

KU KLUX KLAN HOLDS NO BRIEF FOR WILLIAMS

Imperial Wizard Denies Organization Interested in 'Death Farm' Trial.

NO RACE RIOT PLANNED

ALBANY, Ga., April 8.—That the Ku Klux Klan is in no way concerned in the case of John S. Williams, who is being tried in Covington, Ga., on charges of murdering a number of negroes and that the order does not believe in or countenance the taking of the law into its members' own hands was declared in a statement issued today by Col. William Joseph Simmons, Imperial Wizard of the Knights of the Ku Klux Klan.

When the attention of Colonel Simmons was called to a story under a Covington date line stating it was alleged there was a "Ku-Klux" plot to incite a riot at Covington, he said:

"I feel that some one must have given false information to the United Press. DELIBERATE ATTEMPT TO DISCREDIT THE KU KLUX KLAN."

"No statement that the Ku Klux Klan is an organization or that any of its members, acting either for themselves or for this organization, have decided to take the law into their own hands, or that any other person or organization, or that it fomented or sought to foment, for any purpose whatever, any friction between the white and colored races at any time or for any purpose is entirely without foundation and does this organization a very grave injustice."

"We are not even advised, except through the publication of the story herein referred to, that any person or persons has charged this organization with inciting or seeking to incite clashes between the races at Covington, but if such charges have been made they are the result of malicious efforts to damage this organization and bring it into disrepute. Thorough investigation by our authorized representatives discloses that no member of the Ku Klux Klan has been or is connected in any way, shape or fashion with any feature of the affair in which John S. Williams is involved."

KU KLUX LAW ABIDING.
PATRIOTIC ORGANIZATION.

"The Knights of Ku Klux Klan is a law abiding, patriotic, fraternal organization, bearing charters both from the State of Georgia and from the Superior Court of Fulton County, Georgia. It does not believe in and does not countenance taking the law into its own hands, but does believe in impartial enforcement of all laws at all times, and to this end stands ready and at all times to aid the regularly constituted law enforcement officials whenever its services may be needed."

"The Knights of the Ku Klux Klan do not believe in and do not countenance the use of force or violence, intimidation or threats and it has been stated repeatedly in public addresses by all authorized representatives of this organization that should any member of this organization identify with any movement not countenanced by law, he would be banished immediately from membership in this organization and no efforts would be spared by the Ku Klux Klan to bring upon him the proper punishment under the law which his conduct deserved."

RAP 'COERCION' AND 'HYPOCRISY' OF CITY HALL
(Continued From Page One.)

Its attempts to coerce and intimidate the city employees. He pointed out that the primary permitted the voters to express their choice and organization intimidating city employees should be soundly defeated. His meeting was held at 45 North Addison street, 1202 Roosevelt avenue, 3027 North Missouri street and 521 Agnes street.

ROBINSON PLEADS FOR CLEAN VOTING.
At these meetings Mr. Robinson launched a plea for a clean primary. He deplored any attempts to manipulate the ballots. He emphasized the need for economy in city government during the coming four years.

Joseph G. Hayes, campaign manager for Mr. Robinson, reports that all wards are being thoroughly organized and the final month's drive will see unlimited activity of the Robinson workers. Mr. Robinson himself is scheduled for speeches in every precinct and his list of speakers includes many prominent Republicans in Indianapolis. Edward R. Pugh, head of the Robinson speakers' bureau, has organized a list of speakers and their activities will carry them to all parts of the city.

Speaking at the Link-Belt factory, West Michigan street and Holmes avenue, today at noon, Mr. Shank, referred to "what he termed the hypocrisy of Mayor Jewett in appearing on the platform of the Gipsy Smith meeting last night to boast of the 'clean city' he was running."

SCORES JEWETT FOR 'HYPOCRISY.'
"Gipsy Smith has done a great work in Indianapolis," said the candidate, "but a work as I have rejoiced to see but the unscrupulous hypocrisy of the Jewett ring here has blinded him to conditions. I don't blame Gipsy. He is an Englishman and unaccustomed to the methods pursued by American politicians. I think his fine work here will be reflected in the action of an awakened people at the polls this spring for the people do know conditions."

"Mayor Jewett and Felix McWhirter, 'good government' member of the board of safety, had the nerve to sit on the tabernacle platform last night, basking in the light of the right of the evangelist while their friends, Rufe Page, Joker Young and William Lancaster, negro politicians, were running gambling devices unmolested. Then Jewett talked of his efforts to run a clean city and shamelessly brought in the name of his father, a Christian minister. It is high time that we had a political as well as religious awakening."

