

## HIDE MEASURES TO CHEAT AX OF COUNCIL 'ANTIS'

Administration Forces Take No Chances on Traffic and Other Schemes.

## 2 NEEDED VOTES ABSENT

Three important ordinances which were expected to be reported out of committees for final passage were kept under cover by the administration forces in the city council last night. It was apparent that the four anti-administration councilmen would end the existence of the measures if they got a chance.

The ordinances were the new traffic code, the most important provision of which would compel flat-to-the-curb parking on almost all streets, and a man-made authorizing the issuance of \$125,000 worth of bonds for the renovation and repair of the city market house and another authorizing a bond issue of \$500,000 for construction of a nurses' home at the city hospital.

With Dr. O. B. Pettijohn, one of the administration members, absent because of illness and Dr. Sumner A. Furniss, negro administrator, absent, and the present the administration could have passed only three of the five votes necessary to pass the traffic ordinance. The four anti-administration councilmen were present and were understood to be ready to harpoon the measure if it came out.

## MUCH CONCERN OVER MARKET PLAN.

The administration is much concerned over the fate of the market house ordinance. This measure, carrying an appropriation clause, requires six votes to pass. It is thought generally that the four "antis" are opposed to the plan of safety's idea of market rehabilitation and therefore it is expected they will vote against it. What the antis will do with the nurses' home ordinance has not been indicated.

An ordinance providing for establishment of a city planning commission under the new law passed by the Legislature was introduced and referred to a committee of the councilmen with Councilman G. G. Schmidt as chairman.

The traffic ordinance was mentioned only once during the meeting and that when Councilman Jacob P. Brown, chairman of the special committee to which it was referred, asked for more time for consideration, explaining that an error had been found in the draft. He did not explain the error but said that in the meeting said it involved the matter of parking beneath the elevated tracks at the Union Station. The antis considered this merely a subterfuge to cover up the fact that the administration forces were afraid to submit the measure to a vote.

## DEI IF NOT ACTED ON AT NEXT MEETING.

The traffic ordinance and the two bond issue measures must be reported out of committee at the next regular meeting, April 4, or they will have been in the committee's hands for more than sixty days and automatically fall of passage. All three were introduced Feb. 7.

Three ordinances ratifying the purchase of motor equipment by the board of public works and one by the board of public safety were introduced.

An ordinance designed to prevent the location of slaughter houses, soap factories, breweries, distilleries, fertilizer factories, and other businesses within 1,000 feet of any public building, park, playground, boulevard, church, school, library, hospital or any established residence district comprising of ten or more houses as introduced by Councilman Louis W. Carnefix. The board of public health would have power to enforce the ordinance which carried a penalty of not more than \$500 a month for each month's imprisonment, or both.

The salary of Laurel Thayer, probation officer of city court, would be increased from \$1,100 to \$2,000 a year by another ordinance introduced.

Bills appropriating \$500 to the board of safety to defray the expense of one or more fires for attendance at the New York City Fire College during April, May, and June, \$500 for public electric light and heating bills and surcharges owing the Merchants Heat and Light Company, were passed. The board of safety announced it will send Battalion Chief Herbert Fulmer to the fire school for the full period, and possibly Fire Chief John C. Loucks for a part of the course. Battalion Chief Fulmer will be in charge of the local fire school when it is established.

## Income Delinquents Will Be Rounded Up

Now that the force of the local internal revenue department has caught up with its work followed the eleventh hour rush of income taxpayers last week, the field deputies will turn their attention to rounding up delinquents, according to H. M. Tebey, chief of division No. 1, in which Indianapolis is located. Mr. Tebey says that this will be a real task and will keep his men busy for some time. However, it is not believed that there will be as many delinquents this year as in the past.

**Freyen Brothers Get Jail Plumbing Job**

On a bid of \$24,500 the county commissioners today awarded the plumbing contract for the county jail to Freyen Brothers of Indianapolis. Their bid was the lowest of five. Other bids were as follows: Hayes Brothers, \$35,500; Calton Weibe Company, \$35,567; Strong Brothers, \$29,540, and Calton Brothers, \$26,900.

A contract was awarded by the commissioners to Calton Brothers on a \$2,350 bid for the plumbing and heating connections at Sunnyside Cook Brothers submitted a bid of \$2,987.

