

The "Tweed Ring" Again!

In Saturday's editorial we pointed out that a vicious "Tweed Ring" exists in Adams county law enforcement, in which each person tries to pass the buck to someone else. In Saturday's editorial we mentioned the city judge.

Saturday afternoon our telephone rang, and Judge John B. Stults spent an hour defending his court.

First of all, he wanted made clear, he is not on vacation, nor should that have been inferred by the note on the police bulletin board. He had asked that the police schedule as many cases as possible for Sept. 14 and after because the circuit court starts its fall session today, and all attorneys would be busy listening to the reading of the docket, getting their cases scheduled, etc.

Second, he had not known anything at all about a warrant being desired in the recent "speeding" case until late Friday, he maintained. The acting prosecutor had asked only for a notice, and that is what he had given.

Now, concerning that warrant, the young man charged was a local boy, and he has never appeared before Judge Stults, and the judge knows the family, and wanted everyone treated as a gentleman, so he set no bond, expecting the youth, or his attorney, to appear Sept. 14.

The judge, in well over an hour's conversation, stressed the fact that he goes out of his way to treat every one of the accused as a gentleman, a word he used over and over.

The real culprits are the city police, the judge maintained. They have been very lax, and he began straightening them out Saturday morning. Why, the city policemen on the night shift have not been appearing in court the next morning along with their statements! Then he complained because he had had to wait while the night-duty policeman got dressed and to the court!

The judge also blamed the new, untrained policemen, who don't know what they're talking about. And he blamed the prosecutor and the police for leaving him in the dark on the recent "speeding" case.

And so, again the buck has been passed. It really isn't the judge's fault at all — he's a gentleman.

Perhaps the citizens of Decatur are demanding a little bit more than a gentleman for a judge, though — perhaps they feel that a youth making a mockery of the law, ridiculing our city policemen, had little right to be treated as a gentleman. Perhaps they feel that Judge Stults himself might feel differently if a drag strip were marked off on the street in front of his home, or if his home were made a target of hoodlums, as has Rev. Van Hoosen's since he courageously petitioned for better law enforcement.

If Judge Stults wants to remove the stigma of blame for himself, let him do two things.

1. Charge the acting prosecutor with contempt of court.
2. Meet with the mayor and chief of police, and the local bar and other court officials association, and set up a school for law enforcement officers.

We taxpayers pay hundreds of thousands of dollars a year to maintain police forces and criminal courts. And they are little more than a mockery around here at present if public opinion is any judge.

Chicago Livestock

CHICAGO (UPI) — Livestock: Hogs 11,500; mixed 1-2 200-225 lb 17.75-18.00; mixed 1-3 190-240 lb 17.25-17.85; No. 2-3 230-260 lb 17.00-17.50.

Cattle 16,500; calves 25; slaughter steers and heifers 50 - 75 lower; 4 loads prime 1225 - 1350 lb slaughter steers 28.00; high choice and prime 1150-1400 lb 26.75-27.50; choice 1100-1400 lb 25.50-26.75; 900-1100 lb 24.50-26.00; good 22.00-24.00; 2 loads high choice and prime 925-1000 lb heifers 24.75; most choice 800-1025 lb 23.00-24.00; good 21.00 - 22.00; canner and cutter cows 11.50-13.75.

Sheep 500; spring slaughter lambs steady; choice and prime 80-100 lb 23.50-24.00; good and choice 22.00-23.50; good 21.00-22.00.

New York Stock Exchange Price

MIDWAY PRICES
A. T. & T. 69 1/2; DuPont, 280; Ford, 53 1/2; General Electric, 87; General Motors, 87 1/2; Gulf Oil, 57 1/2; Standard Oil Ind., 81 1/2; Standard Oil N. J., 84 1/2; U. S. Steel, 56 1/2.

Indianapolis Livestock

INDIANAPOLIS (UPI) — Live-stock: Hogs 11,000; receipts exceeding early estimates by around 2,000 head; barrows and gilts fully 25 lower, few sales as much as 50 off; 1 and 2, 200-230 lb 17.75-18.00; 45 head 18.25; 1 to 3, 190-250 lb 17.50-17.75; sows weak to mostly 25 lower; 1 to 3, 280-350 lb 15.50-16.25; 350-430 lb 14.50-15.50; 2 and 3, 400-550 lb 14.00-14.50.

