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With six weeks of summer left, in our humble opinion purchase of an automatic street sweeper at a cost estimated at near \$9,000 is about as necessary as equipping all city employees with snow shoes.

Every citizen is asked to read carefully the specifications to be written in the advertisement for bids for a street sweeper. Purpose of taking bids is to get competition in the bidding, so that a unit of government may get full advantage of price offered of all known types of equipment. Watch and see how many bids are finally submitted on different makes of an automatic street sweeper. The only one demonstrated here has been a Wayne. No one seems to know just what nearby cities have a similar sweeper or how long one will last. That \$9,000, could it be transferred, cut your tax 10 cents on the dollar!

A newspaper would be derelict in its duty, if it failed to call attention to the people of a proposed huge expenditure of money. The board of works has been authorized to advertise for bids for an automatic street sweeper for the city. The proposal is to purchase the equipment out of the parking meter fund. If that fund has built up such a big reserve, wouldn't it be more practical to transfer that money into the general fund and reduce everybody's tax rate about 10 cents? Why all the rush, with only a couple of months of summer left, to spend \$9,000 on strictly summer equipment? Why all the rush any way? We have gotten by in pretty fair shape for years and years with some boys and brooms. Almost always in an election year when there is a quick deal hatched up like the automatic street sweeper there is also a shadow of suspicion worth giving some thought to. Maybe the proper campaign slogan for the approaching election in Decatur should be "We're Ending The Spending With Cole."

We salute Ferd Klenk, Decatur business man and sportsman and his championship Federation baseball team. The players have accounted well for themselves and are now entering the final best of five series to determine the champion of the strong Federation league. These men from Adams county and the nearby area play a splendid brand of semi-professional baseball. They play the game because they love baseball and the desire to provide clean entertainment for the public. Ferd Klenk, long time sponsor of semi-pro sports in Decatur has produced some of northern Indiana's strongest baseball and basketball teams. A champion team is more than an advertisement for Mr. Klenk it is an advertisement and a decided asset for Decatur in general. The public should recognize that fact by turning out by the hundreds to see the play-offs.

An election to determine which Union will hold bargaining rights at the Decatur General Electric Co. plants will be held in Decatur August 31. At present there are two Union organizations planning an active campaign for that right. The U.E., which now holds the right is being challenged by the I.U.E., and there is a possibility that a third Union might also stage a campaign. A Union is the voice of the laboring man with management. A Union, to be successful must be fair and also firm. It must represent its clients well and still be big enough to see that there are two sides to every problem. We believe that the working personnel of General Electric is far above the national average in intelligence and we believe that every worker will use that intelligence when voting on August 31. We are sure he will vote for the Union which he believes will be best for him and we are sure that if every man and woman assumes that attitude, whatever the outcome of the election, the employees will be the victors.

20 Years Ago Today

August 19—Lloyd Bryan held up by a lone bandit and robbed of \$58, as he was about to enter his car parked near memorial hospital. The county tax rate for 1935 as proposed by commissioners is 64 cents, increase of four cents over the 1934 rate. The bodies of Will Rogers and Wiley Post are being returned by plane to Los Angeles today. J. Fred France, 74, native of Decatur and former clerk of Indiana supreme court, died Saturday at his Lake James cottage. J. A. Neumeier of Monroe is transferred to Terre Haute, where he will serve as an extra agent for the Pennsylvania railroad.

Household Scrapbook
BY ROBERTA LEE

Baking Fish

When it is desired that baked fish be particularly nice, try slipping two strips of clean muslin under the fish before laying it in the pan. The muslin acts as handles when removing the fish and will prevent breakage.

Cauliflower

Insects will get into the head of a cauliflower. Therefore, the cauliflower should be stood for a few minutes, head down, in a salt or vinegar solution.

