

## RAINFALL LACK SHORTENS CROPS

Indiana Report Says Dry, Hot Weather Injurious.

Dry, hot weather of the past week has set back some crops in Indiana, according to the weekly report of George C. Bryant, agricultural statistician to the United States Department of Agriculture. Corn continues good, but is beginning to show the need of rain; spring wheat has gone back materially and the barley and oats crops will be light if the hot weather continues, and all truck crops are in need of rain, although melons are in good condition, the report says.

Winter wheat cutting has been completed in the southern counties and probably will be finished elsewhere by the end of next week. The weather has considerably reduced the crop of raspberries and blackberries. Rain is needed for late potatoes, but sweet potatoes are in good condition.

## MYSTERY GIRL IN JOYCE CASE

New Witness Said to Admit Relations With Lumberman.

CHICAGO, June 20.—A new witness, known as the "Mystery Girl" of California, was reported today to be en route to Chicago to aid Peggy Joyce in her suit for \$100,000 monthly alimony and \$100,000 counsel fees from J. Stanley Joyce, lumber king. This girl, it is reported, preceded Charlotte Johnson in the affections of Joyce, and for some years past has been living in fashionable circles of the West.

Charlotte Johnson, who is now Mrs. Frank Gordon, of Battle Creek, Mich., is here to testify and defend herself against the efforts of Peggy's lawyers to connect her in an unbecoming way with Joyce's past. According to Charlotte's friends, she was the "nice girl" in Joyce's life, but Peggy's attorneys have endeavored to give another impression.

The California girl is declared to have signed a statement revealing her relations with Joyce, which are not of a complimentary character and is said to be willing to repeat her story on the witness stand.

Hearing of the Joyce case is to be resumed Wednesday. Judge Sabath has indicated he will decide then whether Peggy is to be brought into court.

## DECISION FAVORS CLOSED SHOP MEN

Rail Labor Board's Decision Union Victory.

CHICAGO, June 20.—Advocates of the closed shop won a victory before the United States Rail Labor Board here today.

The board announced that representatives of the majority of men in one craft may draw up working agreements which will affect all members. Since unionists are in the vast majority, this is a ruling in their favor, it was interpreted.

The decision was handed down in an answer to a query by these employees of the Missouri & Kansas Railroad and the Wichita Falls & Northwestern steamship clerks, freight handlers, express employees and station workers. Employees are engaged all over the country in drawing up a new set of working agreements, as ordered by the railroad board.

The new working agreements are to be formulated in conferences with railroad managers. The rail board's latest ruling means that only union representatives may sit in and act, speak for all employees.

Representatives of twenty of the largest railroads in the country appeared before the board today to ask that they be included in the recent 12 per cent wage cut ruling of the board.

The wage cut affected only some of the railroads who threw their cases before the board as a test.

These are some of the roads now asking to be included: Michigan Central, Erie, Big Four and Illinois Central.

The wage slash made in the previous ruling is effective July 1 and affects shop employees, common laborers and maintenance of way workers.

The appearance of the representatives of the roads is considered a mere formality, as there is no doubt in railroad circles but what their request will be complied with.

## MORE MOTOR ROUTES BEST TRAFFIC HELP

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town probably the greater part comes to Washington street to avoid some bad sections of New York street close to the congested area. The strain on these highways obviously is too great during rush hours.

From the section to the west, lying along Washington street and extending as far north as sixteenth street the only direct way downtown is West Washington street. The street is wide and by recent resurfacing has been put in excellent condition. The way, then, by bringing all this traffic in by the one channel throws it into the crowded section at one spot.

**SOUTH SIDE PROBLEM.**

Because there are so few through north and south routes in the south side the no mean vehicular traffic from this section gets to the edge of downtown in Kentucky avenue, South Meridian street, Madison and Virginia avenues. It finally comes in through Kentucky avenue, South Illinois and South Meridian streets and Virginia avenue. Traffic elevation is partially responsible for this. Opening of more streets when the track raising project is completed will help.

Indiana avenue serves the near and far northwestern sections. Adding the above gives thirteen streets through which the bigger part of vehicular traffic gets to the outlying districts downtown, whereas if the original intentions of the planners of the mile square, with its straight east and west streets and four diagonal avenues had been carried out approximately forty routes might be open. The problem now is to make as many more available as possible.

The difficulty of getting street cars into and out of the congested territory is bound up with that of handling the motor vehicles now hampered in such movement. Provision of more motor routes naturally would open up more ways for street cars to come into the business district as they are needed.

