

# WANT-ADS

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Card of Thanks 35c  
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**"BLIND" ADVERTISEMENTS**  
Advertisements appearing in this column without names signed are "blind." They are to be answered by letters, addressed to the box number in care of the Daily Democrat. We can give no information concerning the parties advertising.

**FOR SALE**  
**FARMERS ATTENTION**—Call 569-A at our expense for dead stock removal. The Stadler Products Co., Frank Burger, agent. 13-1f

**FOR SALE**—Cannel coal, excellent for fireplaces and small chimneys. Burk Elevator Co. 280-4f

**FOR SALE**—11 new Keltinators. Big savings, \$1 down. No interest. Pay as you can for spring delivery. Decatur Hatchery. 299-1f

**FOR SALE**—Duroc bred pigs. Champion strains. Immured. Reasonable. 10 miles east on 224. H. D. Kreischer, Conroy, O. 298-141x

**FOR SALE**—Young quarters of Beef. Inquire John Scheumann or Herman Webber, Hoagland Phone. Meat guaranteed and prices reasonable. 293-212x

**TYPEWRITERS**—Buy your boy or girl for Christmas a new Royal Portable typewriter, easy terms. Write R. E. Heidrich, 918 South Clinton St., Fort Wayne, Indiana. 295-ast

**HERE'S AID**—For those seeking good sleep and not price. Drop in and let us show you Beautyrest mattresses, without a doubt the world's finest mattress. Beautyrest mattresses make wonderful Christmas gifts. Sprague Furniture Company, 152 S. 2nd St. Home of Simmons Bedding. 294-10t

**FOR SALE**—Saturday December 28 from 2 to 4 p. m. in law office of Henry B. Heller—Seven room modern home, bath, garage, basement at 312 Line Street. Glen Cowan heirs. 296-121x

**FOR SALE**—Good used hardwood flooring and all kinds lumber. Good brick fireplace at Dr. Zwick's property, S. Second St. or inquire at Decatur Upholster Shop. 299-10t

**FOR SALE**—Have you called 49 for your coal. Why not give us a ring and be convinced. Haug Coal Co. 297-6t

**FOR SALE**—Hocking Valley coal. \$6.50 per ton. Krick Coal Company. 2300-k5t

**FOR SALE**—Xmas trees, 35c up. Apples and oranges. Decatur Sales Barn, open all day, evenings. Bell's South End Grocery. 297-8t

**FOR SALE**—Used furniture and pianos: 2 studio couches, good shape. \$7 and \$18; 2 lounge chairs, good condition. \$5 and \$10; 2 dining room suites, fair condition. \$15 and \$25. Sprague Furniture Company, Phone 199. 301-3t

**MISCELLANEOUS**  
**FARM LOANS** at 4% for 10 years. No expense to borrower. C. D. Lewton, Decatur, Ind. 220b1f

**WANTED**  
**WANTED TO RENT**—Farm. Cash or grain. Write me what you have. L. T. Langston, Van Wert, Ohio, route No. 4. 300-31x

**WANTED**—A home for a pure bred white Scotch Collie pup. Companion of children. Free. E. W. Busche, Monroe Phone 15. 300-31x

**FREE CHRISTMAS DEAL**—Purchase Singer sewing machine and have your choice of Singer Automatic iron or practical toy machine free. Have two reverts, pay balance cash or small monthly payments. Sewing course free. Needles, oil, parts. Singer Agency, 445 S. First. Phone 411. 291-121x

**WANTED**—Young married man for retail sales work. Must be neat, able to meet people. Inquire Box 229 care of Democrat office. 301-31x

**FOR RENT**  
**FOR RENT**—6 room modern house 246 N. 6th. Inquire B. J. Rice 237 N. 5th St. Phone 184. 302-1t

**FOR RENT**—5 room semi-modern house, practically new, close in, immediate possession. Fred Reppert, phone 610 or 312. 302-3t

**LOST AND FOUND**  
**LOST**—Red Airdale dog. Reward. Phone 512. 302-031x

**LOST**—Pair of rimless glasses with white ear tips. Thursday. Probably near Adams Theater. Reward. Box 239 care of Democrat. 302-031x

**BEG PARDON**  
Through an error the price of round steak in the Gerber Meat advertisement Friday appeared as

**N. A. BIXLER OPTOMETRIST**  
Eyes Examined Glasses Fitted  
**HOURS**  
8:30 to 11:30 12:30 to 5:00  
Saturdays, 8:00 p. m.  
Telephone 135

**For Christmas -**  
**ZENITH RADIO**  
**Decatur Electric Shop**  
150 S. 2nd st. Phone 244

**Decatur Loan & Discount Co.**  
above Auto License Bureau.

## MARKET REPORTS

### DAILY REPORT OF LOCAL AND FOREIGN MARKETS

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

Corrected December 21.  
No commission and no yardage  
Veals received every day.