Book Ends

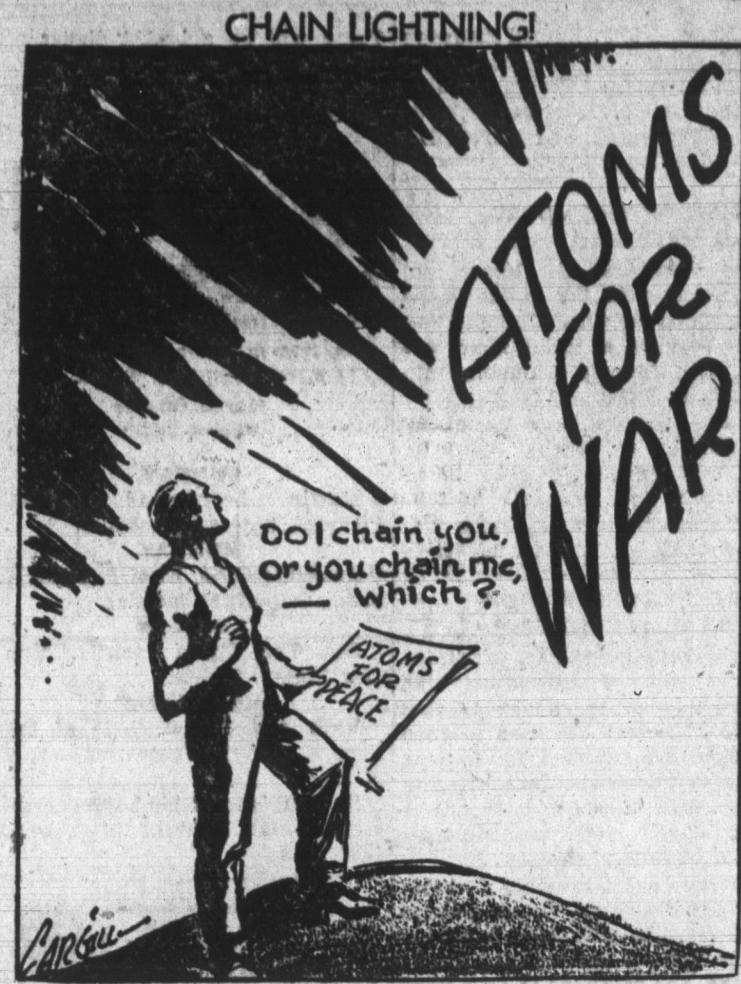
The book ends will not slip nor slide if a wide rubber band is glued on the bottom of each of the ends.

Modern Etiquette
BY ROBERTA LEE

Q. When you are having luncheon with several friends in a public place, and an acquaintance of your stops at your table for a few works, is it necessary that you introduce him to your companions?
A. This is not necessary.

Q. Does the father of a widow or divorcee, who is marrying for the second time, give her away?
A. Her father gives her away precisely as he did at the first marriage. And her family again assumes all expenses of the wedding, unless she prefers to meet them herself.

Q. When writing to an acquaintance who calls you "Mrs. Watson," how should you sign the letter?
A. As "Mary Watson."



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THE BOSS OF BROKEN SPUR

By Nick Summer

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PROGRAMS

(Central Daylight Time)

