

BRAZIL IS READY FOR OPENING OF M. E. CONFERENCE

Bishop Leete Will Preside at First Session Held at Annual Meeting.

FOUR HUNDRED EXPECTED

Board Plans for Examinations of Undergraduates in Church Courses.

By Times Special
BRAZIL, Ind., Sept. 26.—Bishop F. D. Leete of Indianapolis, will preside at the Northwest Indiana Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church here when it opens Wednesday morning. The conference will continue to Oct. 2.

Examinations of undergraduates in the conference courses of study will be held Wednesday under direction of the board of examiners.

Dr. Frank L. Hovis of Saint Paul's church at Indianapolis is a member of the board.

Four hundred ministers are expected to attend the conference which will be held at the First M. E. Church and Brazil is prepared for their reception. An opening religious meeting will be held tonight. The Rev. William G. Seaman, of Gary, will preach the sermon.

Hoosier Briefs

ELWOOD—Two matchmakers, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Nichols, were considerably surprised when arrested for aiding Florence Carroll, 16,elope.

GREENSBURG—Alle Amrhein denies he will leave Salt Creek Township because he sold his farm, but expects to be elected trustee.

PORTLAND—Infuriated because people stared at him, James Shelton, 23, began cursing and then reposed behind the bars.

COLUMBUS—E. H. Kinney, the marrying squire, was shocked when informed the name of Art Wray's bride was Richard Murphy.

BICKNELL—"Deafy" Rainwater tried to turn with a hand on the steering wheel and one on a running board load, but found it couldn't be done and hit a parked car.

EVANSVILLE—This is cheerful news—dappers will have to wear "extra hair" only on formal occasions, says Viola Blankenship, beauty doctor.

BLOOMINGTON—Almost the last hope of averting a water famine is gone since the Leonard spring water reservoir sputtered out.

LOGANSPOUT—When a turn in the road failed to go by J. L. Patterson's car hit a fence but Patterson was able to leave the hospital.

DECATUR—By confining a fire to front end of a truck, the driver and Harry Mesberger prevented explosion of a load of dynamite.

EVANSVILLE—Because he forced a ring off a finger of Martina Weaver, nurse, Forest Watson, 25, was brought into court.

CLINTON—Twenty-two drivers at Crown Hill mine did not fancy leading mules a half mile in cold weather and went out on strike.

UNION CITY—Secretary Vernon of the Welfare Association has started a snake hatchery to supply the many carnivals that come here with the reptiles.

EVANSVILLE—Because he was out of work and wanted to accumulate sudden wealth, Martin Blair, 38, said he became a run runner.

CRAWFORDSVILLE—Charles Cunningham, administrator, found \$20,000 in cash at the late John Peterson's home, which had not been occupied for four years.

KOKOMO—A mysterious "Mr. Dill" sent a photograph showing a midnight Ku-Klux Klan initiation to a local paper for publication.

SULLIVAN—Death of James M. Dudley occurred of heart failure on the station platform at Carlisle after he had run to catch a train.

LEBANON—His fondness for pork chops caused George Arthur Burk to receive two to fourteen years in prison or charge of stealing six hogs.

EVANSVILLE—James Foley, 36, of Dixon, Ky., almost had his 13-year-old bride "reformed" when she ran away with another man.

GREENSBURG—For the first time in thirty years, Albert Barnes, farmer, near here, and his brother, Reuben, of Hawatha, Kan., met the other day.

KOKOMO—When Alva Ault arrived home he found a thief had stripped the cupboard bare and he had to go to town for something to eat.

LEBANON—A. H. Hinkle of the State highway department has warned State truck drivers not to act as though they owned the State roads.

SOUTH BEND—That her husband had gone to church with her twice in nine years was the divorce charge of Mrs. Margaret Plough.

EXPRESS HEAD DIES

Burns D. Caldwell, Formerly of Terre Haute, Expires on Train.

By Times Special
TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Sept. 26.—Burns D. Caldwell, president of the Wells Fargo Express Company and a veteran railway official, died in his stateroom while on his way home to Orange, N. J., from a fishing trip in Canada, according to word received here. His death occurred near Burlington, Vt.

Caldwell's first job was that of a clerk in the auditor's office of the Vandalia Railroad here. He had been head of the express company for eleven years and was chairman of the board of the American Railway Express Company.

BANKER DIES SUDDENLY

Apoplexy Causes Death of M. W. Eaton of Flora.

