

DECATUR DAILY DEMOCRAT

ONLY DAILY NEWSPAPER IN ADAMS COUNTY

GAIN REPORTED IN INDIANA EMPLOYMENT

Indianapolis, Ind., March 3—(UPI)—Increased pay rolls and employment in state manufacturing industries during February was reported today by Martin F. Carpenter, director of the Indiana State employment service.

Manufacturing employment increased .2 per cent and pay rolls rose 1.7 per cent during the month, Carpenter announced.

Severe weather conditions prevented the usual seasonal gain in employment, he added.

LEAGUE VOTES MEMBERSHIPS

BOY SCOUTS OF DECATUR GIVE MEMBERSHIPS IN GAME LEAGUE

In a meeting last night, at the Moose home, the Adams county fish and game conservation league voted unanimously for the proposal of Willie Foner, member of the board or directors, to accept the local members of the Boy Scouts of America into the organization.

The resolution, offered by Great Britain and France, was coupled with an appeal to the warring nations to begin negotiations at a view to ceasing hostilities.

The resolution was adopted at a session which only 15 minutes. Although the proposal was regarded as the last alternative to imposition of an oil embargo, it avoided appearance of being an ultimatum to Italy by not directly and not insisting that Italy cease hostilities before peace negotiations are started.

The resolution was described as being "a pressing appeal to the two belligerents for the opening of negotiations in the framework of the and the spirit of the covenants."

Anticipation of probable re-opening of the proposal by Italy, the committee of oil experts will meet during the week.

(CONTINUED ON PAGE THREE)

TITLES FOR CCC CAMP HERE

ITIONS TO ESTABLISH CAMP MAY BE PRESENTED TODAY

Al nearly all of the petitions

in the county's office at noon

the remainder expected by the

of the day, establishment of

proposed CCC drainage camp

located in or near Adams

became more probable

county commissioners have

to be presented with the peti-

and copies

then sent to the governor,

and congressman.

Original petitions will be

with the bureau of agricultural

engineering at Milwaukee.

The petitions, in asking for

establishment of the camp,

that the camp in Fort Wayne

able to benefit the portion of

the county in which the need

the camp is the greatest.

Signers of the petitions state

there is a CCC located

Bluffton, the camp is of a dif-

ferent type, that of park work,

the proposed camp would be

camp.

Signers of the petitions were

in the county, one for

township, and the amount of

ers range from 75 to 100 on

the petition.

the event that the county

commissioners are able to com-

the other business at their

today, the petitions are

to be presented.

TRAINING MEETING TONIGHT

masters and leaders are

to attend the meeting to

the progressive training

at the public high school

o'clock. This is the second

series of ten meetings, and

persons may yet enrol

the program, and attend the re-

ader of the meetings.

alter J. Krick, local school

intendent, is scheduled to

tonight's discussion.

ams County Man

Held For Desertion

John Pyle, of near Geneva, has

charge of child desertion, follow-

Sheriff Dallas Brown in Dun-

ville is expected to be arraigned

court late today or tomorrow.

STRIKERS ASK ALL LABORERS TO AID FIGHT

ELEVATOR OPERATORS LEADERS ASK UNION LABOR TO AID

New York, Mar. 3—(UPI)—Leaders of striking elevator operators and other building service workers asked all union labor to fight strike breakers today. An extension of the strike forced new thousands of New Yorkers to stairs and freight elevators, and extinguished the fires in dozens of apartment house heating plants.

President James J. Bambrick of the New York unit of the Building Service Employees International Union, said that union teamsters and chauffeurs had promised not to deliver groceries, milk, or merchandise to buildings where service workers are on strike.

He announced that "we will have a big surprise today."

Police speculated uneasily that

the strike might apply to the Empire State building, the Chrysler building, or the R. C. A. building of Rockefeller Center, none of which are affected by the walkout yesterday although union heads claim they are unionized. Bambrick refused to explain his statement.