WKJG-TV (Channel 33)	WIN-T (Channel 15)
FRIDAY 6:00—Gateway To Sports 6:15—News, Jack Gray 6:30—Weather 6:35—Meadow Lark 6:45—News Caravan 7:00—Midwest Hayride 7:30—Life of Riley 8:00—The Best in Mystery 8:30—City Detective 9:00—Sports Reel 9:30—So This is Hollywood 10:00—The Weatherman 10:10—Sports Today 10:15—Ted Strasser, News 10:30—Wrestling 11:00—Armchair Theater	FRIDAY 6:00—The News, Hickox 6:10—The Weather, Hoyle 6:35—Sport Extra, Grossman 6:45—Teletalk 7:00—Douglas Edwards 7:30—Jules LaRosa 7:45—Disneyland 8:00—Break the Bank 8:30—Ray Milland Show 9:00—Undercurrent 9:30—Windows 10:00—Million Dollar Movie 11:30—Van Wert Country Review
SATURDAY 6:00—Sign-on Preview 6:15—Pinky Lee 6:30—Uncle Dave And Pete 6:45—Commando Cody 7:00—Meet Mr. Wizard 7:30—Trail Riders 7:45—Two Gun Playhouse 8:00—Film Feature 8:30—Musical Theater 8:45—Musical Moments 9:00—Wrestling 9:30—Soldiers of Fortune 9:45—Horace Heidt 10:00—The Soldiers 10:15—The Dunninger Show 10:30—Musical Chairs 10:45—Film Feature 11:00—And Here's The Show 11:15—Your Playtime 11:30—Guy Lombardo Show 11:45—The Lone Wolf 11:50—Armchair Theater	SATURDAY 6:00—DeKalb Review 6:15—Winky Disk 6:30—Mystery Mountain 6:45—The Big Top 6:55—Western Playhouse 7:00—Pre-game Foot 7:15—Tigers vs. White Sox 7:30—Broadway Theater 7:45—American Derby 8:00—Christopher 8:15—Big Picture 8:30—Beat the Clock 8:45—Greatest Bands 9:00—Two For The Money 9:15—Down You Go 9:30—T-V Top Tunes 9:45—Damon Runyon 10:00—Starlight Theater 11:00—DeKalb Review 11:15—This Is The Life 11:30—Fifth Fox Today 11:45—Super Circus 11:50—Kil Carion 12:00—Gene Autry 12:15—Annie Oakley 12:30—Private Secretary 12:45—Toast of Town 1:00—General Electric Theater 1:15—Stage 7 1:30—Appointment With Adventure 1:45—Starlight Theater
SUNDAY 6:00—Program Preview 6:15—This Is The Life 6:30—Youth Wants To Know 6:45—Catholic Hour 7:00—What's Your Trouble 7:15—Industry On Parade 7:30—Big Picture 7:45—Zoo Parade 8:00—People 8:15—Capt. Gallant 8:30—Cleo Hix 8:45—Roy Rogers 9:00—People are Funny 9:15—Prospectors 9:30—Columbia Variety Hour 9:45—At V Playhouse 10:00—Cameo Theater 10:15—Stage 7 10:30—World Greatest Fighters 10:45—Jimmy DeMarlet 10:50—Roy Cummings 11:00—News, Weather, Sports	SUNDAY 6:00—This Is The Life 6:15—Youth Wants To Know 6:30—Catholic Hour 6:45—What's Your Trouble 7:00—Industry On Parade 7:15—Big Picture 7:30—Zoo Parade 7:45—People 7:55—Capt. Gallant 8:10—Cleo Hix 8:25—Roy Rogers 8:40—People are Funny 8:55—Prospectors 9:10—Columbia Variety Hour 9:25—At V Playhouse 9:40—Cameo Theater 9:55—Stage 7 10:10—World Greatest Fighters 10:25—Jimmy DeMarlet 10:40—Roy Cummings 11:00—News, Weather, Sports

MOVIES

ADAMS THEATER

"Hells Island" Fri. at 7:00; 9:15; Sat. at 2:30; 4:30; 6:30; 8:30; 10:30.

"Love Me Or Leave Me" Sun. at 1:00; 2:15; 3:30; 4:45; 6:00.

DRIVE-IN THEATER

"Royal African Riffles" and "The Outcast" Fri. and Sat. at dusk.

"Lay That Rifle Down" and "The Vanquished" Sun. & Mon. at dusk.

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Red Probers
End Hearings
In New YorkMore Entertainment
World Witnesses
Balk At Questions

NEW YORK (INS) — The house un-American activities sub-committee ended its New York hearings on Communist infiltration in the entertainment world Thursday. Six witnesses appeared on the fourth day of the inquiry, but all balked at answering key questions regarding their association with Communism. Only one actor, George Hall,

among the 23 witnesses heard cooperated with the group headed by Rep. Francis Walter (D Pa.) The six Thursday carried on the thread of bickering, angry charges and immunity claims heard all week. Walter, after adjourning the final session and indicating that probably no hearings would be held until next year, told newsmen:

"I am sure the people of this community now have a picture of how innocent people are enlisted into the Communist conspiracy. The first witness at Thursday's hearing started what became six hours of unresponsive activity. Actor Alan Manson, asked whether he was ever a Communist, replied that such matters 'lie in a province that is hallowed and for which I fought in the army.'"