By Times Special
DELPHI, Ind., Sept. 26.—Martin W. Eaton, 56, a prominent banker of Flora, in Carroll county, died at St. Joseph's Hospital in Logansport after an illness of but a few hours. He was stricken with apoplexy after a motor trip to Lucerne.

TESTIMONY ENDS IN POULIN TRIAL

Judge Ducomb States He Will Make No Immediate Decision.

By United Press
SOUTH BEND, Ind., Sept. 26.—The sensational Terlan-Poulin hearing will end today.

The State started rebuttal testimony as court opened and arguments began an hour later. One hour has been allotted for each side to sum up the case.

Judge Chester Ducomb has announced that he will not give a decision until Friday or Saturday.

Already the Tiernans are making preparations to carry the case to a higher court if the decision is against them, and the next hearing of the case in all probability will be featured with the introduction of blood test experts who Professor Tiernan claims will determine that he is not the father of the child whom both he and Poulin have disowned.

EXPERT IS EXPECTED

City Plan Engineer Will Study River and Rail Transportation.

By Times Special
EVANSVILLE, Ind., Sept. 26.—William C. Hudson, transportation engineer for Harland Bartholomew, city plan expert of St. Louis, is expected here to complete a study of river and rail transportation, according to Henry M. Dickman, secretary of the city planners.

L. D. Tilton, plan engineer, has gone to St. Louis to submit a plan providing for two acres of playground at each school building and a neighborhood park for each square mile.

GIRL KILLS HERSELF

Garnett Lowe Drinks Acid When Her Lover Fails to Appear.

By Times Special
DELPHI, Ind., Sept. 26.—Dependent because her lover failed to keep an appointment with her Sunday evening, Garnett Lowe, 18, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Lowe of Burrows, committed suicide by drinking carboric acid. The girl died before help could be summoned.

When her lover failed to keep an appointment Saturday evening, she threatened to kill herself if he failed to show up the following evening.

SHORTAGE IS PROBED

Grand Jury at Jeffersonville Investigates Clerk's Office.

By Times Special
JEFFERSONVILLE, Ind., Sept. 26.—Instructions were given the Clark County grand jury by Judge James W. Fortune to investigate an alleged shortage of \$9,676.92 in the office of Charles K. Zollman, clerk, whose office has been taken over by a bonding company.

Zollman is a candidate on the Democratic ticket to succeed himself and has refused to get off the ticket.

JEALOUS HUSBY SHOTS

Victim Receives Charge From Shotgun in Face.

By Times Special
CLINTON, Ind., Sept. 26.—Frank Dobrotinsek was shot in the face with a charge from a shotgun in the hands of Toney Yaro, according to the police. Yaro, who has not been apprehended, believed Dobrotinsek was trying to alienate the affections of Mrs. Yaro, according to Mrs. Dobrotinsek.

DIES OF INJURIES

Car Strikes William Harris As He Leads Horse.

By Times Special
COLUMBUS, Ind., Sept. 26.—William Harris, 71, died at the county hospital of injuries he received three weeks ago when an automobile struck him as he was leading a horse along the road near his home at Taylorville. The horse became frightened and lunged throwing him in front of the car which was driven by an Edinburg man.

BUILDING COMPLETED

Rose Polytechnic Hall to Be Occupied Next Week.

By United Press
TERRE HAUTE, Sept. 26.—The new building of the Rose Polytechnic Institute will be ready for occupancy next week, it was announced here today.

It will be the most modern and the best equipped scientific school in the United States, members of the faculty stated.

BULL KILLS FARMER

Clarence D. Painter Is Gored to Death on Farm.

By Times Special
NEWCASTLE, Ind., Sept. 26.—Clarence D. Painter, well-known farmer and prominent in institute and farm federation activities, was gored by a bull on his farm near here today and died of his injuries thirty minutes later. He is survived by a 14-year-old daughter.

DOCTORS WILL MEET

Joint Convention Will Be Held at Evansville.

By Times Special
EVANSVILLE, Ind., Sept. 26.—The annual convention of the American College of Surgery and the Ohio Valley Medical Association will be held here Dec. 4 and 5. Five hundred physicians from Indiana, Kentucky, Illinois and Michigan are expected to attend.

HOPE EDEN GIVES REPLIES

Advises in Love, Business Queries Found in Times Box

Hope Eden, the Miracle Girl, who is appearing at the Palace (formerly Lowe's State) as the headline attraction this week, will try to answer all questions deposited in the Hope Eden Times question box, in the theatre lobby. Questions regarding relatives, love affairs, business troubles, travel and a thousand other queries of interest to the Times readers will be answered in this column every day during the week.

