

HOUSE DESTROYED, TWO ARE DAMAGED BY FIRE

FLAMES START IN SHED IN REAR OF 358 W. SIXTEENTH.

TWO BARN ARE BURNED

Fire early today destroyed a shed and a double house at Sixteenth and Missouri streets and damaged the roofs of two adjoining houses, causing a loss estimated at \$2,200. Only a few of the household furnishings in the double house were saved.

The fire started in a shed at the rear of the house, occupied by the families of Howard Brown and Eugene Allen, colored, 358-360 West Sixteenth street, and after destroying the shed, spread to the roofs of the double house, occupied by Arthur Campbell and Mary Tucker, 352-354 West Sixteenth street, and a house occupied by Peter Merritt, 1611 North Missouri street.

Two large frame barns in the rear of 25 and 29 North State avenue were damaged by fire about midnight, causing a loss of \$700. The fire is believed to have started in a barn at the rear of the home of Mrs. Margaret O'Mara, 25 North State avenue, and the flames communicated to the other structure, which was in the rear of the home of Samuel Morris. The origin of the fire was not determined.

Firemen were called early Wednesday night to extinguish a fire in a barber shop operated by T. R. Hendon at 144 North Delaware street. The loss was estimated at \$500.

Common Sense About Art. 10

(By Warren Daniel)

For some time the citizens of a community have been annoyed by depredations against their property and families. To protect themselves they form an association for mutual protection and subscribe to the following agreement: "The members of this association undertake to respect and preserve against unlawful interference of any kind the property and family of each member of the association." Would such an agreement protect the families of any supergovernment? Would it render them less independent? Would it cause any change in the family relations? None whatever, except to make them more contented and more prosperous and free to progress according to their desires, because the fear of insult and injury and loss of property would be removed. What would be thought of the biggest, wealthiest and most prosperous family if it refused to assist its neighbors in the protection and development of the community? The laws of a country make the signing of such an agreement unnecessary, but the principle behind it is the basis for most of our civil and criminal laws. The language sounds strangely familiar. It reads much like "the members of the league undertake to respect and preserve against external aggression the territorial integrity and existing political independence of all members of the league," which is the first part of Article 10. When Germany invaded Belgium, she claimed she was not making war; that she only wanted a passage through the country. In 1914, when Austria insisted on substituting her courts for those of Serbia, there was no claim that she was making war; that she was violating the political independence of Serbia no one denies. A strong nation may render a weak nation its dependent, not by war, but by aggression through intimidation. Article 10 wisely does not attempt to define a just or defensive war. Its wisdom lies in striking at those acts of aggression which are the causes for most wars. The above illustrations are given to show that this part of Article 10 is based on common sense, the common law of the land and historical reasons. We are all familiar with the story of Alexander the Great, king of Macedonia, who first conquered the other Grecian states and then the other nations of the world, one by one, until the whole world was conquered. The important thing to note about this is that he conquered them one by one. Had there been a league of nations to act in concert against him the history of the world probably would have been different and he would have been saved those bitter tears it is said that he wept, because there were no more nations for him to conquer. A league to be effective must have its members in concert. If one acted today and another in a month or year, or if each acted

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Chapin Wagner and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Logan are on a motor trip in Kentucky and Ohio.

The Sunnyside Guild presented a program this afternoon at Sunnyside auditorium, which included songs by Mrs. George Reeder, accompanied by Mrs. Mildred Clearwater, readings by Mrs. S. E. Weisel, piano numbers by Phoebe Jane Farmer and dances by Frances Hunt.

The patronesses for the dance Friday evening at the Independent Athletic Club by the Beta Chapter of the Gamma Delta Epsilon Sorority include Mr. and Mrs. Samuel M. Ralston, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Blodgett, Mr. and Mrs. P. Brennan, Mr. and Mrs. John Downing Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Eaton, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Beau, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Zaring, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Paul and Mr. and Mrs. Allen T. Fleming.

Miss Margaret Row will give a dinner at the Woodstock Club this evening for Miss Ruth Hubbard and Frederick T. Holliday, who are to be married Saturday evening at the Central Christian church. The guests will be the members of the bridal party and wedding guests who have come from out of town. Miss Hubbard's attendants will be Miss Roy and Miss Lucy Holliday. Miss Louise Atwater of Bridgeport, Conn., and Miss Mary Stuart of Chicago, Miss Frances Fleming of Kansas City, Mo., and Miss Goodall of Cincinnati, have come for the wedding.

The Rev. and Mrs. Hugh Shields, of New York, who are visiting Indianapolis relatives and friends, were dinner guests yesterday of Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Beason.

Mrs. A. M. Robertson will give a report of the biennial convention of the General Federation of Women's Clubs at Des Moines recently, at the Friday afternoon meeting of the Indianapolis Woman's Club.

Miss Miriam Dwight Walker, of New York, gave a luncheon at the Country Club today for Miss Margaret Hornbrook and the young women who are to be her attendants at her marriage to Robert C. Winslow Saturday evening. Additional guests were present at the luncheon at the Country Club at the same time for Mr. Winslow and his attendants, Henry H. Thornton, Jr., and Otto N. Frenzel, Jr., gave a dinner-dance Wednesday evening at the Country Club for Miss Hornbrook and Mr. Winslow. Norman Metzger will give a dinner at the Woodstock Club this evening for the bridal party and wedding guests who have come from out of town. Miss Hubbard's attendants will be Miss Roy and Miss Lucy Holliday. Miss Louise Atwater of Bridgeport, Conn., and Miss Mary Stuart of Chicago, Miss Frances Fleming of Kansas City, Mo., and Miss Goodall of Cincinnati, have come for the wedding.

Miss Florence Fitch, art director in the city schools, has issued an invitation to the teachers and friends to meet Dr. and Mrs. Irving Alfred Clark, Friday afternoon from 4 to 5:30 o'clock at the art department in the board of education building. Mrs. Clark formerly was Miss Emeline Segmiller, assistant art director in Indianapolis with Miss Wilhelm Segmiller. Since leaving Indiana

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School Children Aid in Quest For Teacher Accommodations.

Blank cards for rooms for teachers who will be at the state association meeting next week have been distributed to the school children of Indianapolis in furtherance of the work of the Chamber of Commerce in obtaining accommodations.

The Central Union Telephone Company is calling homes in the city which provided rooms for the G. A. R. encampment, asking similar accommodations for the teachers. This work is being directed by Phil M. Watson, commercial manager.

"We now have rooms for 2,200 teachers," says Elsie L. Green, assistant general secretary of the Indianapolis Chamber of Commerce. "We will need about three times that many."

The room bureau will be in one of the upper floors of the Hotel Severin next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. On Thursday and Friday, the

opening days of the meeting, it will be on the mezzanine floor in the Severin.

Scoutmaster's Outing.

F. O. Baker, scout executive of the Indianapolis Council of Boy Scouts of America, announced today that plans have been completed for the scoutmaster's outing and meeting next Tuesday night in the Kirtland at the Boy Scout reservation, northeast of the city. Scoutmasters, scout assistants, troop committeemen and others interested in scout activities will be present. The party will go to the reservation in automobiles. Luncheon will be served in the hut, cafeteria style, and will be followed by a business meeting. W. F. Jones, formerly a business meeting, will speak. Next Tuesday's meeting is the first of a series of monthly meetings.

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