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A Warning

Decatur's four school buses, operated privately, are not making a profit so far this year. During the first week, three of the four bus routes lost money. The new owner reports that most of the children walk every day, and only use the bus during bad weather, rain, snow, or sleet.

No private concern can afford to operate buses at a loss. If parents want the convenience of buses for their children on cold winter days, they have to expect to pay for it. That means regular weekly payments for the bus, not just bus-riding in cold weather.

Parents are quite likely to wake up with no buses for their children just when winter strikes if their children do not use them this fall. It is understood that the present bus owner is seriously considering dropping the line if the number of children riding does not pick up substantially this week.

Around About

Winchester, Dunkirk, and Gas City have been hard hit by a labor strike by the moldmakers of the American Flint Glass Workers Union. A five-column headline in the Portland paper earlier this week described how 43 moldmakers are on strike at Dunkirk, but other glassworkers are keeping the production there near normal. In Winchester, production at the city's two leading industries was substantially curtailed, crimping that city's economic picture. Hartford City's glass factories are not affected by the strike.

At Kendallville this week, Fort Wayne sewage treatment superintendent Paul L. Brunner congratulated that city for its unique position of having funds to pay for its new sewage treatment plant dedicated Sunday. Financing is usually the big problem, he said. He also pointed out that the charge of \$1 a month for sewage disposal to residential consumers was among the lowest anywhere. Kendallville used funds from the sale of its electric utility to pay for the sewage disposal plant.

The Blackford county convention for the discussion of the new school reorganization law will be September 16 in Hartford City. The Wells county convention was held last Thursday, September 10. Judge Byrd named Lloyd C. Lieurance, county superintendent of schools, superintendent of Bluffton, and Autie Lewis, Jefferson township trustee. A school board member from Rockcreek and Union consolidated will also be named. He asked the Farm Bureau, home demonstration clubs, and PTA associations in the county for recommendations.

PROGRAMS

Central Daylight Time

9:30—Treasure Hunt
10:00—P.T. on the Right
10:30—Concentration
11:00—Tic Tac Dough
11:30—It Could Be You

12:00—Farmers & Weather
12:15—Yesterday's Newsreel
12:45—Editor's Desk
1:00—It's Time To Dance
1:00—Queen For A Day

1:30—Blondie
2:00—Young Mr. Malone

2:30—These Roots

2:30—Truth or Consequences

3:30—County Fair

4:00—Burns and Allen

4:45—NBC News

Evening

5:30—Gatesway To Sports

6:00—The Jack Gray Show

6:30—The Weatherman

6:30—People Are Funny

7:00—Troubleshooters

7:30—The Pauses

8:30—M-Sound

8:30—NBC Western Theatre

9:00—Boxing

9:30—Night Bowling

10:00—City Doctors

10:30—News and Weather

10:45—Sports Today

10:50—The Best of Paar

WPTA-TV

Channel 21

THURSDAY

Evening

4:00—Fun 'N Stuff

7:15—Tom Atkins Reporting

7:30—Documentary Film

8:00—Zorro

8:30—Real McCoy

8:30—Leave It To Beaver

9:30—Rough Riders

10:00—Dakota Incident

11:00—Confidential File

FRIDAY

Morning

10:00—Mom's Morning Movie

11:00—Susie

Afternoon

12:00—Across The Board

12:30—Pantomime Quiz

1:30—The Big Bounce

1:30—Get Happy

2:00—Day In Court

2:30—Gale Storm

2:30—Beneath The Clock

3:00—Who's On Your Trust

4:00—American Bandstand

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