Judging by the rate they are coming in and the crowds around the question box after each performance, it will be very doubtful that Miss Eden will be able to answer every question deposited. However, everyone is given an equal chance and the questions will be published as rapidly as they are received and space permits.

Answers to Monday's Questions
Mary E.—Would advise you to write again. You will find that by writing once again the friendship will grow stronger. Be liberal, do not be so systematic in this respect.

H. G. I.—Have every reason to believe that the child's father will contribute to the support of his offspring, but rest assured that the matter must be handled in a diplomatic manner. Am glad that you are familiar with the situation and sincerely trust that right will win out. Ordinarily a man that is not true to his own wife is not true to himself. See that he is at least fair to you.

I. W.—The future has a lot of things in store for you. First of all you are assured of happiness if you will but except it when offered. You have not been wise in grasping the joys of life when they were offered in the past and you will be very wise to cultivate a happy disposition for your future welfare. Nothing else matters in the long run.

KLAN HOLDS PARADE

Thirty Cars Proceed Down Terre Haute's Main Thoroughfare.

By United Press
TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Sept. 26.—For a time last evening it appeared as though the American Legion wasn't the only organization holding a convention here.

About 9:30 o'clock nearly thirty automobiles filled with members of the Ku-Klux Klan dressed in full regalia paraded down Wabash Ave.—the city's main thoroughfare.

WATER TO LAST WEEK

Shortage at Bloomington Is Still Acute.

By United Press
BLOOMINGTON, Ind., Sept. 26.—Bloomington has enough water to last another week, water works officials estimated today.

It has not rained hard here since spring and, as a result, the water shortage has been acute for some time.

MONEY IS REFUSED

Negro Church Plans to Return Ku-Klux Klan Donation.

By United Press
MUNCIE, Ind., Sept. 26.—Trustees of the negro Calvary Baptist Church here declared today they would return \$40 given the preacher by W. E. Cahill, organizer of the Ku-Klux Klan in Muncie.

Cahill appeared before the congregation of the church and asked them to change their ideas of the Klan, which he said was not an anti-negro organization.

CLASS SCRAPS STOPPED

Order of Wabash College President Prohibits Annual Affair.

By Times Special
CRAWFORDSVILLE, Ind., Sept. 26.—Class fights between freshmen and sophomores at Wabash College will in future be prohibited, according to an announcement of Dr. George L. Mackintosh, president. This action was taken because several students were injured in the recent scrap.

DIES AT HATTIESBURG

Death of William P. Oakley, Formerly of Evansville, Occurs.

By Times Special
EVANSVILLE, Ind., Sept. 26.—Death of William P. Oakley, 88, occurred Monday afternoon at Hattiesburg, Miss., according to word received here. He formerly resided in Evansville. His son, Dr. James H. Oakley, is head of the Marine Hospital at Charleston, S. C. The body will be brought here for burial.

CAR IS OVERTURNED

A. D. Plamondon, Jr., of Chicago, Injured, But Not Seriously.

By Times Special
RICHMOND, Ind., Sept. 26.—An automobile driven by A. D. Plamondon, Jr., of Chicago, crashed through a bridge near Centerville and dropped fifteen feet overturning and plowing him beneath. Plamondon was injured but not seriously.

His parents met a tragic death. They were down with a Lusitania while on their way to England.

COAL PROPERTY SOLD

George Hingemeier Buys Dana Company for \$95,000.

By Times Special
CLINTON, Ind., Sept. 26.—George Hingemeier has bought the property of the Dana Coal Company for \$95,000 at public auction. The company has been in the hands of a receiver for a year. Charles W. Craig of Indianapolis purchased the Metropolitan Fuel Company for \$24,100.

ASK FURTHER SEARCH

Parents of Missing Boys Appeal to Police.

Parents of Robert Sheets, 13, of 1320 W. Washington St., today again appealed to the police to renew their search for their son. Sheets is company with Archie Ardisale, 15, who home in the 2400 block on E. Washington St., disappeared Sept. 21. The two boys were students at Technical High School.

W. N. L.—Do not make a definite decision at this time. If you are able to keep your head above water under the present arrangement, do so. Your physical condition would not withstand the hardships that more than likely have to be endured should you decide to make this radical change. All business has slumped somewhat during this period of readjustment.