ONLY 5 STREETS LEFT ON LIST TO BE RESURFACED

(Continued From Page One.)

ago and it did not feel like pressing them against the wishes of the majority of the property owners at this time.

A new state law depriving property owners of their right to remonstrate against resurfacing resolutions will go into effect when the acts of the 1921 Legislature are published. This is expected to be some time in May. After this the board may resurface some of the worst streets turned aside, it is understood.

NEW ARC LIGHTS ORDERED INSTALLED.
Arc lights were ordered installed at De Quincey and Tenth streets, Thirty-First and Hovey streets, Thirtieth street and Baltimore avenue, Forty-Sixth and Guilford avenue, Forty-Eighth and Pennsylvania streets, Forty-Ninth and Washington boulevard, Hillside avenue and Fountain street, Forty-Second and Illinois streets, Gladstone avenue at a point 200 feet north of railroad tracks, Thirty-Fourth street and Winthrop avenue, New Jersey and Fortieth streets, New Jersey half way between Thirty-Eighth and Fortieth streets, first alley north of Oliver avenue and Coffee street, Twenty-Second and Alabama streets, Thallman avenue and Roosevelt street, Pleasant and St. Peter streets, Collett and Burgess avenues, St. Clair street and Kimerson avenue, Forty-Fourth street and Washington boulevard, Fifty-Fourth, Fifty-Sixth and Fifty-Seventh streets and Central avenue and Fifty-Second street and Broadway.

Gas lights were ordered at St. Clair and Lafayette streets, on the west, and on the east side of State avenue, between Ohio and New York streets.

The gas light at Twelfth and Missouri streets was ordered transferred to the first alley south of Twelfth street at Missouri street, and the arc light at this point transferred to Twelfth and Missouri street.

NUMBER OF BIDS ARE RECEIVED BY BOARD.
Bids were received as follows:

For curbing sidewalks and graded lawns in Garfield avenue, from Tenth to Sixteenth streets; J. W. and W. C. Martin, \$2.35 per lineal foot; W. C. Halstead, \$2.35; Charles Schwert, \$2.30; and Abel Brothers, \$2.30.

For curbing, sidewalks and graded lawns in Forty-Ninth street, from Pennsylvania street to Central avenue; Todd & Reid, \$3.20 per lineal foot; W. C. Halstead, \$3.20; Charles Schwert, \$3.40; Frank Lawson, \$3.37, and J. W. and W. C. Martin, \$3.63.

For sidewalks and curbs on the south side of Tenth street from Keeling avenue to the present terminus, Fred W. Reid, \$3.25 per lineal foot.

For sidewalks in East Tenth street from Windsor street to the north side, and from the west property line of Woodruff Place on the south side to Pogue's Run bridge, W. C. Halstead, \$1.39 per lineal foot; Fred W. Reid, \$1.30, and John Arnold & Co., \$1.27.

For resurfacing of New York street from West street to Indiana avenue; Indiana Asphalt Paving Company, asphalt, \$6.71 per lineal foot; Union Asphalt Construction Company, asphalt, \$6.75; American Construction Company, asphalt, \$6.90, and Mansfield Engineering Company, asphalt, \$6.95.

ALLEY IMPROVEMENTS.
Bids were rejected because they were too high on the permanent improvement of the first alley east of Guilford avenue from Edgewood place to Maple street, the first alley south of English avenue from Spruce street to State avenue and the first alley south of Maple road from Carrollton avenue to the first alley east of Guilford avenue. Bids on the permanent improvement of the first alley north of Washington street from Seneca avenue to Usage street were rejected because they were irregular.

Preliminary orders were made for the use of material as follows:

Resurfacing of Virginia avenue from north thirty-eight feet south of East Tenth street to Shelby street, asphalt; resurfacing of Meridian street from the first alley north of Merrill street to McCarty street, asphalt; permanent improvement of first alley northeast of Virginia avenue from Woodlawn avenue to Shelby street, two course concrete and permanent improvement of the first alley north of Northern avenue from Cornelius avenue to Boulevard place, two course concrete.

Upon recommendation of Street Commissioner A. O. Meloy the board appointed Samuel K. Babo, 512 East New York street, engineer at the asphalt plant at 50 cents per hour; James Isaac, 416 Corn street, cement finisher at 60 cents per hour, and William Hudson, 1415 Mill street, tractor driver at \$24 per week.