100 to 120 lbs.	\$4.45
120 to 140 lbs.	4.95
140 to 160 lbs.	5.35
160 to 200 lbs.	6.00
200 to 300 lbs.	5.80
300 to 350 lbs.	5.70
350 lbs. and up	5.40
Roughs	5.00
Stags	3.50
Veals	11.75
Spring buck lambs	8.00
Spring lambs	9.00
Yearlings	4.50

### WHOLESALE EGG AND POULTRY QUOTATIONS

Furnished by  
Metz's Egg & Poultry Co.,  
Decatur Phone 156

Corrected December 21.  
Prices for first class offerings:

Clean large white eggs	21c
Brown or mixed eggs, large	18c
Medium eggs	16c
Heavy hens, 5 lbs. and over	14c
Leghorn hens, lb.	9c
Leghorn stage, any size	9c
Heavy Springers, Barred or	
White Rocks, 4 lbs. and over	15c
Duck Roosters, lb.	7c
Ducks, white, 6 lbs. or over	10c
Turkeys, young mixed	16c

### LOCAL GRAIN MARKET

BURK ELEVATOR CO.  
Corrected December 21.  
Prices to be paid tomorrow.

No. 1 Red Wheat	84
No. 2 Red Wheat	83
No. 2 Rye	50
Corn, 15 1/2 moisture	83
Corn, 17 1/2 moisture	80
Corn, 19 1/2 moisture	77
Soy Beans	81
New Oats, 30-lb. test	35

### HOME OWNERS

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Quinn, local historian and Arthur R. Holtzhouse, newspaperman, who, with their wives, were guests at the meeting.

The dinner was served by the Eastern Star women. C. T. Habegger's Winner Chorus quartet of Berne provided special music during the evening.

**500 Sheets 8 1/2 x 11 Sunrise**  
**Canary Second Sheets, neatly**  
**wrapped, 35c.**  
**The Decatur Democrat Co.**

**IF YOU NEED CASH QUICKLY**

get the cash here to pay what you owe to pay what you need—Phone for our representative to call at your home and explain a loan plan convenient for you.

**Decatur Loan & Discount Co.**  
above Auto License Bureau.

# Christmas In Decatur Churches

## First Methodist

The First Methodist church will present the pageant, "The Holy Nativity," at vesper services Sunday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. The musical setting will be directed by Mrs. R. W. Graham and W. F. Beery, with Mrs. Harry Dailey at the organ.

The program follows:  
Firmament on High, Haydn.  
Organ prelude — "The Spacious Firmament"  
Processional hymn — "O Come All Ye Faithful."  
Offertory — "Holy, Holy, Holy."  
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Pageant, cast of characters:  
Prophecy — Mrs. Bryce Thomas.  
Fulfillment — Miss Lois Baughman.

Isaiah — Dr. R. W. Graham.  
Jeremiah — Leonard Soliday.  
Micah — Russel Owens.  
David — Sylvester Everhart.  
People of Judea — Fred Hancher, Jerry Carper, Robert Winterin, Marion Smith.

Shepherds — Wilfred Habegger, Lee Edward Nelson, Norman Steury and Phillip Thomas.  
Taxpayers — J. M. Doan, Dr. Joe Morris, L. R. Brown, Mrs. O. G. Baughman, Betty Roop.

Zachariah — W. Guy Brown.  
Elizabeth — Mrs. W. Guy Brown.  
The Wise Men — Jack Graham, Melville Barber, Jerry Carper.  
Joseph — Cal Steury.  
Mary — Mrs. Cal Steury.  
Baby — Stephen Richard Steury.  
Herod — John Wilson Beery.  
The Angel — Margaret Hancher.  
The members of the chorus choir are as follows:  
Sopranos — Miss Laura Stanley, Mrs. L. R. Brown, Mrs. Wilfred Habegger, Mrs. W. F. Beery, Mrs. Walter Krick.

