

"The Federal Government is in a better position than it ever has been to prevent that disastrous expansion and contraction of credit which in the past has made our economic life a succession of unhealthy booms and disastrous depressions."—Roosevelt.

THE POST-DEMOCRAT

"In the process of recovery we have well-nigh unanimous agreement in requiring the elimination of many of those evils in our national life without which true confidence cannot be made permanent."
—President Roosevelt.

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GANGSTERS RULE THE ROOST IN MUNCIE

Senator VanNuys Starts Drive on The Chain Stores

Washington Dispatch Declares Senator Will Offer Series of Amendments to Anti-Trust Laws That Will Protect Home-Owned Business From Encroachment of Big Monopolies—Has Been Giving Matter Deep Study.

Washington, Nov. 18.—Senator Frederick VanNuys intends to launch his attack on chain stores through a series of amendments to the anti-trust laws, rather than through additional taxation, he disclosed today.

These amendments will provide that data on sales to chains must be filed by manufacturers and producers with the Federal Trade Commission. Price discrimination would be banned.

The law will apply only to interstate commerce and thus is within the bounds of the Federal Constitution, VanNuys said.

Senator Issues Report

After several weeks studying the matter, the Senator today issued a report on his findings. He traced the greatest period of development of the chain systems to the last decade and pointed out that food and grocery chains now are credited with 44 per cent of the nation's business in these commodities.

"While the chain stores originally confined themselves to the larger cities, their most marked expansion during recent years has been in the smaller towns and country districts," VanNuys declared.

"The most casual investigation must lead to the conclusion that national chain store merchandising is developing to the point where it threatens to monopolize our retail trade and ultimately destroy the independent wholesaler and retailer."

Charges Price Concessions
Charging the chains with forcing price concessions in purchasing commodities, he continued:

"I get the following data from an independent Indiana wholesaler. This dealer pays 2 1/2 cents per cake for a certain nationally known product. The terms are net cash, no discount and no advertising allowance."

"A certain national chain pays 2 1/2 cents per cake, less 10 per cent discount and \$12,000 per month as an alleged advertising allowance."

Deplored secret rebates, advertising allowance and brokerage commissions, which, he says,

mean millions to the chains annually, the Hoosier Senator asserts that it is time for state and Federal governments to rescue the independent storekeepers.

Drafts Loophole Bills

Guided by the suggestions and recommendations of the FTC chain store investigation reports, he is drafting bills to close the loopholes in the Clayton Act.

"Among other proposed remedies, these bills will provide that all corporations which sell merchandise in interstate commerce to chain stores or their intermediaries, report to FTC the facts concerning prices, terms, discounts, allowances, quantities, grades, cost of production, selling and service," VanNuys explained.

"The commission will be authorized to order the modification or discontinuance of the terms of such sales if found to be unfair or unreasonable. This provision adds strength to Section 2 of the Clayton Act."

"The provisos of Section 2, however, place a very serious handicap on the effectiveness of such section. In effect, they legalize discrimination in price on account of difference in the grade, quality or quantity of the commodity sold or where such discrimination makes only due allowance for difference in the cost of selling or transportation or is made in good faith to meet competition."

To Strike Out Proviso

"Through the loophole of this proviso, it has been almost impossible to meet competition."

No News Now

Evangelist Adams the colored preacher-editor, is still in jail, in default of \$1,500 bond.

He was arrested a week ago at the request of a deputy attorney general for selling stock in a newspaper venture to an invalid widow without obtaining the necessary permit from the state securities commission to market stock shares.

His original bond of \$3,000 was reduced to \$1,500 and he is said to be somewhat pained over the neglect of his patron saint, Mayor Bunch, to arrange for his release.

Dr. Davis, the colored member of the mayor's board of health, is one of the incorporators of the "Good News," the alleged newspaper which supported the mayor so ardently in his campaign last year.

During the editor's temporary incarceration the "Good News" has suspended publication, so the good news, which became bad news is now no news at all.

The Reverend Adams, confined in the stone jug, now feels the sting of ingratitude. His friend, the mayor, who once introduced him to a United States senator as the editor of "our" Democratic newspaper, has not come to his rescue.

Every man is entitled to a defense when he is charged with a crime and the colored editor rather objects to remaining in jail until his trial is called, when the mere signing of a bond would give him temporary freedom, at least.

The imprisoned editor, who once shouted the praises of the mayor, has discovered that fair-weather political bedfellows are not to be relied upon when he sky becomes dark.

It has been suggested that a cross-complaint, alleging breach of promise, might be an adequate defense.

QUIET, PLEASE
Diner—Does your orchestra do any request playing?

Orchestra Leader—Yes, sir, we play request numbers at almost every meal.

Diner—Then will you please play dominoes until I finish my dinner?

Report Gives Former City Controller Lester Holloway Fine Record

Examination By State Board of Accounts Discloses That His Five Years of Public Office Under the Dale Administration Was One of Faithful Stewardship to the People of Muncie; Special Report Shows All Records Balance.

Final reports on the records and various funds handled in the city controller's office were filed in the department of the State Board of Accounts on November 6th giving former Controller Lester E. Holloway a clean slate for his five years in public office under the Dale administration. The reports as filed covered examinations of the civil city accounts under supervision of the city controller, the bond and coupon redemption account which is used by the controller to pay city bonded indebtedness, the improvement funds collected by the controller, and the sinking fund commission of which the controller is secretary.

The reports were prepared by Field Examiners Frank Deutch and E. H. Pritchard and covered the year of 1934, ending December 31st. The financial statement disclosed by the examination show a total of receipts into the various funds of the civil city during 1934 to have been \$658,388.77. The balance in these funds at the beginning of last year amounted to \$33,211.92. The disbursements from the general fund, the park fund, the gasoline, city planning, sinking and aviation funds totalled \$689,040.79. The remaining balance in these funds at the close of the year amounted to \$2,559.90, which corresponds with the remaining balance of these funds as kept by the city treasurer.

Special Report.
A special report was attached to the detailed examination showing that all records were in balance at the close of the year and that all records were properly kept. The bond and coupon redemption account as examined showed the retirement of city bonds in the amount of \$43,500 during 1934, the payment of interest coupons totaling \$11,538.16 for the same period of time, and the disbursement of \$20.58 for interest on delinquent bonds. The balance as reported in this fund by the examination amounted to \$1,680.33 which was reconciled by cash in the banks. This report lists the outstanding bonded indebtedness of the civil city as of December 31, 1934 at \$29,485.01.

Examination of the Improvement (Continued On Page Six)

TID BITS

A Canadian farmer after months of training, succeeded in breaking a pair of short horn calves to work to harness, so we are told, all of which reminds us, that when a farmer in this country tries to break a pair of calves to work in harness, he is often "honored" into a divorce court.

There is nothing the average woman loves to talk about so much as her "operation," except, of course, it is to explain how she dangled in mid-air on a pair of forceps in the hands of the dentist who extracted her teeth.

It took Ex-President Hoover six years, four years as President, and two years after he quit the White House, to discover that there were "eleven points" he might have used to stamp out the depression, had he remembered to use them.