Receiver for Moran Press Is Appointed

Judge Linn Hay of Superior Court, room 2, today appointed William O. Dunaway as receiver for the Charles Moran Press at Georgia street and Senate avenue. The receivership was requested by the Whitaker Paper Company and the C. P. Lesh Paper Company in two suits filed before the court. It is claimed that the defendant is indebted to the Whitaker Paper Company in a sum of \$1,376.67.

SENT TO FARM FOR LONG TERM

Downfall Traced to Chickens and Bicycle.

Arts Smith, 21, 918 North Lynn street, was fined on two affidavits, each charging petit larceny, today in city court by Henry Abrams, judge pro tem. Smith was fined \$1 and costs and sentenced to serve 150 days on the Indiana State Farm on one affidavit and \$1 and costs and sentenced to serve ninety days on the State Farm on the other.

Smith was arrested April 4 by Patrolmen Hillman and Thompson at a poultry house where he was attempting to sell fourteen chickens which he later admitted stealing. It was charged. Soon after the arrest made by the officers for the theft of the chickens, Patrolmen Converse and Wilkins "happened along" just as the other two officers were calling the patrol wagon and noticed that the bicycle which Smith had in his possession answered the description of the one stolen from Edw. Moore, 536 Goodlet avenue, a city freeman, on April 1.

Smith was given the 150-day sentence on the affidavit charging the theft of the bicycle and the ninety-day sentence for the theft of the chickens.

WINKING LIGHTS ONLY ON TRIAL

Placed at Points Where Accidents Have Occurred.

The new signal lights which the board of public safety has placed at the intersections of Meridian and Michigan streets and Meridian and Sixteenth streets have not been purchased outright and may be returned to the manufacturer in case motorists generally disapprove of them. It was learned at the city purchasing office today.

The lights, which contain an acetylene gas burner so arranged as to wink at rapid intervals, were bought from the American Gas Accumulator Company of Elizabeth, N. J., through Halvar Berggren, a representative of the company's Chicago office, on approval. The price, if the lights are kept, will be \$165 each. There is no definite approval period. City Purchasing Agent Dwight S. Ritter stated.

The board of safety, according to Executive Secretary George W. Williams, selected two corners where the lights have been placed as being the two points where police records show accidents occur most frequently. The standards on which the light globes are set are painted a brilliant yellow and marked so as to warn motorists by day that traffic to the right has the right-of-way at street intersections not guarded by traffic policemen or otherwise designated by the board of safety, in accordance with the new State traffic law.

MURDER CASE TO GO TO JURY TODAY

Special to The Times.
COLUMBUS, Ind., April 8.—The fate of J. Webster Smith, on trial in the Bartholomew Circuit Court for the murder of Irma Hatcher at her home here last January, was expected to be in the hands of the jury this afternoon. The hearing of the evidence in the case was completed yesterday afternoon and the plea of the attorneys were begun and continued today.

"Wall Paper"
We have a most interesting stock of Wall Paper. We can please you with our beautiful and appropriate patterns; also more than please you with our low prices.

NOTICE—All paper-hangers get in touch with our paper department at once—something of great interest to you.

\$5 Worth of Ice FREE
With Every Sanitary GIBSON Refrigerator

The Gibson is the highest grade refrigerator made. By an ingenious construction the air circulates freely throughout the refrigerator and since the water is drained immediately the air is sweet and pure and DRY.

This constitutes the great preserving feature of the Gibson and its wonderful economy of ice.

DR. PFAFFLIN LOSES CONTROL OF 'PETIT POLICE'

(Continued From Page One.)

member by reason of being president of the society.

BEGAN INVESTIGATION DEFENDING COLLEGE.
Dr. Pfafflin began his investigation of the mutilation of dogs with the announcement to other members of the society that all the charges against the college were "lies" and was supported in this statement by W. S. Frye, who said he had never read anything concerning the manner in which the college conducts experimental surgery on dogs surreptitiously procured from doubtful sources.

The investigation of the many charges of extreme cruelty against the college was begun with two of the investigating committee on record as proponents of the college's dissection methods.

In the meanwhile, there is a growing determination, both in the society and outside of it, that the practices of the college in procuring dogs and in the treatment they receive after reaching the college must be reformed.

SHELBYVILLE OWNER ASKS PROSECUTION

Times Editor:
I have been reading about the terrible things having been done at the Medical College, and want to add my compliments along with those of many others to the Times. I think you are doing splendid work in trying to right these conditions.