Cattle 3,800; calves 100; supply exceeding estimate by around 600 head; few early sales steady to mostly 50 lower; heifers not established; choice steers 24.50-25.50; good and low choice 24.00-24.50; good 22.00-24.00; choice heifers 23.00-23.75; good and mixed good and choice 20.50-23.00; cows strong to 50 higher; utility and commercial 12.50-14.00; canners and cutters 10.50-13.00; heavy cutters 13.00 - 13.50; bulls fully steady; utility and commercial 16.00-18.00; vealers fully steady; good and choice 22.00-26.00.

Sheep 900; supply exceeding estimate by around 500 head; spring lambs strong to 50 higher; choice and prime 23.50-24.00; several lots 24.50; good and choice 17.00-23.50.

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SALE CALENDAR

- SEPT. 12 — 10:30 a.m. Clarence Edsall, owner. 2122 Crescent Avenue off State Street, Fort Wayne. 6 rooms furniture and antiques. Walter Wiegmann, auctioneer.
- SEPT. 12 — 1:00 p.m. Robert Rexford Rhodes, executor. Daise D. Rhodes estate, 108 East Oak St., Decatur, Ind. Real Estate and Personal Property. Sale conducted by The Kent Realty & Auction Co. Gerald Strickler, D. S. Blair, auctioneers.
- SEPT. 18 — 1:00 p.m. Gerald (Jiggs) Dodane, owner. Located 3 miles southeast of New Haven, or 7 miles southeast of Fort Wayne on U. S. 30, then 1/8 mile south of Ryan Road. Tractor, combine, farm equipment, hogs, 65 acre farm. Farm sells at 5:00 p.m. Walter Wiegmann, Decatur; Orville Sturm, New Haven, auctioneers.
- SEPT. 19 — 1:00 p.m. Erwin Franz, executor Franz estate, 111 S. 13th St., Decatur, Ind. Household goods and miscellaneous. Chris Bohnke, auctioneer.
- SEPT. 22 — 5:00 p.m. Mr. & Mrs. Lee McCann, owners. At Hayloft, 1 mile west of Hoagland, Ind. Antiques and coins. Walter Wiegmann, Orville Sturm, auctioneers.

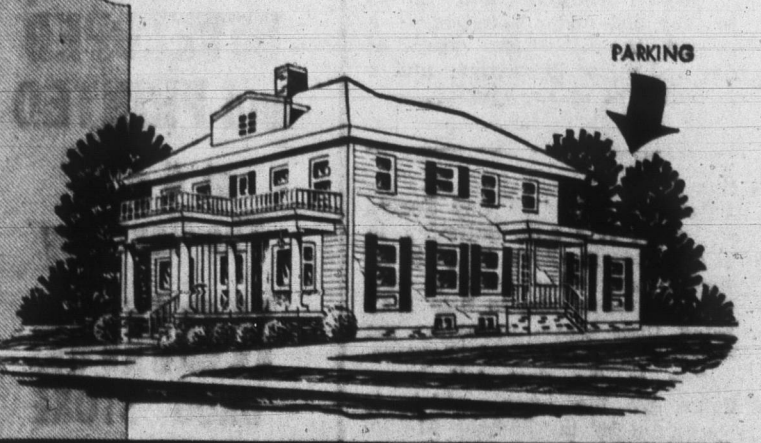
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CHICAGO (UPI) — Produce: Live poultry heavy hens 18 1/2; hen turkeys 24; fryer-roaster turkeys 23 - 26; Barred Rock fryers 22 - 22 1/2; special fed White Rock fryers 19-20 1/2. Cheese processed loaf 40 1/2-45; brick 40 1/2-46 1/2; Swiss 80-100 lb blocks Grade A 48 1/2-51, B 46-49. Butter steady to firm; 98 score 61; 92 score 61; 90 score 60; 89 score 58 1/2. Eggs uneven; white large extras 36; mixed large extras 36; mediums 35; standards 31 1/2.

Boxes For Feeding Squirrels Destroyed

Something or someone other than squirrels is crawling around in the large trees in the park area adjacent to Worthman field, according to neighbors.

For the third time attempts by Virgil Andrews to fix four boxes in the trees to feed ear corn to squirrels has been thwarted by someone or something tearing up the boxes at night, leaving them strewn about the grounds.

