

REPAIRS URGED AT FIRE HOUSES

Board of Works Is Asked to
Survey Conditions.

The board of public works received from the board of public safety today a request that the former body make a survey of fire stations Nos. 2, 5, 7, 10, 13, 17 and 21 with a view to ordering repairs.

The safety board, in its letter, asserted that it had received much criticism from the city council and from other sources for the condition of the buildings.

The board of works referred the matter to the city purchasing agent.

Another letter was received from the board of safety calling attention to complaints it has received to the effect that pedestrians and automobiles have been splashed by street flushers which were operated in the congested district.

DAYTIME FLUSHING

ORDERED STOPPED.

President George Lemaux of the board of works said he had ordered the superintendent of street cleaning to stop flushing downtown streets in the day time a week ago.

No action was taken upon a letter which the board received from Dr. R. P. Nelson, 401 Newton claypool building, complaining that residents served by the Cornell avenue shuttle car, operating from Twenty-seventh street and College avenue, to Thirtieth street and Cornell avenue, desire continuous service from Thirtieth street and Cornell avenue to the downtown district.

The board discussed the advisability of calling contractors engaged in downtown street resurfacing into a conference to urge upon them the necessity of completing their work before the visitors to the convention of the Associated Advertising Clubs of the World, to open June 5, begin to arrive.

The contract for the grading of Garfield avenue from Tenth street to Sixteenth street was awarded to J. H. King & Co. upon their bid of 23 cents per lineal foot, a total of \$1,545.50.

GAS MAIN TO

BE EXTENDED.

A gas main was ordered extended from 2102 North Rural street to a point 100 feet south.

William Stevens, 2728 North Capitol avenue, was appointed an inspector, class "A" in the engineering department.

Clarence E. Crippin, president of the board of school commissioners, and George Hitt, business manager for the school board, requested the board to indicate its position upon the question of vacating West Court street in the rear of the present lot upon which school No. 5, Washington and California streets, is located.

The school board desires to build a new building upon a site which would include the section of the street referred to.

The board stated that the school board must acquire the property on both sides of Court street and petition for its vacation.

It was indicated that there would be no opposition to the petition.

WOMEN HONOR TOM TAGGART

Democratic Senatorial Nominee
County League Guest.

Thomas Taggart, democratic nominee for United States senator, was the guest of honor at the reception given by the Marion County League of Democratic Women, in the parlors of the democratic club, today.

Miss Julia Landers, president of the league, introduced Mr. Taggart with a short talk, telling of his efforts at the time of the partial suffrage question in the 1917 legislature, to help the women of the state to gain their goal.

"Mr. Taggart," she stated, "is proof that America is the land of opportunity, for he has risen from a penniless boy to the position of power and affluence that he now holds through his pluck and persevering endeavor."

Mr. Taggart responded with a brief talk on democratic principles and problems of interest to women.

Mrs. Isaac Born introduced Dr. Carleton McCulloch, who greeted the women with a few informal and impersonal words.

Mrs. Kellogg-Fairbank of Chicago was a special guest of the league.

Mrs. Alice Foster McCulloch of Ft. Wayne was among the out-of-town women present.

A number of feminine visitors who are here for the democratic convention attended the tea.

Tables were arranged in the library for the registration of the women into the league.

Small gold rosettes were given to each guest as favors.

Receiving with Miss Landers were Mrs. M. A. Ryan, Mrs. Samuel M. Ralston, Mr. and Mrs. Henry N. Spaan, Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Woodling, Mrs. John F. White, Mrs. Isaac Born, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Myers, Miss Amy Keene, Mrs. Henry W. Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. Homer L. Cook, Reginald Sullivan, Mrs. Charles J. Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Pickens, Mrs. David Newman, Mrs. William Barton, Mrs. M. W. Worley, Mrs. W. H. Coleman, Mrs. Earl Ogle, Mrs. Charles Cooper, Mrs. C. S. Braich, Mrs. Thomas Wright, Mrs. H. G. Blume, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Foley, Mrs. George F. Finner, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ross, Mr. and Mrs. L. Ert Slack, Miss Evelyn McFarren, Mr. and Mrs. James Fry, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Sallee, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Holtzman, Mr. and Mrs. Sterling R. Holt, Mr. and Mrs. George M. Spiegel, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Spiegel, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Korbly, Mr. and Mrs. William Fogarty, Mrs. Martha Marson, the Rev. and Mrs. F. S. C. Wicks, Dr. and Mrs. Frank Morrison, Mrs. A. B. Graham, Mrs. W. O. Lewis, Dr. and Mrs. Lafayette Page, Dr. and Mrs. Robert L. Blakeman, Mrs. C. E. Barnes, Mrs. Mary McGrady, Mrs. George Hardin, Mrs. William McKee, Mrs. John Downing Johnson, Mrs. George Barkham, Mrs. B. S. Gadd, Mrs. Harold Treneck, Mrs. Edward Brownan, Mrs. Wilmer Christian, Mrs. Myron King, Mrs. Maurice Raschig, Mrs. Joseph Rink, Mrs. Thomas A. Hendricks, Mrs. Victor Hendricks, Mrs. Samuel Johnston, Miss Anna Hendricks, Mrs. W. A. Bobbitt, Mrs. Charles Remeter, Mrs. W. H. Blodgett.

