

## DR. VANCE DIES AFTER OPERATION

Promising Career of Young Veterinarian Is Cut Short—  
Burial at Anderson.

Dr. Jasper Bernard Vance, a prominent worker among the Catholic young people's societies in the city, died yesterday at St. Vincent's Hospital from general septicemia after an operation for appendicitis performed three weeks ago. Mr. Vance was a member of the K. of C. Y. M. I. and St. Anthony's Parish.

Dr. Vance, who recently graduated from the Indiana Veterinary College, which he attended for four years, in company with his father, Dr. J. C. Vance, is a graduate of Manual Training High School. The younger Dr. Vance was born at Anderson, Ind., Oct. 20, 1901. He is survived by his parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Vance, a brother, Francis, and three sisters, Mrs. Victor Beckerich, Marie and Marguerite Vance.

The funeral will be held at St. Anthony's Church at 9 o'clock Friday morning. Burial will be at St. Mary's Cemetery at Anderson.

### INDIANAPOLIS GROWS.

Public Works Board Orders Paving of Five Streets.

Contracts were awarded by the board of public works as follows:

Permanent Improvement, Forty-first St., Capitol Ave. to Boulevard Pl., Indiana Asphalt Paving Company, asphaltic concrete, \$3,223; Harrison St., Noble to Pine Sts., asphaltic concrete, American Construction Company, \$8,223; Kelly St., Shelby St. to State Ave., Marion County Construction Company, \$22,949.70; Dearborn St., Brookside Parkway, north drive to Thirtieth St., Marion County Construction Company, \$16,132.59; Forty-Fourth St., Sunset Ave., to Boulevard Pl., J. N. Morgan & Son, \$17,889.36.

Sewer: Gladstone Ave., first alley south of Sixteenth St. to Tenth St., Sheehan Construction Company, \$9,938.16.

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## Indianapolis Gives Fitting Welcome to Girl Whose Beauty Wins National Fame

By WALTER D. HICKMAN  
"The most beautiful girl in America," Miss Thelma Blossom, officially "Miss Indianapolis," will be the guest of Mrs. C. Roltare Eggleston, official chaperon, at B. F. Keith's Theater tonight.

About 8 o'clock "Miss Indianapolis" and Mrs. Eggleston will arrive at Keith's in a Yellow Cab driven by Hally Irons, who had piloted the prize winners on all their official trips. The Yellow Cab will be the sign of "Miss Indianapolis" arrival and departure tonight at Keith's.

Will Wear Paris Gown

Tonight will be the first time Miss Blossom has worn the dazzling Paris evening creation, presented to her by L. S. Ayres & Company, in Indianapolis. Mrs. Eggleston will wear her special Atlantic City evening gown which she purchased at B. F. Keith's.

The program will include, besides Miss Blossom and Mr. and Mrs. Eggleston, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Blossom, parents of Miss Blossom; Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Baker, grandparents of Miss Blossom; Mr. and Mrs. C. Roltare Eggleston, the official chaperon for "Miss Indianapolis" baskets of flowers.

After the entrance of Miss Blossom, her family and Mr. and Mrs. Eggleston, Mr. Iles introduced first the grandparents of Indianapolis' national winner, then her parents and next Mrs. Eggleston, who presented Miss Blossom.

The official chaperon in a few words introduced the most beautiful girl in America to the guests and amid a roll of thunderous applause Miss Blossom arose and spoke.

### Glad to Get Back

"The best part of this entire wonderful event," she said, and her voice trembled with a genuinely joyful emotion, as she stood under the gaze of more than 400 guests, and clutched the hand of Mrs. Eggleston beside her. "Is the joy we feel in getting back home again to Indiana."

The Times was accorded its share in the success of this city's part of the national beauty tournament, and

### John Speaks for Himself

Instantly there was a rush of volunteers who would have helped him press his proposal, but the Colonel was then he felt again and waved them back, saying he would take care of the matter himself. There were shouts for the Rev. J. Ambrose Dunkel of the Tabernacle Presbyterian Church, and had the question of following through the public proposal with a nuptial just as public been put.

### Rain Arouses Cave Instincts, Marriage License Clerk Says

By United Press

CHICAGO, Sept. 14.—Any man—or woman—who has enough sense to come in out of the rain is just twice as apt to get married on rainy days.

Louis Legner, head of the Chicago license bureau, who sees them come and go from 9 to 5 daily, has come to the decision after several years of watching:

"When it rains," he says, "They're lined up all day. Some of them look half-drowned."

"It's the cavern man. The first man who had enough sense to hunt up a cave when the rain began to get his hair wet didn't have to stay in the cave very long before he began to look around for company—and some one to throw out the dinosaurs down there."

"Same thing now—rain, cave, woman—rain, rubbers, wife."

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## CHURCH IN NEED OF YOUNGER MEN

Rev. Charles Gonsolus Tells of 10,000 Vacant Pulpits in America.

"There are 10,000 vacant pulpits in America today," the Rev. Charles H. Gonsolus declared last night at the Union Congregational Church.

"A generation ago 50 per cent of the men who entered college studied for the ministry, but today only 5 per cent think seriously of the ministry," he said. "Probably the great cause of this is to be found in the home influence. Child training is primarily a parental duty.

"The church is doomed to failure if it neglects the young people. What the church needs today is more young men who will dedicate their lives and their strength to preaching the gospel. It takes the young minister to draw the young people.

"The success of the church depends upon the Sunday school. The Sunday school children of today are the church members of tomorrow."

### INTRUDER RUNS

W. F. Moore, 1422 N. Pennsylvania St., surprised a negro burglar who was forcing his way through a side window of his home last night. The burglar escaped.

Several patriotic societies believed these bones were overlooked in the disinterring process and demanded that the police bury them with proper respect.

### ORDERS TRACKS MOVED

Board Gives Car Company Until Nov. 1 to Make Improvement.

Formal order to move tracks in Brookside Ave. from Eighteenth to Rural Sts., so as to conform to a new curb line on the south side, today was issued to the Indianapolis Street Railway Company by the board of public works. The company was given until Nov. 1 to make the change.

Resolution for sale of four horses, eight mules and other property the city no longer needs was ordered prepared.

Contract for permanent improvement of Marlindale Ave., from Roosevelt to Sutherland Ave., under the connecting link law, was signed with the county commissioners.

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Escaped Convict, Who Reformed and Married, Recommitted to Joliet.

By United Press

CHICAGO, Sept. 14.—Joseph Vacek, who escaped from Joliet penitentiary in June 1919 after serving seven years of a twenty-five-year sentence for the murder of his father, came to Chicago, learned a trade, married and is now the father of a six weeks old baby, must go back to prison, at least temporarily.

His young wife, Helen, collapsed when Judge McKinley ruled he must return to Joliet.

Friends of the escaped convict have started a fight for his pardon.

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