Andrews obtained the permission of school superintendent Gail M. Grabill to place the boxes in the park area to attract squirrels. He reports that the area is a gathering place at all hours of the night for young people, many of whose parents do not know they are out.

He places the boxes in the trees from a stepladder, so they are well above danger from passers-by.

Andrews would appreciate it if anyone seeing any person disturbing the boxes would report it immediately to the appropriate police and juvenile authorities.

Portland Half-Way In Airport Drive

Jay county is over half-way in its drive to raise \$67,500 by Sept. 30 to match an approved \$67,500 in federal funds for a \$135,000 improvement of Steed field, the Jay county airport.

The city of Portland has given \$25,000 from city funds, Portland Forge, Inc., has given \$7,500; the Peoples Bank has given \$1,500; the Citizens Bank has given \$1,000; Sheller Union has given \$1,000; the Lions club has given \$1,000; the Graphic Printing Co., \$1,000; First National Bank, \$500; Mutual Security, \$400; Portland Service, \$200; and Home Investment, \$100. A total of \$28,300 remains to be raised.

Improvements to be made include a runway 60 feet wide and 3,200 feet long, with a five-inch granular sub-base, six-inch stabilized base, and a two-inch asphalt concrete surface; a taxiway 20 feet wide and 900 feet long, same specifications; a paved tie-down area; lighting of runway, taxiway, etc., drainage structures, and site preparation and grading. A total of 38.64 acres is involved.

At Montezuma, O., \$10,000 of a \$24,100 grant to buy additional approaches for clear air space has been received by the Lakefield-area airport.

Today's Market

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Corrected September 8

160 to 170	14.60
170 to 180	15.35
180 to 190	16.10
190 to 200	15.60
200 to 220	17.10
220 to 240	16.85
240 to 260	16.35
260 to 280	15.85
280 to 300	15.35
100 to 160	8.60-10.60
Roughs 306 down	14.00
300 to 330	13.50
330 to 360	13.25
360 to 400	12.75
400 to 450	12.25
450 to 500	12.00
500 to 550	11.75
550 up	11.50
Stags	9.00
Boars	8.00-9.00

WHOLESALE EGG QUOTATIONS

Large White Eggs	30
Large Brown Eggs	30
Medium White	29
Pullets	14

GRAIN PRICES

Stockman Farm Service	Corrected September 8
Wheat No. 2 Delivered	1.29
to Soya	1.33
Ear Corn, 100 lb	1.69
Shelled Corn	1.17
Shelled Corn Delivered to	
Soya	1.20
Soybeans	2.46
Soybeans delivered to Soya	2.51
New Soybeans	2.36
Oats	.60

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION

Estate No. 5973
In the Adams Circuit Court of Adams County, Indiana, Notice is hereby given that Martha E. Uhrick was on the 4th day of September, 1964, appointed: Executor of the will of PAUL S. UHRICK, deceased.

All persons having claims against said estate, whether or not now due, must file the same in said court within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice or said claims will be forever barred.

Dated at Decatur, Indiana, this 4th day of September, 1964.
George M. Blair
Clerk of the Adams Circuit Court for Adams County, Indiana.

Robert S. Anderson, Attorney and Counsel for personal representative.
9/8, 15, 22

Madeline C. Schurger, Attorney
ESTATE NO. 5915
NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF JOSEPH C. LAURENT
In the Adams Circuit Court of Adams County

Vacation Term, 1964
In the matter of the Estate of JOSEPH C. LAURENT, deceased. Notice is hereby given that Florence C. Laurent, as Administratrix of the above named estate, has presented and filed her final account in final settlement of said estate, and that the same will come up for the examination and action of said Adams Circuit Court, on the 25th of September, 1964, at which time all persons interested in said estate are required to appear in said court and show cause, if any there be, why said account should not be approved. And the heirs of said decedent and all others interested are also required to appear and make proof of their heirship or claim to any part of said estate.
Florence C. Laurent
Personal Representative
Myles F. Parrish
Judge
9/8, 15, 22

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NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION

Estate No. 5976
In the Adams Circuit Court of Adams County, Indiana, Notice is hereby given that Theodore F. Graikler was on the 5th day of September, 1964, appointed: Executor of the will of M. JOAN KELLER, deceased.