## Elkhart Court Will Hear Forgery Case

Special to The Times. ELKHART, Ind., June 20.—Trial of Charles E. Morrice of Peru, formerly of Goshen, charged with forgery and passing forged instruments of the I. X. L. Furniture Company (Goshen), began in the Superior Court here today, before Special Judge Eli F. Seibert. Republican nominee for mayor of South Bend, Deputy Prosecutors G. R. Sawyer, L. L. Burris of Goshen and Ralph Smith of La Porte are conducting the prosecution. The trial is one phase of the company's tangled affairs which also resulted in the arrest of Anthony Deahl, former mayor of Goshen.

## FALLS HEIR TO FORTUNE



Some idea of the extent of the estate which, after she becomes of age, will be at the disposal of Miss Delora P. Angell of Lake Forest, Ill., niece of the late Mrs. John W. Gates and by marriage of the late John W. ("Big Boy") Gates as well, is conveyed in papers on file before the Supreme Court in New York City.

In the papers it is set forth that Miss Angell, whose engagement to C. Wilson Campbell, oil promoter of Los Angeles, was recently announced, is not yet 19 years of age, but was 18 years old on Dec. 23 last. Also that, although she is a minor in New York State, where the bulk of her property is located, she is of age under the laws of Illinois.

## Union Memorial

Indianapolis K. of P. lodges joined Sunday with the bureau of employment and relief in memorial services at Grand Lodge Hall. The chief address was made by the Rev. C. E. Oldham of Hillside Church.

Ritualistic services were given by members of the various lodges. Flowers were placed on the altar in memory of deceased members who died in the country's service and following the closing of the services the flowers were distributed among the disabled soldiers at the Methodist and city hospitals.

## INSECT MENACE TO SHADE TREES

Spraying of Trees Necessary to Kill Pest.

Special to The Times. LAFAYETTE, Ind., June 20.—Reports received by the Agricultural Experiment Station at Purdue University indicate great abundance of the cottony maple scale which is menacing the shade trees, especially hard and soft maple, box elder, linden, etc., in the northern half of Indiana. Stringent measures, necessitating the spraying of trees, must be taken to destroy this insect, says J. J. Davis, head of the entomology department.

The insect is conspicuous because of the large cottony masses which cover the infested at the present time resembling strings of pop-corn. These cottony masses contain thousands of eggs from which hatch the young, which enter over as partly grown scales on the twigs.

Spraying with a miscible oil, one part to fifteen parts of water, in the spring before the buds break is probably the most effective remedy. Care should be taken to make the application thorough and yet not permit the oil to run down and soak the soil at the base since the trees are sensitive to the action of lime. A summer spray of kerosene emulsion applied when the young are hatching, that is during June and July, is of value and in serious infestations where the dormant miscible oil spray was not made it should be used. The summer spray must be made with great care as it is difficult to make thorough applications when the trees are in foliage.

A 10 per cent emulsion used for a summer spray is prepared as follows: Dissolve one pound of common soap, or half a pound of white oil soap in one gallon of hot water. Add two gallons of kerosene while the soap solution is still hot and then thoroughly churn for five or ten minutes or until it presents the appearance of a thick cream and no longer separates on standing by pumping the mixture back into itself with a spray pump. To this add seventeen gallons of water and thoroughly churn. Soft water must be used.

Another summer spray which is effective against recently hatched scale is one pound of fish oil soap which is dissolved in four gallons of water, to which one ounce of Blackfoot 40 is added. Spraying must be thorough, as the young must be hit with the sprays, all of which are contact insecticides. The cottony maple scale should be hatching within the next week or two and summer spray applications should be made after the majority of the scale have hatched.

## Four Electrocuted

BELLEFONTAINE, Pa., June 20.—Four murderers were electrocuted here today. This is the first time in the history of the State that four persons have paid the death penalty for the same crime.

## HOOSIER DEATHS

SHELBYVILLE.—Mrs. Sarah Demott, 70, is dead at her home northwest of here. She is survived by three sons, William and Richard, of this county, and Frank of Johnson County. Mrs. Sarah Robbins, 78, widow of Stewart Robbins, is dead here from heart trouble.

## Elkhart Pays Respect to Soldier's Burial

Special to The Times. ELKHART, Ind., June 20.—Funeral services for Lieut. Thomas McCoy, first Elkhart youth to die overseas in the World War, were held here Sunday. The flag-draped casket was carried to the cemetery on an artillery caisson drawn by four black horses. Uniformed members of Thomas McCoy Post of the American Legion, named for the dead soldier, were in charge of the services. This was the largest military funeral ever held here.

Lieutenant McCoy, who was well known in this section, particularly for his prowess as a basketball player, died in France of injuries received in a premature hand grenade explosion soon after the United States entered the World War.

NOBLESVILLE, Ind., June 20.—The body of Russell Manship, 22, a soldier of the World War brought back from France, was buried Sunday at Fishers, a young man's former home. Manship enlisted in this city May 18, 1918, and was killed in the battle of St. Mihiel in October of the same year. His parents were dead and he lived with his grandmother, Mrs. Irene Manship.

