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## Vote Next Tuesday

Every registered voter in Decatur is urged to go to the polls next Tuesday and cast his or her vote on the question of the sale of Decatur's electric utility.

A low vote on Tuesday, regardless of the outcome, could mean that Decatur would go through the whole business for a fourth time.

But if everyone votes, regardless of the outcome, it will probably be considered final.

The question, argued over and over for two years, is, shall Decatur sell its electric utility to Indiana-Michigan for \$2,099,300?

The answer is yours to decide.

Proponents of the sale point out that both industry and the farmers are very dissatisfied with their power rates, and with their service; that even many city people get poor service, causing light bulbs and motors to burn out, or excessive rates; that the city has been able to do absolutely nothing to correct the situation.

Opponents of the sale, while most of them now admit that the city cannot continue to operate the steam and diesel plant, want to build a sub-station and purchase power from Indiana-Michigan.

Those favoring the sale point out that even if this were possible, it would be necessary to raise rates to do it, and that poor service and even higher rates for all groups would continue indefinitely until the plan would be completed.

Those favoring a "no" vote reply that they believe it can be done, despite engineering advice to the contrary.

Both sides agree that the argument has already lasted too long, and it is in the best interests of the city and community that it be settled by the vote next Tuesday.

Decatur can only progress when the local business and political situation is stable enough to encourage industry and workers to move here. It can never grow when neither business nor workers are left guessing as to what their electric rates will be, and whether good or indifferent service will be provided.

Why don't you help solve the problem by voting, and by encouraging your friends and relatives to vote next Tuesday, April 26, in the special power election?

## TV PROGRAMS

Central Daylight Time

## WANE-TV

Channel 15

THURSDAY

Evening  
6:00—Ames and Andy  
6:30—Tom Cullen News  
7:00—Sea Hunt  
7:30—To Tell The Truth  
8:00—Show Me The Month  
8:30—Edith Bowman  
10:00—CBS Reports  
11:30—Claudia And David

FRIDAY

Morning  
7:00—Peppermint Theatre7:15—CBS News  
8:15—Captain Kangaroo

9:00—Red Row Show

10:00—It's Time To Go

11:00—I Love Lucy

11:30—December Bride

Afternoon  
12:00—Love Of Life

12:30—Search For Tomorrow

12:45—Guiding Light

1:00—Ann Colby

1:30—As The World Turns

2:00—For Better or Worse

2:30—Housewives

2:45—The Millionaire

2:50—The Verdict Is Yours

4:00—Brighter Day

4:15—The Edge of Night

5:00—Dance Date

## WKJG-TV

Channel 33

THURSDAY

Evening  
6:00—Gateway to Sports

6:15—Lew's Jack Gray

6:30—The Weatherman

6:45—Yesterday's Newsreels

7:00—Law of the Plainsman

8:30—Bat Masterson

8:30—Bachelor Father

9:30—Tennessee Ernie Ford

10:00—You Bet Your Life

10:30—Mashups

11:15—Sports and Weather

11:30—Sports Today

11:45—Jack Parr Show

12:30—Continental Classroom

1:00—Cartoon Express

## WPTA-TV

Channel 21

THURSDAY

Evening  
6:00—Ames and Andy

6:30—Tom Cullen News

6:45—Doug Edwards News

7:00—Death Valley Days

7:30—Midnight

8:00—Playhouse 90

8:30—Twilight Zone

9:00—It's Time To Person

11:00—Phil Wilson News

11:15—The Lone Gun

12:30—They Met In A Taxi

## MOVIES

ADAMS

"Sink the Bismarck" Fri. at 7:00

"Last Angry Man" Fri. at 8:45

Institute Tuesday  
On Church Schools

The Associated Churches of Decatur are sponsoring a vacation church school institute for churches in Adams county and surrounding area. The institute will be held at the First Methodist church at 5th and Monroe streets Tuesday, from 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m.

The institute is planned to give practical help to all who plan to supervise, teach or help in the vacation Bible school. Some of the subjects to be covered are: lesson planning, daily program, resource materials, mission projects, games, songs and activities.

The following staff will conduct the class sessions: kindergarten, Mrs. James F. Thomas, Wanatah, a public school and laboratory school instructor; Mrs. Robert Lundy of New Paris, instructor in laboratory school and lesson material writer for the Evangelical and United Brethren denominations. Mrs. Lundy will conduct the primary class sessions. Juniors, Mrs. D. L. Niles of Russelville. The junior high section will be taught by the Rev. Gerald L. Wilson of Indianapolis. Rev. Wilson is director of CROP program for Indiana. These instructors are especially trained in vacation church school work.

This will be the only training institute in this area this spring. Churches of this area are encouraged to send all the teachers and workers. The cost is \$1 per individual, except those coming from the Associated Churches of Decatur, which is sponsoring the institute.

Lutheran Groups Plan  
Joint Meeting Sunday

A joint meeting of the Lutheran laymen's league and the Lutheran women's missionary league of circuit "A," Decatur zone, will be held Sunday at 8 p.m. at the Zion Lutheran church, Friedheim, route 1, Decatur.

Guest speaker for the evening will be Prof. Werner K. Wadewitz, presently an instructor at the Senior College, Fort Wayne. He will relate his experiences as a Lutheran missionary to Brazil. He was stationed at Porto Alegre, a city of a half million inhabitants. There he spent about ten years in the parish ministry and thence eleven years teaching at the Brazilian Concordia, a school which combines study on the high school, college and seminary level. Following the address, the Lutheran laymen's league and the Lutheran women's missionary league will conduct separate business meetings.

\$126 Million Drive  
Planned On Cancer

NEW YORK (UPI) — The Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center Wednesday night announced a \$126 million, five-year program in an all-out attack on cancer.

About \$6 million dollars will be provided by institutional income and grants and a 75th anniversary fund has been established to raise the remaining funds needed.

## COURT NEWS

## Estate Case

Schedule to determine inheritance tax was filed with reference to the county assessor in the Purl E. Davies estate.

## Venue Case

A complaint for damages case will be heard in Adams circuit court after both parties agreed to venue the case here from Allen county. The plaintiff, Claren V. Phillips, is asking \$10,000 for damages from the defendant, The Associates Industrial Loan Co., and others, because of an accident involving the plaintiff's wife. The suit claims that Mrs. Phillips fell on the tile floor in the offices of the loan company because of conditions permitted by the defendants.

## Divorce Case

A complaint for divorce was filed in the Otto Weber vs Mildred Weber case. A summons was ordered issued for the defendant, returnable May 4.

## COUPON

Evening  
6:00—Behind The Camera

9:15—Faith To Live By  
10:00—Dough Re Munch  
11:00—Price Is Right  
11:30—Concentration

Afternoon  
1:00—News with John Siemer  
1:15—Weather

12:15—Farms and Farming  
12:30—It Could Be You  
1:00—Show Me The Month  
1:30—Burns And Allen

2:00—Queen for a Day  
2:30—Loretta Young Theatre  
3:00—Dr. Johnson  
3:30—From These Roots

4:00—The Thin Man  
4:30—Bozo

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7:30—The Young and the Restless  
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