Make-It-Smile Doll Draws Window Crowd

Indianapolis folk are practicing smiles in an effort to make the "Mystery Doll" live up to its wax-like countenance.

The "Mystery Doll" is on view in the window of the Brunswick Shop, 124 North Pennsylvania street.

The doll has the form of a miniature man and stands in the window of the Brunswick Shop, and with the exception of the human-like movements of the arms and eyes, apparently is a mechanical toy. A reward of \$10 worth of phonograph records is awarded to the person making the "Mystery Doll" smile.

George S. Dwinnell, Salesman, Dead

George S. Dwinnell of Newton, Mass., a traveling salesman well known here, is dead at his home, according to word received here by friends.

Up to two years ago Mr. Dwinnell was a traveling salesman at a shoe company and visited most of the large cities of the middle west in that capacity.

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

A meeting of the South Side Women's club has been called for tonight at the College of Music and Fine Arts, 1218 Prospect street, at 8 o'clock. James H. Lowry, superintendent of city parks, will be the speaker.

An exhibit of the vocational work of colored pupils of Schools Nos. 28, 37, 63 and 65 is being held at School No. 28, Fifteenth street and Martindale avenue. The exhibit includes samples of work done in the classrooms, shops and domestic science kitchens. Arthur L. Lons, supervising principal of the district, is in charge.

Approximately forty thousand new members were added to the American legion in the first day of the six-days' intensive campaign for membership, in complete returns into national headquarters here indicated.

Settlement of the judgment for \$367.21 obtained by J. N. Vincel & Co. against the bonding company for the Fletcher American National bank was made today, according to T. Ernest Maholm. The case grew out of a shipment of unsatisfactory potatoes to the Vincel company in March, 1918, and the alleged unauthorized payment of a check held in deposit by the bank.

Says Arbitration Should Clear Courts

Advocating arbitration to relieve courts of disputes and petty lawsuits, Judge J. Kent Greene of the Chicago municipal court addressed a meeting of commercial bodies at the Chamber of Commerce last night.

His subject was "The Arbitration of Commercial Disputes."

Paul Parker Praises Spirit of Citizens

Indianapolis citizens are not slow to support a home industry where it means proven its stability, according to Paul P. Parker, president of the Parker Tire and Rubber Company.

The company has its plant a block south of Garfield park, where it manufactures super-sized cord tires exclusively, and early this week Mr. Parker made a special direct-factory sales offer to motorists.

He says he has found citizens to be keenly interested in the city's industry. The Parker company is maintaining "open house" and many persons are visiting the factory daily.

Marriage Licenses

Ralph D. Baker, 24, live stock dealer, 246 Hendricks place, and Alberta M. Waite, 26, 246 Hendricks place.

Henry Mitchell, 27, modeler, 968 Traub avenue, and Stella May Barnes, 29, city.

Frank L. Elliott, 33, garage owner, 1368 Keating avenue, and Bessie L. Todd, 22, 1336 Keating avenue.

Carl G. Rudolph, 24, traveling man, Chicago, Ill., and Lillian Dante, 23, Chicago.

George F. Rohan, 30, accountant, 826 North New Jersey and Pauline A. Goebel, 23, 1622 South Delaware street.

Stanford T. Pomroy, 29, superintendent of construction, Pittsburgh, Pa., and Blanche K. Harley, 29, 2945 North Pennsylvania.

Arthur C. Holt, 28, switchman, city, and Iva May Brown, 24, 1526 North Olney avenue.

Charles M. Richardson, 23, truck driver, 506 North Senate, and Mary Sorrier, 15, 183 West Arizona.