Ministers of the Gospel are beginning to complain, that many of the prayers offered up in church these days, are to "Father Townsend," requesting him to send them 200 "bucks" a month.

Mark Twain was until recently, the greatest humorists the world has ever known. Then along comes Ex-President Hoover with his "eleven" jokes and thirteen puns, and everybody is doing a (Continued On Page Six)

Outlaws Have Everything Their Own Way in Our Peaceful Little Village

Attorney-General



PHILIP LUTZ, JR.

Whenever the State of Indiana gets tangled up in a law-suit or any state officer wants to know the meaning of the law, Philip Lutz, Jr., attorney general, is the man upon whom he relies. He is the legal counselor for every state official and department and with the aid of his staff of deputies is the trial court lawyer. Whether it's pleadings in the latest D. C. Stephenson case or defense of orders of the various state boards and commissions, Mr. Lutz must be prepared to serve without prospect of a handsome fee. Sometimes it is the liquor law, again the banking law, then public service commission orders or industrial board rules. Before a law is passed, the Governor checks with the Attorney general to see whether the proposal is constitutional. There's no end to the jobs this state officer is given to perform. But Mr. Lutz is equal to the task. He is a native of Booneville and a graduate of the Indiana University School of Law. (Continued On Page Six)

Three Stick-Ups, One Hit and Run Killer and One Rapist Do Their Stuff and Get Away As Usual—Bandit Working in Day-Light Uses Sawed-Off Shot Gun in Loan Company Office.

The reign of terror continues unabated in Muncie. A stick-up bandit invaded two homes Tuesday night and a yegg with a sawed-off shotgun, pulled a wild west performance in a loan office Thursday afternoon. Thursday night a white woman was raped in Whitely by an unknown negro, according to police reports.

One night early in the week a hit and run driver ran over a boy on West Twelfth street and the youth is hovering between life and death in the hospital.

As seems to be the invariable case of late, the offenders were not apprehended by the police.

Stick 'Em Up!

Tuesday night shortly before 10 o'clock a short, heavy set bandit knocked at the front door of the home of Raymond Jolly, 30 Orchard Place. Mr. Jolly opened the door and slammed it suddenly shut when the intruder pointed a pistol at him.

Mr. Jolly grabbed a wicker basket and slammed it through the glass in the upper part of the door and the bandit retreated. About a half hour later a man of the same description knocked at the front door of the home of Dr. Watt N. Shroyer, dentist, 305 Ashland Ave.

When Dr. Shroyer opened the door the man covered him with a 45 automatic. Shroyer stepped back in the living room where his father-in-law, D. E. Hausknecht was sitting.

Still pointing his pistol the bandit searched his victims and secured a wallet containing \$80. The outlaw then backed away and disappeared. The robbery was reported at once to police headquarters, but it remains one more unsolved mystery.

Sawed Off Shotgun

About 4:45 Thursday afternoon a bandit answering a description wholly different from the fast workers operating here lately entered the office of the Indiana Loan Company, 357 Johnson block, and leveling a sawed off shotgun at Donald G. Smith, demanded \$1,000. Bert Work, manager, sitting at his desk in an inner office, heard the demand and stepped out. Just then two customers entered the front office and the would-be robber lost his nerve and skipped out.

The man was believed to be an amateur. He was described as be-

ing about 50 years of age and heavy set. He probably needed a little Christmas money and reading how easy it is to get it here at the point of a gun, started out to emulate the example of the long man and the short man.

The police seem to be perfectly helpless in the face of the most impudent and flagrant exhibitions of lawlessness and all-around thuggery in the history of the city. People do not feel safe in their homes and business men do not know what hour of the day or night they may find themselves looking into the muzzle of a cannon.

Bloodthirsty Editor

An ambattled Muncie editor, commenting on the situation, advises the victims to shoot to kill. It's a comparatively safe matter to shoot with a typewriter, but shooting a gunman who has the drop on you is an entirely different matter.

Therefore the Post-Democrat hardly endorses this gory solution of what is really a serious matter.

Muncie is hiring a mayor and a police force to do their shooting for them. We have the largest force of policemen of any city of our size in the state of Indiana, but crime seems to increase along with the increase in the number of cops.

There are some here who have the audacity to insist that it is more important to protect the homes, he lives and the property of Muncie citizens than it is to use the entire strength of the city administration to see that some fellow gets to sell beer.

"Gee whiz," remarked one citizen, "if the crowd I saw lighting out for Wells county one day last (Continued On Page Six)

WHY PICK ON HOOVER

Since no Republican newspaper in America seems courageous enough to come to the front in behalf of Herbert Hoover, it seems, that as usual it is up to the Post-Democrat to fly to the rescue of the under dog.

In the first place Hoover is the logical candidate for president on the Republican ticket next year.

Hoover, better than any other man in America, is distinctly the apostle of the old order, and upstarts like Colonel Knox and Alf Landon, who strive to straddle the horse as arch enemies of Roosevelt and the New Deal, are merely faint shadows of the Real Thing.

Former President Hoover gave a radio talk one night recently, and he voiced his objections to Roosevelt so forcibly, and with coverage so complete, that others of the Old Guard should retire from the field.

If the Republican party is to stand by the principal avowed by its leaders, that of rejecting every policy advocated by the present national administration, then it would be the height of ingratitude for the grand old party to turn thumbs down on Hoover and cast flirtatious eyes in the direction of some other.

And besides Mr. Hoover has mathematics in his favor. He promulgates a eleven-point program of rehabilitation. At Indianapolis Monday night Col. Knox came through with a measly four-point proposal.

Thus anyone with the slightest aptitude for ciphering can figure it out himself. Hoover wins hands down over Knox with a margin of seven points to spare.

The Post-Democrat announces Hoover the winner on points. And we are violating no confidence in asserting that the former President has an unlimited supply of points up his sleeve, ready to be released in the event that some other vain and ambitious person should attempt to raise the bet to three chickens in the pot instead of one.

It is doubtful that Governor Landon, the Kansas white hope of the grass root contingent, will get much further than the three point two stage. The betting is on Hoover, who has points to burn and an unlimited supply of imaginary poultry to heave in the pot in the 1936 sweepstakes offering.

The first page of the Star was adorned Tuesday by a likeness of Mr. Hoover fanfully facing the camera at the fifteenth anniversary dinner of the Ohio society in New York City. By his side sat Franklin R. Coates, president of the society.

Both were looking pleasant, as befits lenshounds, their beaming countenances protruding from vast expanses of shirt-front.

But why, in the name of all that is wonderful, did President Coates wear his assafetoida bag outside of his shirt, instead of having it neatly tucked inside, as is the invariable custom in the best of society?

City Hall Crowd Drives to Wells Co. For John Gubbins

Broke Up Hunting Party to High-Pressure the Governor's Secretary — Bob Parkinson Gets a Quail Up His Pants Leg—Dogs Didn't Like the Disturbance.

The executive secretary of Governor McNutt went hunting one day last week. He was accompanied by the state chairman of the Democratic party. Wells county was chosen as the hunting grounds of the Democratic cogs in the political wheel of the Hoosier state.

