; sows steady to strong; mostly \$8.50-\$9; top, \$9.35.

Cattle, 1,200; calves, 600; market steady on choice and prime steers; up to \$11.80 for 1,150-lb. weights; other sales mostly \$10.50-\$11.25; lower and middle grade steers under pressure; little done early; all except few strictly choice heifers carrying weak to 25c lower undertone; few cows steady early; but most local bidding unevenly lower; vealers generally steady; bulk better grades, \$10-\$10.50.

Sheep, 1,000; lambs steady; bulk better grades, \$8.50-\$8.75; sheep, steady; choice fat ewes, \$3; bulk, \$2.25-\$2.75.

CLEVELAND PRODUCE

Cleveland, O., Nov. 11.—(UP)—Produce:
Butter, unsettled; extras, 36 1/2c; standards, 36c.

Eggs, firm; extra grade, 40c; extra firsts, 37c; current receipts, 32c; poultry firsts, 26c.

Live poultry, steady; hens, heavy 5 1/2 lbs. and up, 19c; ducks, 6 lbs. and up, 18c; ducks, small, 15c.

Potatoes, 100-lb. bags—U. S. No. 1, Idaho, \$2.85-\$2.95; some, \$3.00; Maine, \$1.85-\$2; Ohio No. 1, \$1.50-\$1.65; Idaho bakers, 52-60c per 15-lb. carton.

FORT WAYNE LIVESTOCK

Fort Wayne, Ind., Nov. 11.—(UP)—Livestock:
Hogs, 5c higher; 225-250 lbs., \$9.55; 200-225 lbs., \$9.45; 250-275 lbs., \$9.30; 180-200 lbs., \$9.35; 275-300 lbs., \$9.20; 160-180 lbs., \$9.25; 300-350 lbs., \$8.55; 150-160 lbs., \$8.85; 140-150 lbs., \$8.60; 130-140 lbs., \$8.35; 120-130 lbs., \$8.10; 100-120 lbs., \$7.85.

Roughs, \$8.25; stags, \$6.75; calves, \$10.50; lambs, \$8.

LOCAL GRAIN MARKET

Corrected November 11.

No. 1 New Wheat, 60 lbs. or better \$1.07
No. 2 Wheat, 58 lbs. 1.06
Oats 40c
Soy Beans, No. 1 Yellow 1.10
Old Yellow Corn 1.30
New No. 4 Yellow Corn \$1 to \$1.20
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Democrat Dance Thursday, Country Club, 25c person.

NOTICE OF INSOLVENCY
In the Adams Circuit Court No. 2648
In the Matter of the Estate of Peter Rich, deceased.
Notice is hereby given that upon petition filed in said court by Joseph C. Rich as administrator of said estate, setting up the insufficiency of the estate of said decedent to pay the debts and liabilities thereof, the Judge of said court did, on the 7th day of October 1936, find said estate to be probably insolvent, and order the same to be settled accordingly. The creditors of said estate are therefore hereby notified of such insolvency, and required to file their claims against said estate for allowance.

Witness, the Clerk and the seal of said Court, at Decatur, Indiana, this 8th day of October 1936.
G. B. Bixler, Clerk of Adams Circuit Court, Adams county, state of Indiana.
Lenhart Heller and Scherger, Attys. Nov. 11-36

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