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Recreation in Adams County

Walter L. Stone, Ph. D., director of a study on recreation in the 92 counties of Indiana, has recently published his critical evaluation of Adams county. The study, by the blue print committee for the governor's committee on recreation, was conducted in cooperation with the state department of mental health and the state board of health.

If Adams county increases in population at the same rate between 1960 and 1970 as it did between 1950 and 1960, there will be 27,000 people living here by the 1970 census. And it is more likely that the population growth will exceed this rate than fall short of it.

Standards recommended by the National Recreation Association were used as a basic minimum to meet the needs of each local community. The recommended standards are:

1. One acre of park land to each 100 of the total population.
2. One softball diamond for each 3,000 of the total population.
3. One baseball diamond for each 6,000 of the total population.
4. One tennis court for each 2,000.
5. One golf hole for each 3,000.
6. One recreation building for each 20,000.
7. One auditorium for each 15,000.
8. One gymnasium for each 10,000.
9. One social room for each 10,000.
10. One reading or library room for each 10,000.
11. One game room for each 10,000.
12. One arts and craft room for each 10,000.
13. One club or multiple-use room for each 5,000.
14. One indoor swimming pool for each 50,000 of the total population.

15. Outdoor swimming pools and bathing beaches to serve 3% of the total population at one time, with 11 square feet of water area per individual, using only the wading area in the case of beaches.

How well are our local needs being met by private and public means? Well, there are the standards — judge for yourself. Only nine of the cities 10,000 population, about 70 of them, have year-round recreation programs, and Decatur is one of those cities. Berne is not, according to the survey.

Tomorrow we will give the findings of the state committee in Adams county.

Dick Heller

TV PROGRAMS

Central Daylight Time

WANE-TV	
Channel 15	
TUESDAY	
Evening	
6:00	Bachelor Father
6:30	Walter Cronkite — News
7:00	Blitz News
7:30	Death Valley Days
8:00	Law and Order Show
8:30	Petticoat Junction
9:30	Jack Benny Show
10:00	Garry Moore Show
11:00	Big News Final
11:30	Adventures in Paradise
WEDNESDAY	
Morning	
7:55	Daily Word
8:00	Captain Kangaroo
8:30	Law and Order
10:00	Sounding Board
10:30	I Love Lucy
11:00	The McCloys
12:00	Pete and Gladys
Afternoon	
12:30	Love of Life
12:35	CBS News
12:45	Search for Tomorrow
12:55	Guiding Light
1:00	Ann Coko Show
1:25	Mid-day News
1:30	As the World Turns
2:00	Password
2:30	Playboy
3:00	To Tell the Truth
3:25	CBS News
3:30	Edge of Night
3:45	Secret Storm
4:30	Early Show: "Crash Dive"
Evening	
6:00	Bachelor Father
6:30	Walter Cronkite — News
7:00	News
7:30	CBS Reports
8:30	Tell it to the Camera
9:00	The Hillbillys
9:30	Dick Van Dyke Show
10:00	Many Kinds Show
11:00	Big News Final
11:30	Adventures in Paradise
WPTA-TV	
Channel 21	
TUESDAY	
Evening	
6:00	Ron Cochran — News
6:15	21 News Report
6:30	Gateway to Sports
6:45	Weatherman
7:00	Huntley-Brinkley Report
7:30	Battle Line
8:00	60 Minutes
8:30	You Don't Say
9:00	Richard Boone Show
11:00	Our Man in Washington
11:30	News & Weather
11:45	Special Tonight Show
12:00	Adventures in Paradise
WKJG-TV	
Channel 33	
TUESDAY	
Evening	
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Guerrillas Kill U.S. Officer

SAIGON, South Viet Nam (UPI) — Communist guerrillas killed a U.S. Army officer and 13 Vietnamese paratroopers in a fierce battle along the Cambodian border today. The Reds were reported to have lost 35 men.