Pleas Greenlee and Omer Jackson wanted to get away from the grind of listening to commands, demands, requests and sobs, for one day at least, and shoot to their hearts' content, and in any direction they pleased, without running the chance of filling some job seeker's hide with chilled shot.

Made a Mistake

But they made the mistake of driving through Muncie on their way to Wells county. Vigilant sleuths reported that they had passed through without nodding in the direction of the city hall and a pursuit squad was soon organized.

For the moment such relatively unimportant matters as payroll shortage, interpreting sewers, city planning and street widening were forgotten. John Gubbins wanted a wholesale permit to sell beer in Delaware county, so the city hall was evacuated and the hunters became the hunted.

The Roll of Honor

Two automobiles were soon dashing madly in the direction of

Wells county. Those occupying the cars were:

Mayor Rollin H. Bunch.

City Controller Hubert L. Parkinson.

City Clerk Linton Ridgeway.

City Engineer Arthur K. Meeker.

Chief of Police Frank Massey.

State Representative Fred Rowley.

County Chairman Earl Tuhey.

Chief Massey knew the "lay of the ground" in Wells county, and being the only real hunter in the crowd was recruited somewhat unwillingly, it is reported, to lead the soldiers to the happy hunting grounds.

Greenlee and his party, peacefully tramping the fields behind a

brace of well trained bird dogs, had no thought of rude interruption. "There she blows," whispered one of the hunters as the dogs stopped on dead "point."

The hunters moved up quietly, as hunters will, with the intention of wading into the covey and firing at the winged lightning on the getaway.

Just then somebody glanced around. A group of determined men were madly rushing toward them.

Dogs Will Be Dogs

The dogs looked annoyed, as dogs will, at such tense moments, when they are rudely interrupted while working honestly at their trade.

The invaders were moving so rapidly that they ran over the dogs and came to a halt in the exact center of the covey of quails. The birds promptly went away from here—all but one, which carelessly flew up Bob Parkinson's pants leg and died of grief and humiliation.

The pursuit squad then came to a steady "point" on Pleas Greenlee, and a mighty voice boomed out these words or words to their broad general effect:

"You are gazing on the Democratic party of Muncie and Delaware County and Democracy and the New Deal will stutter, stagger and fall if John Gubbins doesn't get a beer license. So what?"

His Day Off

Sorry, but this is my day off. (Continued On Page Six)

AUTO LICENSE PLATES GO ON SALE DEC. 9TH

District Meetings Will be Held For Instruction Purposes.

Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 20.—Automobile license plates for 1936 will go on sale at all license bureau branches December 9, according to announcement today by Frank Finney, commissioner of the Bureau of Motor Vehicles.

Preparatory to sale, a series of district meetings will be held for the purpose of instructing bureau managers on the Acts of the 1935 general assembly, and on procedure under the new system installed in the auto license department. The meetings will be attended by Mr. Finney, Halie Myers, hearing judge; Ben Friedman, title clerk, and the three field auditors of the bureau.

"These meetings are being held for the benefit of patrons in order that our record of prompt and courteous service shall be speeded up this year," Mr. Finney said.

He pointed out the effect of several new laws and said that bureau managers would be fully instructed on the provisions of these laws.

"Applications will be mailed to patrons as last year, and they are urged to take prompt action to obtain license plates, as December 31 will be the last day on which 1935 plates may be used," Finney said.

Dates for district meetings are as follows: Indianapolis, Friday, November 15; Ft. Wayne, Monday, November 18; LaPorte, Tuesday, November 19; Logansport, Wednesday, November 20; Madison, Monday, November 25; Jasper, Tuesday, November 26; Bloomfield, Wednesday, November 27.

CITY BUYS ANOTHER PARK

The public is somewhat confused concerning the reported purchase, by the city, of thirteen acres of land in the southwest part of the city, for park purposes.

According to the published announcement, the land was purchased of Joe Meredith, the price being \$5,200.

It was stated that the city paid \$1,000 down and gave a mortgage for the balance and that the Whitely fund was drawn upon to make the down payment.

There is no record in the auditor's office of a transfer of the land to the city nor is any statement forthcoming as to the course of procedure that was followed in authorizing the city to execute a mortgage on real estate for land to be used for park purposes.

In the absence of definite information it is assumed that the balance due will be met and the deferred payments made by using the income from the securities held in trust through the terms of the will of the late Burt Whitely, to liquidate the indebtedness.

The Whitely will named the People's Trust company as the trustee, but when that institution passed on, the obligation was transferred to the Delaware County National Bank, which closed in 1933 when the President declared a bank holiday, and failed to reopen. The securities and the administration of the trust then went in the hands of the Merchants National bank.

The will gives the city no control or ownership whatever over the securities but the interest, payable semi-annually, is given to the park board, in perpetuity, to be used for certain clearly defined purposes, with the stipulation that the expenditures shall be made for any purpose already defined by budgetary provisions.

The will sets forth that the donor desired the money to be spent for such park improvements as zoological specimens, horticultural additions, recreational equipment, or "for any other purpose" necessary in the eyes of the park board.

The will says nothing whatever about the money being spent for the acquisition of park lands, and it is probable that nothing was farther from the mind of the late Mr. Whitely than the thought of an additional real estate investment when he wrote the will.

It seems however that the words "for any other purpose" have been construed literally.

The semi-annual interest payments are about \$750 each, payable January 1 and July 1, thus in about three years, if the Whitely securities retain their earning power, the new "park" will be paid for.

It will be remembered that the Hampton administration bought "park" land on Jackson street, just west of the bridge, which set the city back \$15,000 for an unsightly bunch of old shacks that were evaluated for taxation purposes at \$2,150.

What! THANKSGIVING already?

When there's a "free lunch" in the barnyard twenty-four hours a day, it's time for Ole Man Turk to watch his neck! Easy victuals—like easy money—may foretell the beginning of the end. The wise Turk eats in moderation, to keep his figure—and his head!

Wise diners, too, eat in moderation—even on such feast days as Thanksgiving. Or, if the fop is just too tempting to resist, they try to balance their diet. Since the alkaline reaction of fresh fruit juices tends to offset the ill effects of heavier foods, natural, uncooked Hawaiian pineapple juice, served as an appetizer or used in a fruit salad or dessert dressing such as this below will aid marvelously in the digestion of that Thanksgiving dinner.

by
BETTY
BARCLAY

Turkey Ring
2 cups sliced mushrooms or stems
2 tablespoons butter
1½ cups chopped turkey
1½ cups chopped veal
¾ cup diced celery
2 tablespoons chopped parsley
3 tablespoons quick-cooking tapioca
¾ teaspoon salt
Dash of pepper
¾ teaspoon onion juice
¾ cup stock or milk
Creamed mushrooms

Sauté mushroom stems in butter; combine with remaining ingredients in order given. Turn into well-greased ring mold and bake in hot oven (450° F.) 30 minutes, or until done. Let stand 2 minutes before removing from mold. Unmold and fill center with creamed mushrooms. Or (fill center) with any desired creamed vegetable or combination of vegetables. Serves 6.

