

## FRENCH CONFINE SPOKEN GERMAN TO DEMI MONDE

Resent Intrusion of Teutonic  
Conversation in Higher  
Social Circle.

QUEEN REBUKES OFFENDER

Consort of Former Portuguese  
Monarch Scorns Birth as  
Hohenzollern.

By HUDSON HAWLEY.  
United News Staff Correspondent.  
PARIS, Aug. 9.—Despite the fact that good pro-Allemands, such as the redeemed Alsations and Lorraines, the Czechs and Slovaks and others, still use German in conversation and get away with it, even in France, it simply doesn't go down in what the French call "the high world."

The ex-King Manuel of Portugal and his Queen were dining at the home of Prince and Princess Murat. One of the guests, the Countess Robert de Fitz-James, an Austrian lady of the maiden name of Gutman, remembered that the Queen was born Princess Augustine-Victoria von Hohenzollern, and began talking to her in German.

To her great surprise, the Queen came back at her in French, saying loud enough for all the company to hear:

"Countess, why do you talk to me in a language which no longer exists for me, and which I have forgotten completely and forever?"

Which is exactly the same attitude as that taken by Queen Elizabeth of Belgium who, though it may be forgotten, was once a Bavarian princess. The hostess, the Princess Murat, liked to introduce novel features in the entertainment of her guests. Not long ago a party at her mansion was attended to see the imperturbable and perfectly correct maitre d'hotel solemnly take a piece of priceless plate in his hands and throw it over the heads of the diners to a waiter at the other end of the dining room.

With the coffee and liquors the Princess let out the secret. The serving staff was composed exclusively of professional jugglers, hired specially from the troupe of a music hall.

## PHOTOS SUB FOR MAX

Consolation for Miss McCormick in Arguments With Her Father.

By United Press.  
PARIS, Aug. 9.—Some thirty photographs of Max Oser in all kinds of costumes and poses are placed around the hotel apartment of Mathilde McCormick, the youthful Chicago heiress, to console her as she argues with her father, Harold F. McCormick, who is trying desperately to block the girl's marriage to the Swiss riding master.

## STRIKEBREAKERS QUIT

Fifty Men Walk Out at Evansville Because of Pay.

By United Press.  
EVANSVILLE, Ind., Aug. 9.—Fifty strikebreakers quit at the L. & N. shops because they received only \$3 for twelve hours' work, according to a report of the striking shopmen's publicity committee.

## ASKS RECEIVER

Alleges Superior Lunch Is Near Insolvency.

Walter Meyers has asked the Superior Court, room 1, to appoint a receiver to wind up the affairs of the Superior Lunch. He charges the Lunch gave him a promissory note for \$1,397.71 on Aug. 9, 1922, for three days, which was not paid.

Meyers said the firm is near insolvency, and has many other debts.

## ASKS \$250 DAMAGES

Company Alleges Infringement of Copyright on Song.

Waterson, Berlin & Snyder Company have brought suit in United States Circuit Court against A. J. Obresk, owner of the Star Theater at Whiting for alleged infringement of copyright. Obresk was charged with unlawfully permitting the playing of "You Made Me Forget How to Cry" in his theater. The suit asks for \$250 damages.

## WILL ADDRESS CLUB

Native Hoosier From New York Will Speak Tonight.

Dr. C. E. Morris of Brooklyn, N. Y., will address the Bible Investigation Club at its weekly dinner tonight at the Y. M. C. A.

Dr. Morris is a native Hoosier having been reared near Crawfordsburg. He is now pastor of the Prospect Park Baptist Church in Brooklyn.

## BANDITS HOLD UP GIRLS

Three Robbers Secure \$9,000 in Cash and \$10,000 in Bonds.

By United Press.  
MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Aug. 9.—Three young bandits held up two girl employees of the Penn. Ave. State Bank here today and obtained \$9,000 in cash and \$10,000 in bonds.

