

## TOMATO PLANTS

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tomatoes as hampers piled high in the yards, awaiting processing. It is unwise to talk too much or too long, even when we're literally swamped with incoming right. — H. L. Anderson.

## SALE CALENDAR

OCT. 8—Heirs of the Butterer Estate, 6½ mi. S.E. of Hicksville, Ohio. Well improved 80 acre farm. Midwest Realty Auction Co. J. F. Sanmann, Auct.

OCT. 9—Van Wert Co. Aberdeen Angus Show & Sale, Fairgrounds, Van Wert, O. Show 9:30. Sale 1 P.M. Paul Good, Auct.

OCT. 9—John A. Gordon, 8 miles East of Wabash, Ind. Well Improved 9 acre Suburban Farm. Midwest Realty Auction Co. J. F. Sanmann—Auct.

OCT. 9—Mrs. Ben Shrank, 104 North Tenth St., Decatur. Household goods. Ned Johnson & James Liechty, aucts.

OCT. 9—Vernon & Vioa Sollers, Grand Lake, Celina, Ohio. Dance Hall, Tavern. 15 cottages. 54 lake lots. 12 noon. Thru Kent Realty Co.

OCT. 11—Elmer L. Jones, 3½ miles East and ½ mile South of Bryant, Indiana. Well Improved 50 Acre Farm and Personal Property. 12:00 Noon. Midwest Realty Auction Co. J. F. Sanmann—Auct.

OCT. 12—Jacob and Frank Solms, 2½ mi. N. of Upland, Ind. 124 Acre farm with 2 sets of Fine Modern Improvements and 53 head of Registered Guernsey Cattle. Full line of Power Farm Machinery and other personal property. Midwest Realty Auction Co. J. F. Sanmann—Auct.

OCT. 12—Paul H. Ash, 40 mi. S. of Zanesville, O. on 77 then 1 W. on 268. 26 acre farm, 8 room house and buildings. Savage and Gorrell, Aucts. Thru Kent Realty Co.

OCT. 12—Christ G. Elcher, 6 miles East and ½ mile North of Berne or 4½ miles Northwest of Chattanooga, Ohio. 80 acre farm and personal property. Roy & Ned Johnson and Melvin Liechty, Aucts.

OCT. 12—Commissioner's sale of Real Estate. Ind. No. 15, Pleasant Mills, 4 room house. Roy Johnson & Son, Aucts.

OCT. 12—Mrs. C. N. Brown, household goods, North High St., Geneva. Jeff Liechty, Auct.

OCT. 18—Ben J. Snyder, 4½ miles East and 1 mi. South of North Manchester, Ind. 50 Acre Farm with Fine Set of Improvements. 1:00 P.M. Midwest Realty Auction Co. J. F. Sanmann—Auct.

OCT. 16—A. Leigh Bowen, 313 W. Madison St., Decatur. Household goods. Jack Brunton, Auct.

OCT. 16—Edward J. Schmidt, 402 West Jackson St., Paulding, Ohio. Completely Modern 8 room home with Landscaped grounds. Midwest Realty Auction Co. J. F. Sanmann, Auct.

OCT. 18—Mr. & Mrs. Herman Westfall, 20 mi. N. of Richmond on 227. 80 acre farm and personal property. 10:30 a.m., farm at 1:30. Blair & Schieferstein, Aucts. Thru Kent Realty Co.

OCT. 19—Mrs. Lizzie E. Johnson, 3 miles South of Hicksville, Ohio on No. 19 then 2½ miles East. Livestock, Farm Machinery and Household Goods. Midwest Realty Auction Co. J. F. Sanmann, Auct.

OCT. 20—Gomer Beall, 3 miles East of Montpelier, Ind., on State Road No. 18, then 1 mile North. 25 Head of Fine Young Dairy Cattle. Full line of Power Equipment and Household Goods. Midwest Realty Auction Co. J. F. Sanmann, Auct.

## SOMEBODY SAY

## "FAST WARM-UP?"

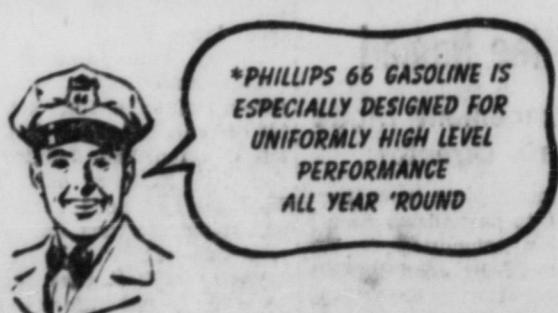


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Pilot Richard R. Olivere pours coffee for Stewardess Ruth Bender.



23 DC-3 survivors reach shore at Miami, Fla., in Coast Guard boat.

Berne Youth Files  
Suit For Divorce

Recently Sentenced  
Youth Asks Divorce

John Henry Sprunger, 21-year-old Berne youth who is rounding out the first month of a 90-day sentence for obtaining money under false pretenses, has filed a divorce suit in Adams circuit court.

The suit states that John and Mary Ruth Sprunger had been married since June 6, 1948, having separated September 10, the date of Sprunger's sentencing. Sprunger's occupation is listed as "student."

Cruel and inhuman treatment is the charge for which Sprunger is asking an absolute divorce. The suit alleges the "defendant associated and at the present time is associating with other men . . . that defendant fraudulently claimed to plaintiff that she had been married and divorced prior to their marriage; that after plaintiff and defendant were married plaintiff learned that defendant had never been married and was the mother of an illegitimate child."