Creamed Mushrooms
2½ cups quartered mushroom caps
2 tablespoons butter
2 tablespoons flour
¾ cup stock
¾ cup top milk
¾ teaspoon salt
Dash of pepper
2 teaspoons Sherry

Prepore mushroom caps and sauté in butter until tender. Add flour and stir until smooth; add gradually stock and milk and cook until thickened, stirring constantly. Season with salt and pepper. Just before serving, add Sherry and turn into center of turkey ring. Makes about 2 cups.

Dessert or Salad Dressing
¾ package cream cheese
1 cup whipping cream
1 teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon paprika
1 cup Hawaiian pineapple juice
Few drops lemon juice

Work cheese to a smooth paste, add gradually the cream, salt, paprika and pineapple juice. Just before serving, beat well and add the lemon juice.

This is a delicious dressing for fruit salads. One tablespoon chopped walnuts may be added just before serving, if desired.

And while we are talking about Thanksgiving dinner, here are a few additional suggestions that will tend to make your meal this year particularly delicious and decidedly "different":

Brazil Nut Stuffing
2 minced onions
¾ cup melted butter
2 cups sliced Brazil nuts
Salt and pepper
Sage or other herbs
8 cups soft bread crumbs

Mince onions and cook two minutes in the butter. Mix nuts and seasoning with bread crumbs and stir into butter. Cook two minutes more, stirring constantly. If a moist stuffing is desired, add a little water. This stuffing is enough for a ten-pound turkey.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS OF PERRY TOWNSHIP

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned that an emergency exists for a meeting of the Township Advisory Board of Perry Township, Delaware County, Indiana, to make appropriations of additional amounts of money for expenditures for said Township during the current year of 1935, as follows; to-wit:

Fund No. 22, Repair of Bldgs. and care of grounds—\$150.00.
Fund No. 24, School Furniture and Equipment—\$300.00.
Fund No. 25, School Supplies—\$75.00.
Fund No. 26, Janitor Supplies—\$25.00.

And that a meeting of the Township Advisory Board of said Township and the trustee thereof, will be held at the office of said Township Trustee at his residence in the said Township of Perry, on the 2nd day of December, 1935 at 7:30 p. m. of said day, at which time said appropriations will be considered.

R. N. Carmichael,
Trustee of Perry Township.
(Nov. 22 & 29)

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS OF HEARING ON APPROPRIATIONS

In the matter of the passage of certain ordinances by common council of the City of Muncie, Indiana, Delaware County, providing for special appropriation of funds.

Notice is hereby given taxpayers of the City of Muncie, Indiana, Delaware County, that a public hearing will be in the City Hall, Muncie, Indiana, on the 2nd day of December, 1935, at 7:30 o'clock p. m. on ordinance making special and additional appropriations.

An ordinance authorizing the borrowing of the sum of \$70,000 as a temporary loan in anticipation of current revenue of the City of Muncie, Indiana, actually levied in the year 1935, and to be collected in the year 1936; and now in the course of the collection for the year 1936 for the general fund of said city, and ordering and directing the execution of the notes of said city evidencing the same designating the manner in which said notes should be sold, and providing for bidders thereon.

An ordinance authorizing the borrowing of \$10,000 as a temporary loan in anticipation of current

Be Meals

By BETTY BARCLAY

Brazil nuts seldom lie around too tempting they, by far. You nibble at them till they're gone from nut dish, bag or jar.

But when perchance you have a few Or a fresh purchase make, Don't eat them raw, delight your guests With this delicious cake.

Sandwiches, cake and coffee have always been the principal foods for a light lunch. No doubt they will continue to be served for generations to come. However, women who have reputations as hostesses vary their sandwiches and cake so that their luncheons are looked upon as "decidedly different." Nut cakes will be very popular this season. Those made with Brazil nuts certainly will be "different." The following cake is entitled to "DECIDEDLY different."

Brazil Nut Cake

2 cups ground Brazil nuts
6 eggs
¾ teaspoon salt
1 cup sugar

Grind the nuts (1½ cups or shelled nuts or about ½ pound) and mix with sugar and salt. Beat egg yolks until foamy and beat in sugar and nut mixture. Beat thoroughly and fold in beaten egg whites. Pour into 3 greased 8-inch layer cake pans. Bake in a moderate oven, 350 degrees F., for 30 minutes. Or pour mixture into a greased 8½ inch tube pan or spring form and bake in a slow oven, 325 degrees F., for 20 minutes; raise the temperature to 375 degrees F. for 10 minutes and then decrease heat to 325 degrees F. for 10 minutes.

revenue of the City of Muncie, Indiana, actually levied in the year 1935, and to be collected in the year 1936, and now in the course of collection for the year 1936, for the general fund of the department of public parks of the City of Muncie, Indiana, and ordering and directing the execution of notes of time warrants of said city, evidencing the same and designating the manner in which the said notes of time warrants should be sold, and providing for bidders thereon.

Taxpayers appearing shall have the right to be heard thereon. After the special appropriations have been decided upon by the Council, ten or more taxpayers, feeling themselves aggrieved by such appropriations may appeal to the state board of tax commissioners for further and final action thereon by filing a petition therefore with the county auditor not later than ten (10) days from the date of the final action of said council and the state board of tax commissioners will fix a date of hearing in this city.

COMMON COUNCIL,
of City of Muncie, Indiana,
Linton Ridgeway, City Clerk.
Nov. 22 & 29.

NOTICE

To the Taxpayers of Center Township, Delaware County, Indiana: You are hereby notified that the Advisory Board of Center Township, Delaware County, Indiana, on the 5th day of December, 1935, at 7:30 o'clock p. m., will hold a public hearing at the office of the Trustee of said Township in the Community Building, 1128 South Mulberry Street, in the city of Muncie, Indiana, to determine whether or not an extraordinary emergency exists for the following additional appropriations in addition to the sums heretofore

YOUR CHILD AND THE SCHOOL

By Dr. ALLEN G. IRELAND
Director, Physical and Health Education
New Jersey State Department of Public Instruction

At Bat

When parents want something really serious and important to ponder, think of a boy's baseball game. There's no subject more profound.

The truth of that you will have to discover for yourself by analysis. I can't do it in the space at my disposal. Nor can you prove it, if you're an adult, by playing the game. Adults play for fun. They re-create. Boys work at it. To them baseball is serious. There's all the difference in the world.

Look into the face and the eyes of a boy standing at home plate when the bases are filled and a hit means winning the game. Try to imagine what's going on inside. What a situation! Pitcher against batter. Skill against skill. Wits against wits.

No fooling there. But a real case of "delivering the goods." He's got to "come through." It's no time to say "Gee, fellows, I gotta go home, my mother wants me." No quitting under fire. No alibis. No faltering. Just nerve, concentration, giving every bit of one's self. Such are the times when character is born and tried. If he tries, that is all the boys ask. He may not hit the ball, but if he did his best, he passed the test. He's got the "stuff." He's a good material for shaping into a man.

Are bare feet dangerous? Dr. Ireland will discuss some facts and fallacies about them in his next article.