Mrs. John Newby has received word from the War Department saying that the body of her brother, John T. Evans, has reached New York from France. It will be brought here for burial. Evans was killed at Chateau Thierry.

## Mason Funeral Held in Chicago

CHICAGO, June 20.—Funeral services for Congressman William E. Mason, for years prominent in State and national politics, were held here today. Mason died in Washington last week.

## SHELBYVILLE ELKS' PLANS.

SHELBYVILLE, Ind., June 20.—Arrangements are being made for a big meeting of the B. P. O. Elks, No. 457, of this city, Wednesday night, June 23, when a degree team and a number of members of the Connersville lodge of Elks will be here for the initiation of a class of candidates.

## KIWANIS CLUB IN CONVENTION

Plans Campaign to Improve Physical Standard.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, June 20.—Lake boats and trains landed delegates from all parts of the country here today for the sixth international convention of the Kiwanis Club.

Conferences of officers for organization were held preliminary to the session which starts tomorrow. From the conference of the public affairs committee was expected a resolution urging a campaign for nation-wide legislation to improve physical standards. Relief work accomplished for the near east, Europe and war veterans was to be summarized by the executive committee.

Special to The Times. RICHMOND, Ind., June 20.—Twenty-one members of the Richmond Kiwanis Club left this city by automobile Saturday night for Cleveland, Ohio, to attend the international Kiwanis clubs convention.

The Richmond Club will be presented the international attendance trophy Wednesday afternoon. President Warren G. Harding is to make the presentation.

## Purchases Church to Escape High Rents

DENVER, June 20.—C. J. Whitehurst, local insurance man, grew weary of being a victim of profiteering landlords, so he bought a church, in which his wife, a small daughter and himself are living comfortably.

Whitehurst purchased the Fourth Congregational Community Church, which had just been abandoned, and now the church building is his sanctuary against the "rent hog."

At present the Whitehurst family is living in the basement of the church. It has a kitchen and bath, and a large room thirty feet square. Pending the erection of partitions, the large room has been divided by imaginary lines into living room, dining room and bedroom. The auditorium of the church is approximately forty feet square, and Whitehurst plans to complete his home by dividing this space into several rooms.

## HOLY FAMILY GRADUATES.

HARTFORD CITY, Ind., June 20.—Thirteen graduates of the Holy Family school here received diplomas at commencement exercises Sunday night. The Rev. John M. Schmitt of Union City was the speaker. In the morning at St. John's Catholic Church a class of twenty-one received first communion.

## THREE KILLED AT GOMEZ FUNERAL

Havana Police Fire on Rioters—Women Hit by Bullets.

HAVANA, Cuba, June 20.—Extraordinary precautions were taken today by police to prevent a recurrence of the riot at the funeral yesterday of former President Gomez, in which at least three persons are known to have been killed and scores injured by bullets from the rioters who had first fired at the police.

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stated that among the dead and injured were a 9-year-old boy and three women, all of whom were shot down by police when the frenzied mob attempted to force its way into the cemetery in an effort to seize and embrace the dead warrior's body.

According to government officials the action of the police in firing on the mob was precipitated by an armed group of rioters who had first fired at the police.

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## Statement of Condition OF THE

**Continental Auto Insurance Association**  
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Fifth and Monroe Streets.  
ON THE

31st Day of December, 1920.

G. C. ROCKWOOD, Attorney-in-fact.

### NET ASSETS OF COMPANY.

Cash in banks (on interest and not on interest).....\$ 42,808.97

Bonds and stocks owned (market value)..... 49,600.00

Accrued securities (interest and rents, etc.)..... 251.58

Cash..... 7,005.05

Premiums and accounts due and in process of collection..... 63,145.93

Accounts otherwise secured (re-insurance)..... 2,174.70

Total net assets.....\$166,075.38

### LIABILITIES.

Reserve for unearned premiums.....\$ 53,743.36

Losses unadjusted and in suspense..... 15,191.34

Bills and accounts unpaid..... 15,587.13

Liability less reserves..... 10,965.07

Commissions on premiums in course of collection..... 19,122.21

Surplus..... 49,345.25

Total liabilities.....\$166,075.38

Greatest amount in any one risk \$3,000.00

State of Indiana, Office of Commissioner of Insurance.

I, the undersigned, Commissioner of Insurance of Indiana, hereby certify that the above is a correct copy of the statement of the condition of the above mentioned company on the 31st day of December, 1920, as shown by the original statement on file in this office.

In testimony whereof, I hereunto subscribe my name and affix my (SEAL) official seal, this 25th day of April, 1921.