Altos — Mrs. R. W. Graham, Miss Helen Haulbold, Mrs. Noah Steury, Mrs. E. N. Wicks, Mrs. Fred Hancher, Mrs. Lyman Hann, Miss Bernice Nelson.  
Tenors — Alva Nichols Fred Basche, James Harlessk.  
Bass — Lyman Hann, Alva Lawson, Willis Fanner.

## First Presbyterian

Announcement was made today of the Christmas program to be given Sunday night at 7 o'clock at the First Presbyterian church in this city.

The complete program follows:  
Opening Song — Congregation.  
Prayer — Rev. Walton.  
"A Welcome" — Delores Wolf.  
"Christmas Holly" — Ronnie Se-cour.

"Brevity" — David Runyon.  
"Christmas" — Bruce Andrews.  
Song — Jingle Bells — Juniors.  
Recitation — Jimmy Moses.  
"Little King of Christmas Day" — Jack Hart.

"A Christmas Greeting" — Roger Blackburn.  
"Merry Christmas" — David Blackburn.  
"A Beginner's Wish" — Bill Durkin.

Piano Solo — Alice Langston.  
"As Christmas Greetings Fall" — Ruth Morgan.  
"The North Wind" — Georganne Walton.

"Christmas Questions" — Patricia Rhodes.  
Song — Georganne Walton.  
Christmas in the Country — Alice Langston.  
Recitation — Ellen Hart.  
"The Christmas Secret" — Roberta Hahn.  
"My Dolly's First Christmas" —

Juanita Weldy.  
Piano Solo — Bobby Stults.  
"Choosing the Best Gift" — play.  
Robert Haley, James Cowan, Bobby Hansel, Kaye Runyon, Bill Wolf — Jack Weldy, stage manager.

"A Serious Mistake" — Eugene Ziner.  
Christmas Songs — Irene Andrews, Rosamond Graham, Anna Friedley, Mary Joe Butler and Libby Macy.

Group of Carols:  
Reader — Betty Wolf.  
Reader — Tom Lutes.  
Singers — Betty Haley, Maxine Haley, Betty Weldy, Clifton Hart, David Langston and Paul Morgan.  
Benediction.

## First Evangelical

Three services, commemorating the birth of Jesus Christ, will be conducted at the First Evangelical Church this year. The first service will be held on Sunday morning at 10:10 o'clock, following the Sunday School session. The program will be given by the children of the Beginner and Primary Departments, and will consist of recitations, exercises and songs.

The second service will be held at 7:00 o'clock on Sunday evening and will be given by the Intermediate Christian Endeavor. The service will be a pageant, "The Christmas Story." A third service will be a mid-night Christmas worship service (candle-lighted), and will consist of Christmas hymns, story, message and the lighting of the Christmas candles. The service will begin at 11:00 o'clock p. m. on Tuesday evening and continue through the mid-night hour.

The order of service for the first service follows:  
Organ prelude.  
The Scripture Lesson.  
The Prayer.  
Recitation — "An Early Greeting" — Rodger Cole.  
Recitation — "When Jesus was a Little Boy" — Jimmie Weyant.  
Exercise — "Happy Christmas Time" — Dora Brannegraft, Barbara DeVore, Jazel Sheets, Billy Liby, Barbara Cole.  
Recitation — "Excuse Me" — Christine Striker.  
Exercise — "Because a Babe was born" — Marilyn Mauler and Jacqueline Leigh.  
Recitation — selected — Amy Lou Reynolds.  
Recitation — selected — Clara Bell Brown.

Exercise — "What Will You Give to Jesus" — David Cole, Dwight Sheets, Eddie Swager, Ned Myers.  
Recitation — selected — Norman Stingley.  
Song — "Luther's Cradle Hymn" — The children.

Exercise — "Have You Found the King" — Rodger Johnson and Marvin Stuckey.  
Recitation — "My Resolve" — Jerry Kolter.  
Exercise — "What It Takes" — Donnell and Donella Nichodemus.  
Recitation — "Christmas Joy" — Marcus Foreman.

Exercise — "The Symbol of Christmas" — Barbara Anspaugh, Norma Johnson, Ruth Smitley, Bobby Smith and Dickie McConnell.  
Recitation — "Christmas Isn't Over" — Eloise Feasel.  
Offering.  
Closing Moments.  
Benedictions.  
Organ Postlude.