C. J. M.—You want a position and you cannot wait much longer? Well, C. J. M., there is no reason for absolute idleness. You can get a position tomorrow if you are willing to except anything temporarily and return to your own line later on. This would be the wise thing for you to do. It will be quite some time before you will be able to return to your old position under the former arrangement.

F. E.—You appear to be worried. Unsettled conditions are responsible for your present frame of mind. You have about decided that it would be best for you and yours to leave Indianapolis and try to start over in more promising surroundings. My advice to you is to remain where you are for at least another six months and you will see light ahead.

E. L. C.—The accident was unavoidable and an exceedingly unfortunate affair. Nothing can be done to rectify the state of affairs at this time.

G. Mc.—Your friend will most certainly do the right thing if you talk the matter over carefully and diplomatically the unfairness of the present state of affairs.

NELLIE S.—Nothing should prevent the outcome that you look forward to in a financial way. You have the necessary ability and should be able to adapt yourself to the customary uncertainties you are sure to encounter. However, do not start to build your castle first, but be patient.

PARADE FEATURES LEGION'S MEETING

Five Thousand Men in Line of March at Terre Haute by Gen. Lewis.

By United Press
TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Sept. 26.—A general reunion marked the opening of the Indiana State convention of the American Legion here.

Nearly ten thousand veterans of the World War "stormed" Terre Haute and "went over the top"—to find their "buddies."

The feature last night was the "moon light" dance held on N. Fifth St.

Parade Is Held

This afternoon a mammoth parade was held. Maj. Gen. E. M. Lewis, General Pershing's representative to the convention headed the 5,000 men who marched.

Business was transacted at today's session.

Among the distinguished guests were Governor McRae, Senator Henry Cabot Lodge of Massachusetts, National Commander MacNider and State Commander Gregg of the legion, and Colonel Gignilliat, head of Culver Military school.

The convention will end Wednesday, with an election of officers and selection of a city for next year's convention. So far, Michigan City is unopposed in the bid for next year.

Two Men Sentenced

Youths at Columbus Charged With Framing Hold-up.

By Times Special
COLUMBUS, Ind., Sept. 26.—Sentence of one to fourteen years in State prison was given William Miller, 32, and one to fourteen years in the State reformatory was given Dale Sweet, 23, in Circuit Court here on their pleas of guilty to charges of grand larceny. They were accused of robbing a traveling man in a hold-up.

Uncle Shoots Nephew

Frank Blair Receives Charge From Shotgun.

By Times Special
COLUMBUS, Ind., Sept. 26.—Hugh Blair has been arrested and placed in jail on charge of shooting his nephew, Frank Blair, 35, during a family quarrel Monday afternoon. The wounded man received a charge from a shotgun in his breast and face, after he had thrown a stone at his uncle, it was said.

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PEPPER OFFERS IDEA

Senator Would Establish Emergency Juries in Industrial Disputes.

By United Press
PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 26.—Emergency juries summoned by the Government to find facts and reflect public opinion in industrial crises were recommended by Senator Pepper as a substitute for standing commissions like the rail labor board.

"Let us set up sufficient Governmental organization to give us official forecasters who will scan the industrial skies and sense the air currents," Pepper said. "Let them be empowered to invoke executive action for the impelling of emergency juries."

MAE B.—Under the conditions it would be impossible for me to aid you in this matter. The period of time and the circumstances are not favorable.

MARY L.—By all means make arrangements for the change you have in mind which is to take place in the spring. It should prove beneficial in more ways than one.

P. A. L.—There is the least bit of uncertainty in this affair. The outcome depends so much on their business organization that we would hesitate to predict the terms of settlement for those concerned. Have every reason to believe that the situation is not quite so serious as you would believe.

BERTHA C.—Cannot advise a change for you just at present. You will never be thoroughly satisfied until you have tried your hand at something in a city other than Indianapolis.

A. B. W.—Am inclined to believe that he will take over the business if the right price is asked; otherwise, he will wisely reject the proposition and look elsewhere.

E. D. C.—The position is available, but you do not appear to be the right type for the berth. It would be more harmful to you than to the employer if you should be offered the vacancy. You will eventually be placed where your ability will be properly placed and where you will be sure to advance through your interest in the work allotted to you. As temporary employment the position you are seeking might do.

SAFETY CAMPAIGN TO BE DIRECTED AT 'JOY' DRIVERS

'No Fire No Accident Week' Goal in Indianapolis Oct. 9 to 16.