Dwellers in the towering rows of apartments along Park avenue, Fifth avenue, and Central Park west found the novelties of the strike, humorous yesterday, palling today. Apartments were cold, elevators didn't run or ran at 15-minute intervals, inexperienced switchboard operators took minutes to answer signals and then often cut the connections in mid-

(CONTINUED ON PAGE FIVE)

CITY COUNCIL RECEIVES BIDS

NEW BIDS ON NEW LIGHT PLANT EQUIPMENT RECEIVED TODAY

Two bids each on a 2,000 K. W. turbine, dual driven exciter, switchboard panels and switch gear and three bids for a condenser were received by the city council in session this afternoon.

The proposals were practically the same as those received last December.

The General Electric Company and the Westinghouse Electric Manufacturing company submitted bids of \$50,440 each for the turbine. The same bids were offered last December.

The General Electric company bid \$4,738 on the exciter set and \$1,849 for the switchboard panels and switch gear. The Westinghouse company bid \$4,740 for an exciter and \$1,887 for switchboard panels.

The Westinghouse company bid \$19,755 for a condenser, while the Worthington Pump and Machinery company and the Indiana Engineering and Construction company, the latter of Fort Wayne, each bid \$19,955 for the condenser.

The other herd is a registered Guernsey herd of exceptionally "typy" cows and owned by Floyd Myers, one mile east of Bobo. Mr. Myers is also an active member of the Adams county Guernsey breeders' association.

A Mr. Stern attended the meeting, representing the PWA. C. E. Bevington of Bevington and Williams, consulting engineers of Indianapolis, employed by the city, tabulated the bids.

The council adjourned after re-

(CONTINUED ON PAGE SIX)

STATE POLICE OFFICER INSPECTS SCHOOL BUSES

Burl Johnson, state police officer, is checking school buses of the county this week. All buses in the northern half of the county were inspected Monday for lights, brakes, bodies, capacity and the drivers for health certificates and drivers' licenses.

Buses were inspected today. Mr. Johnson expressed his thanks for the cooperation shown by the various drivers in the inspection work.

Monmouth Teacher Undergoes Operation

Lloyd Bryan, teacher in the Monmouth schools, underwent a series of operations at the Adams county memorial hospital yesterday afternoon for a stomach obstruction.

Witnesses to the accident related conflicting stories of the accident, and local police were unable to learn a definite license number of the car, the driver fleeing the scene.

The child was taken to a physician's office, where four clamps were required to close a cut on her forehead, and bruises on both legs were treated.

Mr. Bryan was stricken while at school, and had to be taken to the hospital by ambulance. He is reported as resting easily, following the operation.

GOVERNORS EXCHANGE GREETINGS



Gov. Alf M. Landon Gov. R. L. Cochran

ADVANCE PLAN FOR PAGEANT AT CENTENNIAL

JOHN B. ROGERS COMPANY TO PRODUCE HISTORICAL PAGEANT

The John B. Rogers Producing Company of Fostoria, Ohio, will be employed to produce the spectacular and historical pageant to be given here in connection with the Centennial celebration, August 2 to 8.

The executive committee, chairmen and members of several of the major committees met last evening in the mayor's court room in the city hall and voted to employ the Rogers company to produce the pageant.

Dr. Fred Patterson, chairman of the pageant committee attended the meeting and recommended that the Rogers company be employed.

Miss Constance Hopkins, a representative of the company, was present at the meeting.

The formal signing of the contract will be withheld until after the "Good-Will" bond sale, which is now scheduled to be launched March 16.

Miss Hopkins stated that from 600 to 750 people, depending on the size pageant desired, would be used in the historical production. Locations under consideration for staging the production include the west side of the Decatur country club golf course, Worthman field and others.

Pictures of pageants produced by the Rogers company were shown the men and women present at the meeting. The Rogers company furnishes all costumes and the background and for the stage and erection of the properties.

Carl Pumphrey, general chairman of the Centennial association is obtaining lists of committees named by the chairmen appointed and the entire Centennial organization is taking form and will be ready for publication in a short time.