T. A. McMURRAY JR., Commissioner.

## Statement of Condition OF THE

**Union Automobile Indemnity Assn.**  
BLOOMINGTON, ILLINOIS.  
507-511 People's Bank Bldg.  
ON THE

31st Day of December, 1920

W. A. PATTON, President.

L. G. SHEPARD, Secretary.

Amount of capital paid up..... reciprocal

### NET ASSETS OF COMPANY.

Cash in banks (on interest and not on interest).....\$ 539.33

Cash on interest.....\$107,799.92

Cash in office..... 1,268.06

Total net assets.....\$109,167.31

### LIABILITIES.

Losses unadjusted and in suspense.....\$ 5,875.00

Unearned premiums..... 539.33

Reserve for liability losses..... 11,936.91

Surplus..... 90,806.19

Total liabilities.....\$109,167.31

Greatest amount in any one risk.....\$ 5,000.00

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## Statement of Condition OF THE

**Western Alliance Insurance Company**  
CHICAGO, ILL.  
5203 North Clark Street.  
ON THE

31st Day of December, 1920.

ARCHIBALD A. MCKINLEY, President.

JAMES G. SWAN, Secretary.

Amount of capital paid up.....\$350,000.00

### NET ASSETS OF COMPANY.

Cash in banks (on interest and not on interest).....\$ 29,137.07

Real estate unimproved..... 116,846.20

Bonds and stocks owned (market value)..... 212,498.50

Mortgage loans on real estate (free from any prior incumbrances)..... 846,285.00

Accrued securities (interest and rents, etc.)..... 16,581.52

County warrants..... 609.40

Unearned notes (bills receivable)..... 2,090.60

Reinsurance recoveries on paid losses..... 5,513.09

Premiums and accounts due and in process of collection..... 70,886.75

Collateral loans..... 14,000.67

Total net assets.....\$815,761.20

### LIABILITIES.

Reserve or amount necessary to reimburse outstanding risks.....\$ 89,500.44

Losses due and unpaid..... 43,983.30

Bills and accounts unpaid..... 33,820.43

Reserve for Anglo-American losses..... 8,314.22

Capital and surplus..... 637,898.79

Total liabilities.....\$815,761.20

Greatest amount in any one risk.....\$ 15,000.00

Greatest amount allowed to be insured in any one block.....\$ 7,500.00

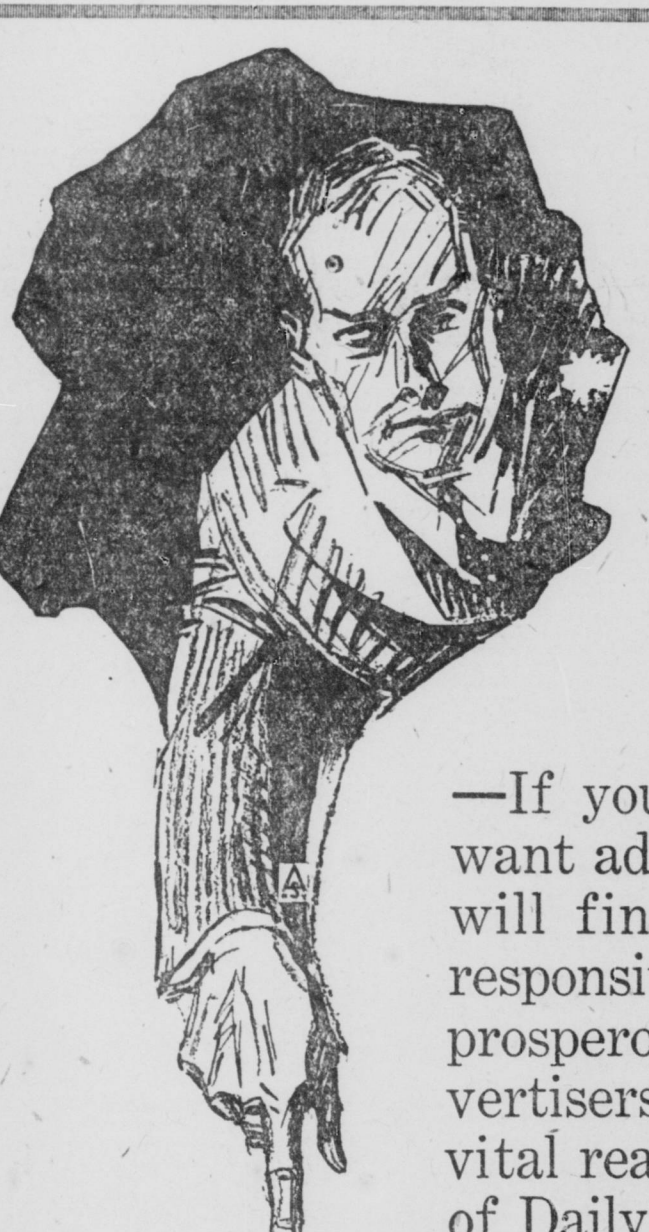
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