UNUSUAL FACTS REVEALED

—by "Movie Spotlight"

Richard Cromwell never wants to see, smell, or taste another fish! During the filming of wharf scenes in "Unknown Woman" Dick was swamped in fish. P.S.—He stood aces high with stray cats!



Marian Marsh encountered her greatest thrill when she stood on the top of a hazardous glacier in Switzerland.

At the Columbia Studios when they say get that punk, no insults are in order, but just a call for the assistant cameraman.

appropriated for the current year.

Special School Fund
Budget Item 22
Repair of buildings and care of grounds \$ 100.00
Special School Fund
Budget Item 25
School Supplies 500.00
Special School Fund
Budget Item 33
Transportation, children 1500.00
Tuition Fund
Budget Item 36
Pay of teachers 500.00
CARL E. ROSS,
Trustee, Center Township,
Delaware County, Indiana.
Brady & Watson,
Attorneys.
Nov. 22 & 29.

WENT JOHNNY ONE BETTER

A lady was entertaining a visitor who possessed an abnormally large nose. Time and again she saw her small son eyeing it curiously. Time and again she cut short some

innocent juvenile comment on the protruberance with a frantic, well-judged "Sh-h-h, Johnny, little boys should be seen and not heard!" Finally, to her intense relief, the nurse appeared and ushered the child into the nursery.

With a happy smile, the hostess turned to her guest and said: "And now, Mr. X, will you have one or two lumps with your nose?"

THE LORD UNDERSTOOD

A man had a wife who was of a very scrappy order, in spite of the fact that she ate enough for three harvest hands. Not long ago she "up and died on him," as he expressed it.

TRUE—BUT WHERE

A happy home is where your wife asks you how to pronounce a difficult French word, and then accepts your interpretation of it without question.

Everyday Cooking Miracles

BY FRANCES WEEDMAN

Director Hotpoint Electric Cookery Institute

It may be a tiny tot, it may be the father of the tiny tot, or it may be both that your cooking efforts cater to, but, whoever it is, they will like custard. Plain or fancy, don't you find yourself rustling up a custard every few days so as to please some well-guided appetite? Of course you do, and perhaps, sometimes, it's only pure devotion that makes you bring out the old

dinner while you're gone, to making cakes in an unpreheated oven now adds "double boilerless" cookery to its list of cooking miracles. And that feat is accomplished by the heat-controlled surface units of the miracle electric range.



For instance, when you turn the control switch to Low you get low heat, and very low heat at that; you get heat which is measured, heat

double boiler and heat it up to set the stage properly for the making of the custard. Yes, making a soft custard is usually a bit o' bother, but it is a health and appetite promoter; it is an indispensable delicacy—one which should be served in every home!

Taking the "Cuss" Out of Custard

Here's good news, then, for the custard makers of America—at last here's a way to take the "cuss" out of custard making! And three cheers for the new automatic electric range which really turns the trick. Perhaps you know, or perhaps you've guessed that it's the double boiler that's been completely given the "go-by." Now you can make custard in a saucepan right over the surface heat unit of the electric range without any worries at all, and without much stirring, too. It's a real cooking miracle which you can see and carry out right in your very own kitchen!

Yes, the same electric range which does most everything from cooking

which is constantly maintained, heat which is consuming a minimum amount of electrical heat units. Therefore, the old double boiler method of regulating the heat when making a custard is no longer necessary.

Since custards are so good for children and grownups, too, since custards are so well liked by almost everyone, since custards may now be made with so little trouble the new electric range way, you'll want to treasure this miracle recipe.

Soft Custard

2 eggs 3 tablespoons sugar
2 cups milk 1 tablespoon vanilla

Mix eggs, milk, sugar, and vanilla thoroughly together. Pour into a saucepan. Place on surface unit. Cook on Low heat until custard thickens, stirring occasionally, during the cooking. If prepared, milk may first be scalded on Low heat and the eggs gradually beaten into the hot milk.

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You may get honked at a little by impatient drivers behind you but if you never start to cross a traffic light until the green is on full and you are sure no maniac is "hell-belling" out of the cross street you may live to dandle your great grandchildren on your knee and let them play with your long white beard.

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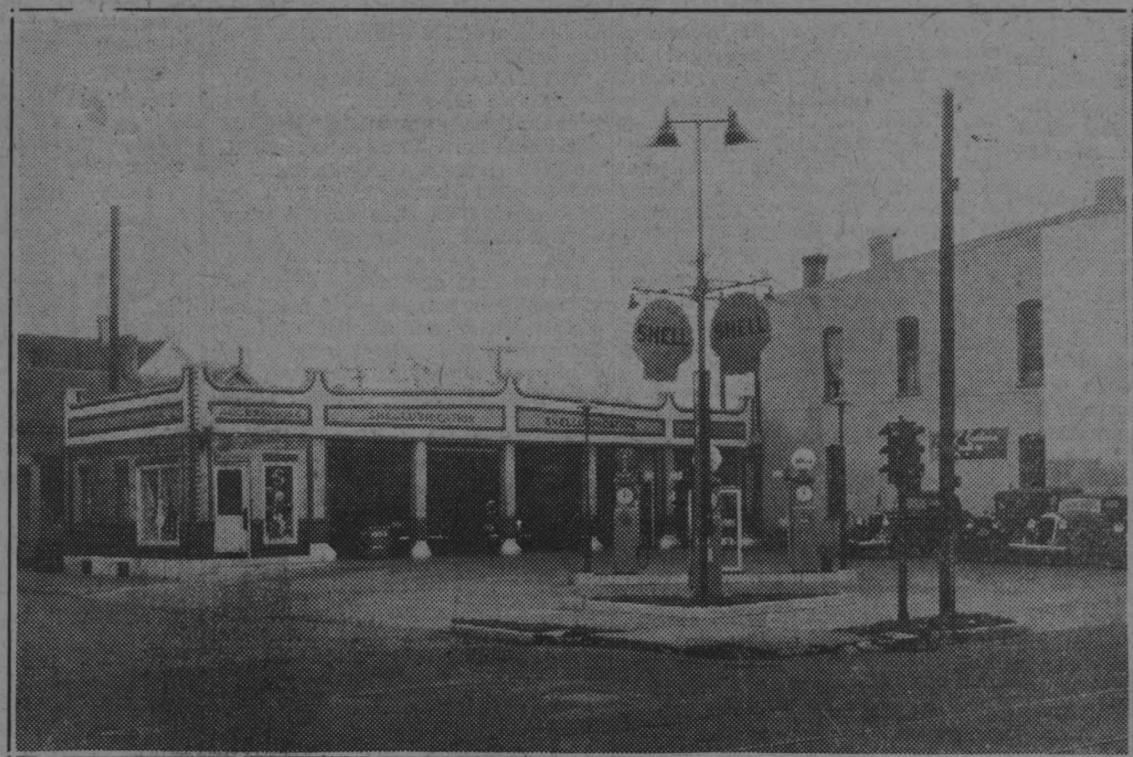
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This page will appear once each week for twenty weeks, with one or more misspelled words in the ads each week. To the contestant who finds the most misspelled words in these ads, and writes the best essay of not more than 50 words on the subject, "Why I Like to Do Business With These Firms," The Post-Democrat will give \$100.00 cash first award; \$75.00 cash for the second best list and essay; \$50.00 cash third award; \$25.00 cash fourth award; and ten \$10.00 awards and ten \$5.00 awards, for the last twenty (twenty-four awards in all). List and essay must be accompanied by all twenty pages of advertising, and must be turned in within two weeks after the 20th page is printed. Contest is open to every one except employees of The Post-Democrat and their families. Decisions of Contest Judges, Lawrence Hurst, Associate Professor of Social Science, Ball State Teachers College and Charles Hampton, Principal of Harrison School will be final, and no entries will be returned.