## EVANSVILLE MAN DIES

EVANSVILLE, Ind., Aug. 9.—William Y. Heberer, 37, president of the Ohio Valley Seed Company, is dead at his home here.

## Burglar Steals Dresses.

A burglar broke into the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Haynes, 610 Blake St., while she was away last night and took two dresses worth \$80.

## GADDER

By United Press.  
CHICAGO, Aug. 9.—Ben W. Hooper, chairman of the U. S. labor board, left for Washington today. Hooper refused to make a statement before his departure.

## SINGER



J. G. THOMAS

J. G. Thomas, local freight agent for the C. & W. R. R., is a fine example of what a good tenor voice will do for a man. His election Sunday morning as president of the American Railway Agents' Association, was partially the result of his popular singing. He is a leading tenor and his voice is in big demand when the railway agents assemble in their annual meetings. Mr. Thomas is not lacking in the other essential requisites, however.

At a meeting of the board of directors Thomas was elected to the national presidency to take the place of W. L. Heacock of Chicago, resigned. It was also voted to move the national headquarters to Indianapolis.

## FOLKS STAY HOME

Recreation Centers in City Swarmed as Result.

People are not leaving town this summer in such numbers as heretofore, hence recreation center attendance shows a big increase over 1921. Edward E. McBride, director of recreation, said today.

With the season two-thirds gone a total attendance of 1,120,000 at playgrounds, community centers, baseball diamonds, swimming pools and municipal theaters was estimated by McBride. Total attendance for the entire 1921 season was \$95,695.

## SHOPMEN BEATEN

Sluggers Attack Workers, Men Tell Police.

Sluggers are attacking shopmen, according to Herman Tietman, a boiler maker, and Fred Carter, a helper, employed by the Indianapolis Union Railroad Company. They told police they were attacked by six men between Sixty-Third and Sixty-Fourth Sts. Sunday morning. Both men were severely beaten. Three men armed with blackjacks attacked C. C. Rees, 428 N. Tacoma Ave., as he returned from work. Rees ran.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES

William A. Winger, 1110 W. McCarty St.; Ruth Hunt, 1110 W. McCarty St.; Louis R. Swan, 3015 N. Pennsylvania St.; Catherine H. Reed, 928 N. Washington St.; Leo O. Staley, 120 W. McCarty St.; Helen C. Antrim, 11 S. West St.; Victor W. Beckwith, 1000 Ashland Ave.; Edith Vane, 1101 Madison Ave.; Theodore C. Thomas, 1110 S. Grace St.; Clara M. Scott, 5805 Dewey Ave.; Lloyd L. Ayres, 5805 Dewey Ave.; Mabel Russell, 522 N. Jefferson St.

## BIRTHS

Edward and Gola Krause, Orchard and Sutherland Pl.; Samuel and Nell Owens, 2150 Clay; Frank and Gertrude Ludwig, 423 N. Cornwell; Clarence and Ruth Cole, 2122 Webb; Clarence and Florence Mease, 1024 E. McFarland; James and Olive Wade, 561 Dorman; Ernest and Dorothea Hartman, 1118 Park; William and Florence Moore, 1429 McLean; Edward and Bertha Louis, 1433 N. Capitol; Millard and Mabel Overton, 703 Fayette; Charles and Ethel Fisher, 1517 Woodland; George and Orel Hunt, Methodist Hospital; James and Minnie Martin, Methodist Hospital; Herbert and Mary Fulewider, Methodist Hospital; Louis and Helen Corcoran, Methodist Hospital; Harry and Clara Nees, 317 Minerva; Earl and Rose Greenbach, 1011 Eugene.