Informed military sources said the battle occurred near the village of Thuong Phuoc, about a mile from the Cambodian border and 100 miles southwest of Saigon.

An American spokesman said the fight took place between three battalions of government troops and a battalion of the Communist Viet Cong. The Army officer was the 189th American to die in Viet Nam since Jan. 1, 1961.

The Communists were believed to have retreated across the Cambodian border, taking whatever dead and wounded they suffered with them. As a result, American military advisers estimated about 35 Reds slain, mostly from heavy fire by government artillery and personnel carriers.

Attending the meeting were representatives from Argos, Craigville, Fairmount, Fort Wayne, Garrett, Indianapolis, Ligonier, Markle, Millenburg, Nappanee, New Paris, Ossian, Rochester, Swartz, Sweetzer, Uniondale, Waterloo, and Woodburn.

Mrs. Mable Murray was program chairman for the meeting.

Heart Surgery Fails To Save Baby's Life

HOUSTON (UPI) — Francis Edward Grubar, the blue-eyed baby who had people pulling for him from Washington to Texas, died today of heart stoppage despite surgery to correct a birth defect.

The 2-month-old, redheaded son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis S. Grubar of Washington had undergone an hour and a half of open-heart surgery Monday in a last-chance attempt to correct his heart malfunction. Doctors put a dacron patch in a hole between lower chambers of his heart.

He appeared to breathe more easily following the surgery, but weakened during the night.

Texas Children's Hospital listed the cause of death as "cardiac arrest."

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There appeared to be a sufficient free land would be available to make an attractive site, and there are many other reasons why an Indiana location should be considered.

"Inasmuch as this is a study of how people live, I would think that a location close to the center of population would be desirable. Placing the center near the large midwestern state universities, which are known for their emphasis on the humanities, would also be desirable.

"I hope that you can give this your utmost consideration and that you may find it possible to discuss this further with me and with officials of our State government and interested communities."

Many of the provisions of the Johnson administration tax bill will give particular encouragement to small business.

By far the greatest benefit that small business would derive from the adoption of this tax bill would flow indirectly from participating in the general expansion in the economy that would be induced by lowered taxes.

Most small businesses would benefit from the substantial, broad scale tax reductions that would flow early in 1964.

The stimulating effect of the economy of the personal income reductions would be immediate. These tax reductions would average about 20 per cent of the current tax liabilities of most taxpayers, two-thirds of which would become effective in 1964. Historical spending practices of the people indicate that from 92 to 94 per cent of these tax savings would be reflected in increased consumer purchases. The remaining 6 to 8 per cent would probably flow into increased private savings and investments.

Small businesses would be among the first to feel the thrust of the increased consumer demand.

Throughout the South, the Central, and the Western portions of the country, the increased purchasing power of the farmers and their households would be reflected in increased sales by general merchandise stores, hardware stores, home equipment suppliers, farm machinery and equipment dealers, and other small business.

Similarly, small scale trade and service industries in the industrial and commercial centers of the mid-Atlantic, North Central, and other States would

immediately feel the impact of the increased after-tax take home pay of salary and wage earners.

The second most important benefit that small businesses would derive from the adoption of this tax cut bill would be the direct relief that they would be accorded. The owners of a high percentage of the four million sole proprietorships and partnerships, excluding the agricultural, forestry and fishery, and personal enterprises would experience personal income tax reductions of more than \$500 million in 1964 and an additional \$250 million or more in 1965.

More than one-half million small corporations with annual net profits of less than \$100,000 would have their income taxes reduced by more than \$450 million in 1964.

These comprise more than 95 per cent of the Nation's tax-paying corporations.

