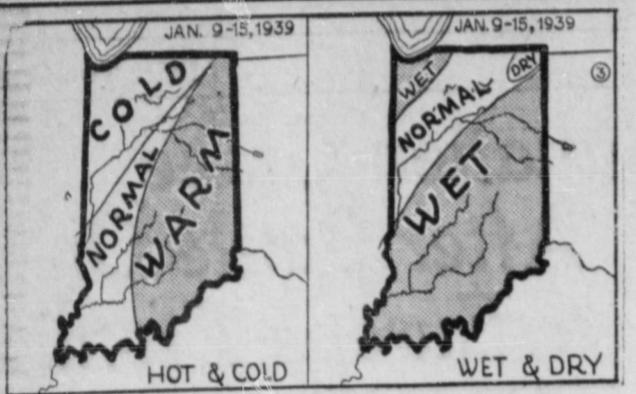


Weather A Week Ahead

As Forecast By PROF. SELBY MAXWELL, Noted Meteorologist



The E. half of Ind. will be warm. The N. W. area will be cold. The S. W. and portions of the cen. area will be normal. The cen. S. N. W. and portions of the N. E. section will be wet. There will be a small dry area in the extreme N. E. portion of the state. The remaining areas will be normal.

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THE BLUE EARTH

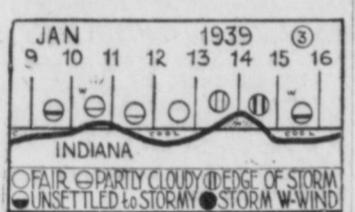
People have often wondered what the earth would look like if we could stand off in space and view it. Of course we know that Brazil would not look yellow, the United States pink, nor Mexico green. Scientists even doubt that the great masses of the continents would be particularly visible at all. This seems odd to us, because we lay great stress on land and water, but seen from space both sea and land would appear in a secondary role, and the most important thing visible on the earth would be weather and clouds.

The earth is a blue planet as seen from outside. When the moon is almost between the earth and the sun and is a very thin crescent, the dark side of the moon is illuminated with blue light. This blue light is sunlight reflected from the earth. Such a moon is called a "blue moon." This blue light from the earth comes from our familiar blue skies.

Sometimes the blue moon is much whiter than at other times. This is because the cloudiness of the earth's air varies. As seen from space our clouds would shine with the brilliancy of new fallen snow in the sunshine. Astronomers are in doubt as to what color the oceans would be. Some say they would be dark blue or even almost black, for sunshine is not strongly reflected from water. Bad space ships are still so far in

The maps show total effect of Hot, Cold, Wet, and Dry Air to be expected next week.

DAILY FORECAST



The land would undoubtedly be more vividly colored than the sea, with greens predominating where it is summer, and grays and browns where it is winter, and with deserts mostly reddish brown. We are sure that stormy areas, where it is densely cloudy, would appear the most brilliant white of all, while the blue sky areas, where there are few or no clouds, would appear darker and of a vivid indigo color.

As seen from space the earth would be a belted planet. The Gulf Stream of the Air, the Japan Current of the Air, and the other rain winds in the earth's air would appear as brilliant ribbons across the face of the blue earth, and these white streaks, changing from day to day, would constitute the most remarkable feature of the earth's appearance. It's too

almost black, for sunshine is not strongly reflected from water. Bad space ships are still so far in

WHAT DOES THE WORLD LOOK LIKE FROM OUT IN SPACE?



Public Sale

Household Goods

At my residence first farm north of Monmouth on State Road No. 27.

Monday, January 9, 1939

COMMENCING AT 1:00 P. M.

New Kalamazoo range cook stove; New Circulator Parlor furnace, large size; Wilson, Box Wood Stove; Nappanee Kitchen Cabinet; Buffet; Table and Chair; Walnut Bed, springs and mattress; Wilton Rug 9 x 12; Congoleum Rug 9 x 12; two 9 x 9 Rugs; Small rugs; Drophop Singer Sewing Machine; stands; Library table; mirrors; DeLaval No. 16 Cream Separator; Brand new Roderich Lean single row riding corn plow; milk buckets; tubs; jars; cooking utensils; dishes; davenport; rockers; garden tools and articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS—Cash.