Harry and Beatie Dyer, 1540 Hiatt; Russell and Edith Draper, 1910 Galvin; Frank and Eva White, city hospital; Fred and Chelish Shideler, 717 E. Thirty-Third; William and Mary Boughton, 104 S. Elder; Harry and Ida Tietel, 821 Edell; George and Marjorie Stahl, 82 W. Arizona; Albert and Frances McIntire, 22 S. Grace; Clay and Ruth Sparks, Methodist Hospital; Robert and Catherine Armstrong, Methodist Hospital; Ward and Helen Gillman, Methodist Hospital; John and Elinor Holloway, Methodist Hospital; James and Florence Murphy, Methodist Hospital; Everett and Chattie Bush, Methodist Hospital; Arthur and May Whisman, 2877 Stewart; Richard and Lillian Lewis, 581 W. Thirtieth.

## DEATHS

Joseph M. Gales, 27, Provident Sanatorium, pneumonia; Thomas D. Dransfield, 60, city hospital, angina pectoris; Elian Morris, 2 months, city hospital, cardiac dilatation; Jacob Orr, 67, St. Vincent Hospital, appendicitis; Dorothy Perkins, 24, city hospital, cardiac dilatation; Robert O. Rupert, 63, 3015 Grandland, cerebral hemorrhage; James H. Woodell, 67, 33 N. Randolph, organic heart disease; Byron Tait, 25, city hospital, appendicitis; Emmett Eugene Hall, 4 Long Hospital, cerebral spinal meningitis; Ernestine Wiese, 47, 1813 Olive, acute dilatation heart; Joseph Hunter, 1 month, city hospital, gastro enteritis; Daniel B. Kirk, 49, city hospital, septicaemia.

Mule Operators Fined  
Two blind tiger operators received fines in city court today. Harry McE. 63, of 336 Smith St., had a quantity of white mule being fined \$150 and costs. Frank Nabler, 49, of 725 N. Capitol Ave. got \$125 and costs.

extending past the ankles have come back.

Beautiful manikins came near swooning and wax models almost melted under the weight of the fall and winter styles at the fair. But, cheer up, boys. Some skirts have an inch and a half split on the side.

Realization that the street corner burlesque show is over will dawn upon the admirers of femininity when Milady steps out on parade this fall.

Suits warm and trim, with high fur collars, attuned to the nose, and skirts

## G. A. R. WANTS OPERA

Veterans Are Seeking to Regain Theater at Valparaiso.

By United Press.  
VALPARAISO, Aug. 9.—For years the Memorial Opera House has been leased to theatrical interests. The G. A. R. has started suit to regain possession. The county attorney gave an opinion to the Porter County commissioners that the present lease is invalid. It is said the commissioners will not renew the lease to the theater managers.

Now the case will be fought out in the upper court. So far it is a victory for the G. A. R. and the people.

## Fireman's Job Depends on Good

Conduct as a Husband and Father

Upon Thomas J. McGlynn's fulfillment of his promise to be a good husband to his 14-year-old wife and father to his month-old baby, depends his job as a fireman. The board of public safety told him this today, after he was found guilty of improper conduct with the girl, then 13 years old, at an engine house.

The mother with the tiny baby in her arms told the board about various incidents. They were married a few weeks ago, it was testified.

Patrolman Charles Mitchell was found guilty of drinking and was discharged.

Traffman Carl F. Kimberlin, whose wife shot him a few days ago, resigned. He was under suspension.

## COLLECTOR RUNS

Tells Police Negro Had Knife and Chased Him.

William Aust, 143 N. Bradley Ave., insurance collector, didn't have time to say a word, he told Judge Wilmett, when James Walker, negro, 451 W. Eighteenth St., started chasing him down Northwestern Ave.

He said he felt sure Walker had a knife in his hand. Witnesses in city court, however, said they saw no knife. Walker said he was just chasing Aust to see him run. Judgment was withheld.

## LET ROAD CONTRACT

Ft. Wayne Firm Gets Big Lake County Job.

Letting of the contract for three and one-half miles of concrete road on the Lincoln Highway in Lake County to the J. C. O'Connor Contracting Company of Ft. Wayne was made by the State highway commission today.