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NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS OF ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATIONS.

Notice is hereby given to the members of the Delaware County Council and to the taxpayers of Delaware County, Indiana, that the proper legal officers of said municipality at their regular meeting place on the 26th and 27th days of November 1935, will consider the following additional appropriations which said officers consider necessary to meet the extraordinary emergency existing

If you are planning meals for a family who demand pie several times a week, you can't have too many recipes for different pie fillings. When Fall comes, of course, the good, old-fashioned substantial pies reign supreme. But in the summertime your pie filling must be "kiss to fit" the temperature, and I know of no more fitting summer pie than this one.

Coconut Transparent Pie
 3/4 cup butter; 1 teaspoon grated orange or lemon rind; 1 cup sugar; 1/2 teaspoon salt; 5 egg yolks; 1 baked 9-inch pie shell; 2 cups shredded coconut.
 3 egg whites; 6 tablespoons sugar.
 Cream butter with rind; add sugar gradually, creaming until light and fluffy. Add salt and egg yolks, and beat very thoroughly (about 10 minutes). Turn into pie shell, sprinkle with 1 cup coconut, and bake in slow oven (300° F.) 60 minutes. Beat egg whites until foamy throughout. Add sugar, 2 tablespoons at a time, beating after each addition until sugar is blended. Then continue beating until mixture will stand in peaks. Pile lightly on filling. Sprinkle with remaining 1 cup coconut. Bake in moderate oven (350° F.) 45 minutes, or until delicately browned.

Pumpkin Pies Pay Respect to Cheese!



Cheese and pie have always been favorites. But nowadays they have a special reason for celebrating together. National Cheese Week, which comes this year during the week of November 16 to 19, is just the time to feature this handsome pair together!

Old-fashioned pumpkin pie, served with generous portions of American cheese, either sharp or mild, makes the perfect November dessert. As the final course for a family dinner, or as the refreshment at a special party, pie and cheese are in the best American tradition. This year cheese is more important to the dining scene than ever before, representing as it does high food value combined with low cost. It comes to the table these days with practically every meal.

For sheer delight to the appetite,

housewives are planning to celebrate Cheese Week this year with this modern Pumpkin pie version of the old-fashioned pie, combined with their favorite cheese.

PUMPKIN TAITS
 1/2 cup canned pumpkin
 2 cup rich milk
 2 eggs, beaten
 1 cup brown sugar
 1/2 teaspoon salt
 1/2 teaspoon cinnamon
 1/2 teaspoon nutmeg
 1/2 teaspoon ginger
 1/2 teaspoon cloves
 Mix all ingredients well. Pour into pastry-lined individual pie pans, or tart shells. Bake for 10 minutes in a hot oven, 450°; reduce heat to 350°, or a moderate oven, and continue baking until firm in center.
 Serve with generous portions of American Cheese.

of an ordinance entitled: "An ordinance defining junk yards and requiring junk yards to be enclosed and prohibiting junk yards within 300 feet of public parks, public schools or churches and declaring junk yards so located a nuisance and fixing penalty for the violation of this ordinance."

"Section 1. Be it ordained by the Common Council of the City of Muncie, Indiana, that Sections 1 and 5 of an ordinance entitled: "An ordinance defining Junk Yards to be enclosed and prohibiting junk yards within 300 feet of public schools or churches and declaring junk yards so located a nuisance and fixing a penalty for the violation of this ordinance, passed by the Common Council of the city of Muncie, Indiana, on the 7th day of July, 1930, be amended to read as follows:

"Section 1—That a junk yard is a nuisance and that it shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to maintain or operate a Junk Yard, or a building wherein junk is kept or stored, within 300 feet of school grounds, churches, public parks, public highways or streets within the limits of the City of Muncie, Indiana."

"Section 5—Be it further ordained that any person, firm or corporation, being the owner of the land or lessee or sublessee of the land or who maintains or who operates a junk yard, or a building wherein junk is kept or stored, who shall fail to comply with any part of the foregoing sections hereof, shall be guilty of the violations of this ordinance, and upon conviction thereof, shall be fined in the sum of \$10.00 for each day said junk yard is so maintained or operated."

Section 2—That this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage by the Common Council, the approval and signature of the Mayor and publication according to law.

Passed by the Common Council this 4th day of Nov. 1935.

ORA T. SHROYER,
 President Common Council.
 Presented to the Mayor for his approval and signature this 6th day of Nov. 1935.

Linton Ridgeway, City Clerk.

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 Taxpayers appearing at such meeting shall have a right to be heard thereon. The additional appropriation as finally made will be automatically referred to the State Board of Tax Commissioners which Board will hold a further hearing within fifteen days at the County Auditor's Office of Delaware County, Indiana, or at such other place as may be designated. At such hearing, taxpayers objecting to any of such additional appropriations may be heard and interested taxpayers may inquire of the County Auditor when and where such hearing will be held.

GUS AUGUST MEYERS
 Auditor, Delaware County, Indiana.

Nov. 15 & 22.
LEGAL NOTICE.
 Notice of the passage of: An ordinance to amend Section 1 and 5

Milestones of American Genius



GEORGE WASHINGTON

THE truest shrine to the Father of Our Country, George Washington, is in the hearts of his countrymen. Yet physical shrines to his memory and tributes to his great genius fill the world. There is no town or hamlet in the Republic which Washington founded that does not boast a memorial in marble or granite; a street, a square, or a building dedicated to our first President.

The two monuments most often visited in a spirit of veneration not only by Americans but by visitors from all nations are the skyscraper shaft that rises in our national capital and the statue shown in the sketch above, which stands in front of the Sub-Treasury Building in the Wall Street section of New York.

Washington was born in Virginia, about fifty miles from the Mt. Vernon estate which was infinitely dear to him. His gift for mathematics led him into surveying work, but the war between France and England found him in the military service of Virginia.