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DAILY REPORT OF LOCAL AND FOREIGN MARKET

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MISCELLANEOUS

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210-42

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Common sewing and reeling of coats. Phone 352. 4-37

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FEDERAL LAND BANK FARMS FOR SALE

These farms must be sold in January. Possession this March 10%, 33 year loan.

80 acres, Adams county, all black soil, good bldgs. \$7000.00, move for \$700.00.

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130 acres, Jay county, \$6500.00, possession for \$600.00.

Representative of Federal Land Bank will be at John H. Kramer's office in Courthouse, Portland, Ind., January 9th and 10th. Don't miss this opportunity.

Jan. 3 4 5 6 7

FOR RENT

FOR RENT — New four room apartment. Call 149. 4-37

FOR RENT — Modern 7 room duplex near business section. Rent reasonable. A. D. Suttles, agent.

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LOST — Small gold wrist watch with second hand. Between Adams and Third Streets. Reward. Phone 422. 5-31x

Test Your Knowledge

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

1. What is the name for plants whose life is more than two years?

2. What body of water separates the island of Madagascar from Africa?

3. What is the scheduled opening date for the Golden Gate International exposition in 1939?

4. What does the stock exchange term "margin" mean?

5. On which continent is the Orinoco River?

6. With what sport is the name of Harold "Jug" McSpaden associated?

7. What is the correct pronunciation of the word hierarchy?

8. Who appoints federal judges?

9. What is the name of the former republic of Austria?

10. Where are the Nicobar Islands?

Moose Mistaken For Mule

Portland, Me. — (UPI) — Patrolling his beat near Maine General hospital, Patrolman Alfred W. Trefry, Jr., saw what he thought was a mule from Fort Williams. He gave chase and discovered that the animal was a moose. It easily outdistanced the law-enforcer.

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Thief Robs Thief

Montreal, Q. — Harry Parkins, 53, confessed robber, complained here that "some crook" had stolen from a summer home at Laval-sur-le-Lac. After robbing the home, Parkins brought the loot to the city and hid it. When he went to get the goods, they were gone.

Concrete Mixers Taxed

Cleveland, O. (UPI) — All of concrete mixers and spreaders here now must take automobile licenses. It was announced by Chief Police Patrolman Gerard Pillion. The license cost \$200 and \$300.

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Screams Save \$514

Newburyport, Mass. — Thomas G. McGlew thought he was seeing things when a man in a barrel flew through an open door of his welding shop and plunged into a barrel filled with machine gun shells. McGlew rescued the bird and turned it over to the game warden.

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Notice to Bidders

The Trustee and Advisory Board of St. Mary's Township, Adams County, Indiana, will receive sealed bids until the hour of 2 p. m. January 13, 1939, for one school bus 25x6x7, 19 inch wheel base or more to be paid for on delivery. Also one school bus body, 19x7, 19 feet long, or more—said body to meet specifications of the State Department of safety. Said body will be divided into stations and the station of cubic yards of estimation in each of said stations will be made and will be furnished to any person interested on bid day.

The Trustee will receive sealed bids on above item until the time mentioned above, after which bids will be opened at the Pleasant Mills High School.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Ben McCullough
Trustee St. Mary's Township
Dated: Jan. 5, 1939

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ROY S. JOHNSON AUCTIONEER

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Jan. 10—Oscar W. Turflinger, Adm'r, 5 miles Northeast of Fort Wayne on St. Joe Creek Road, 80 Acre Farm and personal property.

Jan. 11—Gum Felver, south of Rockford.

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Jan. 12—Mrs. Nedlyn Rariden, 4 miles East of Harlan, Indiana.

Jan. 14—H. & Marie Mott, 4 mi. East of Decatur, Ind., on Road No. 224, 77 acre farm.

Jan. 16—Aaron Oyer, 1/2 mile North of Harlan, Ind.

Jan. 17—John Eckhart, 1 mile North of Rockford, Ohio.

Jan. 18—L. E. Kanney.

Jan. 23—Ernst Merica and Walter Heifs, 2 miles east and 4 north of Decatur.

Jan. 24—Harold Sheets & Walter Clem, 2 miles South of Dixon, Ohio, on state line.

Jan. 26—Lewis McMullen, 1/2 mile north and 2 1/2 miles east of Ossian.

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