The projected improvement will begin at the Illinois line and extend eastward. The estimated price for the road was \$75,558.56 and the O'Connor bid was \$71,686.25.

Announcement of their complete 1923 program is expected tomorrow.

## HELD FOR FORGERY

Ball Player and Race Driver Under Arrest Today.

Charles P. Gray, 25, of Lawrence, baseball player and automobile race driver, was arrested today on the charge of forgery.

The arrest was made on a warrant sworn to by James M. Morris, cashier of the Lawrence State Bank, charging Gray forged a check for \$150 on the Thomasville (Ky.) Bank. This check was cashed at the Lawrence State Bank, according to the affidavit.

## MUST STOP VICE

Patrolmen Warned to Get Bootleggers and Gamblers.

Vice conditions in the city must cease at once, and bootlegging, gambling and other law violations must be stopped by patrolmen in their districts, Police Captain Walter White, who is in charge of the police department in the absence of Chief of Police Rickhoff, told the patrolmen in a brief talk last night. It is the duty of the patrolmen to look after law violations, as do the superior officers, White said.

## 300 PASSENGERS SAFE

Liner Alexander Limpis Into Port After Accident in Fog.

By United Press.  
SEATTLE, Aug. 9.—The Admiral liner, H. F. Alexander, limped into port Tuesday and discharged her 300 passengers safely.

The liner ran onto Cape Rock, south of Cape Flattery, during a heavy fog. Her bow was caved in but the heavy bulkheads prevented her from sinking.

## CONTINUE POLICY

Station Will Provide Food and Shelter for Ex-Soldiers.

Members of the newly elected executive board of the Ex-Servicemen's Relief Station, 16 E. Michigan St., at a meeting today, voted to continue the station's policy of providing food and shelter for all needy ex-soldiers while at the same time seeking to find employment for them.

## Publisher Asks Damages

Leo Feist, music publisher, has filed suit in United States Circuit Court against T. L. Shulland and G. M. Elkins, owners of the Moonstone Theater at Galveston, Ind., for damages of \$250 for playing a copyrighted song in their theater.

## Speaks at Synagogue

Jacob Heller of Boston, who recently received a call to the pastorate of the East Market Street Synagogue, will speak on "The Philosophy of Prayer" tonight at the synagogue.

## Bat McConnell, Bruiser De Luxe, Enters Police Court As Florence Gray, the Girl

By United Press.  
PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 9.—Bat McConnell, a 21-year-old tough guy, with a handy pair of mitts for fighting or driving a truck, has suddenly become Miss Florence Gray and the gang is just knocked daffy by the news.

Bat's denouncement occurred in Judge McDevitt's police court where the tough guy appeared with a creased upper lip and a bruised eye as a reluctant prosecuting witness against Eddie Weaver. Eddie had flung over

courage to take a smack at Bat McConnell's mouth in revenge for having been whipped full many a time by the battler. The police broke up the row, arresting both and the police station procedure is believed to have been responsible for the discovery that Bat McConnell, the tough boy, is really Miss Florence Gray, a very nice girl if she does say it herself, and the daughter of a southern family.

When the news got among the Bat's friends in the trucking profession you could have knocked them over with a feather. For two years the battler had been one of the crowd, driving an ash truck for a living, and taking the part of a capable young fellow in the somewhat vigorous social activities of street corner habits.

Grandfather Tells Story  
James Gray, a 75-year-old veteran of the New York and Virginia wars, grandfather of Florence, told how she became a boy. Her father, the son of the old lawyer, lives in Asheville, N. C., according to Gray, who claims to be a magistrate of Dare County, North Carolina. Florence's mother died nineteen years ago and the little girl made her home with her grandfather.

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## CONDITIONS GOOD

## IN STRIKE CITIES

Questionnaire Sent Out by Employment Service Brings Favorable Reports.