All persons having claims against said estate, whether or not now due, must file the same in said court within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice or said claims will be forever barred.

Dated at Decatur, Indiana, this 4th day of September, 1964.
George M. Blair
Clerk of the Adams Circuit Court for Adams County, Indiana.

Bierly & Sullivan, Attorneys and Counsel for personal representative.
9/8, 15, 22

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION

Estate No. 5974
In the Adams Circuit Court of Adams County, Indiana, Notice is hereby given that Ralph V. Bluhm was on the 4th day of September, 1964, appointed: Administrator of the estate of WILLIAM J. BLUHM, deceased.

All persons having claims against said estate, whether or not now due, must file the same in said court within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice or said claims will be forever barred.

Dated at Decatur, Indiana, this 4th day of September, 1964.
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George M. Blair
Clerk of the Adams Circuit Court for Adams County, Indiana.

Lewis Lutz Smith, Attorney and Counsel for personal representative.
9/8, 15, 22

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TV PROGRAMS

Central Daylight Time
WANE-TV
Channel 15
MONDAY

Evening
6:00 - Bachelor Father
6:30 - CBS News
7:00 - Big News
7:30 - To Tell the Truth
8:00 - Live Girl & Secret
8:30 - Vacation Playhouse
9:00 - Danny Thomas Show
9:30 - The Andy Griffith Show
10:00 - The Detectives
11:00 - Big News Final
11:30 - Award Theatre: "Hideaway Girl"

TUESDAY
Morning
7:30 - Daily World
7:50 - Summer Semester
8:00 - Captain Kangaroo
9:00 - Sugarfoot
10:00 - CBS News
10:30 - I Love Lucy
11:00 - The McCays
11:30 - Pete and Gladys
Afternoon
12:00 - Love of Life
12:30 - CBS News
12:45 - Guiding Light
1:00 - Ann Colone Show
1:30 - The World Turns
2:00 - Passover
2:30 - Houseparty
3:00 - To Tell the Truth
3:30 - CBS News
4:00 - Secret Storm
4:30 - Early Show: "Now and Forever"

Evening
6:00 - Bachelor Father
6:30 - CBS News
7:00 - Big News
7:30 - Death Valley Days
8:00 - High Adventure
8:30 - Petticoat Junction
9:30 - Jack Benny Show
10:00 - Hollywood: The Great Stars
11:00 - Big News Final
11:30 - Award Theatre: "Ride a Crooked Mile"

WKPQ-TV
Channel 33
MONDAY
Evening
6:00 - News
6:30 - Gates Way to Sports
6:55 - Weatherman
7:00 - Huntley-Brinkley Report
7:30 - Monday Night at the Movies: David and Bathsheba
9:30 - Hollywood and the Stars
10:00 - Sing Along with Mitch
11:00 - News and Weather
11:35 - Sports Today
11:50 - Tonight Show

TUESDAY
Morning
7:00 - Today Show
7:30 - Bonzo Show
8:00 - Jane Fanning Show
8:55 - Faith to Live By
10:00 - Make Room for Daddy
10:25 - NBC News
10:50 - Word for Word
11:00 - NBC News

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11:00 - News and Weather
11:35 - Sports Today
11:50 - Tonight Show

WPTA-TV

Channel 21
MONDAY

Evening
6:00 - Ron Cochran - News
6:15 - 21 News Report
6:30 - Rebel
7:00 - True Adventure
7:30 - Outer Limits
8:30 - Wagon Train
10:00 - Breaking Point
11:00 - Bob Young - News
11:10 - Local News
11:15 - Lamplite Theatre: "The Judge Steps Out"

TUESDAY
Morning
9:00 - Sergeant Preston
9:30 - The Jack Lalanne Show
10:00 - Father Knows Best
10:30 - The Price is Right
11:00 - Get the Message
11:30 - Missing Links

Evening
6:00 - Ron Cochran - News
6:15 - 21 News Report
6:30 - Rebel
7:00 - Expedition
7:30 - Combat
8:00 - McCall's Navy
8:30 - Billy Graham
10:00 - The Fugitive
11:00 - News - Bob Young
11:10 - Local News
11:15 - Lamplite Theatre: "The Informer"

— DRIVE-IN —
"The Patsy" Sun. Mon. Tues.
1:50 "Nightmare" 9:30.