Can't the college be prosecuted by persons that have had their dogs stolen, until they would be forced to stop it? And that actually unnatural, inhuman boy at Rushville, can't he be punished some way? There are many people here that think the same way as I do about it. I hope there will be some way of making the college stop that, and of punishing all persons connected with it. Respectfully,
A SHELBYVILLE DOG OWNER.

FACE AND HANDS BURNED.

THOIRNTOWN, Ind., April 8.—Elmer Randall, an employee of a vulcanizing company, was severely burned about the face and hands Thursday while removing a tire from a mold.

ASPIRIN
Name "Bayer" on Genuine

Take Aspirin only as told in each package of genuine Bayer Tablets of Aspirin. Then you will be following the directions and dosage worked out by physicians during 21 years, and proved safe by millions. Take no chances with substitutes. If you see the Bayer Cross on tablets, you can take them without fear for Colds, Headache, Neuritis, Rheumatism, Earache, Toothache, Lumbago and for Pain. Handy tin boxes of twelve tablets cost few cents. Drugists also sell larger packages. Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacturing of Monoaceticacid-ester of Salicylicacid.—Advertisement.

Shave With Cuticura Soap The New Way Without Mug

"Wall Paper"
We have a most interesting stock of Wall Paper. We can please you with our beautiful and appropriate patterns; also more than please you with our low prices.

NOTICE—All paper-hangers get in touch with our paper department at once—something of great interest to you.

\$5 Worth of Ice FREE
With Every Sanitary GIBSON Refrigerator

The Gibson is the highest grade refrigerator made. By an ingenious construction the air circulates freely throughout the refrigerator and since the water is drained immediately the air is sweet and pure and DRY.

Dr. Moffat Tells of Far East Conditions

An address by Dr. Samuel Moffat on "Conditions in the Far East" was the principal feature on the program for the luncheon today at the Hotel Lincoln of the Exchange Club of Indianapolis.

Dr. Moffat was a resident of Corea for thirty years, but is now spending a year in the United States.

Another feature of the program was an explanation of mysteries of the slide rule and the T square by Kenneth Coffin.

TARIFF MEASURE READY FOR HOUSE

Practically Same as Vetted Fordney Act.

WASHINGTON, April 8.—The Young emergency tariff bill, framed for the purpose of protecting agricultural interests, was completed today by the House ways and means committee.

It will be presented to the House next Monday by Representative Young, North Dakota, and will be taken up for passage Wednesday.

In all essential features, it is the same as the Fordney bill which passed Congress at the last session, but was vetoed by former President Wilson. One change made in the bill is that it is to be effective only six months, the Fordney bill was to be effective for ten months after its introduction in Congress.

High School Building Is Planned in Wayne

Special to The Times.
RICHMOND, Ind., April 8.—Officials of Center Township, Wayne County, have awarded a contract for a new \$125,000 high school building to be erected at Centerville, east of Richmond. The building is to be modern and will include a gymnasium, auditorium and lunch room.

The auditorium will accommodate 650 persons and a seating capacity for 300 persons has been arranged for the gymnasium.

TO EULOGIZE THOS. JEFFERSON

Patriotism to Mark Democrats' Anniversary Celebration.

Americanization will be the keynote of the celebration of the birthday of Thomas Jefferson by the Indiana Democratic Club at its West Vermont street home on the evening of April 12, President Frank P. Baker announced today. Jefferson's birthday is April 2, but the celebration was postponed from that date because it conflicted with the Americanization meeting in the Gipsy Smith tabernacle on that date.

"There are no old-timers on the speakers' list," said Mr. Baker. "All the addresses will be delivered by red-blooded young men, Democrats and Americans. A patriotic duty calls all members of the club to be present."

Mark Archer will be chairman of the meeting. The tentative list of speakers include Albert Stump, Walter Myers and Russell Ryan, attorneys, and Evans Wooten, Jr., treasurer of the Democratic city committee. Others probably will be added.

Taylor University Will Have New Head

Special to The Times.
UPLAND, Ind., April 8.—James M. Taylor, D. D., of New York City, an official of the board of foreign missionaries of the Methodist Episcopal Church, has announced his acceptance of the presidency of Taylor University here.

Dr. Taylor will assume his new duties this fall. He is recognized as one of the most popular platform men of the day, being in great demand as a speaker before Rotary Clubs, Chambers of Commerce and chautauquas.

BUYS TWO-TON TRUCK.

HARTFORD CITY, Ind., April 8.—A two-ton truck for city street work was purchased by the council here last evening.