Manson, 36, was one of two witnesses testifying who had been named by Hall. The other was David Kanzer, 54, a production stage manager, who worked with Hall and Manson in "Call Me Mister."

Overweight Leads
To Poor Driving

STOCKTON, Calif. (INS) — Are you chronaxies sharp? If not, you'd better be extra careful driving your car — or else go on a diet.

You see, your chronaxies are your reflex exchange centers, a "switchboard" that regulates the speed of your reactions to things. Dull chronaxies mean slow reactions. What's diet got to do with it? Well, too much weight means dull chronaxies.

"There are three reasons why overweight people are under-average drivers," she said. They are clumsy behind the wheel; they get tired faster on long trips, and their chronaxies are dull and slow."

TOWNSHIP BUDGET FORM No. 3 (REVISED 1951)
Form Prescribed by the State Board of Accounts
NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS OF TAX LEVIES

In the matter of determining the tax rates for certain purposes by Union Township, Before the Township Advisory Board Adams County, Indiana.

Notice is hereby given the taxpayers of Union township, Adams County, Indiana, that the proper legal officers of said municipality, at their regular meeting place on the 30th day of August, 1955, will consider the following budget:

TOWNSHIP BUDGET CLASSIFICATION	Total Township Fund	Janitor Service	Transportation of Children	Water, Light, and Power	Contingencies	Miscellaneous	Total Special School Fund
TOWNSHIP FUND:	\$1,050	\$1,050	\$1,050	\$1,050	\$1,050	\$1,050	\$1,050
Office Rent	90	90	90	90	90	90	90
Clerk Hire	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
Travelling Expense	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
Expense Telephone Tolls	50	50	50	50	50	50	50
and Telegrams	50	50	50	50	50	50	50
Supplies, Printing	475	475	475	475	475	475	475
and Advertising	300	300	300	300	300	300	300
Pay of Advisory Board	300	300	300	300	300	300	300
Fire Truck	375	375	375	375	375	375	375
Miscellaneous	\$3,885	\$3,885	\$3,885	\$3,885	\$3,885	\$3,885	\$3,885
Total Township Fund	\$3,885	\$3,885	\$3,885	\$3,885	\$3,885	\$3,885	\$3,885
Tuition Fund	\$6,000	\$6,000	\$6,000	\$6,000	\$6,000	\$6,000	\$6,000
Pay of Teachers	15,500	15,500	15,500	15,500	15,500	15,500	15,500

ESTIMATE OF FUNDS TO BE RAISED

Funds required for expenses August 1, present year, to December 31, of ensuing year	Township Fund	Special Sch. Fund	Tuition Fund
1. Total Budget Estimate for Incoming Year	\$3,885	\$1,945	\$15,500
2. Necessary Expenditures to be made from Appropriations Unexpended July 31, of present year	1602	9663	15714
3. Additional Appropriations to be made August 1, to December 31, of present year	157		
4. Outstanding Temporary Loans to be paid before December 31, of present year, not included in Lines 2 or 3	4624	29208	35214
5. Total Funds Required (Add Lines 1, 2, 3 and 4)	1997	14385	11026
6. Actual Balance, July 31, present year	1016	4089	8556
7. Taxes to be Collected, present year (December Settlement)			
8. Miscellaneous Revenue, other than from Tax Levy to be received from August 1 of present year to December 31, of ensuing year. (See schedule in Trustee's Office)			
(a) Special Taxes (See Schedules)		4518	321
(b) All Other Revenue (See Schedules)		29322	20848
9. Total Funds (Add Lines 6, 7, 8a and 8b)	1611	5286	14358
10. Net Amount to be raised for expenses to December 31, of ensuing year	1190	4500	4600
11. Operating Balance (Not in excess of Expense January 1, to June 30, Less Miscellaneous Revenue for same period)	2711	9786	18359
12. Amount to be raised by Tax Levy			

Net Valuation of Taxable Property \$1,827,150

Number of Taxable Polls 127

Adjustment Factor 1

Funds Township Special School Tuition

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