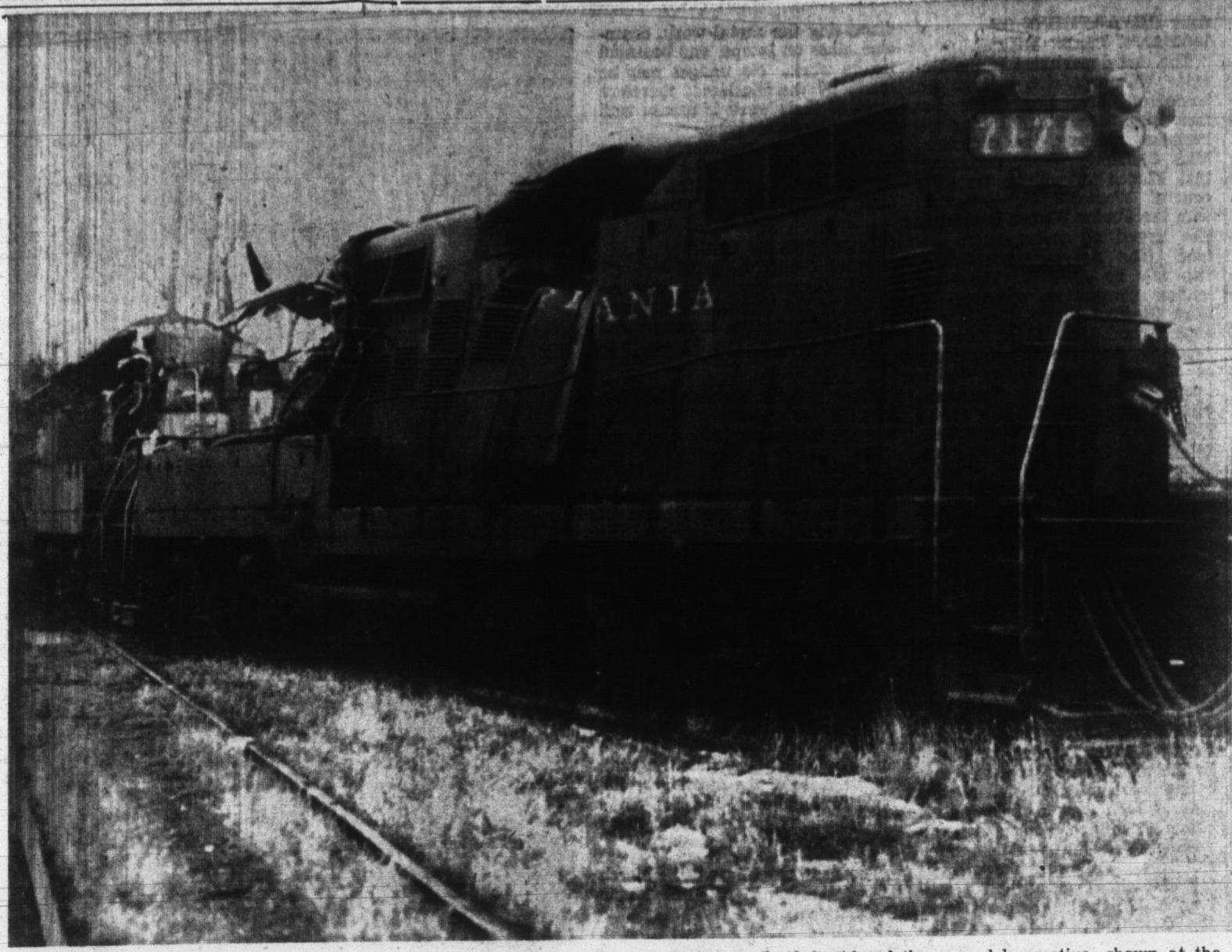
Collectively, the 4.5 million enterprises comprising the small business community

constitute more than 95 per cent of all American business firms and account for about 40 per cent of the total business volume.

Quite obviously, they, and the 30,000,000 people for whom

they provide gainful employment, have a stake in the adoption of this tax bill.

All of us who are particularly interested in the welfare of small businesses will greatly benefit through this tax cut.



Hartke Seeks State Location Of Center

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