The suit tells of a time, when he couple were residing temporarily in Indianapolis, that Sprunger

found his wife and another man in a compromising position in their home, and his wife and the man were said to have made a confession of their relations.

Sprunger charges that "defendant has pawned and sold much of plaintiff's personal possessions." Another charge is that Mrs. Sprunger had asked for money several times in order to make a trip from Indianapolis to Adams county to visit her husband, but each time had spent the money and failed to arrive.

D. Burdette Custer is attorney for the plaintiff. Having admitted "fleecing" Berne used car dealer Herman Wullman of \$3,100, Sprunger is serving a three months' sentence in the Adams county jail.

"Conveyance will be made by quit claim deed, title to be free and clear of all encumbrances except the lien of taxes not yet due and payable. Inasmuch as the land to be donated is a part of a larger tract, the company cannot deliver the abstract of title. However, we shall be glad to loan it to you for examination and you may of course secure a separate abstract at the expense of the city of Decatur if you see fit."

The deed shall not be delivered until the city of Decatur is ready to commence work on the construction of the plant, and the city of Decatur agrees that the plant will be completed with all reasonable speed thereafter.

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FRANKFORT, Oct. 5—(UP)—Some 12,000 American civilians working for the United States army in Germany today faced an annual pay cut of about \$10,000,000 by Jan. 1, 1949.

The slash was decreed in an executive order from President Truman eliminating the present 25 percent overseas salary differential.

Personnel officers estimated the average worker would lose \$1,000 annually.

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JOHN FOSTER DULLES, adviser to Governor Dewey on foreign affairs, talks to reporters at LaGuardia Field, New York, on return from United Nations General Assembly sessions in Paris. He flew back to confer with the Republican presidential candidate. (International)

## Drivers' Licenses

## Sales At New High

## Propose Different Tax On Automobiles

Indianapolis, Oct. 6—(UP)—More Hoosiers are buying drivers' licenses this year than ever before and soon they may pay less to operate their cars, state officials indicated today.

H. Dale Brown, director of the state bureau of motor vehicles, predicted that Indiana would pass the 2,000,000 mark in the sale of drivers' licenses by the end of the year. This, said Brown, would outnumber by some 400,000 the number of licensees sold in 1946-47.

Brown also expected more than 1,400,000 motor vehicle registrations.

Meanwhile, the Indiana highway users' conference yesterday approved proposed legislation to substitute an extra state tax for the present personal property tax on automobiles. The plan recently was proposed by the governor's tax study commission.

The IHUC called the proposed tax "a money-saver for the motorist" and a "money-saver for the state." Conference officials estimated that persons now pay an average tax of \$14.25 for passenger vehicles, in addition to their \$8 license fee. Under the suggested tax plan, they said, a tax of \$11 would be levied in addition to the license fee.

The IHUC explained that an estimated 500,000 vehicles at present escape personal property taxes. If Indiana drivers were required to pay the proposed tax when they paid for their licenses, the state would thereby receive additional revenue, officials said.

Brown said a record number of drivers' license purchases would bring in enough revenue to pay for operation of an auto licensing system inaugurated by the 1947 general assembly. Previously, state officials had planned to pay for the new program over a four-year period.

Two Indianapolis  
Policemen Injured

Indianapolis, Oct. 6—(UP)—Two city police patrolmen were reported in fair condition in a hospital today, victims of a collision between a city bus and a police emergency car which injured 18 persons.

The accident occurred during rush-hour traffic late yesterday afternoon at the intersection of Washington and Alabama streets near the heart of the capital city.

## CHURCH NEWS

Decatur Missionary

The Rev. Jared F. Gerig, speaking at the Bible conference at the Decatur Missionary church, will speak tonight on "The conflict of the ages." His topic Thursday at 7:30 p.m. will be "The glory of the gospel age." A special feature of his meeting will be the appearance of Rev. Gerig's brother, Prof. Ira Gerig, Bible Institute professor of music, who will lead the singing and offer piano selections.

## CITY COUNCIL

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by the city of Decatur.

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scaped and will be kept sodded and in good attractive condition.

"The exact location of the land and of the easements shall be determined by survey made at the joint direction of the city of Decatur and our engineers; the expense to be borne by the city of Decatur and removal of dirt shall be subjected to the direction of our engineers or their representatives."

Mayor Doan said the city was asked to have final plans for the sewage disposal plant ready by December 31, and not later than March 1, 1949.

Consoer & Townsend, engineers of Chicago, are preparing the plans for the sewer and disposal plant projects.

## DRIVERS'

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darting through uptown traffic before Christmas.

The students spend one hour in class and one hour on the road each



Rev. Jared F. Gerig  
October 5-10

Decatur Missionary Church  
Cor. 10th & Dayton  
Each Evening 7:30

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C. W. Kent—Sales Mgr.  
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Not Responsible in Case of Accidents.



POLICE AND FIREMEN rescue squad works frantically over unconscious Mrs. A. Nimmro as a Catholic priest, Father John G. Wilson, administers last rites at New York. She died, police say, when she lit in a suicide attempt exploded and blew her Peter Cope village apartment to smithereens. (International)

They are lucky enough to do their road work in a four-door 1949 Ford sedan, donated by W. E. Brant, of Brant motors, Inc.

Mr. Brant has received a certificate of award from the Chicago motor club "in appreciation of the public contribution rendered in the two states before the end of the school year, according to the driver training program at the De-

catur senior high school."

One hundred sixty schools in Indiana and Illinois added a driver training course to their curriculum, and an estimated 15,0