

KNAPP LAW IS NOT FAVORED IN CITIES OF STATE

Elections Held Show Slight Support for Commission Plan.

That the Knapp law, authorizing cities of Indiana to obtain a new charter, and institute the commission or city manager form of government in place of the prevailing Federal or councilmanic-mayor system of government, will be repealed at the first opportunity, is the prediction made in Marion, Connersville and other cities that have administered stinging defeats to the new system.

While no organized movement has taken form having as its object the repeal of the Knapp law, along this line is taking more definite form and it is confidently expected that before the 1923 session of the Legislature, there will have been formed in several cities organizations that have for their object the repeal of this law from the statutes.

REPEAL OF KNAPP LAW FAVORED. Some of the leading politicians of Marion are holding an election under the Knapp law was held recently have been who is behind such a movement, and the answer always is, "Everybody." Some of the law's bitter enemies of the law declared it might be possible to retain the statute, but added that it would be necessary to remedy so-called defects, such as incorporating the referendum and recall provisions and otherwise strengthening it.

Others, however, are unalterably opposed to retaining the law in any form whatsoever, declaring they see no necessity in having the expense of another special election foisted on the people.

View of the public opinion that prevails hostile to the new plan of government. Members of the Citizens' League of Marion which sponsored the proposed new plan, declare the law should not be repealed, and they will keep their organization intact, in an effort to conduct a campaign of education to teach the people the good features of the proposed plan. They say, had the people been aware of the real facts concerning commission government, the outcome of the election there would have been far different.

"I think it would be wrong to repeal the law," said Thomas E. Pickering, chairman of the Citizens' League of Marion. "What should be done is to incorporate the referendum and recall provisions in the bill and then educate the people along the lines of what the new plan could accomplish in a more efficient manner. Politicians and adherents of the Republican organization in Marion are confident, however, that an organized movement will take form before the next session of the Legislature, and that this organization will demand the repeal of the Knapp law."

EXPENSE OF ELECTION MADE AN ISSUE.

Advocates of the thirteen Indiana cities that have voted or will in the future vote on the commission plan of government, will have spent approximately \$100,000 in defraying the expenses of special elections on the proposition, figures based on the cost of the election in Marion, Ellettsville, and Connersville.

The special election there resulted in an expenditure of approximately \$2,000, or cents per vote. Based on like figures, the thirteen cities in the State will spend, for their special elections as follows: Evansville, \$7,500; Princeton, \$1,050; South Bend, \$7,500; Kokomo, \$2,500; Hammond, \$2,000; Muncie, \$2,500; Michigan City, \$2,000; Anderson, \$2,000; New Albany, \$2,500; Rochester, \$250; Madison, \$2,000; Connersville, \$1,000. Considering the possibility of defeat of the plan in at least the majority of the cities, the taxpayers will not be in a frame of mind that would be favorable to the retention of the law on the statute books, with the possibility of another special election, that probably would cost more money, four years hence.

Seize 'Distillery'; Hold Driver in Accident

Special to The Times. SHELBURVILLE, Ind., June 7.—Following an automobile accident which occurred north of this city Monday, Joseph Schaefer, of this county, who was driving a car, was taken in charge by officers, is charged, when a number of whisky bottles, a small keg and a recipe for a making of whisky mash were found in the wrecked car. He was later released until a further investigation can be made of the affair. Emerick explained that a vinegar keg at his home had sprung a leak and that he was taking the bottles and keg to his home with the vinegar. He made no explanation of the mash recipe. According to witnesses the accident occurred when Emerick in his car and three young men and another car were racing on the road toward this city and he was crowded from the road into the ditch.

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Many women believe they are weak and nervous as a result of age, worry and overwork; they think that their disturbed digestion, headaches, heart palpitation, shortness of breath, pains across the back, etc., are due to some serious disease instead of the real cause—iron starvation of the blood. This is proven by the fact that when many of these same women take organic iron for awhile all their alarming symptoms quickly disappear and they become strong, robust and healthy. Iron is absolutely necessary to enable your blood to change food into living cells and tissue. Without it nothing you eat does you the proper amount of good—you do not get the strength out of it.

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Indianapolis will have the distinction of sending to the International Chamber of Commerce the first woman delegate in Miss Natalie C. Coffin, a member of the Indianapolis Chamber of Commerce, who is going as one of the delegates to the London meeting the week of June 27.

Indianapolis will also be represented at the meeting of this body with the largest number of individuals from any city of anywhere near the size of Indianapolis.

The delegation, headed by Charles F. Coffin, president; Felix M. McWhirter, treasurer; and A. L. Block, a director, along with P. C. Rubush and Miss Coffin, will sail from New York Friday on the Lapland for England. Mr. Block and Mr. Rubush will be accompanied by their wives.

Mr. Coffin and Mr. McWhirter were delegates at the organization meeting of the International Chamber at Paris last year and have each taken a prominent part in the activities of the International Chamber.