The characters in the pageant, "The Christmas Story," which will be presented on Sunday evening are as follows:  
Reader — Clazice Ruth Anspaugh

Wise Men — Bill Weyant, Karl Kolter, Donald Brunnegraft.  
Shepherds — Richard Cottrell, Ralph Schnitz and Hubert Feasel.  
Stranger — Jack Reynolds.  
Mary — Jacqueline Warren.  
Joseph — Jerry Ketchum.  
Angels — Kathleen McConnell, Joan Hamma, Marjorie Linn and Jacqueline Lutz.  
Songs by — Jacqueline Warren, Joan Hamma, Donnell and Donella Nichodemus, Jacqueline Lutz.  
Organist — Phyllis Kolter.  
The general public is invited to these services.

## Zion Lutheran

At the Zion Lutheran church the children's Christmas program will be presented on Christmas Eve, Tuesday, beginning at 7 o'clock. All Sunday school children and a senior girls' choir will take part in the program.

On Christmas Day, an early dawn candlelight service will be held at the church which will begin at 6:00 a. m. During this Christmas Day service holy communion will be celebrated at the church. The vested choir of the Lutheran church will take a major part in this early dawn candlelight service.

## St. Mary's Catholic

Nine masses will be celebrated Christmas morning at St. Mary's Catholic church, beginning with a solemn high mass at 5 o'clock.

Masses will be said continuously during the morning until 9:45, when the last high mass will be celebrated. Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament will be given following the last mass.

Each of the three priests, Rev. Father Joseph Seimetz, pastor, Rev. Father Alvin Jasinski, assistant and Rev. Father Francis, O. F. M. Cap., who will assist during the Christmas Eve, will read three masses Christmas morning.

The men's and boys' choir will sing during the 5 o'clock high mass and at the next mass carols will be sung. The girls' choir will sing at the last high mass.

On Christmas the regular collection for the orphans will be taken. In addition to the altar decorations and vigil lights, the crib with the Christ Child and the Holy Family will be erected in front of the south altar.

## Nuttman Ave. U. B.

The annual Christmas program of the Nuttman Avenue United Brethren church will be given Sunday night at the church at 7:30.

The program is as follows:  
Song — Come All Ye Faithful.  
Recitation — Welcome — Sharon Martin.  
Prayer — Rev. L. J. Martin.  
Recitation — Welcome — Lois Ann Troutner.  
Recitation — Like Jesus — Bobby Gray.

Song — Hail Your King — Choir.  
Recitation — Just to Show You — Mona Lee Martin.  
Vocal Duet.  
Dialogue — Ring Bells, Ring — Class 1.  
Recitation — A Christmas List — Edith Clark.  
Recitation — What I Would Have Done — Frances Harrod.  
Recitation — Christmas Every-day — Betty Hammon.  
Song — In A Little Manger — Children.

Recitation — A Lot Of Love — Muris Gray.  
Recitation — Christmas Wishes — Duan Martin.  
Dialogue — Movie Stars — Class Three.

Recitation — A Christmas Question — Alice Gunder.  
Recitation — Help the Poor — Herbert Johnston.  
Song — Mona Lee Martin, Lois Ann Troutner, and Sharon Martin.  
Recitation — When Jesus was a Little Boy — Richard Gunder.  
Recitation — Clare Reynolds.  
Song — No Heart Peace — A

Church of Nazarene  
The annual Christmas program of the Church of the Nazarene will be held Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock. The program follows:  
Song by the congregation.  
Prayer.  
Welcome, "Howdy Everybody" — Betty Roe.  
Recitation, "Merry Christmas" — Eddy Ritter.  
Song, "Bells Across the Snow" — By the Junior department.  
Recitation, "A Christmas Excuse" — John Brunner.  
Dialogue, "Christmas Workers" — Carolyn McDonald, Betty Brunner, Patty Hess, Jack McDonald.  
Recitation, "The Light of the World" — Doyle Kiser.  
Recitation, "World You Be a Wise Man" — Thurman Sudduth.  
Song, "Singing For Jesus" — Primary.  
Dialogue, "Christmas Gift for Jesus" — Sally Brunner, Norman Ward, Frank Sudduth, Sarah Hower, Dixie Hill, Shirley Mitchell, Norman Kiser.  
Offertory and prayer — Sarah Hower.  
Guitar solo — Eddy Plasterer.  
Recitation, "Sleep Little Dolly" — Ellen Roebuck.  
Recitation, "A Hard Place" —

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION II, SUBSECTION 2 OF AN ORDINANCE REGULATING THE SALE OF MILK IN THE CITY OF DECATUR, INDIANA  
Section 1. Be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of Decatur, Indiana, that Section 2, Subsection 2 of an ordinance regulating the sale of milk in the City of Decatur, Indiana, which ordinance was passed on the 2nd day of June, 1939 and recorded in Ordinance Book 1, pages 2 to 10, be amended to read as is set forth in Section 2, Subsection 2 of this amending ordinance.  
Section 2. Subsection 2 of this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, approval by the Mayor and legal publication.