**Police Find Stolen Goods; Hold Roomer**

Harry Dodes, 23194 North Meridian street, was arrested today on charges of burglary and grand larceny by Detectives Manning and O'Donnell. In his room were found a number of articles belonging to Noble Fletcher of the same address.

Last night Fletcher reported to the police that on his return from work he found that his room had been entered and clothing and other articles valued at \$100 had been stolen.

**Gregory Kelly Opens Season Here April 11**

Announcement was made today that Gregory Kelly will begin his first season of stock at English's on the night of April 11. The opening bill will be "Clarence." Mr. Kelly will be seen in the title role. Mr. Kelly is now with the "Dulcy" company in Chicago.

## ASKS \$2,700 FOR INJURY.

A jury in Superior Court, room 3, today was hearing the title of Fred Harvey against the Dunn McCarl Company for \$2,700 damages. Harvey claims that he was hauling a bullet and to escape injury he jumped from the wagon when the boxer rolled off. He claims he injured an ankle.

## Funeral Tomorrow for Mrs. H. A. Kahn

Funeral services for Mrs. Caroline M. Kahn, 42, wife of Harry A. Kahn, who died in Cleveland, Ohio, last night, following an operation, will be held at the First Methodist Church, 220 North Pennsylvania street, tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Rabbi M. M. Feuerlicht will be in charge of the services.

Mrs. Kahn was a member of the board of governors of the Jewish Federation, and took an active interest in the establishment of the Nathan Morris Community House, and was a member of the Jewish temple, Delaware and Tenth streets.

The burial will be at the cemetery of the Indianapolis Hebrew Congregation.

Harry A. Kahn is president of the National Furniture Company.

## ONE'S WILL FOR RIGHT CROWDS SIN, SAYS GIPSY

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answer to their prayers. These people all spoke of God in their church. I wonder what would happen if every one spoke of God in our church. Some would say it was a new religion, but I wouldn't. I would say it was an old one being revived."

The evangelist declared that he was afraid that sometimes the word of God is covered up in such a way that nobody can recognize it.

"When you talk about something you are not sure of and nobody else knows anything about, they call it metaphysics," he said.

Gipsy Smith waved a copy of the New Testament before his audience.

"This work is the sword of the spirit," he said. "If you use it without the power of the Holy Ghost you do more harm than good."

## OFFICERS OF FIRST CHURCH.

He declined to name the officers of the first church, but said all the things that Jesus Christ came to make possible. He said the officers of that church were not the men with the most political pull, or the men who stood highest in society, or the men who were most prominent in business, or even the most intelligent, but the men who were the best. He said that church officers should be trusted, and that they would be the best if Decker for them.

"There is no incompatibility between culture and evangelism," he said. "Jesus Christ was the most perfect gentleman and the greatest evangelist."

"If you are an office bearer and won't get saved you had better use some common sense, resign," he said. "If you are an office bearer and you are not a Christian, resign."

"If you are putting a man who is not saved in a church office in order to hold him you are beginning at the wrong end. The qualification of an office bearer in the church of God is that he be a good man. The first qualification is goodness."

"God can't and won't use unholly men in his church. If you are not a good man you will not be a curse in a church office."

"Do your wife and your children believe in your religion? Can you kneel down on your heart rug and pray and have your children gather about you and say their father is a good man?"

## EXPERIMENTAL POLYTHENE.

"Gipsy Smith, in illustrating his points, told of some of his early experiences as a minister. He said when he was 22 years old he had a church attended every Sunday by 2,500 persons. He said he was called to speak at another church and found the audience 100 times larger. He said he admitted killing Lovett in a river cabin and then placing the body along the Pennsylvania railroad, near Atwood, under suspicion of murder. They denied prompting the youth a light sentence.

In view of the alleged repudiation, authorities working on the case abandoned hope of obtaining a complete confession. Virgil made to Sheriff and Mrs. Moon a statement in which he denied the case. Buhler said his client confessed the crime when the detectives promised him leniency, when they told him he would be sent to prison for two years and that the prison training would be similar to that a man received in the Army. Buhler had a signed statement from the youth to bear this out.

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