Meetings

A Marathon rally of the W. B. A. Macabees will be held Thursday afternoon in Castle Hall, 230 East Ohio street, when a class of one hundred women will be initiated into the order. Mrs. Grace E. Meredith of Wabash, supreme commander, will be honor guest. The class will be presented by the chairman and acting commander, Mrs. Jennie Reinhardt, assisted by Miss Ida Leib, lieutenant commander; Ada Larsson, past commander; Mary Smith, chaplain; L. Jane Gray, lady-at-arms; Hester Davis, sergeant; Susie Bellis, record keeper; Alice Whitshire, collector; Josephine Cobian, plect; Rosella Skinner, sentinel, and Bertie Plummer, musician.

St. John's Men's Club will entertain with an "Old Time" dance Thursday evening, in the Community House, 124 West Georgia street, for the benefit of the church.

The only Euchre Club will give a public card party tonight in Musicians' Hall, 143 East Ohio street.

Ladies of St. Mary's Church will give their annual card party and "redemption" of the First National Bank were early today, blew the safe and escaped with \$4,000.

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EMMERICH HIGH HAS EXERCISES; 235 GRADUATE

Dr. Stanley Coulter of Purdue Delivers Inspiring Address at Tomlinson Hall.

Ideals and work are the two things that make life really worth while, Dr. Stanley Coulter, dean of the School of Science of Purdue University, told the 234 graduates of Emmerich Manual Training High School at the thirtieth commencement of the school at Tomlinson Hall last night.

"There is nothing false," Dr. Coulter said, "than from old ideas that success and failure just happen. They result. The successful man has three outstanding qualities, an interest in everything about him; he must be compellingly, almost deadly, in his exactness, and he must have a tremendous capacity for work. When Sir Matthew Hale was asked to give the formula of success he said, to live like a hermit and work like a horse."

"I sometimes believe that our modern educational highway has too many flower beds along the wayside, and that it is made too easy for us."

Dr. Coulter laid great stress on the necessity of ideals in life and said that it is to youth that the people must look for these ideals.

"One of the saddest things in life," he said, "is to see a middle aged man look back and think of the man he might have been when compared to the man he is today. And it is to the younger people that we must look for ideals, for vision. We who have gone along the highway of life do not see visions so clearly as do young people. We have too much dust from the highway in our eyes. And vision is the determinative, compelling thing in life. It was not Laurence or any of the older, the more experienced knights of King Arthur's roundtable who saw the Holy Grail, but Galahad, the youth. The newer generations see the visions that are denied the older ones."

Tomlinson hall was filled to the doors with relatives and friends of the graduates, and from the opening march of the school orchestra directed by R. G. Winslow to the last closing roof-raising Manual yell given by the graduating class the program was full of interest.

One of the features of the evening was the award of the John Hampden Holliday, Jr., foundation scholarships to Roy Hynes, Fred Buddenbaum, Everett Dammeier, Albert Bern and Liljon Snyder. These scholarships are for \$300 each and are to be used for further education of the winners. The foundation was established by Mr. and Mrs. John H. Holliday in memory of their son, a graduate of Manual, who died in service during the World War.

The invocation was pronounced by the Rev. George W. Allison. Mrs. Julia Belle Tutewiler, president of the board of school commissioners, presented the diplomas to the graduates.

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CHARGE AGAINST WATSON DROPPED

Authorities Say They Have No Proof in Key Case.

Charges of petit larceny against James D. Watson, who gave his address when arrested as Atlanta, Ga., were dismissed by Judge Walter Pritchard in city court yesterday afternoon on a motion made by witnesses for the State who say they "have been unable to make a case against him."

Watson was arrested last Tuesday by Detectives Barnaby, Church, Stone and Emerson with James R. Hoffman, who also gave his address as Atlanta. Hoffman was charged with entering a house to commit a felony and Watson was held under a high bond on a charge of vagrancy pending investigation. Hoffman was arrested after being caught and held by Russell B. Schwenkenberger of Dayton, who charged that when he awoke he saw Hoffman ransacking the pockets of his trousers in a room at the Hotel Severin. Watson was suspected of being an accomplice. A master key to the rooms of the Hotel English was found in his possession and an affidavit was sworn out, charging the theft of the key.

Hoffman was bound over to the grand jury under \$5,000 bond last Wednesday. Both men were suspected of a series of hotel robberies.

Special to The Times. COLUMBUS, Ind., June 7.—Lucian Anderson of Rushville was fined \$130 here when he pleaded guilty to a charge of having in his possession a quart of whisky. He paid an additional fine of \$11 on a charge of intoxication. William Sexton and Eugene Helms, also of Rushville, who were with Anderson, were fined \$1 and costs each for intoxication. They were arrested in a restaurant here at 4 o'clock Sunday morning when they displayed a bottle of whisky in the presence of police officers.