Soon thereafter he took up his

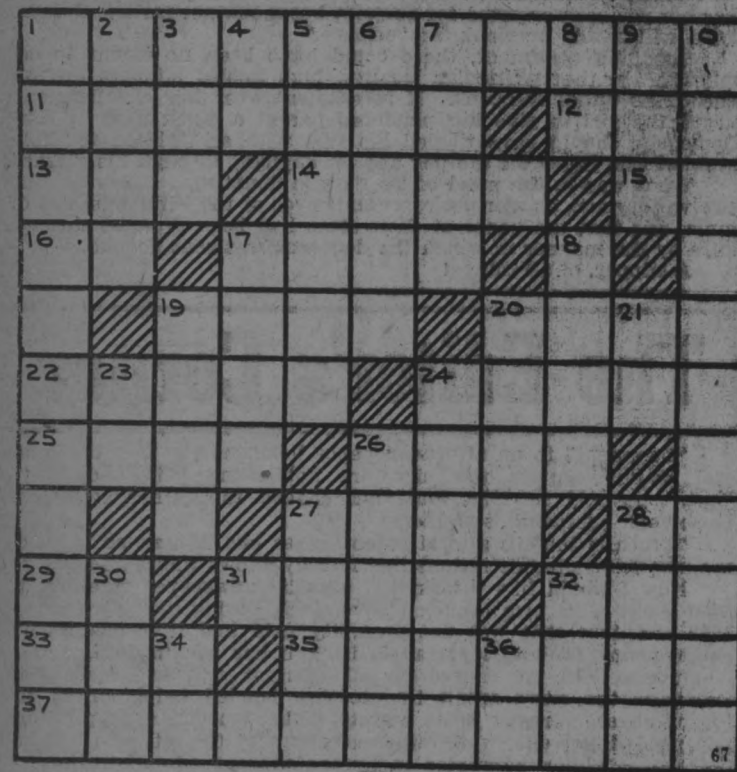
life as a farmer, cultivating the broad acres of Mt. Vernon, but always alert to the growing discontent of the colonies and active in the councils of their leaders.

In 1775, when war with England seemed unavoidable, the Continental Congress elected him Commander-in-Chief of the American armed forces. His services and his military genius are among the chief glories of our history.

When independence had been won he resigned his commission, hoping to devote his life to his personal affairs. The young nation, however, had need for his leadership and in 1787 made him president of the Constitutional Convention. Two years later, despite personal reluctance, he became the first President of the United States.

After two terms in that office he retired to Mt. Vernon, but lived only two years in its enjoyment. He was buried at Mt. Vernon, where his home, his grave, his many memorials have become sacred shrines for succeeding generations.

"BRAIN-TEASER"



ACROSS
 1—The act of impeaching
 11—A river flowing from Lake Erie to Lake Ontario
 12—Pshaw!
 13—A study
 14—Break
 15—Xenon (abbr.)
 16—Close by
 17—Kind of fish
 19—Minute vegetation on stagnant water
 20—Ceremony
 22—Notions
 24—Open inner court of a Spanish house
 25—A bishop's assistant
 26—To swear at
 27—An obligation
 28—To happen
 29—Form of verb "to be"
 31—Male of the domestic cattle
 32—Any loved creature
 33—Non-professional
 35—Average weather of a region
 37—Characterized by grand scenic display.

DOWN
 1—Human beings
 2—Bearing
 3—The socket of a hinge
 4—Egypt (abbr.)
 5—Seaport in E. Jutland
 6—A light yellow
 7—Part of body used as an index
 8—Epistle (abbr.)
 9—Goddess of night
 10—Instrument for measuring temperature
 17—To scrutinize
 18—Writes down
 19—A crack
 20—Firm
 21—Smallest state in the Union (abbr.)
 23—From (prefix)
 24—Open to all
 26—Enclosed interior of a temple
 27—A tube leading from a gland
 28—Greek letter (2nd)
 30—A chart state in the English
 34—The (Old English)
 36—Greek letter (12th)

Approved and signed by me this 6th day of Nov. 1935.
 ROLLIN H. BUNCH, Mayor.
 Attest: Linton Ridgeway, City Clerk. Nov 15-22.

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Muncie, Indiana, Friday, November 22, 1935.

Boyd Gurley the "Brains"

The Republican congressman of the fourth district in Michigan died. A primary was held Tuesday and a special election will be held December 9 to fill the vacancy in congress.

The Republican named in the primary Tuesday is a Battle Creek lawyer who campaigned for the Townsend plan. He got nearly all the votes. The district always goes Republican so he will be elected.

The landside of the Townsend candidate in Michigan was no doubt encouraged early in the campaign to plan to offer candidates for congress in other districts of other states.

The Post-Democrat reaches half way across the continent to California to shake hands with Boyd Gurley, the gifted editor who formerly guided the destinies of the Indianapolis Times, but who is now credited with being the brains of the Townsend movement, and is its chief press adviser.

Whatever may be said as to the practicability of the Townsend plan, it must be said that in enlisting the aid of Boyd Gurley, the doctor and his staff of workers are practical.

The editor of the Post-Democrat owes much to Boyd Gurley. His stinging rebuke in a first page editorial of the Indianapolis Times, exhorting the dastardly perjurer by witness in our federal trial and his former writings reflecting on judicial corruption in Muncie, stand forth as epics of fearless journalism.

The battle of the Indianapolis Times against corrupt klan domination of the Republican politics of Indiana, following the original exposure of the Post-Democrat in its more limited field, and the consequent downfall of the corrupt lords of down-trodden Hoosierdom, led to the awarding of the Pulitzer prize of \$1,000 to Mr. Gurley that year as being the most outstanding editor of America.

The Scripps-Howard alliance then made the mistake of banishing Mr. Gurley to New York, where the atmosphere suited him. So he left for California, "on his own," which is the only way Boyd Gurley can work.

Management of Public Works

We are not "knocking" the New Deal nor in anyway trying to embarrass or discredit one of the best Presidents this country has ever had. We do however believe, that President Roosevelt has been made a victim of misplaced confidence, by some of his confidential advisers who reside in Indiana, and whose approval is a necessary requisite, to the making application for an appointment to manage a public works job.

The fact of the matter is, the whole affair is so impregnated with politics, that it is regarded as an impossibility in Indiana for an honest efficient and competent construction man or engineer, to get such a job unless he has the endorsement of the "County Chairman" of his county, or the "Mayor" of his city. Just why such an endorsement is necessary to secure a government position, is one of the unsolved political mysteries.

As a result of this condition, and the fact that men loyal to the present administration and to their party are precluded from appointive position, and men antagonistic to the Roosevelt administration and to everything else Democratic, have in the past been recommended by these same County Chairmen and a supposed Democratic Mayor, for such positions, leads to the conclusion, that these worthless are not interested in the country or in the president's program of relief, if they can repay few ex-communicated Republicans for their support and assistance in electing a Mayor at the last election.

The principal underlying the plan to employ men as assistants in charge of work, who are antagonistic toward the administration, and everything it stands for, is one not generally approved by men of ability or intelligence in planning the execution of work, neither do men who are interested in the country or in the president's program of relief, if they can repay few ex-communicated Republicans for their support and assistance in electing a Mayor at the last election.

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Headlines We Read Every Day

Here is some of the "slapstick" comedy pulled off by the Republican press, these days: "Fletcher Slaps at New Deal," "Knox Slaps Opponents of Constitutional Government," "Mills Slaps at Opponents of 'Borah Slaps at Expenditure of Government Money' " "Ohio Republicanism" "It will be noted there has been much 'slapping' done and that Hoover was the only one to register a 'strike,' against pitcher Roosevelt, but it was his third one, and the umpire called him out, but Hoover thought the umpire should have called them 'bawls.' Now he is returning to the Pacific Coast League.