A "No Fire No Accident Week" is the goal set for the city of Indianapolis for Oct. 9 to 16, it was announced by Grier M. Shotwell, chairman of a special "No Fire No Accident Week" committee following a meeting of the committee at the Chamber of Commerce building at noon today.

Sixty-seven accidents, the majority of them due to carelessness by one or both parties occurred during the same week last year, Capt. Michael Glenn, head of the traffic department of the Indianapolis police department, told the members of the committee. An actual count showed that of the total only thirteen were reported at the time of the accidents to be unavoidable, while two were due to driving under the influence of liquor. Fifty-two accidents could have been entirely avoided by carefulness, the police captain said.

Following close on the walk-to-the-right campaign the "No Fire No Accident Week" campaign will be aimed at the joy driver as well as the jay walker.

E. U. Graff, superintendent of public schools and a member of the committee which is planning the campaign, promised that everything possible would be done to impress the children in the schools and their parents with the necessity of exercising every precaution to avoid accident and fire.

Herbert Culhane Accidentally Shot at Notre Dame.

By Times Special
SOUTH BEND, Ind., Sept. 26.—When a gun in the hands of a fellow student was discharged, Herbert Culhane, 20, a Notre Dame student, was killed Monday afternoon in Walsh hall. His home was in Chicago.

SEWER SYSTEM DOES NOT MEET GROWTH OF CITY

Plans Made 40 Years Ago Do Not Provide for Present Situation.

CAUSE FLOODED STREETS

Overburdened Ducts Rapidly Become Menace to Health—Not Cleaned for Years.

By VOLNEY B. FOWLER
Forty years ago Indianapolis got herself a comprehensive sewer system and then set out to outgrow it. She succeeded so well that today she has hopelessly outdistanced even the plan of the old system, and merely to keep from choking to death has constructed a 570-mile hodge-podge of underground pipes which threatens to burst with the load it carries.

This is the nutshell explanation of why raw sewage flows into Fall Creek, Pleasant Run, Bean Creek, Pogue's Run and White River; why cellars in some sections have several inches of water in them when it rains hard; why some streets are flooded, and why unpleasant odors sometimes permeate good residence districts, city officials say.

Situation Menacing

The situation rapidly is becoming a menace to public health, according to Dr. Herman C. Morgan, secretary of the board of public health, who recommended that Indianapolis pause a moment, catch her breath, and call upon her native sons or seek some noted expert to plan a sewer system sufficient to meet present needs and stand expansion of the next fifty years.

Other officials agreed with Dr. Morgan. The city sanitary and engineering departments have given some consideration to the problem, the former being interested because Charles H. Hurd, consulting engineer for the board of sanitary commissioners, said it is unwise to construct the new \$2,000,000 sewage disposal plant to prevent pollution of White River below the city when streams inside the city are befouled by the inadequate system leading to the plant.

Tries to Find Way

City Engineer John L. Elliott has been trying to figure a way to get a survey of the system made so as to determine exactly all the things that are wrong, but has been handicapped because his men are overloaded with the work of supervising

construction of the great number of local sewers put in to keep pace with the rapid growth of residence tracts.

Sewers have not been kept properly cleaned for years, Martin J. Hyland, street commissioner, said. He has struggled with limited funds this year to out down complaints and has an appropriation of \$25,000 available next year for the exclusive purpose of giving the entire system a thorough renovation.

SWERVES TO CURB Margaret Brown, Severely Cut in Accident at Emerson Ave.

Margaret L. Brown, 19, of 501 S. New Jersey St., suffered severe cuts when her automobile overturned at Washington St. and Emerson Ave., today.

The young woman swerved her car to a curb to avoid striking a horse and buggy driven by Mrs. Martha Russell, Twenty-First St. and Arlington Ave.

ROBBED OF SHOES While sleeping in a cellroom at police headquarters Clark Willoughby, 1041 S. Harding St., was robbed of his shoes by a fellow prisoner.

In city court yesterday afternoon Willoughby did not object to paying the fine for drunkenness, but he went to the detective department and requested the police to search for his shoes.

UNCOMFORTABLE AFTER MEALS?

Then Try a Pinch of Black-Draught. This White-Haired Alabama Lady Says It Helps Her.

In recommending Theodor's Black-Draught to her Dutton, Ala., friends and neighbors, Mrs. T. F. Parks, a well-known Jackson County lady, said:

"I am getting up in years; my head is pretty white. I have seen medicines and remedies come and go, but the old reliable came and stayed. I am talking of Black-Draught, a liver medicine we have used for years—one that can be