\$1.00 Delivers Any CEDAR CHEST

"Feeney's The Home of the Cedar Chest"

48-Inch Cedar Chest Only \$25

Your Neighbor is Well Pleased With Her GARLAND Coal and Gas

"SIMPLE ACTION" Combination RANGE

Burns Coal, Wood and Gas

—FEATURES—

Completely and beautifully enameled in blue or gray and white. Also furnished in black finish with enamel and nickel trimmings, as shown in illustration on right. Four top burners for gas and four eight-inch cooking holes for coal or wood. Oven bakes with either coal or gas, or with both fuels at the same time.

Your Old Stove as Part Payment

Feeney's
128-130 W. Washington St.

1/2 Price Sale

Ladies' Raincoats

Good quality blue poplin, made belted all around, wide collar, patch pockets. Sizes 16 to 46. Formerly sold for \$15.00—

Special \$7.50

Indianapolis Raincoat Co.

106 West Market Tractional Terminal Bldg.

NU-WAY SHOE CO.

Quitting Business Sale

Every pair of shoes in the house in this big Sacrifice Sale, including our new stock that we had bought for our spring business, all must be sold regardless of cost.

\$3.98

MEN'S DRESS SHOES—Values from \$7.00 to \$10.00. Special—
\$3.98 and \$4.98

MEN'S SHOES that formerly sold at \$8, \$7, \$5, \$4, \$3, \$2, \$1, \$0.98, \$0.88, \$0.78, \$0.68, \$0.58, \$0.48, \$0.38, \$0.28, \$0.18, \$0.08, \$0.00.

MEN'S SHOES—For work or dress, that sold up to \$5.00 a pair—
\$2.98

ARMY SHOES—Built strong, regular values—
\$4.98

BOYS' STURDY SHOES—For hard values, at—
\$2.98

BOYS' SHOES that sold as high as \$4.00 a pair, now—
\$1.98 and \$2.48

WOMEN'S OXFORDS—The latest spring styles, at—
\$4.98 and \$3.98

WOMEN'S HIGH SHOES—Values from \$7.00 to \$10.00, special, \$2.98 and \$3.98

WOMEN'S PUMPS AND SLIPPERS—High or low heels; up to \$7.00 values, at—
\$2.98

WOMEN'S ONE-STRAP PUMPS AND COMFORT SLIPPERS at—
\$1.98

MISSIES' SHOES AND SLIPPERS—Sizes 8 1/2 to 2, from—
\$1.98 to \$3.48

CHILDREN'S SLIPPERS AND SHOES—Sizes 5 to 8, at—
\$1.48 and \$1.98

CHILDREN'S SLIPPERS AND SHOES—Sizes up to 4, 98c

151 NORTH ILLINOIS ST.
JUST NORTH OF LYRIC THEATER

Open Saturday from 7:30 a. m. to 9:30 p. m.

**NATURE PUT IRON
FOR YOUR BLOOD**
In the husks of grains and the peels and skins of fruits and vegetables but modern methods of cooking destroy all these things away—hence the alarming increase in anemia—iron starvation of the blood, with its never-ending list of symptoms of nervous irritability, general weakness, fatigue, disturbed digestion, headaches, pains across the back, etc. Either go back to nature or take organic iron—Sustained Iron—to help enrich your blood and revitalize your worn-out exhausted nerves. Over 4,000,000 people annually are using it. Sustained Iron is sold by all druggists.—Advertisement.

Mending Tissue THE WONDER
No sewing or darning. Repairs clothing, silk, cotton, wool, ribbons, fabrics of all kinds, and gloves, neckties, umbrellas, parasols, stockings, etc. Patches are possible. Is cents a box. Address PENN PUBLISHING CO., Harrisville, Pa.

World's Fair Furniture Co.
327-329 W. Wash. St.
"All Goods Marked in Plain Figures"

"We Treat You Right."

Hatfield ELECTRIC CO.
"The House Electric"
Southwest Corner Maryland and Meridian Streets.
Main 0123. Auto. 23-123.

Do You Know Why
The Eden
Electric Washing and Wringing Machine is being used in 4,500 homes in Indianapolis today?

Because it is of all-metal construction and built to last a lifetime.
Because there is nothing to adjust about it; no belts, no chains to tighten, no wood to warp or become water-logged; nothing to oil on it but the motor.
Because it costs only 5 cents to operate it for the largest washing you will ever have.
Because the service you receive on the Eden is given by an electrical house that has spent 33 years specializing in appliances that are of unquestionable repute.