Philip P. Moss, 32, 146 West Arizona, and Katherine F. Kuenzler, 31, city.

Donald Scheuenberger, 24, soldier, Ft. Benjamin Harrison, and Helen B. Staydore, 24, employed at Sunnyside.

August J. Euter, 32, barber, 1819 South Fallholt street, and Clara E. Keemeyer, 28, 315 North Jefferson avenue.

Births

Ernest and Olive Schaefer, 1338 South Harding, boy.

Ansel and Emma Pee, 2916 Paris, boy.

Robert and Mary Mosler, 1704 West Minnesota, girl.

Ralph and Francis Brown, City hospital, boy.

Harry and Cornelia Hartman, 1402 South Capitol, boy.

Frank and May Knuckles, 702 Sherman drive, boy.

Emmett and Flora McNerny, 1126 West Morris, boy.

Joseph and Alma Linne, 1904 Ashland, boy.

Merritt and Zella Wright, 2625 East Michigan, girl.

John and Linnie Smith, 1626 Minocqua, boy.

Charles and Dosta Pence, 828 South Fremont, boy.

Walter and Clara White, 922 Lexington, girl.

George and Helen Weber, 811 East Southern, boy.

George and Grace Sprowl, 115 Koehne, boy.

Clayton and Merle Worrell, 413 North Centennial, boy.

Leo and Anna Levenson, St. Vincent's hospital, girl.

C. C. and Mary Dowling, 1527 Southern, girl.

Buford and Edith Engling, 342 Norwood, boy.

Charles and Rebecca Creech, 17 North Keystone, boy.

Robert and Oda Smith, 517 North Jefferson, boy.

Toney and Susie Rizzal, 1221 Bates, girl.

William and Culotta Holden, 2305 College, girl.

Glenn and Lillian Heffernan, 3411 East Sixteenth, girl.

Russell and Asa Ranard, 44 South Summit, boy.

Benjamin and Nellie Rhodes, 1301 McLean, girl.

Benjamin and Bertha Horowitz, Long hospital, boy.

Forest and Helen Henderson, Long hospital, girl.

Deaths

Mary Francis Riggle, 23, St. Vincent's hospital, cerebro embolism.

Christian F. Meyer, 89, St. Vincent's hospital, acute nephritis.

Leahia Holtz, 82, 2408 Central, mitral insufficiency.

Ora Anna Doss, 49, 106 West North, chronic myocarditis.

Dixon Edgerton, 59, 1911 North Delaware, periculous anemia.

Francis E. Curry, 25, 2329 Ashland, cerebro spinal meningitis.

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DISCUSSES TRADE ARBITRATION LAW

Chicago Attorney Speaks at
Joint Meeting Here.

In a talk on "Commercial Arbitration," at a meeting last night at the Chamber of Commerce, under auspices of the Indianapolis Association of Credit Men, and representatives of commercial bodies of the city, J. Kent Greene, legal assistant to Chief Justice Olson, of Chicago municipal court, discussed the Indiana law for commercial arbitrations, passed in May, 1918, and made suggestions relative to technical changes that might be made in the old law to make it practical for the present day.

He said it would form a good basis for amendment into a law suitable for present day conditions, as it suggested that there be incorporated in it a clause providing that in contracts there might be incorporated some provision for settling disputes between the parties concerned that might come up in the future.

A committee of the Indianapolis Association of Credit Men, composed of Harry J. Vandolah, chairman; O. E. Lewis, vice-chairman; James J. Bright, W. H. Fletcher and Robert Wands, was instructed to take up with the National Association of Credit Men the matter of suitable and uniform state laws providing for commercial arbitrations and to endeavor to have the national association, which meets at Atlantic City June 1 to 5, give its support to such a movement.

PARCEL POST DOES STORE DELIVERY

As "Old Dobbin" and the dray gave way to the automobile delivery truck, so the present method of retail store deliveries is giving way to the newest plan of delivery—the parcel post.

The Pettis Dry Goods Company has been trying out the new idea for more than a month and reports that the plan is the logical solution of a long standing difficulty and expense.

The store announced that the parcel post plan has reduced delivery expense approximately 50 per cent during the short time it has been in operation.

Virtually all kinds of merchandise can be delivered by parcel post, it is said.

Postmaster Robert Springsteen has given his whole-hearted indorsement to the innovation and asserts that other stores are likely to follow the lead.

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