Approved and signed by the Mayor this 17th day of December, 1940.  
Forrest E. Egan, Mayor  
Attest: H. Vernon Aund, Clerk-Treasurer

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group of girls.  
Dialogue — Offering — Class 2.  
Remarks and offering.  
Recitation — Phyllis McClure.  
Vocal Duet.  
Pantomime — The Old Rugged Song — Shine On Beautiful Star Cross.  
— Choir.  
Benediction.

## Call To Prayer

"The world is in need of God. Never has this need been greater than now. And seldom has there been such a disregard for Him. This, coupled with the great purpose of God to aid men in their need, serves as a challenge to men to place themselves again within the area of God's will, in order that the chaos which is upon all the world may be transformed into real harmony, justice and liberty for all. The distressing international situation, involving many of the nations of the earth in war with each other, together with the social and economic unrest and strife both at home and abroad are of concern to Christianity. These conditions are symptoms of irreligion and evidences of a new paganism that is a-broad throughout the world.  
"The Kingdom of God, which is the prime concern of God, can become a reality only in the measure that men pray for its coming in their own lives and in the lives of their fellow men.  
"The Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America has officially designated the week of January 5 to 12 as a national week of prayer for the many communions which it embraces and represents.  
"Therefore, we the members of the Decatur Ministerial Association, hereby summon the members of the constituent churches of the city, together with all other persons having faith in God, to observe the first week of the new year by giving prayer a more prominent place in their private and family lives, and by joining with their fellow Christians in corporate worship services devoted to the cause of prayer.  
"We urge the attendance of the people at special union services to be held each evening, except Saturday, beginning on Sunday, January 5, and continuing throughout January 12, in the Zion Evangelical and Reformed Church of Decatur.  
The Decatur Ministerial Association:  
G. T. Rossetot, president  
Carey Moser, secretary  
Ralph W. Graham  
Charles M. Prugh  
George O. Walton  
George S. Lozier  
Glen E. Marshall  
Paul Brandyberry."

## Test Your Knowledge

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

1. Did Pocahontas marry Captain John Smith?
2. What is the name for foxes?
3. What is the date of the 4th of March?
4. The capital of Ohio is Cincinnati, Columbus, Cleveland or Akron?
5. The American Federation of Labor claims a membership in excess of four, five or six million?
6. Which President of the United States was a tailor by trade?
7. Name the two largest cities in Minnesota?
8. What poem begins, "The few fall the knell of parting days"?
9. In what year did Lincoln make the Gettysburg Address?
10. Name the outstanding religious leader who died in February, 1938.

Jehovah's Witnesses  
719 Indiana street

Sunday, Dec. 22, 1940. Religious book study, 7:30 p. m.

Watchtower Bible study, 8 p. m. using the November 15, 1940 Watchtower, paragraphs 1 to 25 inclusive.

Scripture text: "Rejoice, O nations, with his people; for he will avenge the blood of his servants, and will render vengeance to his adversaries, and will be merciful unto his land, and to his people."—Deut. 32:43.

All people of good will are invited.

## ANSWERS TO "DO YOU KNOW?"

1. Nazareth.
2. Bethlehem.
3. Shepherds.
4. To worship Jesus.
5. He feared the child born as King of the Jews might displace him.

## NOTICE!

Notice is hereby given to the shareholders of The First State Bank, Decatur, Indiana, that there will be a meeting at the office of said Bank, Tuesday, January 2, 1941, between 2:30 P. M. and 3:30 P. M. for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors for said Bank for the coming year of 1941.  
R. E. Glendenien, Cashier

Trade in a Good Town — Decatur

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In well kept shoes. And it's no trick to have well kept shoes even with the expense of Christmas-time, because our invisible-half soles and a new heel job will make old shoes look new.

**Home of Invisible Half Soles**  
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Dec. 21-25