Attention, Poll-Takers

Why don't the Republican editors who frame the questions for that so-called American Institute of Public Opinion ask the members of their secret polling list some questions like these: "Are you better off than you were under Hoover?" "Do you think the federal government is entitled to profits from his toil and land?" "Do you think labor should be entitled to the right of collective bargaining?" "Do you approve the abolition of child labor?" "Are your savings and investments safer than they were in 1932?" "Are you in favor of Social Security or the poorhouse system?" "Should the Money Aristocracy or Elected Representatives of the People Rule the Nation?" "Would you turn over the duties of the Supreme Court to the Liberty League's committee of the Department of Commerce?" "Should private bankers control the currency and credit of the United States?" "Should bucket-shop operators, Wall Street market riggers and utility security promoters be regulated?" AND, after a poll has been taken on all these questions, let the poll-takers ask: "Is President Roosevelt doing his honest-best for the common people of America?"

Fact Versus Opinion

When Lewis E. Brown, president of Johns-Manville Corporation, told the American Bankers Ass'n. that federal spending is hampering trade he probably told the bankers what they wanted to hear from him. But it is not the same story that his corporation told stockholders and others. For example, Johns-Manville in the first nine months of 1935 had a 163% increase in net earnings. Due to what? To the revitalization of the construction industry through efforts of the Federal Housing Administration. Residential construction showed a gain of the Federal Housing Administration. Residential construction showed a gain of 80% in the same period. The record shows conclusively that it is Brown's complaint does not hold water. His lament undoubtedly is in Brown's category as those letters written by automobile corporation heads to stockholders complaining against "uncertainties at Washington" when at the same time they were reporting to stockholders and the public a 37% trade gain in the first nine months of 1935.

Says He "Hushed Up" Probe of Judges

Testifying the other day in a Chicago Federal court, James Herbert Benjamin claimed credit for squelching a Congressional investigation of the scandalous conduct of certain Federal judges in receivership and bankruptcy cases. Benjamin said he had "discussed" the matter with a member of the committee and a prominent utility lawyer.

The charge is too serious to be ignored. It is a matter of public record that a little more than two years ago a committee of the House of Representatives, headed by Former Congressman Tom D. McKeown, then a Democratic Representative from Oklahoma, conducted an extensive inquiry into bankruptcy proceedings in the Chicago Federal courts. Among those involved was Judge James H. Wilkinson, the man who issued the infamous injunction against the shop crafts in 1922.

Representatives of this paper discussed the investigation with members of the committee at the time, and were assured that there was plenty of evidence to justify impeachment proceedings.

However, for some reason, the entire matter was hushed up. Now Benjamin comes forward and, under oath, says he did it. Perhaps he is lying, but undoubtedly someone did it.

To protect its own honor, the House of Representatives should seek out the guilty party, or parties, and then proceed to take whatever steps are necessary to remove crooked judges from the Federal bench.

A High Heeled Slipper

Down in Ole Virginia a jury of hillbillies sent a twenty-one year old girl to prison for twenty-five years for killing her pappy by hitting him over the head with a high heeled slipper.

It seems that the old gentleman got himself all corned up on Cumberland Mountain dew and slapped the gal down with a blacksnake whip when she got home from a dance.

The mountain rule of everybody being in bed by nine-thirty was violated. The girl arrived home about 11:30, about the hour of the

beginning of night life in Muncie. Hence the blacksnake whip start and the slipper finish.

Not content with punishing the girl, her mother is also under indictment and will be tried for murder. A little twelve-year-old sister, who tearfully testified on the witness stand in behalf of the defendant, has not yet been arrested for perjury, but mountain justice, Cumberland type, will hardly overlook the "offense."

Shedding sentiment, there could have been no intent to commit murder. In that particular locality, high heeled slippers are not regarded as lethal weapons. If resentment over her chastisement had urged the girl to give her plastered parent a quick pass to Kingdom Come, she should have kicked him with an Arizona toothpick or grabbed Old Betsy off the peg and let daylight through his gizzard.

What was in the mind of the jury is doubtful. It may be that the twelve jurymen, as sterling representatives of the First Families of Virginia, felt that the honor of their state had been dragged through the mire by the manner in which the decedent was sent beyond.

A slipper, of all things!

The Editor's Corner

"Comment" in an afternoon paper bemoans the fact that commercial claims against the city are not being paid and that they "may" be paid in 1936, and then makes the rather sweeping and somewhat confusing statement:

"Truth is the city's total indebtedness has become so large during the last three administrations that nobody knows where he is at."

Now I would like to ask this special newspaper whether it ever filed a bill of its own for legal advertising during the years 1930, 1931, 1932 and 1934 that was not promptly paid and if it has received a single penny for city legal advertising it has run in 1935.

It has been my contention all along that it is a bad policy to mortgage the city's credit by creating bonded indebtedness to pay for purchases already made and to make "special appropriations" to pay delayed payrolls, while other creditors of the city are left holding the bag—a policy persisted in by the present administration.

And by the way it would gratify me greatly if some newspaper writers here would confine themselves to historical facts, instead of warming the jackets of undefined personages by the high, wide and handsome use of glittering generalities and half-truths.

I got a tummy full of that in a federal trial in the spring of 1932. I was on trial as Public Enemy Number One of Muncie, but to my surprise was held responsible for delinquencies in Blackford county and in the country outside of Muncie, entirely beyond my jurisdiction as mayor of Muncie.

The former United States district attorney, George Jeffrey, seemed to have no regard whatever for geographical dividing lines. For prosecuting purposes anything serious that happened within a radius of twenty miles from Muncie was ascribed to me.

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Muncie Chamber of Commerce

By Lester C. Bush

Final total on the results in the Chamber of Commerce membership campaign held Wednesday and Thursday, November 13 and 14, show that, altogether 139 new memberships were added to the Chamber's rolls, thus making a combined total as of this date of 542 memberships. This announcement has been made by Chairman Paul F. Addison, who was in charge of the campaign, and Joseph T. Mowbray, Chamber secretary, jointly.

Joseph T. Mowbray, Chamber secretary, and Earl G. DeFur were referees in charge of the two divisions of three 'squads' each. Captains under Mr. Heath were George W. Dyke, Charles V. Suss, and T. D. Bartlett; while Mr. DeFur's captains were C. G. Isenberger, C. M. Jew and C. M. Callison. John F. Bell was chairman of the plural membership increases committee; F. B. Bernard, chairman, merchant and 'utilities' increases committee, and J. E. Watkins, chairman of the realty owners committee. Returns from the drive will probably continue to come in for several weeks due to delayed solicitation of some prospects.

President Meredith has expressed himself as very well satisfied with the drive's results. Chamber directors passed on the new membership applications presented, at a Friday noon meeting of the Board.

Under the chairmanship of Edward N. Harper, Wednesday night seven-thirty, in the Chamber's second floor dining room, retail merchants heard State Representative John Napier Dyer, of Vincennes, upon the subject of a fair trade practice legislative measure.

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