Thomas A. Riley, Federal-State director of the United States and Indiana free employment service, has received detailed answers from questionnaires sent to State centers, expected to be effected most largely by the railway and coal strikes. The labor report from each was regarded by Riley as being very favorable.

The following report gives the conditions in each city named:

Anderson—Coal miners and railroad strikes have no effect on business so far. All working who desire jobs. Lafayette—Railroad strike has effected business to a great extent. Coal miners' strike has had little effect so far.

Kokomo—Some factories reported shutting down, due to lack of coal, among them Kokomo Steel and Wire Company, Kokomo Bale Tie Company, Haynes Automobile Company, who have been employing a force of 1,800 men, have laid off half of this force in the last week.

Terre Haute—Business in general is greatly depressed, owing to the strikes. Miners seeking work as common laborers.

Ft. Wayne—Because of the coal strike, factories are not employing additional workers, but are not laying off any of their present forces.

Hammond—Reports railroad mechanics seeking employment in the steel and manufacturing plants in this region.

## M'CRAY IS GUEST

Governor Attends Delaware County Fair at Muncie.

By United Press.  
MUNCIE, Ind., Aug. 9.—Governor McCray and former Governor Hailston were guests of Delaware County today at Governor's day at the county fair. They were guests of the Kiwanis and Rotary Clubs. Each made short addresses at the fair.

## KLAN TRIAL STARTS

Jury of Eight Men and Four Women Will Hear Testimony.

By United Press.  
LOS ANGELES, Cal., Aug. 9.—Testimony in the trial of thirty-seven alleged members of the Ku-Klux Klan started here today, before a jury of eight men and four women. The thirty-seven defendants are charged with donning masks and invading the home of Fidel Eliduran. One man was killed and two seriously wounded in the raid.

## RETURN SUSPECT

Detroit Man Taken Home to Face Charge.

Edward Klein, 26, Detroit, arrested here last night on a fugitive charge, was returned to that place today and will be placed on trial for vehicle taking. When arrested, Klein was trying to dispose of a car to a local dealer.

## Stolen Truck Returned

A five-ton truck, owned by the Indianapolis Mortar and Fuel Company, was stolen from the yards at Thirtieth St., and the Mohon Railroad, last night. A. G. Evans, manager of the yards said the truck was returned to the yards some time during the night.

## Mrs. Knute Nelson Dies

By United Press.  
WASHINGTON, Aug. 9.—Mrs. Knute Nelson, 75, wife of the senior Senator from Minnesota, died here today after a long illness. She was born in Norway.

## Married Three Years

By United Press.  
Brooklyn, N. Y.—"I am certainly very happy for you for your Vegetable Compound. I was married three years and did not have a child. My husband had often heard of E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and he made me take it and I felt the mother of the healthiest boy I know. When my friends heard my feelings they said, 'Take the Vegetable Compound.' I am willing for you to use facts as a testimonial."

ANTONETTE MARANO, 113 and Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.

## Was Weakened and Run Down

By United Press.  
St. Louis, Mo.—"My mother took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound when I was a girl, and when I was troubled with cramps I took it, and later when I married I again took it to make me strong as the doctor said I was weak and run down and could not have children. I took it and got along fine and now I have three girls. So you know why I keep the Compound in the house. I am a well woman and do my work and sewing too."

Mrs. JULIUS HARTMAN, 2501 W. Dodier Street, St. Louis, Mo.

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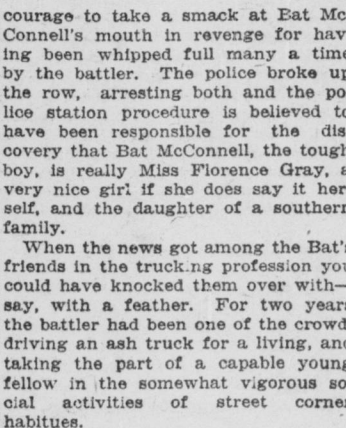
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