In explanation, Mr. Worthman stated, "Intangibles are stocks, bonds, shares, mortgages, notes, and post office deposits, etc. Old intangibles must be stamped within 90 days of February 28 of each year. Old intangibles are instruments owned before the law went into effect, and must be stamped as the above. The law went into effect February 28, 1933.

New intangibles are those given after the law went into effect, and must be stamped within ten days after date, on each intangible, each year. Notes, stocks, bonds, judgments, etc., that are not of full value, should be brought to the assessor's office, and be revalued at what you think they are really worth, then the three application blanks will be sent to the state tax board, and payment will be made on the value, approved, therefore do not enclose 10 or 20 cents in stamps, as such will not do.

In regard to the costs of intangibles: stamps are five cents

EXPLAINS LAW ON INTANGIBLE

TOWNSHIP ASSESSORS START ASSESSING WORK THIS MORNING

With the various township assessors starting to work this morning, County Assessor Ernest Worthman revealed the correct way to answer the questions of the assessors in regard to the intangible tax law.

The individual being assessed is required to answer "yes" or "no," when asked if he owns intangibles. These questions are answered under oath, and should not be signed if the intangibles are not paid.

In explanation, Mr. Worthman stated, "Intangibles are stocks, bonds, shares, mortgages, notes, and post office deposits, etc. Old intangibles must be stamped within 90 days of February 28 of each year. Old intangibles are instruments owned before the law went into effect, and must be stamped as the above. The law went into effect February 28, 1933.

New intangibles are those given after the law went into effect, and must be stamped within ten days after date, on each intangible, each year. Notes, stocks, bonds, judgments, etc., that are not of full value, should be brought to the assessor's office, and be revalued at what you think they are really worth, then the three application blanks will be sent to the state tax board, and payment will be made on the value, approved, therefore do not enclose 10 or 20 cents in stamps, as such will not do.

In regard to the costs of intangibles: stamps are five cents

(CONTINUED ON PAGE FOUR)

SECOND LENTEN SERVICE PLANS

SECOND IN SERIES OF SERMONS AT ZION LUTHERAN WEDNESDAY

It is clearly evident that special church services during Lent, reviewing the story of the Savior's passion and its beneficence to the souls and lives of people, have greatly increased in popularity and people seem to cherish with even deeper appreciation the devotion and spiritual significance embodied in the heart-stirring history of Jesus' vicarious suffering and death," states the Rev. Paul W. Schultz, pastor of the Zion Lutheran church of this city. The pastor indicated that he believes Passion services in general would be better attended this year than ever before and that Christian churches everywhere should have reason to recognize a greater and growing appreciation and acceptance of the eternal verities of God's Word.

The second of a series of six Lenten meditations will be held at the Lutheran church Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Besides reviewing in readings the Passion story, the singing of special Passion hymns, the pastor will speak on the subject, "The Beginning of Jesus' Suffering in Gethsemane."

Fair, warmer tonight; Wednesday increasing cloudiness, rain and colder northwest in afternoon.

WEATHER

Fair, warmer tonight; Wednesday increasing cloudiness, rain and colder northwest in afternoon.

Dynamite was used to break up

(CONTINUED ON PAGE THREE)

ROOSEVELT SENDS TAX PROPOSAL TO CONGRESS TODAY

JUNIOR C. C. DRIVE TO END

MEMBERSHIP DRIVE BE CONCLUDED HERE THIS WEEK

The Decatur Junior Chamber of Commerce membership drive will be brought to a close this week, it was decided at the meeting of the drive committee last night in the Rice hotel.

While a complete checkup of the new members secured could not be made at last night's meeting, over 25 membership cards have been written by the members of the committee in the various factories.

The complete number of new members secured in the downtown business district is expected to be compiled at the end of the week, with the completion of the town-town drive by Frank Wallace, membership drive committee chairman, and his assistant, Miss Rosemary Holthouse.

Mr. Wallace stated that any young person, desiring to enroll in the organization, who had not been contacted in the drive, might secure his card at the England store.

The junior order is especially anxious to swell its membership this year due to the planned activities in the Centennial celebrations. Dues are \$1 per year.